

Chance of rain tonight, clearing over the state Wednesday afternoon. Continued cool.

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News Briefs

No Strike Progress

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — The president of Carolina Trailways bus line says "absolutely no progress" has been made toward ending a 91-day old strike by the company's drivers.

H. Lester Creech gave the status report in a statement late Monday night following "a lengthy meeting" between the company and representatives of the Amalgamated Transit Union.

Creech said the union negotiating committee's "inflexible

attitude in these negotiations, combined with continuing inconvenience to the public, would now force the company to consider other options available to them."

Creech would not elaborate on what the other options were.

The bus line services points along a north-south route in South Carolina, North Carolina and Virginia.

The union did not immediately reply to Creech's statement.

Urges 'Regular Diet'

RALEIGH (AP)—North Carolina Agriculture Commissioner Jim Graham Monday urged consumers to return to their regular diets of meat, poultry and pork, and warned that otherwise, many meat packers in the state will be forced out of business.

Graham said in a prepared statement that wholesale meat prices have dropped as much as 40 per cent after peaking last August. He observed that the drop is good for consumers,

but has forced the state's meat and livestock industry into a recession.

"Many of them are experiencing losses of considerable consequence," he said.

Graham predicted that meat prices will shoot upward later unless shoppers buy more meat.

The decline in consumption followed widespread shortages and record high meat prices last August.

Evans Street Mall Project Is Approaching Stage For Bids

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer

Joe Laney, executive director of the Redevelopment Com-

mission, reported Monday night that plans for the Evans Street Mall will hopefully be ready for bids by late 1974 or early 1975. Laney told commissioners

that the Central Business District Project Advisory Committee met on Feb. 26 with Bob Anderson, senior partner of City Planning & Architectural

Associates of Chapel Hill, to review the status of plans for the mall.

The director noted that he stressed the importance of

proceeding now with the Design Development Phase of the mall project and he asked Anderson to meet again with the committee to insure that the mall design reflects the ideas and desires of the businessmen in the downtown area.

During the PAC meeting, Laney reported, he pointed out that in the preliminary planning phase of the project, a mall design was developed that was capable of being implemented in two phases. The first phase, he explained, would be an open mall and the second phase would involve enclosing the structure.

Laney reported that at this point, it is important to begin with the open mall concept so that downtown development will not be held up. At a later date, he continued, as funds become available and properties are upgraded to conform to fire and insurance standards for an enclosed mall, that phase will be undertaken.

The PAC discussed the mall plans with Anderson, Laney pointed out, and voted to have him (Anderson) proceed with the Design Development Phase and have him return for the May PAC meeting with further details.

In other business, Laney reported that he has been asked by the Carolinas Council of Housing and Redevelopment Officials to represent the First Congressional District in a meeting with the North Carolina delegation in Washington, D. C. on Thursday.

He said that the purpose of the meeting, which will also be attended by Commission chairman Bill Laughinghouse and Mayor Eugene West, is to ask the assistance of the state delegation in passing legislation that is of vital concern to both housing authorities and redevelopment commissions. Laney said that no major legislation has been passed in two years for either housing or urban renewal and the spokesmen for the 11 districts in the state hope to point out to the lawmakers the need for such legislation.

On the housing side, he noted that "We feel that minimum rent is absolutely necessary so that Housing Authorities can remain solvent." He said that this would nullify the Brooke Amendment which has been a financial headache to Housing Authorities.

Laney said that on the urban renewal side, the fact that no new programs will be available until at least July of 1975 will be stressed. He said that current programs will run out in July of

this year and many Redevelopment Commission staffs in small cities will be out of business.

The director explained that "we intend to request that they consider the emergency legislation currently before Congress to provide for interim funding of the present renewal programs so that we can have an orderly transition to the new community development legislation."

Laney said that Greenville is not in danger of having to shut down operations since two fully funded programs have been approved and money is earmarked for those programs.

In other items, real estate officer Kirby Boyd reported that two pieces of property were acquired in CBD since the February meeting and two options were obtained. One structure was demolished and another lot owned by the commission was cleared of debris.

Boyd said that three parcels were acquired in Southside during the month and three more acquisitions will hopefully be closed out this week. Options were obtained on two pieces of property and three structures were demolished, he said.

The Commission approved a contract with John Grier for the sale of Disposal Parcel Five in Shore Drive. The contract calls for the construction of an office building on the corner of First and Pitt Streets to be completed within six months from the date of the deed execution.

Assistant CBD project manager Dennis Tripp said that four relocations were handled in CBD since the last meeting and involved three individuals and one family.

Southside project manager Bruce Jackson told the board that five families were moved from the Southside area. Two of them were tenants and three were home owners, he said.

The commissioners, in addition to approving travel expenses for Laney and Laughinghouse for the trip to Washington, D. C., authorized the attendance of two staff members and one commissioner to the annual convention of the Carolinas Council April 29-May 1 in Charlotte.

Contracts for land acquisition services with the law firm of James, Hite, Cavendish & Blount and with Bob Browning were approved for the Southside Project. Tom Haigwood is handling the acquisition for Browning, who is currently serving as a special Superior Court Judge.

Will Challenge Sen. Fulbright

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) — Gov. Dale Bumpers says he will seek the Democratic nomination for the Senate seat now held by fellow Democrat J. W. Fulbright, a candidate for reelection.

Fulbright told newsmen shortly after Bumpers' announcement Monday he regretted the governor had chosen to run against him in the May 28 Democratic primary.

The 68-year-old chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee said he expected the campaign to be his toughest since he won his Senate seat in 1944 by beating Gov. Homer Adkins.

Bumpers, 48, a small town lawyer, rose out of political obscurity to win the governorship in 1970. He was chairman of the Democratic Governors' Caucus last year.



TAKE OATHS. . . Clerk of Court H. L. Lewis (L) administers the oaths of office to members of the Pitt Board of Elections, including (L-R) J. B. Spilman,

Thomas C. Herndon, and James C. Lanier Jr. Lanier and Herndon are Republican members of the board while Spilman is a Democrat. (Reflector Staff Photo)

Jumbojet Hijacker Is Seized

TOKYO (AP) — An 18-year-old Japanese hijacked a Japan Air Lines jumbo jet with 425 other persons aboard today but was captured seven hours later by police bringing food on board.

Police said the youth, who carried a black bag but turned out to be unarmed, told them he wanted to do research of the earth.

They said he took over the Boeing 747, with a record number of persons aboard for a hijacking, by presenting a note to a crew member saying "Obey our orders. If not, I cannot guarantee the lives of the passengers."

An officer said the youth's comment about wanting to study the world might be the reason he demanded Alpine equipment including ropes, shovels, knives and face masks, and 15 parachutes.

JAL officials said he also demanded \$55 million in \$1,000 bills and 200 million yen, about the equivalent of \$666,000, in 10,000-yen notes.

Police identified the youth as Katsuhiko Owaki but prohibited publication of the name in Japan since he is a minor.

Police said the youth told them he had planned the hijacking for about a month. Since childhood, they quoted him as saying, he had been interested in geology and biology but had no money to pursue studies in these fields.

Police said the youth was not believed to be connected with any radical group.

At one point when the pilot asked him what he planned to do with the equipment he requested, he replied that the equipment was to be picked up in Tokyo and he would give further instructions then.

Lanier Chosen New Chairman Elections Bd.

James C. Lanier Jr. was elected chairman of the Pitt County Board of Elections Monday as the Republican Party assumed a two-to-one majority on the three-man board.

Lanier and Thomas C. Herndon, who was appointed recently to replace Democrat Burney W. Baker, took their oaths of office at 12 noon as GOP members of the board while J. B. Spilman was sworn in for another term as Democratic representative on the elections body. Spilman had served as chairman while the Democrats enjoyed the majority position on the board.

Clerk of Court H. L. Lewis conducted the swearing-in ceremonies at the board's new

offices on Second Street.

Herndon was elected Elections secretary during the organizational meeting that followed the ceremonies and the board agreed unanimously to reappoint Miss Margaret Register as executive secretary.

During the meeting, the board discussed registration and elections details concerning the upcoming May primaries and examined drafts of proposed ballots for the primary elections. There will be no GOP primary in the county it was noted, since all candidates who filed for Pitt offices are Democrats.

The board set April 6, the Saturday before the April 8 registration deadline, as a special registration day to allow persons who might not have a chance to register prior to that time a later opportunity. The possibility of having the elections office remain open later on Friday, April 5, for registration convenience was also pondered.

Westmoreland To Enter Arena

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Former Army Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland is expected to end months of speculation by announcing as a Republican candidate for governor of South Carolina.

Westmoreland, 59, who retired from the Army in 1972, has scheduled an afternoon news conference at a Columbia motel today. There was little doubt he would say he is seeking the GOP nomination.

Utilities Board Meets Tonight

Greenville Utilities Commission will meet tonight at 7:30 in the board room of the new Utilities building.

The Utilities building is located across Fifth Street from City Hall.

Meet Hussein

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon and Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger met today with Jordan's King Hussein, who brought to Washington a military shopping list headed by a request for Hawk surface-to-air missiles.

As the meeting began in the President's Oval Office, a White House spokesman said the Middle East situation would be discussed.

But the king also was expected to lodge with Nixon a plea for an increase in military aid, now averaging about \$40 million a year, to modernize Jordan's armed forces.

Sees No Kidnap 'Wave'

WASHINGTON (AP) — FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley says he does not believe the series of abduction incidents after the kidnaping of Patricia Hearst are leading to a "real wave" but instead "just a ripple."

Kelley said Monday the kidnaping of the 20-year-old newspaper heiress some six weeks ago probably spurred the subsequent cases.

However, the FBI chief said the Hearst abduction was "a so-called political type of kidnaping" while "the others which have followed are more of the traditional type of kidnaping."

"I think that this is not a real wave of kidnapings that we're going to have, just a ripple, so to speak, in comparison with some of those we've experienced in the past," Kelley said.

He added: "I'm optimistic about this not being a real problem."

Kelley said he was somewhat confused about the charges aimed at the FBI over the weekend by Miss Hearst's captors, the Symbionese Liberation Army.

"This matter of being too obstreperous or whatever they mean, we cannot actually figure it out," he said. "We have always stated throughout the entire Hearst kidnaping that paramount in our consideration is the safety of the victim. I don't know what they're talking about."

DAR CONVENES
WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP)—North Carolina Daughters of the American Revolution held their annual convention here today, presenting awards for patriotism.

Mild Tremors In LA

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Two mild earthquakes rumbled through downtown Los Angeles early today, apparently causing no damage and attracting little attention from a sleeping city.

A spokesman for the Seismological Lab at California Institute of Technology at Pasadena said the first quake, registering 3.0 on the Richter scale, occurred at 12:33 a.m. PDT. The second quake five minutes later registered 2.5, he said.

The spokesman said a quake of 3.0 would be unlikely to cause damage and would be un-

detected by some residents in the immediate area.

"I felt like I was in a boat," said a Los Angeles County sheriff's deputy on duty in the department's downtown office. He described the tremors as a rolling motion. The deputy said he received no reports of damage.

Residents in neighborhoods two to three miles from the downtown area reported feeling a rolling motion but authorities contacted in outlying areas of the county said they felt nothing at all.

Murder Irish Senator

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — Irish police said today they found the body of Sen. Billy Fox shot through the head near the house from which he was kidnaped by armed raiders late Monday.

Fox was one of the few Protestant members of the republic's legislature.

Police said they found Fox's body about 400 yards from the border with Northern Ireland.

Fox was taken Monday by about a dozen armed men at the farmhouse of a friend,

Richard Coulson, in County Monaghan.

The raiders forced the Coulson family to lie on the floor, set fire to the house and dragged Fox away.

The family managed to escape from the flames. Coulson said he later heard shots about 500 yards away as the raiders made off.

Until he moved to the Senate, Fox was one of only two Protestants in the Dail, the lower house of Parliament.

First Lady In Caracas

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — Pat Nixon sipped champagne with Venezuela's outgoing president, got caught in bumper-to-bumper traffic and joked about taking a few million gallons of Venezuelan oil home with her.

President Nixon "wished he could be here, but he sent the closest thing to his heart — me," the First Lady of the United States told President Rafael Caldera Monday night as she presented her credentials.

Mrs. Nixon is heading the U.S. delegation for the three-day festivities accompanying the transfer of Venezuela's presidential sash from Caldera

Mrs. Nixon delivered her credentials and a letter to Caldera Monday evening at a reception in the gilt and marble splendor of Miraflores Palace. She was the only woman heading one of the 70 delegations, and her cerise georgette evening gown by Mollis Parnis stood out strikingly among the dark business suits of the male delegates. After shaking hands with Caldera, she held a reception of her own in the colonnaded palace courtyard. Other delegates lined up to talk to her. Then Caldera joined her and drank a glass of champagne with her.

Cite Home Injuries

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Twenty million Americans are injured each year around their homes, an official of the Consumer Product Safety Commission says.

Of these, 30,000 are killed and 110,000 are permanently disabled, and the cost of the deaths and injuries is \$5.5 billion, Jim Sharman told the Charlotte Textile Club Monday. He is director of the commission's office of standards coordination and appraisal.

He said statistics show bicycles are the most hazardous consumer product. And the next greatest number of accidents involves stairways, ramps and landings.

Sharman, a former chemist with the Celanese fibers corporation and once a resident of Charlotte, said the commission is not trying to "put business out of business."

It is working to protect the public from unreasonable risk.

Almost Like Old Times At The Gasoline Pump

By CARL L. TYER
Reflector Staff Writer

February's critical gas shortage and scene of waiting lines seems to be over.

March bloomed with warmer weather and a sense of calm among gas consumers in Greenville.

A spot survey of gasoline stations in Greenville this morning showed gasoline station owners having a much better month and speaking in much milder tones.

Of the five stations checked this morning, all had gasoline.

Their times of operation are still limited for selling, but none of the stations are experiencing the lines of buyers they had last month.

Only one station, Fleming's Union 76 on Dickinson Avenue, is experiencing a worse supply than they had in February.

"This is the worst month we have had," stated Lewis Fleming.

Fleming stated he would receive only 64 per cent of his 1972 supply, and that all the Union 76 stations in Greenville seem to be experiencing a bad month.

Meanwhile, Allen Adams, a spokesman for Plaza Golf on the by-pass stated he would receive 90 per cent of this 1972 supply, and was having a much better month.

"We don't have any lines," Adams added cheerfully.

Most of the owners questioned stated the odd-even system was not being followed entirely, but with their lack of lines, they weren't pressing the matter.

The ETNA No. 1 station on Greenville Boulevard reported things were definitely better this month.

The spokesman stated he felt the situation had improved because people had stopped "panic buying."

"We're receiving 200 gallons more per day this month," he added.

A distributor contacted, Leon L. Moore, confirmed the increased supply in Greenville. "We just had our quota raised to 90 per cent yesterday," Moore stated.

The outlook for April is still unknown, but all owners are hoping for a continuation of March's calmer buying pattern.

Last Charter Member Of Rotary Club Honored



AT ROTARY MEETING. . . President Robert Deyton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kittrell after Kittrell, the last surviving charter member of the local club, was honored.

J. B. Kittrell was honored by the Greenville Rotary Club last night in recognition of his status as the only living charter member of the club, which was formed here in 1921.

"We want to honor J. B. Kittrell, who is the last surviving charter member of the Greenville Rotary Club," president Robert Deyton said.

"Your fellow Rotarians are proud to pay tribute to you. To us, you are 'Mister Rotarian' of Greenville."

To honor Kittrell, a member of the club 55 years who has twice served as its president—in 1921

and in 1936—local Rotarians have contributed \$1,000 in his name to the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

The contribution qualifies Kittrell as a Paul Harris Fellow of the Rotary Foundation. Last year some 1,900 individuals became Paul Harris Fellows through donations or contributions of \$1,000 in their honor or memory.

The Rotary Foundation makes educational awards, in the form of scholarships, fellowships and special grants to worthy individuals.

Kittrell, in responding to the honor, said "I find myself

speechless," adding that being listed as a Paul Harris Fellow "is a distinction in Rotary that has no equal."

Adding that his participation in Rotary has "enriched my life," Kittrell emphasized, "I'll never cease to be thankful."

Officers and directors for the Greenville club were elected at last night's meeting.

The new officers include president-elect Sam White; secretary-treasurer John Farley; Sergeant-at-arms Lester Brown and Directors Jack Boone, Phil Carroll, Oscar Moore and Don Wilkerson.

Local Lions Honor 3 Charter Members

The Greenville Lions Club honored three charter members Monday night during its 35th Anniversary Banquet at the Moose Lodge.

Special recognition was given to George Wilkerson, George Brown and Tyson Bilbro who, as charter members, are still active in the club.

The three charter members, along with fellow members Withers Harvey and Dr. E. B. Aycock, received 35-year chevrons in recognition of their associations with the club.

Lions District Governor Murray Williams of New Bern inducted Robert Longton, James

Harrison and Edgar Harrington as new members of the Greenville club.

The guest speaker for the banquet, Darrel Morse of Havelock, reviewed the highlights and accomplishments of the Greenville Lions through the past 35 years, emphasizing the club's work with sight conservation and with the blind.

Morse, who serves as Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer, presented certificates of recognition to Mrs. Linda Hix and Mrs. Jessie Lamb for their work in conducting an eye screening clinic for pre-school children in Greenville.

O. E. Dowd, a past District Governor and member of the local club, was master of ceremonies for the banquet, attended by Greenville members and their wives.

Told Not To Include Nixon

WASHINGTON (AP) — The grand jury that investigated the Watergate break-in and cover-up was advised by Special Prosecutor Leon Jaworski not to include President Nixon in its indictments even if the evidence justified it, a spokesman for Jaworski said today.

The spokesman, who declined to be named, said Jaworski feels that the question of whether a president can legally be indicted was substantial enough to rule out filing of charges by the grand jury.

"It would not be responsible conduct in his opinion to return an indictment against the President in the present uncertain state of the law only to learn in the end that the United States Supreme Court holds such action to be unconstitutional," the spokesman said.

In its 50-page indictment against seven former Nixon White House campaign aides the grand jury made no mention of the President. But it handed a sealed report to U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica, which sources have said concerns Nixon.

Whether the report will be sent to the House Judiciary Committee for its impeachment inquiry, as recommended by the grand jury, has not been decided by Sirica. The prosecutor supports such action, the White House takes no position on it and lawyers for the seven defendants oppose it.

Surveying Area Households

Households in this area, part of a nationwide sample of 50,000 households, will be visited by the U. S. Bureau of the Census interviewers the week of March 18-22 in the monthly survey on employment and unemployment.

The survey selects households scientifically to represent a cross section of all U. S. households. All information supplied is held confidential by law and is used only to compile statistical totals.

Mrs. Jean C. Wilson of Rt. 1, Grimesland, will conduct the interviews here.

Will Sponsor Center Program

The Iota Kappa Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., will sponsor a community program at Moyewood Center Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The topic for the evening will be "Special Health Needs and Concerns of Black Women."

The featured speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Loretta Jackson, instructor of clinical and psychiatric nursing at Beaufort County Technical Institute, Washington.

Report Research At Convention

Two mathematicians from East Carolina University reported on their research at the American Mathematical Society convention in Gainesville, Fla. Last Week.

Dr. Lokenath Debnath discussed inertial oscillations and multiple boundary layers in an unsteady rotating flow, a topic relevant to aerodynamics especially to high speed aircraft or spacecraft.

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Death Penalty Bill To Senate

By JOHN CHADWICK Associated Press Writer WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate is taking up a bill providing for a mandatory death penalty for certain kinds of federal offenses in the absence of mitigating circumstances.

The measure expected to be brought before the Senate today is an effort to overcome a 1972 Supreme Court decision ruling unconstitutional the death penalty as applied under most state and federal laws.

Strongly urged by President Nixon a year ago, the bill was recently approved by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

"The only way to attack crime in America is the way crime attacks our people — without pity," Nixon said.

Since the Supreme Court's 5-4 decision, which did not rule that capital punishment in itself is unconstitutional, 21 states have passed legislation to reinstate the death penalty.

"The Senate bill provides for the death penalty for national

security offenses such as treason and espionage, and for other crimes like hijacking and kidnaping in which murder is committed.

The death penalty would be mandatory if certain specified aggravating circumstances were present but would be barred if any of five mitigating circumstances were present.

After a conviction or a guilty plea by a defendant in a capital case, a separate court hearing would be held on the sentence to be imposed unless the government stipulated that no aggravating factors existed or that one or more mitigating factors existed.

The bill provides for appellate review of the sentence if the death penalty is imposed.

The Judiciary Committee said this procedure, with established criteria for imposing the death penalty, was designed to provide the even-handed justice called for by the Supreme Court.

Discussing Top N.C. Award Education For Dr. Fuller

People in Education will be the theme of two meetings sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Greenville-Pitt County. Tonight's meetings will be held at 8 o'clock at the home of Julia Bloodworth, 215 Pinewood Road. Tomorrow's meeting will be held at 10 a.m. at the home of Anne Frost, 615 Club Pines Drive. All interested persons are invited to attend.

A discussion of the teaching staffs will be led by Myra Cain and Robbie Piper. Doris Jean Haggard will focus on the pupil. Barbara Caspar will lead the discussion of school-community relations.

The LWV is currently involved in a two-year study of the local city and county schools. Written information on comparative school board data and on the general overview of the two school systems will also be available at the March unit meetings.

Ms. Haggard, the Director of the LWV Education Committee, also announces that a May 21 meeting will focus on school facilities and school finance of the two local school systems.

Dr. Frank G. Fuller, chairman of counselor education in the East Carolina University School of Education, is the 1974 recipient of the Ella Stephens Barrett Award, the top award given by the N. C. Personnel and Guidance Association.

The award is an annual recognition of great contribution to the promotion of the guidance and counseling profession. Dr. Fuller was given the award at the 27th annual NCPGA state convention in Greensboro Monday.

The convention, attended by 600 members, included a keynote address by state Rep. Lura Tally of Fayetteville and speeches by Dr. Charles Lewis, executive secretary of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, and Dr. Carl McDaniel, president of the National Vocational Guidance Association.

The award is named for Ella Stephens Barrett who was state Supervisor of Guidance Service from 1941 until her death in 1967. It includes a plaque, an engraved silver bowl and a cash award of \$300.

Dr. Fuller is a member of the Greenville City Council.

LEMON CUSTARD PIES

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ECU Nutritionist Heads Association

Dr. Alice Scott, chairman of food, nutrition and institution management in the East Carolina University School of Home Economics, has been elected president of the Eastern North Carolina District Dietetic Association.

The group includes this region's members of the

American Dietetic Association, a national organization dedicated to promoting the field of dietetics. The eastern group is one of seven district associations in North Carolina.

Other officers include: Barbara Marshall, dietician at Cherry Hospital, Goldsboro, vice president; First Lieut. Junelle Severson, dietician at Seymour Johnson Hospital, Goldsboro, secretary; and Lou Hamilton, Greenville consulting dietician, treasurer.

Section chairmen are Mary Pat Fullin, VA Hospital, Fayetteville; Jo Ann Suggs, ECU School of Nursing; Delores Journigan and Amelia Bass, Nash General Hospital, Rocky Mount; Camille Clarke, Greenville office of Dept of Human Resources; and Elizabeth Davenport, Ayden, consulting dietician.

Couple Marry And Enlist

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Mary Ann Brunt and Paul Foster said "I do" to each other. Then they said it to the U.S. Army.

In a double ceremony Monday, the Milford couple was married at the Armed Forces Entrance Examining Station and then enlisted in the service.

Mrs. Foster said they decided to enlist because "it's too hard to be married and live comfortably." She said the Army would give her and her husband the education needed to get good jobs.

The couple, in their early 20s, said they were talked into the "double ceremony" by a friend who is a civilian employe at the recruiting center.

Foster leaves Tuesday for basic training at Ft. Dix, N.J. His wife will be trained at Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Soup Line To Dramatize Cost

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)—Young radicals told the city council Monday they plan to set up a free bread and soup line at the Charlotte Civic Center on April 6, to dramatize the high cost of food.

The Red Hornet May Day Tribe, a local radical group, didn't mention it, but the bread line would be at the same time that Vice President Ford is speaking to a \$100-a-plate Republican fund-raising dinner in the civic center.

City Atty. Henry Underhill said he knew of no ordinance that would block the proposed food line.

BARGAINING

ROME (AP)—Premier designate Mariano Rumor and leaders of the Center-Left parties are bargaining on the shape of the next government for Italy.

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FIVE POINTS

Backgammon Termed 'Wonderful' Husband And Wife Game

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

If you are considered a sure thing to trump your partner's ace or if you can't quite dig chess or the strategy of checkers, you may still be a winner at backgammon.

So says world champion player Tim Holland, 41, a stockbroker. "You don't need to feel insecure playing a superior player as you do with most other games because the element of luck is involved, one reason for the game's increasing popularity," he says.

Holland was discussing the ancient game, a favorite of the Greeks, Romans and Persians, and why it took so long to catch on in the United States. It was sequestered in the tight inner circles of the dinner-dress crowd, he says. Now it is played in restaurants, living rooms, ski huts, beach houses and back yards.

"Women like it because they do not have to take the time to study and become experts to feel comfortable playing it. It is a wonderful husband and wife game," he insists.

The game's appeal for busy Americans may be also that it can be terminated in five minutes if necessary. But you can play for five hours or five days if you have the time, he points out.

Fifteen stones (men) are moved around the 24 points on a board at the roll of a dice. It need not be a fancy board — the back of a dime-store checker board often has a layout. One need not be a master of strategy as might be required in other games and the best player doesn't win all the time. Holland has been beaten by amateurs, including his own 12-year-old son, Tim, who lives with his wife, now Mrs. Johnny Carson.

The almost-even chance of winning satisfies the American's yen for gambling with play stakes or real money. A player sensing victory can double, re-double and re-re-double, adding intrigue to the play. It is an easy game to learn. It takes only about 10 minutes, according to Holland's beautiful wife, Lona.

Holland had been asked so many thousands of questions about the game, however, that

he wrote a book, "Beginning Backgammon" and devised a self-teaching game, Autbackgammon. The 60 games involving 2,700 moves are indelibly impressed on his mind, he says. It took him 600 hours to put it together.

Tournaments sizzle with suspense without the tension of strategy games like chess. You can become a better backgammon player by playing with super players — there is skill involved — but "two equalized players" are on an even-keel basis because of the element of luck, he says.

Holland began playing tournaments in 1967 and has had some phenomenal winning streaks. He retired London's Claremont Club's tournament cup by winning three years in succession, much to the club's consternation — they had expected the handsome trophy to be intact, perhaps for gener-

ations. Right now Calcutta Auctions are adding to the excitement. Bits of players or whole players in a tournament are bought by bidders. Up until five-or-so years ago the game was being played mainly in posh Fifth Avenue drawing rooms or such clubs as the Everglades in Palm Beach, he says. The tiara set wanted a game "nobody else played." And that idea started in old England in the days of Richard the Lionhearted when one had to gain permission to play the game.

Now restaurants and hotels encourage the game. At El Morocco, the New York club, a player pays \$30 for backgammon, drinks, dinner and dancing. In fact, interior designer Ellen McCluskey kept the game well in mind when she refurbished the club a few years ago, providing a cozy area upstairs for the gaming teams.

At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck



Whatever you think of 1974 so far, you have to admit it is producing a banner crop of excuses.

There's a valid excuse for every human inconvenience you can think of. Take your pick: the energy crisis, the truckers' strike, unemployment, shortage of gas, hoarding, bad weather, failing economy, pollution and bureaucracy.

Sometimes it boggles the mind to imagine what excuses they can come up with next. I checked into my favorite doctor's office the other morning and the nurse handed me a little paper jacket with no sleeves. "What am I supposed to do with this?" I asked. "Gift wrap a specimen?"

"Just take off your clothes and slip it on," she said.

"And then what am I supposed to be?"

"Cold," she grinned.

"C'mon," I said. "What happened to the long paper gowns you used to have?"

"Would you believe an unseasonal storm destroyed an entire forest in Oregon?"

"No."

"How about all the tall people are hoarding the long gowns?"

"How about paper shortage?" I asked.

"That was going to be my next offer," she said.

"Look," I said. "I am sick to death of these lame excuses for shoddy workmanship and shortages. Everywhere I go it's the same old record."

"Bread is high because the Russians bought all the wheat. Popcorn is unavailable because of the rains. The fish aren't biting because of the atomic bomb. The chickens aren't laying because they are anxious over the Middle East. And there is a shortage of fertilizer because..."

Why is there a shortage of fertilizer? And now you give me this pitiful little paper weskit that isn't large enough to spit on and cover a razor cut on a man's chin and tell me there is a paper shortage. I want a better story than that.

"Okay," she said, folding her arms and leaning against the door. "Here's one. These paper products for examination gowns come out of Washington and are made from recycled tapes. This particular model was designed by Rosemary Woods, and (Continued on Page 5)



Engagement Announced

MISS GAIL ELIZABETH CHERRY, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee Cherry of Rt. 1, Washington, who announce her engagement to John Thomas Morgan Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Morgan of Rt. 2, Dunn. The wedding will take place April 14.

Visiting Neighbor Was A Busybody

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Help! We have an argument! We have the only phone in a rural area. Naturally, we allow our neighbors to make occasional calls on our phone.

A neighbor, who is of foreign extraction, came over and asked to use our phone to call her husband. She spoke to him in her native tongue. I had another neighbor here visiting me at the time.

After the caller left, the visiting neighbor said she thought it was rude of the caller to speak in a foreign tongue.

I maintained what she said was none of our business. CHIMACUM, WASHINGTON

DEAR CHIM: You were! [P.S. I hope you didn't tell your visitor anything you didn't want repeated. She sounds like a busybody.]

DEAR ABBY: I wrote to my hometown police station in Illinois three months ago for some information and so far I've had no reply.

I inquired about some trouble I was in when I was 15. I am now 30 and a registered nurse, happily married with a family, but for all these years I have wondered if I have a record, or NOT.

I remember that I spent two days in jail, but I never knew what the charges were. They took my picture and gave me some tests. I was told I had a venereal disease, but was never told which one.

It took a lot of guts on my part to write them as I hated to familiarize anyone there with my past who didn't already know about it. Also, some of my family still lives there.

I recall being on probation for several months. I really don't know what I did besides having intercourse with my boy friend. I didn't know that was against the law!

Please tell me how I can get an answer to my question as this bothers me. WANTS TO KNOW

DEAR WANTS: If you're a happily married registered nurse with a family, why dig around in 15-year-old records to unearth that which hasn't given you any trouble since? If you're not satisfied to let sleeping dogs lie, have an Illinois attorney investigate it for you.

CONFIDENTIAL TO "ENGAGED TO A SAILOR FOR ELEVEN YEARS": You are not "engaged." Sister. You are permanently in drydock.

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.

St. Patricks Day Party Set For March 16

Final plans were formulated for the St. Patricks Day party at the Wednesday night meeting of the St. Peter's Woman's Club.

The party will be held at the Moose Lodge on Saturday, March 16, beginning at 8 p.m. For tickets contact Mrs. Kitty Tronto or Mrs. Anne Butler.

Miss Ada Jones submitted a report regarding the Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D. C. The bus leaves Friday evening, May 10. She urged interested persons to make early reservations.

The following slate of officers was presented for the coming year: Mrs. Butler, president; Mrs. Mary Izboni, vice president; Mrs. Lud Sherwood, secretary; and Mrs. Peggy Hill, treasurer.

President Yvonne Kiernan recognized the following card party committees: tickets, Mrs. Tronto and Mrs. Gert Cunningham; favors, Mrs. Dot Trotta, Miss May Franklin, Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Hill; table favors, Mrs. Dina Dorney, Miss Dina Massi and Mrs. Iaboni; table gifts, Mrs. Fran Rostar; kitchen, Mrs. Mary Herman, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Hatti Pignani, Mrs. Mary Croso and Mrs. Mary Saieed.

Mini hostesses, Miss Patti Brannigan, Miss Dora Butler, Miss Liz Butler, Miss Cathy Dorney, Miss Christ Flower, Miss Carol Hill, Miss Babetta Pignani, Miss Anne Marie Trotta and Miss Jill Valerie.

The decorating motif for the evening was St. Patricks day. The refreshment table was covered with a green cloth and centered with green plants in a gold pot with two Irish figurines. Mrs. Arie O'Connell, Mrs. Irene Hanifer and Mrs. Saieed served refreshments.

Food Stockpiling Can Be Doubly Expensive

By JEANNE LESEM
UPI Food Editor

NEW YORK (UPI) — If the recent government forecast of a 12 to 16 per cent increase in retail food prices this year tempts you to hoard—don't.

Indiscriminate stockpiling can be doubly expensive if the food spoils or loses quality and/or nutritives during long storage at too warm a temperature.

Dry staples such as white and parboiled rice, dried beans and other dried vegetables and canned foods keep well for up to a year under certain conditions, say the Cornell and Michigan State University extension services.

There's the catch. Very few house houses and apartments have a dry storage area whose temperature never rises above 70 degrees Fahrenheit. This is the recommended storage climate for food in cans or other tightly covered rigid containers made from metal, glass or plastic. If the cutbacks imposed by the energy shortage curtail airconditioning this summer, low temperature storage could become impossible.

The following suggestions for storing frequently used food products is from the extension services:

—Transfer boxed or bagged foods to tightly covered rigid containers. This allows you to check them first for the presence of insects that can develop in sealed bags or boxes of flour and other cereal products mishandled at a warehouse or retail store.

—Date package or can labels or storage containers before you put the groceries away, and always use the oldest first.

—Raw white rice and parboiled white rice keep well for up to two years under ideal conditions but flavored rice mixes, no more than six months, and brown rice, no more than two months. Seasonings in the mixes can lose flavor and/or attract insects.

The natural fat content in the outer layer of brown rice can develop an off-flavor. For longer storage of these products, refrigeration is recommended.

—Macaroni products, including noodles, can be stored up to two years.

—Dried beans and other dried vegetables keep well for as long as a year but they tend to dry out even more. When this happens, longer cooking is necessary.

—Unflavored dried potatoes have a recommended storage time of six to 12 months, but flavored mixes, only about six months.

—Fats and oils need protection from light and air. Otherwise, they oxidize like wine, turn rancid and develop off flavors. Partly filled bottles should be decanted into small ones that can be filled to the top for long storage.

—White flour should keep well for about six to eight months at cool room temperature but whole wheat and other whole grain flours should be refrigerated.

Mrs. Billica Gives Program

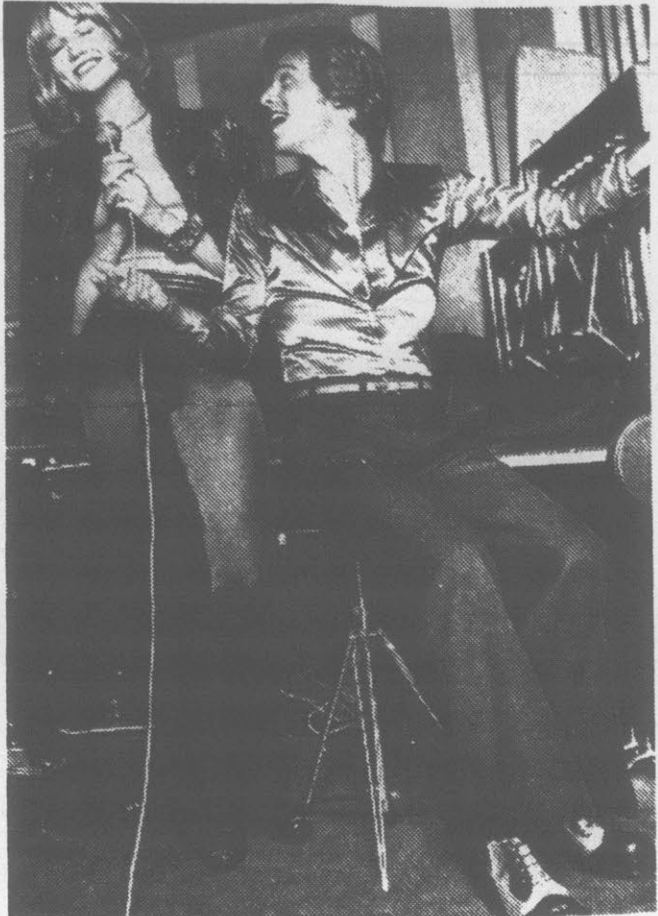
Mrs. H. R. Billica presented the program at the meeting of the Merry Tillers Garden Club of Welcome Wagon held Wednesday at the Billica home.

The speaker discussed growing orchids. Following the discussion, members toured Mrs. Billica's greenhouse.

A business meeting was conducted by Mrs. William Carter Smith, club president. Members planned a workshop on flower arranging for April.

Mrs. Maria Keenan was welcomed as a guest.

Mrs. Mickey Herrin and Mrs. G. Martin Lassiter were hostesses for the meeting.



Shoes Highlight Flashy Costume

SPECTATOR—Flashy clothes for evening are right in step with the hi-heel spectator shoe with platform sole. The five-eyelet tie comes in navy blue and silver leather, and stands out in a crowd. (Photo by Verde.)

Inherited Car Never Driven

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands (WNS)—No gas problems for Samantha Riegel, who inherited an almost-new automobile from her grandmother three months ago. "I don't drive, so I keep the car parked outside my parents' home," she explained. "It's a nice place to entertain boy friends."

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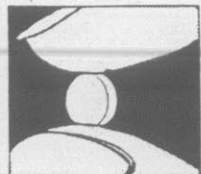
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Fullest Cooperation Is Needed

It seems apparent after last week's UNC Board of Governors meeting that the board will not continue to actively fight the ECU medical school bill in the State Legislature.

Chairman W. A. Dees read a statement at the meeting indicating this and in interviews after the meeting he said, "What will take place from here on

in is up to the members of the General Assembly." "All of us on this board and the president (Dr. Friday) will do our best to fulfill the requirements of such a law in good faith."

We think that is a good attitude on the part of the board, although we expect that partisan of the board in the Legislature will continue to make efforts to get the ECU medical school funds deleted or to insert crippling amendments. Therefore supporters of the ECU measure should not be lulled into complacency about this important measure.

Looking to the future and assuming the medical school measure does make it as it is now included in the state budget, the board of governor's and the UNC administration's full cooperation and support is going to be needed to develop the two-year medical program at ECU.

Even as the proposed law spells out the ECU program expansion, there are many ways that it can be harmed and held back within the university system. We think the key to the whole thing will be full cooperation between the Chapel Hill medical school and the ECU school. Both have already found that what hurts one harms the other, since their accreditation is tied together. Thus the pledge of Chairman Dees that the board will do its best to fulfill the law is of utmost importance.

We said when the UNC Board of Governors was organized, that one of its early measures of success would be how well it developed the cooperative agreement for the one-year medical program at ECU and the UNC medical school.

So far the record hasn't been outstanding, but we think the same premise holds true now. If the Board of Governors and the administration can bring about cooperation in developing the two year medical program at ECU, it will be setting a pattern for higher education in North Carolina which will stand for a long time, and become a model for the entire nation.

Slashing Ties To Pres. Nixon

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON—The reek of White House scandals in the wreckage of three major Republican losses in special congressional elections has brought this panicky reaction from top party leaders: future Republican candidates must totally insulate themselves and their campaigns from any connection with or help from the Nixon administration.

That word soon will be gingerly passed to the White House, where President Nixon's politics-as-usual rule still governs, despite the ravages of Watergate.

The rule was applied a day or two before Republican Willis Gradison, Jr., was defeated in Ohio's strongly Republican 1st Congressional District, when the White House sent this urgent command to Secretary of the Interior Rogers Morton: go to Cincinnati and Campaign for Gradison.

Wise old pro Morton balked. Instead of going, he checked with the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee. Forget it, he was told: the last thing we want for Gradison is any new connection with the Nixon administration.

The White House call to Morton followed an earlier frantic effort to intervene just after the Republican disaster in Vice President Gerald Ford's old Michigan district. A Nixon aide, presumably with the President's personal blessing, telephoned a high official at the Republican National Committee to demand: Why haven't we been getting our Cabinet troops into these special election campaigns?

The only Republican victory in the four special elections so far this year came Tuesday in California's 13th District, where the no-interference-from-Washington rule was scrupulously followed. That, combined with a highly favorable district and an overwhelmingly superior candidate, meant Republican Victory.

The fear of Watergate taint is also limiting administration attendance at the party's regional meetings. Not a single White House political aide or a single member of the Nixon Cabinet has been invited to the Midwest regional meeting late this month in Chicago. The only bigwigs invited are national chairman George Bush and two top domestic aides vitally concerned with key issues: Energy czar William Simon and Herbert Stein, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Behind this party effort to neutralize the Nixon-Watergate drag is a growing consensus among party leaders around the country

that the Nov. 5 general election will be a disaster—if Mr. Nixon is still in the White House.

Thus, a shrewd party operative says the election will turn on one question: "Who will be President of the U. S. on Nov. 5?" In full agreement, many state party leaders for the first time are sending a series of SOS's here practically begging the President to resign, even though no one feels there is any chance. Yet, continued rapid deterioration of the party as shown by the loss of three strongly Republican congressional seats seems assured without it.

The signs are overwhelming. In the 5th District of Wisconsin, for example, 11 state legislative seats will be on the block in November; so far, there is no Republican candidate in any of them. The 5th District is strongly Democratic, but Republicans contested every assembly seat there in 1972 and came close to winning three.

In the South, where the party has had spectacular successes under President Nixon, one state leader concedes for the first time that "candidates aren't recruitable for us Republicans as easily as they used to be."

Equally ominous for Mr. Nixon is the tendency of rank-and-file Republicans holding elective office to say out loud what they have been saying only in strict privacy for the past six months. Rep. Pierre duPont of Delaware, a 39-year-old Republican moderate dramatized this new tendency in a little-noticed talk in Wilmington last week.

DuPont severely criticized Bush for "going around the country saying that the American voter is fair and will not take Watergate out on me" and other Republican officeholders. Declaring Bush tragically "wrong," duPont said that "unless something is done, George Bush is going to preside over one of the worst debacles the Republican party or any party has ever seen in the annals of our country. 1974 is going to make the Goldwater election look like a Republican victory."

What duPont is pushing fits with the post-Ohio mood in high party levels here: Republican candidates can no longer try skirting Watergate but must talk about the scandals, urge a clean-up and keep far, far away from the Nixon administration.

That means far more candor is discussing Watergate and far less charity in hadling the Nixon problem. With Mr. Nixon on record—that defense of the presidency has higher priority than the fate of the Republican party—that should be easy.

The Need For Speedy Justice

By BILL NOBLITT

RALEIGH, N.C. — Speedy justice is missing in most North Carolina courtrooms, and that is a key part of the rising crime rate picture, the Crime Study Commission has found.

Sen. I.C. Crawford, D-Buncombe, chairman of the standing group to review the rising crime rate and from time to time come up with ways to combat the increase, said a steady theme from witnesses talking with the commission pointed to the court jam as a key problem.

A study of superior court cases in the state in 1972 shows that some 15 per cent of the trials in North Carolina courts are delayed beyond 18 months.

About 45 per cent were delayed beyond 100 days, up to 18 months. A national commission on criminal justice has set 101 days as the standard maximum wait.

Many Problems A multitude of problems result from the long delays, the commission found, including overcrowding of jails, bad public attitudes toward justice, and crime being committed by people awaiting trial.

In fact, Crawford explained, one of the key results of a cut in the waiting time would be a reduction in the crime rate affected by people already awaiting trial.

"This is aimed at those individuals who, after being released on bail, are perfectly willing to forego their right to a speedy trial and who continue to take part in criminal activity, thus depriving the community of its right to swift punishment of the guilty," the senator said.

The plan introduced in the General Assembly calls for for a three-year program to reduce the waiting time, with the courts urged to bring defendants to trial within 120 days in the first year; with that limit becoming legally binding in the second year; and with a 90 day limit as the legal standard at the beginning of the third year.

If a district attorney fails to

bring a defendant to trial in that time period, the judge could drop charges and set the person free.

Court Officials

Crawford said additional judges and court officials would be required, and that a key element would be the provision that the trial could be held in any county in the judicial district, not necessarily in the county where the arrest originally was made.

The commission is also looking ahead at some areas for future study and action regarding the court system in the state, including a statewide program of public defenders, a pre-trial evaluation and release program, elimination or redirection of the grand jury system, reclassifying some minor offenses into non-criminal categories, and use of citations or summonses in place of arrest in some cases.

Another element of the crime increase in the state on the minds of the commission members is need for education of young people. The commission met with officials of the public school system to talk about that, and the consensus is that young people ought to be made more aware of what the law is, how it affects them, and how important respect for the law is to society.

A step in that direction recommended by the commission is establishment and funding of a statewide elementary school program on youth and the law.



By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

The Polls Don't Tell All

DAYTON, Ohio—It was one of those television talk shows in which questions are fielded both by telephone and from a live audience in the studio. A pretty young housewife stood up in the back row. This was her question: "Why do you newspaper guys keep picking on my President?"

Her blue eyes were glistening with the first hint of tears, but her voice rang with loyalty and conviction. With a gulp, she said her husband might kill her for speaking out in public, but

Nixon was the first President she had ever had a chance to vote for, and she thought he was doing a fine job especially in foreign affairs. Why didn't we write about the good things he was doing, and stop harping on the Watergate thing? She didn't care what he might have done—everybody else in politics did the same things. She was for him, right or wrong.

About half the studio audience burst into applause. Because it was more of a

speech than a question, we let it slide, and the show went on.

It is important to any understanding of the current political scene to keep this young woman in mind. Her name is Legion. The Gallup Poll and the Harris Survey doubtless are correct, statistically speaking, in their finding that only 27 to 30 percent of the people still have great confidence in the President. My guess is that the mute figures fail to articulate the passionate, stubborn, unwavering devotion of the President's admirers.

My mail in recent weeks tends to reinforce that impression.

A gentleman in Bay village, Ohio, describes himself as 67 years, old, married for 82 years, concerned for his great-grandchildren. "Don't you think the public has been brain-washed enough? I blame the Democrats for everything."

A woman in Glenview, Ill., writes for her husband as well: "In our opinion, President Nixon's conduct in the so-called scandals is beyond reproach, and his record in five years of government of this nation on principles, on decency and on constitutionality is the finest in America's noble history. Any clear-thinking person will recognize 'Watergate' for what it is, to wit, a liberal media vendetta against Mr. Nixon, whom they have always hated, because he has done much to frustrate their mania for one-worldism and a Socialistic America."

A gentleman in Memphis, Tenn., echoes a refrain that turns up repeatedly in my pro-Nixon mail: Even if Mr. Nixon knew about Watergate, "That is not half as bad as what Ted Kennedy was in—"

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Revenue 'Peril Point'

By RICHARD PYLE

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) —

Although reluctant to acknowledge it publicly, officials of the Internal Revenue Service are concerned about taxpayer reaction to the controversy over President Nixon's income taxes.

Political observers and outside tax experts warn of a possible taxpayer reaction that could lead to a reduction in anticipated government revenues in 1974.

One former IRS Commissioner, Johnnie M. Walters, has said that a loss of \$1 billion would not be unrealistic. Rep. Charles Vanik, an Ohio Democrat on the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee, said revenues might be cut by as much as 10 per cent, or about \$25 billion.

Vanik said he found in extensive contacts with constituents that "the voluntary income tax system ... is now being threatened to the peril point by the moral indifference of the President to his own tax obligations and his position as a national leader."

And a New York tax advisory firm told its clients in a recent letter that "IRS officials are afraid that average taxpayers will follow the recent examples of corner-cutting politicians and do some wholesale cheating of their own."

The controversy over Nixon's taxes grew out of disclosure that he paid about \$6,000 in income taxes on a total income of nearly \$800,000 from 1970 through 1972, benefiting particularly from large deductions for donating vice presidential papers to the National Archives.

Senior Internal Revenue Service officials publicly discount the idea of significant taxpayer resistance resulting from the Nixon case, contending that the worst that can happen is that many taxpayers

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40 Years Ago Today

By SUSAN PRICE

March 12, 1934

Five men and a woman said by police to be members of a gang which has robbed several stores here recently, were rounded up by police Friday.

Chief of Police George Clark said a considerable portion of goods taken in the robberies was recovered in the roundup.

The police chief said the gang entered several stores here in the last three weeks and obtained the goods valued at several hundred dollars.

Weather conditions permitting, hard work was slated to get under way in the Duke University baseball camp this afternoon, preparing for the opening of the heaviest schedule on record for the Blue Devils team.

Coach Jack Combs has several members of last year's team back in uniform this season, augmented by some outstanding members of the 1933 yearling outfit. Much work is to be done, however, before the schedule opens with Michigan State on March 27.

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MORAL ARITHMETIC

Many people are trying to live their lives on the basis of addition, subtraction or multiplication. Yet lives cannot be lived happily by any of these arithmetical functions.

Those who are devoted to addition sooner or later find out that mere accumulation of money or things does not bring contentment. Those who try to subtract from their lives all responsibility for others and gain freedom by living in a completely unencumbered state find their lives dull and meaningless. Those who seek

only to multiply thrills and pleasure eventually taste the bitter dregs of disillusionment.

The way to be happy is to live one's life on the basis of division. The parents who live for their children, the married couples who live for each other, friends who sacrifice for each other, statesmen who work for the public welfare at the expense of their own interests—these have caught the significance of the truth "that it is more blessed to give than to receive."

By Elisha Douglass

Packaging Materials Shortage

By JOSH FITZHUGH

AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) —

There have been plenty of problems with food in the last year or so, but now there are reports of a new one for the people who produce it and sell it.

Raw material shortages, increased demand and energy cutbacks have tightened the container market, whether the containers are made from glass, paper, metal or plastic, industry officials say.

For various reasons, all the usual packaging materials are in shorter supply to container makers these days. And while no one seems to be calling it a crisis, it's not unlikely the problems will be mentioned in price calculations for the goods on supermarket shelves.

Glass makers report a shortage of soda ash, a prime

ingredient. Refinery allocations and higher prices are trimming production of the oil-derived plastics, polystyrene and polyethylene. Heavy demand for tin plate and paper are creating bottlenecks as well.

Packagers are having to dip into inventories and wait longer for new shipments, industry spokesman say. Yet there seems little worry at the food stores.

"By late spring or summer of this year there will be container shortages in the U.S. because of raw material shortages and possible energy cutbacks," says one respected Wall Street analyst, more bearish than most.

"Manufacturers who have the ability to switch from one material to another are weighing one shortage against the other," says a

plastics producer.

Where possible, packagers are converting to less scarce supplies, like substituting paper milk cartons for plastic ones. But the overall tightness and investment in specialized machinery is stopping most from changing over, analysts say.

Different factors are affecting supplies in this varied industry, which produces "tin" cans (made mostly of steel), paper wrapping and boxes, glass bottles, plastic jugs and liners.

"Steel will be a seller's market in 1974," says the National Canners Association. "Domestic lead times on tin plate are much longer than ever experienced and some new customers may have trouble obtaining products."

The study saw no "major

breakthrough" in increasing tin plate production this year.

The closing of several synthetic soda ash plants for environmental reasons has given some bottle makers headaches. Sand and soda ash are principal ingredients in glass.

Plastic packaging materials are extremely tight, says an official with Continental Can Co., a major container manufacturer. "It's difficult to get plastics, from resins to feedstocks," he says.

Makers of paper containers also report shortages, offset in part by the ability to switch grades of paper without converting machinery.

Observers see paper picking up some of the current demand from other materials, but say that paper mills also are working against production limits.

N.C. Senate Plans Gas Studies N.C. GOP Agrees To Refund Raffle Money

By RICK SCOTT
Associated Press Writer
RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — The North Carolina Senate has passed a resolution calling for establishment of a special legislative committee to study gasoline allocation and distribution in North Carolina.

The sponsor of the resolution, Sen. Eddie Knox, D-Mecklenburg, said Monday night that North Carolina is not receiving its "fair share" of gasoline under the mandatory federal allocation program.

The committee of six representatives and six senators would report its findings to the

General Assembly by March 25. The Joint Special Study Commission on Gasoline Allocation and Distribution, as it would be called, would be asked to do in less than two weeks a job that the Federal Energy Office and congressional committees have been unable to do in several months time.

The committee's duties would include compiling information on the amount of gasoline available in the state and expected in months ahead; determining the state's "fair share" of the national gasoline supply; and, formulating plans for an equitable distribution system of gasoline to the end users in North Carolina.

The committee also would analyze the state's voluntary gasoline buying plan as to its acceptance and effectiveness and would examine methods for reducing the consumption of gasoline.

After its study, the committee could propose legislation.

The panel would have authority to conduct hearings, call for information and summon witnesses.

Knox said figures are available to show the state is receiving "substantially below" its "fair share" of gasoline. He said the committee could ask the state attorney general to consider legal action against the Federal Energy Office to gain equitable treatment for North Carolina.

Some senators argued that several bills to probe the energy crisis in North Carolina already are pending in the General Assembly.

Sen. Dallas L. Alford Jr., D-Nash, said he paid 76.8 cents per gallon of gasoline on Monday.

"If we get three or four commissions studying the problem, maybe one of them can come up with something," he said.

The resolution said the gasoline shortage "has disrupted normal life patterns." It also said Gov. Jim Holshouser's voluntary odd even buying system "has received mixed public reaction and acceptance."

The House on Monday night deferred action on bills to exempt illegal gambling and local personal property taxes.

The bill on personal property

taxes was sent back to the Finance Committee for further study. It was amended so that household furniture would not be exempt from the property tax.

The gambling bill was postponed for further action on Wednesday.

U.S. Atty. Thomas P. McNamara said Monday that state GOP officials agreed to terminate the ticket sales immediately and return all money to the individual donors. U.S. postal inspectors will monitor the refund process, he said.

McNamara said he met Friday with state Republican Chairman Tomas Bennett to review the findings of an investigation begun in February by postal inspectors.

McNamara said "the investigation...reflected that Mr. Bennett did not intentionally violate the federal lottery laws."

He said Bennett was given the option of signing an affidavit of agreeing to discontinue the ticket program and abandon all related use of the mails or face indictment for violation of federal law.

Bennett, who was out of the state Monday and unavailable for comment, had said earlier that the lottery was aimed at attracting small contributors to the party. He said he felt the sales of "donor tickets" to be entirely legal.

Other party officials declined to make any immediate comment Monday, but a statement is expected later.

The state GOP began the lottery ticket sales Jan 22 when tickets, with a covering letter by Bennett, were mailed to all county chairmen, GOP women's clubs and Young Republican chapters.

Two Charged In Slaying

LAWRENCEVILLE, Ga. (AP) — Police said today that two North Carolina men have been charged with murder in the death of an East Atlanta High School assistant principal.

Officer B. J. Jordan of the Gwinnett County police department said Ted Anthony Prevatte, 24, and William Jordan, 32, both of Wadesboro, N.C., were charged by Georgia authorities.

The two men were captured in Anson County, N.C., Thursday after a high speed chase during which several shots were fired. Police said they were driving a compact station wagon owned by the slain principal, James A. Rouse Jr., 49.

Rouse's body was found Saturday in woods near Lawrenceville. He had been shot in the back of the head with a shotgun. Police said Rouse had been missing since Wednesday night.

Jordan said the two men have refused to waive extradition and that their cases would be turned over to the county district attorney today for grand jury action.

Jordan said if the jury hands down indictments, extradition proceedings would be initiated.

Finishes Testimony On Mitchell, Stans

By JOHN MORGANTHALER
Associated Press Staff Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Former Republican bigwig Harry L. Sears has completed five days of testimony as a key government witness at the criminal conspiracy trial of former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell and former Commerce secretary Maurice H. Stans.

He gets his first real taste today of cross examination.

Sears got a brief glimpse late Monday of what he faces. Mitchell's attorney, Peter Fleming Jr., a lean, 6-foot-5, prematurely gray man, put a drumfire series of questions to the witness.

In his testimony for the prosecution, Sears supported in considerable detail the government charge that Stans and Mitchell

impeded a Securities and Exchange commission investigation of international financier Robert L. Vesco, in return for the latter's \$200,000 secret contribution to President Nixon's 1972 re-election campaign.

Under the chairmanship at the time of William Casey, the SEC eventually lodged a massive civil suit Nov. 27, 1972, charging Vesco with a \$224 million fraud against companies he controlled.

Fleming went into detail Monday on a grant of total immunity from prosecution accorded Sears in return for his testimony. The government agreed to the grant.

Fleming elicited from Sears the information that the witness had made at least 10 appearances before the grand jury that indicted Mitchell and Stans.

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involved in and no one even mentioned removing him from office." This same correspondent also denounces Congress: "Anyone there has accepted payoff in some way or other. Everyone knows this."

"I think it is high time all you writers of the free press get together and get Mr. Nixon on the road to doing the job I voted for him to do," says my Memphis correspondent.

"If the election was tomorrow I would vote again for him because I think he is a great American and is doing great things for America."

Those are fair random samples of a pro-Nixon sentiment that seems rarely to be acknowledged. To be sure, my anti-Nixon mail also increases in volume and in passion, but these voices are abundantly recognized. Indeed, to read the pundits and the pollsters, with their incessant accent upon the negative you might imagine these are the only voices being raised.

My point is this: Something in the neighborhood of 20 million voters still love the President. They make up a sobering political force. And unless members of the House of Representatives proceed with the most scrupulous care in their slow progress toward impeachment, the 20 million will be heard from in ways that will astonish. The polls don't tell all the story. A part of the story comes from the young woman in blue, in the back row, asking why we keep picking on her President.

Active Month For The Sunshine Girls

A highlight of February for Operation Sunshine girls was a trip to McDonald's Restaurant with money earned by collecting soft drink bottles.

Several ECU students gave a program on nutrition and gave the Center games related to foods.

The girls visited the Greenville Art Center and on the walk back stopped at WOOW radio station, where they were given a record collection.

Thursday, Feb. 28, they went to the Magic Circus at the Moose Lodge. The tickets were gifts of Taff Office Equipment Company and Burroughs-Wellcome.

Shppard Memorial Library invited the group to watch movies and check out records and books to use at the Center.

March 12, 13, and 14 at 4 p.m., Ms. Rolla Pollin of the Pitt County Drug and Alcohol Education Program will present a workshop on drug abuse. The emphasis will be on determining a set of personal values and making personal decisions.

New additions to the staff of

Five Arrested For Streaking

CHARLOTTE (AP)—A spokesman for the Charlotte vice squad says five young men were arrested about 2:45 a.m. Sunday after allegedly streaking near a housing project for the elderly.

They have been charged with indecent exposure and public drunkenness.

Trial Set For Stabbing Death

SHELBY (AP)—A trial has been set for March 20, for Freddie Lee Farmer who has been charged with murder in the stabbing death of his wife Sunday night.

Officials said Farmer was being held without bond. He was arrested after the body of his wife Sheila Elaine was found at the couple's home.

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are likely to look harder for legal but perhaps questionable deductions.

Even that could cause a significant cutback in anticipated revenues, IRS observers say, although nobody is prepared at this early stage to predict how much.

Voicing an opinion that apparently is shared by many high IRS officials, John J. Olszewski, chief of the intelligence division that investigates tax frauds, said the American taxpayers "are going to be either honest or dishonest, depending on their own moral standards, but not because somebody else supposedly set an example for them."

H. & R. Block, the Kansas City-based firm that claims to be the nation's largest private tax preparation firm, having handled 8.4 million tax returns last year, says its view of the situation generally coincides with that of the IRS.

This means an upsurge of interest in finding legal deductions, which taxpayers in the past might have been willing to ignore, but none in trying to defraud the government or avoid taxes.

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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — North Carolina egg markets were unchanged Monday. Supplies adequate, demand fair. Weighted average prices for small lot sales of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby outlets: Grade A large whites 69.80, medium whites 66.68, small whites 50.48.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Corn prices were generally steady and soybeans were stronger Monday on the state's leading grain markets. No. 2 yellow shelled corn was mostly 2.84-3.00 per bushel in the east and 3.05-3.10 in the Piedmont. No. 1 yellow soybeans were mostly 6.15-6.21 per bushel.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — North Carolina hogs were steady today, with several markets late in reporting prices. Tops of 37.00-37.50 at Rocky Mount; 35.00-37.00 Wilson and High Falls; 38.00 Salisbury.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — North Carolina f.o.b. dock broilers: Market steady at 39.30 cents per pound. Supplies adequate, demand fairly good and weights desirable. Estimated slaughter today 1,132,000 head. North Carolina Hens: Market steady today on heavy types. Supplies about in balance to short for a good demand. Heavies, at farm, 17 cents per pound; f.o.b. plants 21 cents.

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market was mixed today, pausing to test the winds at its highest altitude of the year. The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was down 4.77 at 883.68, but gainers maintained a narrow lead over losers in active trading on the New York Stock Exchange.

Analysts said the market's recent advance, which carried the Dow and some other indexes to 1974 highs on Monday, was blunted somewhat today by reports reaching Wall Street that the Soviet Union was urging Arab producing nations not to lift their oil embargo.

Brokers have linked the rally of the past few weeks closely to hopes for an early end to the embargo. Alan C. Poole at Laidlaw-Coggeshall, Inc., noted some "profit taking and nervousness" in today's trading but said he believed the market was still fundamentally on an upward course.

S.S. Kresge, down 3/4 at 31 1/2 after a 4 1/2-point drop Monday.

The Meeting Place

TUESDAY
7:30 p.m.—The Patient Circle of The King's Daughters and Sons meets with Mrs. T. L. Hannaford. Assisting hostesses will be Miss Mary Wells, Miss Mary Forbes and Mrs. T. T. Hollingsworth.
8:00 p.m.—Willa Council, Degree of Pocahontas meets at Rotary Club.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy.
WEDNESDAY
9:30 a.m.—Pre luncheon bridge for Welcome Wagon at Greenville Golf and Country Club.
9:30 a.m.—Morning duplicate bridge at Bank of North Carolina.
10:00 a.m.—Brookgreen Garden Club meets at the home of Mrs. W. G. Dunn.
11:30 a.m.—Welcome Wagon Club luncheon will be held at the Greenville Golf and Country Club.
1:30 p.m.—Afternoon duplicate bridge at Bank of North Carolina.
6:30 p.m.—Kwanis Club meets.
7:00 p.m.—Jayettes meet.
8:00 p.m.—Greenville White Shrine meets at Masonic Temple.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Al-Anon Group meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy. Telephone 756-2222 or 756-0567.
8:00 p.m.—The Matrons Club meets with Mrs. Lenora Howard.

was the Big Board's most-active stock. The company reported Monday a very small increase in fourth quarter earnings per share.

Scott Paper, which announced record \$200-million capital spending plans for this year, rose 3/4 to 18 1/2 in active trading. Overseas Shipholding, mentioned favorably in a Wall Street Journal story on shipping stocks, rose 1 to 20 1/2.

Building-materials stocks were generally higher, apparently in response to Senate passage of a \$10-billion housing and community development bill which now goes to the House.

Johns-Manville was up 3/4 at 21, U.S. Gypsum gained 1/2 to 22 1/2, and Weir-McLain rose 1/2 to 9 1/2. Gino's, Inc. slid 1 to 16 3/4. A Pennsylvania Crime Commission report, which asserted there was widespread police corruption in Philadelphia, charged that Gino's had paid police for extra protection.

At the American Stock Exchange, E-Systems was up 3/4 at 12. The company's directors approved a tender offer for 400,000 E-Systems shares at \$13 apiece.

The Amex's 11 a.m. market-value index was up .27 at 100.21. The NYSE composite index of some 1,500 common stocks was off 1.2 at 52.81.

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks

Stock	High	Low	Last
Alcoa	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
AmAirlin	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
AmBds	13 1/2	12 1/2	13
AmCan	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
AmCyan	24	24	24
AmMotors	10 1/4	10 1/4	10 1/4
AmSds	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Babcock	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Beal Fd	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Beal Fd	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Boeing	15 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/4
Borden	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
Carroll	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Celanese	32 1/4	32	32
Chimpint	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Chrysler	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
CocaCol	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
ComEd	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
ConCan	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Delta Air	62	61 1/2	61 1/2
DowChem	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
DuPont	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
EasKod	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
ExARLin	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Emark	88 1/2	88	88
Exxon	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Firestone	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
FlaPow	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
FlaPwL	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
FordMck	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
GenDynam	28 1/4	27 1/4	28 1/4
GenElec	57 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
GenFood	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
GenMills	55 1/4	54 1/4	54 1/4
GenMot	53 1/2	52 1/2	53
GenTelEl	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
GoPac	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
Goodrich	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Goodyear	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Greyhd	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
GuIOL	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Hercule	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
Honywell	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
IBM	247 1/2	246 1/2	247 1/2
IntHarv	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
IntT&T	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
IntPap	49 1/2	49	49
JonLau	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
KaiserAlm	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
KayserR	16 1/4	16 1/4	16 1/4
KraftCo	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/4
Kroger	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Kresges	32	32	32
Ligg My	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Lockheed	5 1/4	5 1/4	5 1/4
Mead CP	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
MinnMM	76	75 1/2	75 1/2
MobilOil	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Monsant	61 1/2	61	61
Nat Distil	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
OlinCorp	37 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Owen III	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Pennay	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
PepsiCo	66 1/2	65 1/2	66
Polaroid	86 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
ProcterG	89 1/2	89	89
RalstonP	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
Raytheon	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
RCA	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
RepubSt	27 1/2	27	27
Reyn Ind	49 1/4	48 1/4	49 1/4
ReynMet	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
RoyCola	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Rockwll	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Philmor	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
STRessP	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/4
Scott Pap	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
SearsR	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
SouthCo	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
SouRy	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
SperryR	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
SODIAl	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
SODInd	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
Texaco	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
TexETrn	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Un Carbide	39	37 1/2	38
UNOICAl	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
US Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
WestGE	23	22 1/2	22 1/2
Weyerhe	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
WinnDx	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Woolwh	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Xerox	122 1/2	122	122

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

Burroughs	214
United Telecom. Pfd.	22
Heublein	49 1/2
Jeff-Pilot	31 1/4
Tri South	25 1/2
Wicker	15 1/2
Wachovia Realty	19
Eckerd	

Ervin Cites Nixon Aides

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP)—U.S. Sen. Sam J. Ervin, D-N.C., has explained why he thought Watergate happened, but refused to comment on what is in store for President Nixon.

Ervin, chairman of the Senate Watergate Committee, spoke here Sunday night in the Case Western Reserve University lecture series.

He said Watergate was caused by Nixon aides who placed success above everything else, and did not understand our form of government or respect the Constitution or the Bill of Rights.

The senator said he wouldn't answer questions about President Nixon being impeached because they are too "iffy and I don't like iffy questions."

However, Ervin did answer about impeachment procedure. He was asked if he agreed with President Nixon that impeachment can result only from "treason, bribery or high crimes and misdemeanors."

"I'm glad you asked that question," he said. Ervin said he agreed with the President on the matter and added that it is one of the few things that he and the President agree on.

Ervin used a touch of levity again when he was asked if he thought Nixon would help the country by resigning.

"I don't know if I could answer that impartially," Ervin replied. "I didn't think he'd get there (the White House) in the first place."

Obituaries

Blount
Mr. R. P. Blount Jr. of Greensboro died Saturday in Farmville. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 4 p.m. at Trinity AME Zion Church, Greensboro, with the Rev. Cecil Bishop officiating.

A second funeral service will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at Macedonia Baptist Church, Farmville, with the Rev. F. R. Peterson officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Memorial Park.

He received his elementary and high school education at H. B. Sugg School, Farmville, and was a graduate of A. & T. State University.

He taught school in Wilson, Greene and Wayne Counties, prior to accepting a position with the U.S. Postal Service as clerk. He was post treasurer of the Postal Alliance. He was a member of Trinity AME Zion Church and served as boy scout master for the church troop. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of Livingstone Lodge No. 102 F and A. M.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ruth Moore Blount of the home; one son, R. P. Blount III of Winston-Salem State University; one daughter, Rosalind Pauletta, of the home; his mother, Mrs. Annie T. Blount of Farmville; two sisters, Mrs. Ellen B. Gorham and Mrs. Lillian B. Cobb, both of Farmville; three brothers, Milton Morgan of Washington, D. C., George C. Blount of Farmville, and Kelly M. Blount of New York.

The body will be at Macedonia Baptist Church from 11 a.m. until the funeral hour.

Dixon
BALTIMORE, Md.—The Rev. Hubert Dixon died in Mercy Hospital here Monday. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Phillips Brothers Mortuary.

Horne
Funeral services for Mr. James Edward Horne will be conducted Thursday at 4 p.m. at Lewis's Chapel Church by the Rev. J. A. Vines, pastor. Burial will be in the Saints Delight Cemetery.

Son of Mrs. Flora Harris Horne and the late John H. Horne, he was a Pitt County native and attended the Pitt County Schools.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Alice Horne of Brooklyn, N. Y.; three sons, James Edward Jr., Tyrone, and Jeffrey, all of the home; a daughter, Alice Marie Horne, also of the home; his mother, Mrs. Flora Horne of the home; a brother, Willie Horne of Philadelphia, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. Doris Zumatto of New York City; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris of Greenville.

Family visitation will be held Wednesday from 8 to 9 p.m. at Phillips Brothers Mortuary here.

Moore
SIMPSON—Mrs. Elizabeth Moore died at her home here. Funeral arrangements are in-

complete at Phillips Brothers Mortuary.

Newton
WILSON—Mrs. Emma Newton died early Monday morning in Wilson Memorial Hospital, following an automobile accident. She was the sister of Mrs. Mary Teel of Greenville. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Hamilton Funeral in Wilson.

White
Mr. Marcellus White of Rt. 2, Vanceboro, died Sunday in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Fayetteville.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 1 p.m. at Norcott and Company Memorial Chapel, Ayden, with Elder J. L. Wilson officiating. Burial will follow in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

He was a native of Craven County and a veteran of the Korean War.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Gladie Green White of Portsmouth, Va.; a son, Cleveland Earl White of Portsmouth; two daughters, Mrs. Ethelene Woodson and Miss Gilda White, both of Portsmouth; two brothers, Jack White of Rt. 2, Vanceboro and Elijah White of Cove City; four sisters, Mrs. Elner Hall of Cove City, Mrs. Hattie Lee Mewborn of Vanceboro, and Mrs. Annie Bell Edwards and Mrs. Hattie Morgan, both of New Bern; and three grandchildren.

Family visitation at the Chapel will be from 8 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Wooten
Amos Stephen Wooten, 80, of Rt. 3, Greenville died early this morning at Pitt Memorial Hospital.

A retired farmer, he was an Edgecombe County native but had lived in Pitt County for many years.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Lucy Peaden Wooten of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Jessie Gladson of Rt. 3, Greenville; a half brother, Ernest Wooten of Falkland; two grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 3 p.m. at Norman Funeral Chapel here.

Citizen Panel Finishes Its Coal Strike Inquiry

By Maria Braden
Associated Press Writer
EVARTS, Ky. (AP) — A "citizens inquiry panel" wound up its investigation of the Brookside mine strike today at this crossroads mountain community after hearing two days of testimony from striking miners.

The hearing was organized by the United Mine Workers union to focus national attention on the eight-month-long Harlan County strike.

Eastover Mining Company's Brookside mine has been shut down since last July when 180 workers struck in protest over the company's refusal to accept a contract with the UMW. Eastover is owned by the Duke Power Co. in Charlotte, N.C., the nation's sixth largest utility.

A panel of attorneys, professors and nationally known figures invited by the UMW heard one side of the story since no representatives of Duke or Eastover testified at the hearing.

Panel Chairman Dan Pollitt, a law professor at the university of North Carolina, said Duke President Carl Horn, Jr. wrote him saying his presence before the panel could prejudice matters now in court and could affect the company's request for a rate increase pending before the North Carolina Public Utilities Commission.

Pollitt said Horn suggested in the letter that the panel was "appointed" by UMW President Arnold Miller and would be under the union's influence.

ENROLLMENT
East Carolina University enrollment spring quarter is 9,062.

This figure does not include students enrolled in the Evening College program. Enrollment last spring quarter was 9,138.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home tonight and tomorrow night from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Pollitt said panel members were "invited"—not appointed—by Miller and that before accepting he made sure that the cost of the inquiry would be borne by a group separate from the union. Expenses are to be covered by a grant from Field Foundation.

Eastover President Norman Yarborough said he didn't intend to appear before the panel because he felt the inquiry would be slanted toward the UMW. He said he did not receive an invitation to testify until three hours after the hearing began.

Yarborough called a press conference Monday night to refute several of the charges made by miners at the inquiry, and several panel members attended.

Yarborough contested claims that Eastover and Duke are not concerned with safety in the mines.

Funeral arrangements at Pittman Funeral Home in Princeton, are incomplete.

Former Greenville Resident Is Killed

PRINCETON—A former Greenville resident, Mrs. Raymond Sugg, 47 (the former Elizabeth Hellen of Greenville) was killed here yesterday in an automobile mishap on the campus of Princeton High School.

Investigating Highway Patrolman E. M. Moore said Mrs. Sugg, a substitute teacher at the school, was driving her car out of the school yard about 12:30 p.m. when the vehicle ran off the right side of the road.

The Trooper said Mrs. Sugg fell out of the vehicle and was pinned to the ground by the right front door.

She died from suffocation, the officer said.

Mrs. Sugg is survived by her mother, Mrs. Earl W. Hellen Sr. of Greenville; her husband, Raymond M. Suggs of Princeton; three sons, Raymond M. Sugg Jr. of the U. S. Navy, and William Perry Sugg and Micky Sugg, both of the home; five daughters Mrs. Becky Sugg

Wood of Boynton, Fla., Miss Nancy Sugg of Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, and Terry, Laura, and Ginger Sugg, all of the home; one brother, Earl W. Hellen Jr. of Newport News, Va., and one sister, Christine Snuggs of Albemarle.

Funeral arrangements at Pittman Funeral Home in Princeton, are incomplete.

Chemist To Lead Seminar

Dr. Robert C. Morrison, assistant professor of chemistry at East Carolina University, will direct the regular Friday afternoon seminar at the ECU Department of Chemistry this week.

The seminar, scheduled for 3 p.m. in 202 Flanagan Building, will focus on the calculation of ionization potentials. Interested persons are invited to attend.

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There'll Be Plenty Of New Faces In Southern Conference

The Southern Conference is going to see a lot of new faces this coming year.

And East Carolina is going to be sporting a number of them. Already the three major sports at East Carolina have a different look. A new coach has or will be named in each of them.

First, George Williams, who has served for several years to assistant to Earl Smith, took over the baseball program after a year's absence from the program.

Then, following Sonny Randle's resignation to go to Virginia, Alabama Assistant Pat Dye was named to take over the Pirate football program.

Now, we await word on who the new basketball coach at East Carolina is going to be. Informed sources say that it will be chief assistant Dave Patton, but officials are remaining mum on it. It is not likely that any word will come today.

Throughout the Southern, changes are being made. The most startling came at Richmond. The University of Richmond decided that it wanted to split the office of athletic director and football coach. The two positions were held jointly by Frank Jones. That angered Jones, who was offered only the football job, and he quit. So now Richmond is looking for both a football coach and an athletic director. Reportedly, head basketball coach Lewis Mills is one of the top candidates for the AD's job.

The loss of Jones is seen by some as a way of broadening the Richmond athletic program, giving it a wider base with more sports. Richmond fans are wondering just what it will mean to the strong football program at the university. Southern fans are hoping that it will remain a strong one.

At any rate, Jones' departure, after eight years with the Spiders, makes Bob Thalman of VMI the dean of the Southern's coaches as he opens his fourth year. Other changes this year saw Dave Fagg of Davidson join Randle in the exodus from the league.

Two other coaches will be in their third year, Jim Brakefield of Appalachian and Jim Root of William & Mary. Art Baker of Furman and Bobby Ross of The Citadel start their second years, with rookies at Davidson, East Carolina and Richmond.

In basketball, should Mills move up, he would also lose his status as the dean of coaches in the league. That would be taken over by Terry Holland of Davidson, who will be in his sixth year. Joe Williams of Furman is next going into his fourth year, while George Hill of The Citadel, Press Maravich of Appalachian State, and Bill Blair of VMI start their third years. William & Mary will have a new coach in George Balanis, along with East Carolina, and Richmond, should Mills, in his 11th year, move up.

There is also the possibility that Blair will not return at VMI. Reportedly, he is bothered by an

Woody's Ramblin's

By WOODY PEELE



ulcer and would like to find a more secure position, either in or out of basketball.

What it all means is a question mark. In football, William & Mary will remain strong next year. Furman should continue its upgrading under Baker and could be a threat to the title. Appalachian State is also going to be a tougher grid team. Richmond, without Jones, becomes a question mark, while the Pirates will be operating a new system under their new coach. They have their defense back, but will be working with almost an entirely new offensive unit. That could make them a question mark.

In basketball, unless some schools come up with a super recruiting year, it appears to be a three-team race between East Carolina, Furman and William & Mary.

Furman, despite its finish, may not be quite as strong next year. They lose a key guard, Ed Kelley, and a top sub in Bud Bierly. But if they are no stronger, they will not be much weaker and should be right up there defending their title.

William & Mary, with Balanis adding new fire to their young squad, should spark them well if this year's tournament is any indicator. Mike Arizin is one of the premier players of the conference, and only one senior was lost from the squad. The Indians could be the best in the league next year.

The Citadel, Appalachian State and VMI will be no worse, but not much stronger either. The Bulldogs could move up more than the rest, but it is not likely. Davidson, with some key losses, must come up with a super year in recruiting to be as strong.

That leaves East Carolina. This year, they showed great potential. Of the teams they played this year, only N. C. State had a clear-cut better team. Not one single other team really could dominate a series with the Pirates, despite the fact that they lost twice to some of the teams.

A new outlook could bring the Pirates to the forefront of the league. Tom Quinn must be given credit for doing much of the groundwork in getting the program to the point it now is. It is up to the new coach to move it to another plateau.

Officially—There Is Nothing New On ECU Coaching Situation

The basketball coaching situation remained up in the air at East Carolina University—officially.

Athletic Director Clarence Stasavich said yesterday afternoon following a meeting with Dr. Leo Jenkins, chancellor of the university, and Cliff Moore, faculty athletic chairman, that "no decision had been reached" concerning the future of the program.

Coach Tom Quinn, after eight years with the Pirates, was "relieved of his duties" as head basketball coach on Friday by the university. At that time, Stasavich said that the trio of officials would meet Monday to decide what direction the school would take.

At the time, it was reported that Dave Patton, a two-year

veteran assistant with the Pirates, would be named as the new head coach. Officials would

not comment on this however, stating only that the present staff would be given first con-

sideration. Yesterday, one of the two assistants, George Estes, said that he is not among those being considered for the head job.

"From the area media, I have heard that my name has been mentioned for the head coaching position here at East Carolina," Estes said. "I would like to make it clear that I have not applied for the position at this time. I am very happy here as an assistant coach. This has been a very enjoyable year for me and I am looking forward to a good recruiting season and working with the new head coach."

Estes, with the Pirates only one year, joined the Bucs after undergraduate coaching at the University of North Carolina, and graduate work at The Citadel.

"We hope to have the situation resolved in a day or two or three," Stasavich said. "It could come Tuesday, but we certainly hope to have something by the end of the week at the latest."

Unofficially, however, reports say that little remains to be done. Only some minor problems involving the change over need to be worked out. At that time, Patton will be officially designated as the new coach.

Until these are worked out, a source told the Daily Reflector, the university feels it cannot make any official announcement.

Jaguars Take Opening Meet

NEW HOPE—Farmville Central High School won its opening track meet of the year yesterday, downing Eastern Wayne's Warriors, 87-50.

The Jaguars took first place in 11 events, while Eastern Wayne took the remaining five.

Summary:

Triple jump: Smith (EW) 35-10; Langley (FC) 34-11; Coats (EW) 34-2.

Pole vault: Little (FC) 9-6; Smith (EW) 9-0; Joyner (FC) 8-6.

Shot put: Satterthwaite (FC) 44-1½; Rector (EW) 42-3½; Flanagan (FC) 34-8¼.

High hurdles: R. Wilkes (FC) :17.1; J. Wilkes (FC) :18.0; Dees (EW) :18.1.

Mile: Ward (EW) 5:19.1; Starling (FC) 5:33.0; Newton (FC) 5:40.

440: Hardy (FC) :55.4;

Williams (FC) no time; Norris (EW) no time.

880: Smith (FC) 2:16; Harper (FC) 2:24.4; Masengill (EW) 2:26.4.

2-mile: Broadhead (EW) 10:54.8; Jenkins (EW) 12:33.7; Haney (EW) 12:33.8.

Long jump: Wilkes (FC) 21-8½; Dees (EW) 19-0; Smith (EW) 17-9½.

High jump: Thompson (EW) 5-8; Langley (FC) 5-7; Naylor (EW) 5-6.

Discus: Rector (EW) no distance; Wilkes (FC) no distance; Warren (EW) no distance.

100: Hardy (FC) :10.4; Isler (EW) and Gay (FC), tie for second, 11.4.

880 relay: Farmville Central 1:43.4.

Low hurdles: Wilkes (FC) :21.9; Dees (EW) :22.9; Gay (FC) :23.2.

220: J. Wilkes (FC) :25.0; Shelly (FC) :25.9; Langley (FC) :26.3.

Mile relay: Farmville Central 3:53.2.

Three Open 1974 Year

Three East Carolina University teams will open their spring seasons this week, joining the baseball team, which has three games set this week.

The Pirate baseball team, currently 2-2 on the year, is on the road for all three of its games. They open play on Wednesday, traveling to Durham to meet the Duke Blue Devils. The Bucs already had a decision over Duke this year.

Saturday, the Pirates travel to Greenville, S. C., for their first Southern Conference game of the year, playing the Furman Paladins in a double header.

Thursday, the Pirate golf team will open its season, playing in the first round of the Palmetto Intercollegiate Tournament at Orangeburg, S. C. Play will continue through Saturday at the tournament.

Friday, the East Carolina track team will open its season, traveling to Raleigh to meet Wake Forest and N. C. State in a three-way meet.

Then, on Saturday, the Pirate tennis team will open its season, playing host to the University of North Carolina at Wilmington.

U. Carbide Is Champ

Division II Championship Union Carbide captured the Industrial League Basketball Tournament Championship last night with a 53-51 victory over State Highway.

State Highway had finished second in the regular season standings in Division I, but took the tournament title and moved into the overall league finals.

Union Carbide moved out into the lead early and built up a 28-20 lead at the half. In the second half, however, State Highway started a comeback, but could not quite pull it off. They outthrew the Batterymen, 31-25, but it fell just two points short.

Tommy Roache led Union Carbide with 23 points, while Garland Warren dumped in 15 more. For State Highway, Leon Jenkins finished with 13, Bobby Edwards added 12 and Fred Mills picked up 11 more.

Plan Net Lessons

The Recreation Department announces spring tennis lessons for adults beginning Monday at Elm Street tennis courts.

Beginners will meet Monday and Wednesday from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Intermediate lessons will be taught Mondays and Wednesdays, from 10:30 to 11:45 a.m., also beginning Monday. Each person must furnish their own racket and tennis shoes.

Each class will have limited registration so that more effective lessons can be taught. To register phone 752-2355 before 5:00 p.m. For further information, call 752-2355.

Rose Game Delayed

Rose High School's second baseball game, scheduled for this afternoon in Washington, has been postponed until Wednesday.

The game will be played Wednesday on the Pam Pack field, starting at 3:30 p.m. It will be the second meeting between the two teams. Rose won the first, last Friday, 8-5.

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Dodgers, After Strong Finish In 1973, Appear To Be Stronger

By JACK STEVENSON
VERO BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Walter Alston says his young baseball team shouldn't be ashamed of its second-place finish in the National League West last season and will be better this year.

The Los Angeles Dodgers, managed by Alston for 21 years, have a strong nucleus

returning and have added ace relief pitcher Mike Marshall.

Gone is veteran centerfielder Willie Davis, who was the team captain but had disagreements with Alston. He went to Montreal in exchange for Marshall.

To fill the key position in centerfield, the Dodgers traded left-handed pitcher Claude Osteen to Houston for Jim Wynn.

Southern Cal Now Has Goal

By PAUL LeBAR
AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Southern Cal's Coach Bob Boyd says his Trojans will be out to redeem themselves in this week's Collegiate Commissioners Association Basketball Tournament.

"Nobody likes to end a season by being caved in," Boyd said Monday. "We have 22 wins and we're going to try to make it 25."

Boyd's Trojans, who have lost four times, were ranked seventh and riding an eight-game winning streak until demolished 82-52 by UCLA for the Pacific-8 Conference title Saturday night.

The crushing defeat plunged them to 15th in this week's ratings and relegated them to the eight-team CCA, which is primarily for major conference runners-up.

A title in the West starting Thursday night, however, would salvage what Boyd called a "super season" and represent the school's most victories in a season.

Boyd, whose 1971 Trojans were 24-2, will send USC out to make amends beginning at the expense of Southern Methodist,

15-11, in the CCA's first round.

Top-seeded in the meet's upper bracket, the Trojans if triumphant would meet the winner of Thursday night's other first-round game, Arizona State (18-8) or Toledo (18-8), in Sunday's semifinals.

The tournament, being staged a first time, also took on luster Monday night with the addition of 10th-ranked Indiana, which lost to 12th-ranked Michigan in the Big Ten Conference playoff.

Indiana, 20-5, will battle Tennessee, 17-8, of the Southeast Conference in a Friday night first-round opener while Kansas State, 19-7, of the Big Eight and Bradley, 19-7, close the opening card.

the "toy cannon" who always has hit well in Dodger Stadium. Alston has promised more communication with his players, something most necessary in a year when there are so many youngsters on the squad.

There will be platooning, but some of the young players earlier asked to be traded because they didn't think there would be room for them.

Among them were catcher Steve Yeager and infielder Lee Lacy.

Last year, Yeager and Joe Ferguson came up from Albuquerque and Ferguson won the catching job. His first hit was a home run and so was his second. He set Dodger records for catchers with 25 homers and 88 runs batted in.

Ferguson may play first base this season and undoubtedly there will be other experiments. Yet the Dodgers have another youngster, Bill Buckner, ready to go at first. Buckner had 158 hits in 1973, ranking third on the Dodgers behind Davis' 171 and shortstop Bill Russell's 163.

Russell and Davey Lopes formed a sharp double play combination, and Lacy lost the starting job he had won in 1972.

Ron Cey has the third base job unless he loses it to veteran Ken McMullen in spring training.

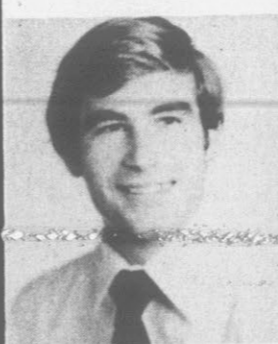
Tom Paciorek, who hit .262 in 96 games last year, could be used at first base or in the outfield.

But the outfield has an overflow of talent, including Willie Crawford, a .295 hitter last season; Wynn; Tommie Agee, acquired from St. Louis; Von Joshua, and Manny Mota, a .314 hitter in 89 games last year.

Don Sutton, 18-10, Andy Messersmith, 14-10, Tommy John, 16-7, and Al Downing, 9-9, are back from the 1973 starting pitching rotation.

Doug Rau, who started three games in 1973, is a candidate for a starting role and the Dodgers have reliever Jim Brewer, who has been in one of every three Los Angeles victories during the past five years.

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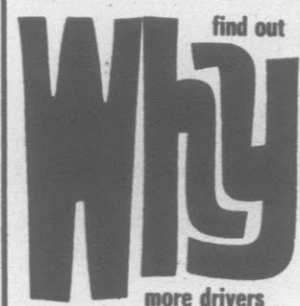
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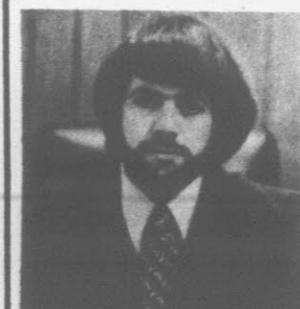
Coach John Welborn and seven of his wrestlers left today for the NCAA Wrestling Championships, to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Ames, Iowa.

The seven include Jim Blair at 118, Glenn Baker at 126, Tom Marriotti at 142, Bruce Hall at 158, Bill Hill at 177, Mike Radford at 190 and Willard Bryant in the heavyweight division.

Each of these wrestlers won Southern Conference titles, automatically qualifying for the National finals.

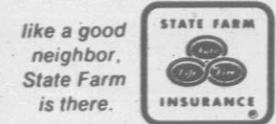


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State Holds To First; UCLA Jumps To Second

By The Associated Press
UCLA, which wrapped up the Pacific-8 conference title with an 82-52 triumph over Southern California last week, leapfrogged over Notre Dame into second place behind North Carolina State in the weekly Associated Press college basketball poll released today.

UCLA, the defending national champion with a 23-3 record through games of Saturday, will meet 20th-ranked Dayton in the NCAA's West regional semifinals Thursday night.

Dayton, 20-7, replaced NCAA Midwest host Oral Roberts in the poll after handing Notre Dame its second loss of the season, a 97-82 upset.

North Carolina State, which will seek to preserve its unbeaten record — best of the ranked teams — against No. 5 Providence in the NCAA East semifinals, received 24 first place votes and 792 points from a panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

UCLA, with three losses for the season, received 17 first place votes and 748 points while the Irish amassed 652 points for third place.

Maryland remained fourth in the poll despite its 103-100 loss to N. C. State in the Atlantic Coast Conference championship

tournament Saturday night. The loss ended the Terps' NCAA playoff hopes and their season at 23-5 since they declined a bid to the National Invitation Tournament.

Providence, eighth a week ago, improved its ranking with triumphs over Brown and Penn and losses by Vanderbilt, North Carolina and Southern Cal. The three teams had been fifth, sixth and seventh a week ago.

Vanderbilt will take its No. 6 ranking against No. 8 Marquette in the Midwest Regional semifinals while seventh-ranked North Carolina will face Purdue in the second game of the NIT tournament at Madison Square Garden Saturday.

Through games of Saturday, Vanderbilt is 23-3, Marquette 23-4 and North Carolina 22-5.

Long Beach State, which already completed its season at 23-2, remained ninth, but Indiana, which edged Purdue 80-79, moved up from 13th to 10th. The Hoosiers' hopes for an NCAA berth against Notre Dame, however, were doused Monday night when they lost a Big Ten Conference playoff against 12th-ranked Michigan 75-67. The playoff between the conference co-champions was forced when Michigan beat Michigan State Saturday.

In the second 10 are Alabama,

Michigan, Pittsburgh, Kansas, Southern Cal, Louisville, New Mexico, South Carolina, Creighton and Dayton.

Pittsburgh meets Furman in the NCAA East semifinals; Kansas and Creighton clash in one Midwest game while Louisville faces Oral Roberts in the other. New Mexico is scheduled to meet San Francisco in the West.

The Top Twenty, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records through games of Saturday and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 20-18-14-12-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.

1. N. C. St. (24)	26-1	792
2. UCLA (17)	23-3	748
3. Notre Dame	25-2	652
4. Maryland	23-5	503
5. Providence	27-3	411
6. Vanderbilt	23-3	353
7. Marquette	23-4	327
8. N. Carolina	22-5	303
9. Long Beach St.	23-2	284
10. Indiana	20-4	241
11. Alabama	22-4	174
12. Michigan	20-4	154
13. Pittsburgh	24-3	142
14. Kansas	21-5	109
15. Southern Cal	22-4	101
16. Louisville	21-5	56
17. New Mexico	21-6	55
18. S. Carolina	22-5	48
19. Creighton	22-6	41
20. Dayton	20-7	23

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Arizona St., Centenary, Cincinnati, Florida St., Furman, Jacksonville, Kansas St., Maryland-Eastern Shore, Nevada-Las Vegas, Oral Roberts, San Francisco.

Michigan Takes Big Ten Title

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP) — Michigan's Wolverines, given little or no chance for the Big Ten championship, will represent the conference in the NCAA playoffs. And Indiana's Hoosiers, pre-season favorites, have been relegated to the "runner-up" tournament.

Michigan and Indiana tied for the Big Ten title, and in a special playoff at Illinois' Assembly Hall Monday night, the Wolverines battled to a 75-67 triumph.

Michigan, with a 21-4 record, advances to the NCAA Midwest Regional at Tuscaloosa, Ala., to face Notre Dame, while Indiana goes to St. Louis to play in the newly-formed Collegiate Commissioners Association Tournament.

C.J. Kupec with 22 points, Campy Russell with 17 and Wayman Britt with 16 lifted Michigan — which never trailed — to victory.

Indiana "super sub" John Laskowski went on a 20-point

scoring spree — including eight of 10 points in one stretch — to pull the Hoosiers within one point twice in the closing minutes. But he couldn't quite turn the game around.

"No one thought we could win anything at the start of the season," said Michigan Coach Johnny Orr. "We played 25 times and 23 times we were the underdog. But this team has done some great things. None of these guys is anonymous any more."

"When we lost our leader (Russell) on fouls, we went to a delayed game and hit the free throws. Everyone came through. Indiana is a great team and Bobby Knight is a great coach. Beating them is really something," Orr said.

He shook his head when asked about Notre Dame, the nation's No. 3 team, and said, "We have to be very lucky and play our best game of the year to have a chance against Notre Dame."

Different Grips On First For Three Teams

By FRED ROTHENBERG
AP Sports Writer

The Milwaukee Bucks, the Golden State Warriors and the New York Nets all have holds on first place — but with different grips.

It appears that the Bucks' hold is a strangle hold after Milwaukee crushed the Phoenix Suns Monday night 105-92 and grabbed a 4½-game lead over the Chicago Bulls in the Midwest Division of the National Basketball Association. The Bucks have seven games remaining and the Bulls have eight left.

If the Bucks should falter, they're still guaranteed a playoff spot.

Not so with the Golden State Warriors, whose 120-108 victory over the Detroit Pistons raised their lead in the NBA's Pacific Division to one game over the Los Angeles Lakers.

Besides the division winners, two other teams in the Western Conference make it to the playoffs. The other two clubs qualify based on superior record, and at this stage of the season, Chicago and Detroit, both in the Midwest Division, have the inside track.

Therefore, whichever team maintains the upper hand between Los Angeles and Golden State, makes the playoff and

the other probably faces elimination.

Over in the American Basketball Association, the New York Nets have a pinky hold of .002 over the Kentucky Colonels in the East Division after outlasting the Indiana Pacers 124-117 in double overtime Monday night.

But since only two teams in the entire 10-team ABA do not qualify for the playoffs, neither club has much to worry about.

Rounding out Monday's pro basketball action, the Virginia Squires scored a 102-91 ABA victory over the San Antonio Spurs.

Bucks 105, Suns 92

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Lucius Allen split 36 points and Oscar Robertson and Bob Dandridge divided 32 to help hand the Suns — not on Costello's good list — their 31st loss in 36 road games.

Warriors 120, Pistons 108
The Pistons reduced a 23-point Golden State lead to seven with less than two minutes to go, but the Warriors held on

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Sports Briefs

By The Associated Press
MARCO ISLAND, Fla. (AP) — Ray Floyd's team has captured the eighth annual Tony Lema Memorial Pro-Am Golf Tournament with a best ball 54 as Floyd had a seven-under-par 65.

Floyd earned \$1,000 Monday. Other members of his team were Joe DiMaggio and amateurs Carling Dinkler and Vic Allen.

BOSTON (AP) — A 12-round feature bout April 4 will pit New England light heavyweight boxing champion Eddie Owens against Bob Benoit of Oakham, Mass.

Boxing promoter Sam Silverman said Monday that the Springfield, Mass., fighter will defend his title at the Worcester Memorial Auditorium in Worcester.

CINCINNATI (AP) — Dick Wagner was elected administrative vice president of the Cincinnati Reds, Inc., Monday



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Aaron Makes Unordered Debut

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
AP Sports Writer

Hank Aaron made his spring debut Monday and Bowie Kuhn didn't even have to order it.

Dick Williams made his spring debut and Joe Cronin didn't veto it.

Steve Blass made his spring debut and discovered that 1974 shows no signs of being that wonderful year which 1973 wasn't.

Shortly before Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn virtually ordered the Atlanta Braves to change their plans and send Aaron out to pursue Babe Ruth's home run record on opening day in Cincinnati, the veteran slugger appeared as a pinch hitter against the New York Yankees. He fouled off eight pitches from Mel Stottlemyre and then struck out.

However, Aaron's inauspicious debut was overshadowed by the pitching of Atlanta's Ron Reed and three unsung hurlers — Dave Cheadle, Joe Grzenda and Jamie Easterly. They combined to hurl a no-hitter and the Braves won 4-0, with Rowland Office smacking a two-run homer.

Thanks to last December's ruling by Cronin, then the American League president, which upheld the Oakland A's claim on Williams and prevented him from managing the Yankees, Williams was spared the embarrassment of piloting Monday's hitless wonders.

But he was in the stands at West Palm Beach, Fla., for the no-hitter. He came over from his home at nearby Riviera

Beach on behalf of a friend who has a son with major league pitching ambitions.

"I came to see if I could arrange a tryout with the Braves," he said.

Williams spoke briefly with Yankee President Gabe Paul, then sat and watched the game surrounded by newsmen. He confirmed that A's owner Charles O. Finley called him last week and told him he was free to manage any team except the Yankees.

"We had a pleasant chat," Williams said. "You know Charlie. We didn't get along for three years. If you don't get along with your wife for three years, you get a divorce. We just got a divorce."

In Sarasota, Blass, a World Series hero in 1971, gave up four runs in his 1974 exhibition debut as the Chicago White Sox defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates 6-2.

Buddy Bradford hit a 450-foot homer for the White Sox off reliever John Morlan.

Elsewhere, Vada Pinson, playing his first game for Kansas City since being acquired from California, smacked a tie-breaking home run that helped the Royals beat the Cincinnati Reds 3-1.

Jim Cox cracked a three-run homer in a six-run third inning that powered the Montreal Expos to a 9-7 victory over Minnesota. Ed Palat and Joe Lis homered for the Twins.

Billy Williams walloped a grand slam and Bill Madlock and Jim Hickman also homered in the Chicago Cubs' 10-0 rout of the California Angels.

The Texas Rangers scored six runs in the fourth inning, three on Toby Harrah's homer, and defeated the Baltimore Orioles 9-6. Joe Lovitto also homered for the winners.

Boston's Doug Griffin and John Kennedy hit consecutive home runs off Houston rookie Carlos Alfonso in the seventh inning and the Red Sox went on to beat the Astros 9-5.

Pedro Garcia's three-run homer and George Scott's solo

shot paced the Milwaukee Brewers to a 5-4 victory over the world champion Oakland A's, who got a home run of their own from Gene Tenace.

George Hendrick continued his heavy hitting and the Cleveland Indians took advantage of three errors to score seven unearned runs and beat the San Diego Padres 10-1. Hendrick tripled, doubled and singled.

In a 'B' squad game, Ivan Murrell clubbed a grand-slam

homer to pace the Padres to a 15-1 victory.

Doubles by Gary Sutherland and Ben Ogilvie in the eighth inning lifted the Detroit Tigers past the St. Louis Cardinals 3-2 and the New York Mets edged the Los Angeles Dodgers 3-2 when Steve Yeager committed a two-out passed ball with the bases loaded in the 10th inning. Felix Millan homered for the Phils.

Johnny Bench, playing third base, hit a two-run homer and a run-scoring single to lead the Cincinnati Reds over the Philadelphia Phillies 12-2 in a 'B' game. Billy Grabarkewitz and Bill Nahorodny homered for the Phils.

Kuhn Says Hank Must Be Played

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Hank Aaron apparently will be in the Atlanta Braves' opening day line-up after all.

That became a near certainty Monday when Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn disapproved the Braves' announced plan to have the 40-year-old slugger sit out the opening three-game series in Cincinnati April 4-6-7 and go after Babe Ruth's all-time record of 714 home runs in Atlanta when the Braves open at home April 8.

In a terse statement, Kuhn virtually ordered the Braves to have Aaron in the starting line-up for at least two of the Cincinnati games.

The Braves' slugger has 713 lifetime home runs, one behind Ruth.

Aaron said he had no comment on Kuhn's ruling, but added: "I've said all I can say about it. I may have something to say later, but he's the commissioner of baseball, I suppose, and I have to abide by the rules."

Bill Bartholomay, the Braves' chairman of the board, was unavailable for comment, as was Atlanta Manager Eddie Mathews.

"I have had a number of discussions with Bill Bartholomay about his February announcement regarding Henry Aaron," Kuhn said. "Although he has advanced some substantial arguments in support of his announcement, he has not been able to persuade me that the procedure he wishes to follow is

good for baseball.

"As a result, I have advised him that I am disapproving the announcement and that, barring disability, I will expect the Braves to use Aaron in the opening series in Cincinnati in accordance with the pattern of his use in 1973, when he started approximately two of every three Braves games."

Aaron started two of the first three games last season against Houston and appeared in 120 games, some of them as a pinch hitter. He batted .301 with 40 homers and 96 runs batted in.

At the Braves' training camp in West Palm Beach, Fla., Don Davidson, assistant to Bartholomay, said the club's reaction was "no comment."

"Bartholomay is traveling at the present time, but the 'no comment' holds for both me and Eddie Mathews," Davidson said.

However, Eddie Robinson, vice president of the Braves, said he was surprised by Kuhn's statement.

"Bill Bartholomay and I have talked since the ruling today," he said, "and I think there will be a comment forthcoming, but not at this time. We may have a statement, but not now. It's a ticklish thing, and I think we should be prepared before we make a statement."

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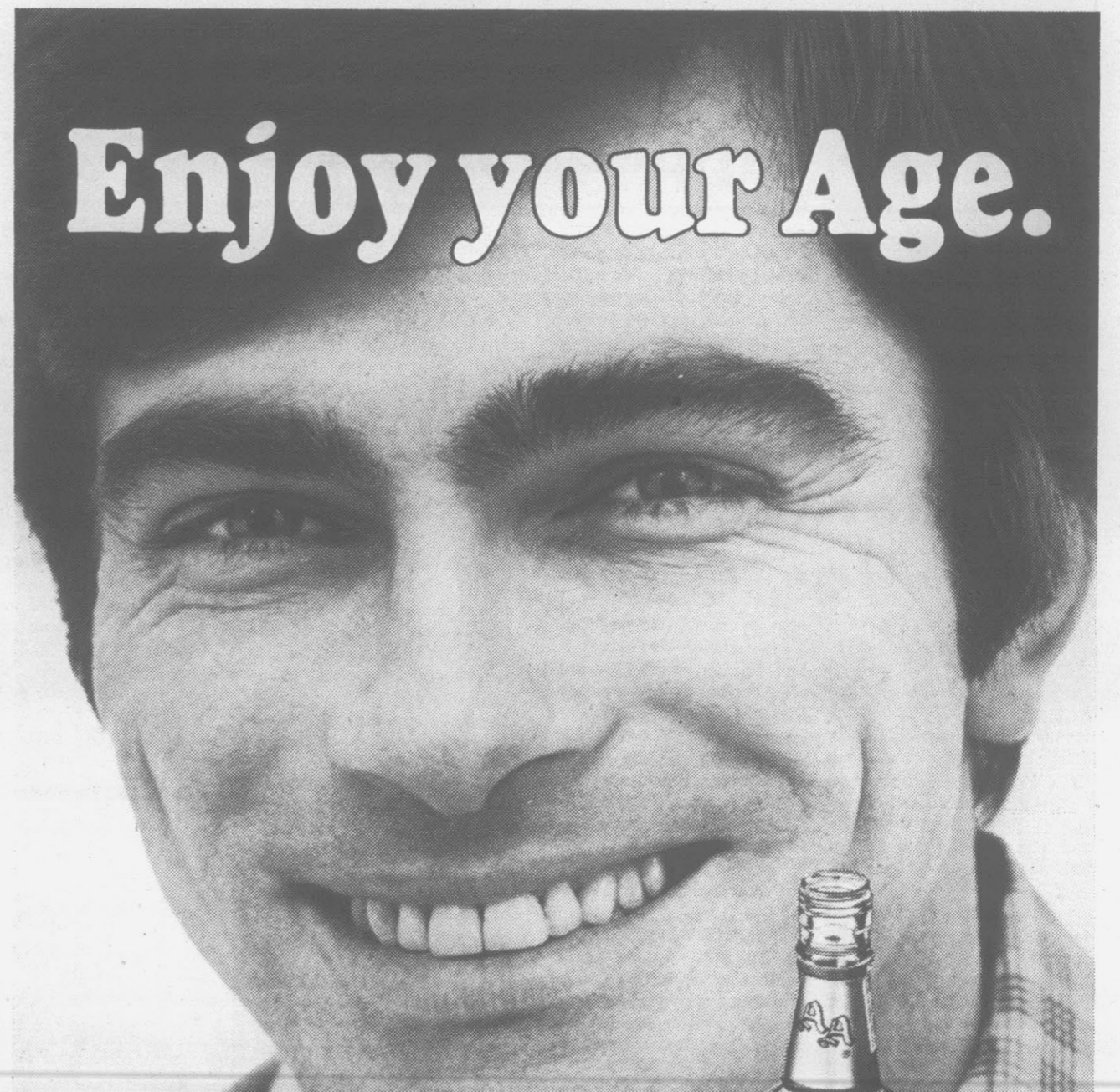
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By **GEORGE W. CRANE**
Ph.D., M.D.

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Their vocal utterances resemble the speech of a ventriloquist's dummy, being almost devoid of consonants.

"Ee-aw, Ee-aw" is the typical bray of the donkey or mule.

"Oink Oink" is the language of the hog.

"Err-Err-Err-Err," is the rooster's crow.

Other fowls may whistle and chirp, while the owl may say "Who-o-o."

Cats and cows use the "M" sound, as in "Meow" and "Moo."

Sheep seem to employ "B" as in "Baa," as do dogs in their "Bow Wow."

Actually, most of the animal and bird sounds that we interpret with consonants, are mainly vowels.

We merely read into those sounds our own consonants, as in the quail's whistle, "Bob White."

For the quail does not use the "B" sound in "Bob," but we just ascribe it to that bird.

In ancient times, primitive men had very little language and what they did evolve was largely vowels (velar sounds).

Paving Material In Jet's Engine

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — An American Airlines DC10 jetliner was grounded here after paving material was sucked into its starboard engine, officials say.

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- ACROSS**
- Dominant idea
 - Argument
 - Tilled land
 - Straightens
 - Sea nymphs
 - Rims
 - Small barrel
 - Gallivant
 - Innovative
 - Eggs
 - Lamb
 - Rose oil
 - Devoiced
 - At home
 - Teaching degree
 32. Arikara
 34. African antelope
 36. Railway system
 38. Everybody
 40. Affix
 41. Column
 44. On vacation
 46. Frosting
 48. Animal pen
 50. Indian antelope
 52. White poplar
 53. Houston football team
 54. Saunter



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SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

- DOWN**
- Falseface
 - Asian
 - Objective
 - Cyprinoid fish
 - Baptismal basin
 - Cordage fiber
 - Promote
 - Wait
 - Corner
 - Pipe fitting
 - Sigmoid
 - Office notice
 - Kava
 - Conflict
 - Unexpected inheritance
 - Finis
 - Lincoln
 - Red arsenic
 - Anything highfrown
 - Annex
 - Glorified
 - Overflow
 - Resin
 - "Bus Stop" author
 - Kiwis
 - Escape
 - Leucothea
 - 102
 - Baseball term
 - Exists

GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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North-South vulnerable.

North deals.

- NORTH**
- ♠ A Q 9
 - ♥ J 8 6 2
 - ♦ Q 10 6
 - ♣ K Q 7

- WEST**
- ♠ 8 2
 - ♥ K Q 10 4
 - ♦ A 9 7 4
 - ♣ 9 5 3
- EAST**
- ♠ 6 5 3
 - ♥ A 9 7 3
 - ♦ K 8 2
 - ♣ 10 8 2

SOUTH

- ♠ K J 10 7 4
- ♥ 5
- ♦ J 5 3
- ♣ A J 6 4

The bidding:

- | North | East | South | West |
|-------|------|-------|------|
| 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass |
| 1 NT | Pass | 2 ♣ | Pass |
| 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass |
| 4 ♠ | Pass | Pass | Pass |

Opening lead: King of ♣.

Declarer counted his losers and saw only three. Unfortunately, he never bothered to check whether he would have the time to cash his winners!

Since his only four-card suit was not biddable, North elected to open with the "convenient" bid one club. After his partner's one spade response, North opted for a rebid of one no trump as being more descriptive than a raise to two spades with only three trumps and a perfectly balanced hand. However, when South showed club support, North decided it was time to reveal his spade support, and a good contract of four

spades was the result.

West led the king of hearts and continued with the queen, which declarer ruffed. South could see only two diamond losers in addition to the heart he had already lost, so he proceeded to draw trumps in three rounds. Next he set about trying to establish a diamond trick by leading low from his hand toward dummy. However, West was alert. He rose with the ace of diamonds and led the 10 of hearts, forcing declarer to ruff with his last trump. When East won the king of diamonds, he still had the ace of hearts to cash for a one-trick set.

Declarer should have realized that he would not have time to set up a diamond winner. Instead, dummy's high trumps should have suggested the possibility of a dummy reversal.

After ruffing the second heart, correct technique is to lead a low trump to the nine and ruff another heart. The king of clubs serves as an entry to dummy for a third heart ruff. Declarer overtakes his king of spades with dummy's ace and draws the outstanding trump with the queen, discarding a diamond from his hand. Now he can cash three more club tricks for his contract. In all, declarer scores three ruffs, three trumps and four clubs — he doesn't make a diamond trick, he does fulfill his contract.

Slovik's Widow Living In Detroit, In Obscurity

DETROIT (AP) — The widow of the only American soldier shot for desertion since the Civil War is living here under an assumed name and trying to forget, a Detroit newspaper reports.

Antionette Slovik, wife of Pvt. Eddie Slovik, who was executed during World War II, had been presumed dead for nearly a decade by all who knew her, except a few close relatives. She and Slovik had no children.

But obscurity may become more difficult for Mrs. Slovik, now 60.

NBC Television is scheduled to air a movie-length documentary Wednesday on the life of Eddie Slovik, whose execution was kept secret from even the Detroit GIs' wife for nine years.

Based on a book by William Bradford Huie, the movie traces Slovik's path to an anonymous grave in France reserved for GIs convicted of violent crimes.

"If it hadn't been for the incident (Slovik's execution), my life would have been different"

Mrs. Slovik told the Detroit News in a copyrighted story. "But since then, it's been nothing but hell."

"They took a sick man," she said of Eddie, who had been granted a deferment because of a prison record but was then reclassified and drafted.

"He had bad legs and really wasn't fit for combat," she said.

An Army buddy, John Tankey of Dearborn Heights, recalled that in the fall of 1944 he and Slovik were lost in France after a German machine gun nest wiped out nine of 12 men in their squad.

After 45 days with a Canadian unit, they finally caught up with their unit in Elsenborn, Belgium.

Tankey recalled: "I reported to a captain first and was in there about 45 minutes. He told me, 'You're a rifleman now, but you're going to be a machine gunner.'"

"Then Eddie went in. He was in there a long time and soon I could hear shouting coming through the door.

"Eddie came out real fast, brushing by me and he didn't have his rifle. The captain told me, 'You'd better stop your buddy. He's going to get into a lot of trouble.'"

"I asked Eddie, what are you doing? But he jerked his arm away from me and said, 'John, leave me alone. I know what I'm doing.' That was the last time I saw him, walking down a hill."

That was Oct. 8, 1944. The next day Slovik gave himself up and signed a paper saying he refused to carry a rifle.

Slovik was sentenced to death by an Army court-martial, and two days before Christmas of that year, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower signed the execution order. The order was carried out on Jan. 31, 1945.

Both Mrs. Slovik and Tankey told the News they did not hear of the execution until Huie contacted her while researching the Slovik case.

"Huie and I had to go to Washington to get Eddie's file released," said Mrs. Slovik, who lives on a \$160-a-month So-

cial Security pension. "They treated us like dirt.

"I tried to see Eisenhower, who was then president, but he refused to answer my letter and see me."

"Eddie wasn't a coward. He just hated violence. They never should have put him in a combat role."

Honor Pupils At Academy

The Honor Roll and Principal's List have been announced for Greenville Christian Academy.

Making all A's and qualifying for the Honor Roll were eighth graders, Teresa Keel and Treva Woodley; seventh grader, Denise Tyburski; sixth graders, Denise Bullock and Donnell Glisson; fourth grader, Jane Burrus; and third graders, Nancy Stocks, Dallas Braxton, and Sharon Dixon.

Qualifying for the Principal's List by making all A's and B's were eighth graders, Kent Brown, Roy Whaley, Eddie Whichard, David Woodard, Kim Dupree, Tonya James, and Donna Tripp; seventh graders, Sandy Stancill, Chris Paramore, Glenda Stancill, Susan Spain, and Johanna Hines; sixth graders, Deborah Oxley, Diane Shackelford, Todd Brown, John Woodley, Beth Smith, Ricky Brown, Cathy Beaman, Debbie Everett, Pam Manning, Elaine Butler, and Ellen Kirkland; fifth graders, Ben Haddock, Robbie Mayo, Kim Balentine, Curtis Paramore, Jackie Bryant, Melanie Bunch, Connie Dupree, and Lori Briley; fourth graders, Dana Hines, Tonya Eastwood, Alton Wadford, and Paula Worthington; and third graders, Warren Balentine, Reid Tripp, Carl White, Ked Woodley, Tammy McDonald, Kathy Parker, and Debbie Pollard.



POSITIVE FEELING—Ashraf Ghorbal, Egyptian ambassador to the United States, told a Seattle news conference Monday he expects a positive and thorough discussion of the Arab oil embargo in Tripoli Wednesday when representatives of nine oil-producing countries meet. (AP Wirephoto)

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1974



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GENERAL TENDENCIES: Plan your future in a definite and determined fashion in a.m., and think through the best campaign possible to attain your most cherished longings, but postpone action until p.m.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You can handle those duties that are pressing during a.m., then meet with others for your finest purposes. Make plans with mate in a.m.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Know what partners want of you, then you can work on new plan. Something crops up in a.m. that shows how to proceed on an important matter.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Schedule your time well so you can get much accomplished in a.m., but reserve the afternoon for talking matters over with associates.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Plan your amusements for the coming days early and get right into the work ahead of you. Show liking for others.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Handle home affairs conscientiously before running off to amusements with congenials. Get into fundamental monetary affairs.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Get your business operating nicely and then enjoy own home and kin. Do important errands. Catch up on reading you've neglected.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Handle monetary affairs early before you go out with congenials. Plan property improvements. Get the expert advice you may need.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Don't take any chances and money matters can be handled well. Talk to long-known friends and get ideas for your improvement.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Morning is ideal for planning your future with an expert. Then go out to the recreations you like. Make appearance attractive first.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Listen to what a good friend has to say that can be helpful to you. You need more information for some outlet before you go out socially.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Get that civic affair in back of you quickly, then off with the congenials you like to the social affairs that please you.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Get data needed, then call new interest to attention of a bigwig. A communication that reaches you today can bring prestige.

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 - 7:00 Truth or Dare
 - 7:30 Tell Truth or Lie
 - 8:00 Maudsley
 - 8:30 Special
 - 9:30 GE Theatre
 - 11:00 Final Report
 - 11:30 Movie
- WEDNESDAY**
- 6:00 Arthur Smith
 - 6:30 Meditations
 - 6:35 Carolina Today
 - 8:00 News
 - 9:00 Kangaroo
 - 10:00 Jokers' Wild
 - 10:30 Pyramid
 - 11:00 Love of Life
 - 11:55 Timely Ties
 - 11:30 Hollywood Sq.
 - 12:00 News
 - 12:30 Battle
 - 12:55 Noon News
 - 1:00 Jack Pot
 - 1:30 On A Match
 - 1:30 Our Lives
 - 2:30 Doctors
 - 3:00 Another World
 - 3:30 Marriage
 - 4:00 Somerset
 - 4:30 Bewitched
 - 5:00 Wild West
 - 5:00 ABC News
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 - 7:30 Sportsman
 - 8:00 Adam 12
 - 8:30 Slovik
 - 11:00 News
 - 11:30 Tonight

WITN-TV Ch. 7

- TUESDAY**
- 7:00 Dragnet
 - 7:30 Hollywood Sq.
 - 8:00 Adam 12
 - 8:30 Movie
 - 9:00 Police Story
 - 11:00 News
 - 11:30 Tonight
- WEDNESDAY**
- 6:25 Your Future
 - 6:55 News
 - 7:00 Today
 - 7:25 News
 - 7:30 Today
 - 8:25 News
 - 8:30 Today
 - 9:00 Mike Douglas
 - 10:00 Dinah's Place
 - 10:30 Jeopardy
 - 11:00 News
 - 11:30 Tonight

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

- TUESDAY**
- 7:00 Andy Griffith
 - 7:30 DuPont's Trail
 - 8:00 Happy Days
 - 8:30 Movie
 - 10:00 Marcus Welby
 - 11:00 News 12
 - 11:30 Entertainment
 - 1:00 Morning News
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 - 8:00 New Zoo
 - 8:30 Montage
 - 9:30 Movie
 - 11:30 Brady Bunch
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 - 12:30 Split Second
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 - 1:10 Ready Set Go
 - 1:30 Phy. Science
 - 2:00 Fr. Chef
 - 2:30 Humanities
 - 3:00 Film
 - 3:30 Conversations
 - 4:00 Mr. Rogers
 - 4:30 Sesame St.
 - 5:30 Electric Co.
 - 6:00 Hodgepodge
 - 6:30 Decisions
 - 7:00 Now
 - 7:30 Conversations
 - 8:00 Bill Moyers
 - 8:30 Theatre
 - 10:00 Gen. Assembly

WUNK-TV Ch. 25

- TUESDAY**
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 - 7:30 Gov't Dev
 - 8:00 NC News Cont.
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 - 9:00 Symposium
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Hue Recovering From Tet Offensive

EDITOR'S NOTE—The city of Hue in South Vietnam is beginning to be rebuilt six years after its devastation in one of the major battles of the Vietnam war. A South Vietnamese government agency, operating with U.S. funds, is doing most of the renewal work.

By TAD BARTIMUS
Associated Press Writer
HUE, South Vietnam (AP)—The late afternoon sun bathed the distant mountains in lavender and bounced long shadows off the moss-caked old citadel as the young man in the Ivy League jacket leaned against it and said simply:

"The soul has come back to Hue. Listen and you can hear it. Look and you can see it. This city lives again."

Six years after Hue was devastated in the historic North Vietnamese Tet offensive of 1968, the signs of wartime destruction no longer are blatant. Hue today is immersed in a rebuilding program that is partly urban renewal and partly city beautification.

Block after block of gutted ruins have been cleared away, replaced by a few new buildings and many neat vacant lots. The sewer and water systems are being rebuilt.

Private houses and government buildings glisten with fresh paint. The streets' pot holes are being filled with smelly but sturdy tar. Dogs are blithely leaving paw prints in the fresh cement of new sidewalks, and 4,000 young flame trees are ready for planting throughout Hue.

The scrape of shovel against rock mingles with the laughter

of children on bicycles. The steady putt-putt of sampans on the Perfume River competes with a smoke-belching concrete mixer.

A tangled mass of forget-me-nots spills over the 200-year-old brick wall which used to hide Vietnam's kings from the world. Pink blossoms poke through the wall's gaping shell holes.

Besides it, carefully piled in a heap, are rusted soda pop and C-ration cans, a GI helmet with a single neat bullet hole, live artillery shells and the other debris of a war that stopped there for a while and then passed on.

Everywhere, slender Vietnamese in conical hats, turquoise jenkins, white pajamas and sandals are working with their hands. Digging, scrubbing, planting, hoeing, sweeping, painting.

In February, 1968, Hue was a battlefield. On the eve of the Tet Lunar New Year, the Viet Cong and North Vietnamese invaded Vietnam's old imperial capital, 400 miles north of Saigon.

Thousands of Communist troops, South Vietnamese and American soldiers died in house-to-house fighting.

Officials estimate 5,800 civilians were killed. Approximately 80 per cent of the city's structures were damaged during 26 days of battle, and then the invaders were driven back. Thousands of residents fled south to nearby Da Nang.

The city was a shambles. But within a year, most of the 180,000 population had returned and homeowners were patching up. Shopkeepers repaired their

businesses. The market place again became a bustling hub of activity. Daily life resumed.

The reconstruction effort, however, was superficial and unorganized. Early last year, the government attempted a citywide beautification program, but apathy and disorganization contributed to its failure.

Today, a major facelifting is under way. Most of the renewal is being done by the Agency for Development of Da Nang and Surrounding Areas (ADDA). It's an agency run by the South Vietnamese government and its initial \$340,000 budget is funded by the United States.

A chemical engineer, Truong Van Thong, was sent to Hue last August by President Nguyen Van Thieu to head ADDA and launch the urban renewal program. Thong's work force is drawn from the 20,000 refugees

from other parts of Vietnam living in camps on Hue's outskirts.

The city's mayor, Army Col. Ton That Khien, says ADDA has two objectives: To stimulate Hue's economy by rebuilding the city, and to help the refugees earn a living. ADDA

pays laborers up to \$1.80 a day. Since last March there has been only minor ground combat action around Hue. But the string of fire bases which form the city's outer defense perimeter have been frequent targets of heavy shelling. Western and Vietnamese sources say

there are four North Vietnamese divisions near Hue.

Except for beautiful scenery, the area's natural resources are limited. There is no industry and no plans to start any.

"People here earn a meager living by being civil servants, teaching, serving in the army or supplying the town's normal goods and services," an American official noted. "Nobody's starved here in 40 years, the people make the best conical hats and sesame candy in Vietnam, but the city's got a long way to go before it becomes a boom town."

"ADDA is helping it along by cleaning it up, and that's a highly visible benefit. But what worries me is what comes next? You can't go on doing WPA stuff forever. Soon it's going to have to move into new phases of recovery; by that I mean the hard core kinds."

Chicago Money Aiding Wilson

RALEIGH (AP)—Henry Hall Wilson, a Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate from North Carolina, has listed \$43,250 in contributions from commodity brokers in Chicago in his latest campaign financial statement.

The listing, filed Monday in the secretary of state's office, is for the period from Jan. 1 to Feb. 28, as required by federal law.

An earlier listing by Wilson, filed Jan. 31, showed more than \$20,000 in contributions from Chicago commodity brokers.

Wilson, a native of Monroe, spent six years as president of the Chicago Board of Trade.

The contributions from Chicago brokers are mostly in sums of \$1,000, \$2,500 and \$5,000.

For Wilson's entire nine-month campaign, he stated he has collected \$146,164 and has spent \$146,103. The spending total includes \$45,772 for media expenditures, although few of the commercials have been re-

leased yet.

Wilson's record shows he has borrowed \$55,000 for his campaign thus far.

State Atty. Gen. Robert Morgan, another candidate for the Democratic nomination, has listed collections totaling \$68,347 and expenditures of \$58,483, including more than \$14,000 in mass media expenses.

The biggest individual contributions to Morgan's fund were in the \$1,000 to \$1,500 range. State Supreme Court Justice I. Beverly Lake contributed \$1,000. Morgan showed loans totaling approximately \$13,500.

Democratic candidate Nick Galifianakis, who filed for the May 7 primary on Feb. 25, said he didn't file a financial statement because he had not received a campaign registration number from the U.S. Senate clerk in Washington, apparently because of his late entry into the contest.

State Rep. William E. Stevens, the leading Republican candidate, who also entered the race late, submitted a financial report listing total expenses of \$564, of which \$425 was his filing fee.

Sponsor Forum Before Primary

The League of Women Voters of Greenville-Pitt County will sponsor a public forum prior to the May 7 primary.

Ruth Trevathan, LWV Director of Voter's Service, announces that the forum will be held on April 30 at 8 p.m., in the District Court Room of the Pitt County Courthouse.

All candidates running for local elective office in the May 7 primary will be invited to participate. Candidates who are without opposition and who will not appear on the primary ballot will be invited to attend the forum.

Man Killed In Tractor Mishap

SHELBY (AP)—The State Highway Patrol said Clemmie D. Hunt was killed Monday when the tractor he was driving overturned and pinned him underneath.

Trooper G.E. Mull said the 51-year-old farmer was working about three miles from Shelby when the accident occurred. He said a Duke Power Co. work crew raised the tractor, but Hunt was already dead.

Mutiny Remains Ethiopian Issue

By HOLGER JENSEN
Associated Press Writer
ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP)—The military mutiny that began two weeks ago is continuing in Ethiopia's air force, informed sources reported today. The airman are demanding the ouster of 21 officers.

The sources said enlisted men at the air force bases in Asmara and Debre Zeit, near Addis Ababa, are "being insubordinate, threatening their officers and refusing to come to work."

The mutiny began Feb. 25. It subsided in the 35,000-man army and 2,000-man navy last week after Emperor Haile Selassie promised the enlisted men and noncommissioned officers pay raises, and a new government fired or transferred a number of navy and army officers.

The sources said mutineers in the 3,500-man air force complained that while the government had acceded to the army and navy pressure against unpopular officers, it ignored similar demands from air force en-

listed men.

Meanwhile, a new strike by air traffic controllers closed the airports at Addis Ababa and Asmara Monday, and riot police wielded clubs to disperse students demonstrating in Addis for political freedoms.

The airports had opened only a few hours earlier after a four-day general strike. Government broadcasts said the airport workers were demanding salary increases, pensions and the right to form a union. But other reports said the strike was prompted by the arrest of 46 employees who distributed leaflets during the general strike.

To end the general strike, the government promised a minimum wage, the right to strike for public utility employees, nationwide price controls and abolition for poor children of school fees.

The students demonstrated at Emperor Haile Selassie University after a faculty meeting in which teachers demanded the ouster of Premier Endalkachew Makonnen and free elections to choose a new government.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Pitt County, North Carolina, and being located between Jefferson Street and Washington Street on the east side of an unnamed street, and being all of Lot Number Three (3) as shown on that certain map of survey made by H. L. Waters, R.L.S., which appears of record in Map Book 20 at page 125 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which map reference is hereby made for a full and accurate description of said lot. Said lot fronts 54.17 feet on said unnamed street and runs back in an easterly direction 115 feet between parallel lines as shown on said map. This sales will be made subject to all prior encumbrances, if any, and all ad valorem taxes or other assessments now due or which constitute a lien on the above described lot (s) or parcel (s) of land and the highest bidder at said sale will be required to deposit with said Trustee 10 per cent of the amount of his bid to show his good faith. This the 20th day of February, 1974. LOUIS W. GAYLORD, JR. TRUSTEE

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to an Order of Sale signed by Hon. Sandra Gaskins, Asst. Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, on February 26, 1974, in Special Proceeding File No. 74 SP 49, entitled:

IN THE MATTER OF: LESLIE M. VENTERS, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF DAISY MILLS JAMES, AND HIS WIFE, JUNE R. VENTERS, AND JASPER EARL VENTERS, EX PARTES

the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on

Friday, March 29, 1974 at 12:00 o'clock noon those certain parcels or tracts of land situated in Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Parcel One: BEGINNING at a marked pine and running South 11 2/3 East 44 poles to a pine stump in the field; thence South 1 West 91 3/5 poles to a stake in back line; thence North 85 5/8 West 11 1/2 poles to the center of old Tram Road; thence North 24 1/2 West 21 1/2 poles to a stake, center of old Tram Road; thence North 4 West 12 1/2 poles to a gum on old Tram Road; thence South 7 1/2 East 4 1/2 poles with ditch; thence South 50 3/4 East 19 2 1/2 poles to a marked pine back to the BEGINNING. Containing 17 acres, more or less.

Parcel Two: BEGINNING at a stake, Retha Mills Haddock corner, and runs South 81 1/3 East 7 1/2 poles to a stake, center of old Tram Road; thence with old Tram Road North 24 1/2 West 37 poles to a stake, center of old Tram Road; thence North 85 1/3 West 52 1/5 poles to a stake; thence South 2 West 32 1/2 poles back to the BEGINNING corner. Containing 15 1/5 acres, more or less.

Parcel Three: BEGINNING at a stake centered by a gum and runs North 82 1/10 West line; poles to a post at corner of field; thence South 25 East 10 poles to a stake, corner of William Glenn Mills 5 acre tract; thence South 82 1/10 East 97 1/2 poles to a stake; thence North 1 1/3 East 8 poles back to the BEGINNING corner of a gum. Containing 5 acres more or less.

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

Sale will remain open for 10 days for raised bid and confirmation. This the 28th day of February, 1974. Kenneth G. Hite, Commissioner James, Hite, Cavatish & Blount P. O. Drawer 15 Greenville, N.C. 27834 March 5, 12, 19, 26, 1974

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE
North Carolina
Pitt County
The undersigned, having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Isaac W. Reid, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within six months from the date of this notice, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment to the undersigned.
This the 19th day of February, 1974.
Berdie Reid Roberson, Administratrix
Estate of Isaac W. Reid
Deceased

Lanier, McPherson & Pegram
Attorneys at Law
219 Colanache Street
Greenville, N.C.
February 19, 26; March 5, 12, 1974

NOTICE OF SALE
North Carolina
Pitt County
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of 1968 executed by MARGARET NELSON and wife, MARGARET NELSON to LOUIS W. GAYLORD, JR., Trustee, dated the 16th day of October, 1971, and recorded in Book J-40, Page 603, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and the said deed of trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:00 noon on the 21st day of March, 1974, the property conveyed in said deed of trust and described as follows:
That certain lot or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Village of Simpson, in Grimestand Township,

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RADIO ANNOUNCER for Marion, N.C. Prefer Carolina School of Broadcasting Graduate, first class ticket required. If trained or experienced contact WBRM or Carolina School of Broadcasting, 3205 South Memorial Drive, Greenville. Phone 756-4832.

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Mobile Homes For Sale

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CREEP Finance Committee Has Closed Its Books

Groome Chosen To Head Pitt Cancer Campaign

Henry Groome Jr. of Greenville has been named chairman of this year's Cancer Fund Drive.

The announcement was made today by the president of the Pitt County Chapter of the American Cancer Society, Dr. John Winstead.

Groome is unit manager of the Pitt Life Insurance Company Ordinary Division here. He is a Sunday School teacher and chairman of the work area on education for St. James United

Methodist Church, and is a member of the Greenville-Martinsborough Lions Club. He and his wife, the former Becky Jarvis of Burlington, have a son, Jarvis, four, and a daughter, Margie, one.

"One person dies from cancer every 90 seconds, but many others are saved due to better detection procedures and public education. This educational process and medical research take money, lots of money and lots of volunteers to collect it. I

believe the people of Pitt County are the kind of people who want to see cancer defeated and are willing to work for this goal," Groome said.



HENRY GROOME, JR.

New division chairmen will be announced soon, he said.

By H.L. SCHWARTZ III
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Finance Committee to Re-elect the President, money manager for the richest political campaign in U.S. history, has closed its books and transferred \$3.57 million to a trust account with a Washington bank.

The committee, which raised more than \$60 million for President Nixon's re-election campaign, now is known as the 1972 Campaign Liquidation Trust.

It is administered by three trustees, including former Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans, who is on trial in New York along with former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell on charges arising from a secret \$200,000 campaign contribution.

The other trustees, according to reports filed with the General Accounting Office, are Charles E. Potter, former U.S. senator from Michigan, and Guilford Dudley Jr., a Nashville, Tenn., insurance executive.

In a financial report to the GAO Monday, the trust listed six people on its payroll, including a secretary-treasurer, two assistants, two secretaries

and Stans. Stans' after-tax salary for this year through Feb. 28 was reported as \$1,066. He also was reported as

Man Jailed For Throwing Lye On 2 Women

Clarence Earl Price, 49, of Greenville was jailed here early this morning and placed under a \$10,000 bond after being charged with throwing lye on two local women.

Chief Glenn Cannon said Price allegedly broke into a dwelling at 1208 South Pitt St. and struck Kathy Ragmon, 21, in the face, then picked up a can of lye and threw it in her face.

Miss Ragmon was treated for eye and face burns at Pitt Memorial Hospital and released.

Price also allegedly threw lye on Helen W. Dupree at the Pitt Street dwelling. Miss Dupree was treated at the hospital for burns to her back and lower abdomen and released.

Chief Cannon, who said the incident occurred just after midnight, reported that Price, too, was treated for lye burns as well as a cut under his left eye suffered in a fight earlier in the night.

drawing a \$200 advance for an unstated purpose on Feb. 22, which was repaid six days later.

Paul E. Barrick, former treasurer of the Finance Committee and now secretary-treasurer of the trust, said Stans' \$30,000-a-year salary had been discontinued at his own request during his New York trial.

Testimony began in the trial March 4.

Stans, chairman of the Finance Committee since its inception early in 1972, at one point was earning \$60,000. This was cut in half after the elec-

tion and after, according to Barrick, Stans began spending more and more time on personal legal problems.

In a note attached to the financial report, the trustees said they expected continuing legal expenses, which have totalled almost \$1 million since the start of various actions against the committee and its officers following the Watergate break-in in June 1972.

The trustees said they expected to settle major civil suits, arising from the June 1972 Watergate break-in at Democratic headquarters, for an estimated \$775,000. The largest action growing out of the break-in was a \$3.2-million invasion of privacy action brought by the Democratic National Committee and its officers.

Present Check

The Inter-Fraternity Council, representing the fraternities and sororities at East Carolina University, has presented a check for \$542 to the Pitt County United Fund as its contribution to the 1973-74 campaign.

Council president Phil Mahoney presented the check to United Fund campaign chairman Bill Dansey this afternoon.

Mahoney said that the funds were not included in the ECU Division total submitted when the campaign was closed out.

Two Injured In Traffic Mishaps

Two persons were reported injured in separate mishaps here yesterday, according to Greenville police.

Officers said Robert P. Brinson Jr., of Route 2, New Bern was injured when his motorcycle skidded and threw him off about 10:45 a.m. at the intersection of U.S. 264 and Arlington Boulevard.

Damage to the vehicle was set at \$5 by officers who made no charges in connection with the mishap.

Joe Michael Wilson of 104 Graham St. was reported injured in a 9:45 a.m. mishap when his bicycle collided with a car driven by Annie Williams Bryant of 1913 West Fourth St. at the intersection of Tenth Street and Forrest Hill Circle.

Officers estimated damage to the Bryant car at \$100 and set damage to the Wilson bicycle at \$50.

No charges were made.

Anthony Joseph Riggs of Greenville was charged with exceeding a safe speed after his car collided with a utility pole about 7:49 p.m. on Fifth Street 175 feet East of the Anderson Drive intersection.

Damage was estimated at \$300 to the car and \$150 to the utility pole.

In a fourth collision, Jimmy Lee Smith of Grimesland was charged with failing to see his intended movement could be

made in safety.

Police reported the Smith car collided with an auto operated by Carolyn Armistead Slacher of Route 2, Greenville about 11:04 a.m. at the intersection of Tenth and Evans Streets.

Officers estimated damage to the Slacher car at \$175 and placed damage to the Smith car at \$75.

Kite Contest

The annual Recreation Department kite flying contest for boys and girls is being held this year on Saturday, March 16 at 1:00 p.m. Location of the event is at Evans Park on Arlington Drive off Hooker Road.

The competition is in three categories with a total of 12 prizes to be given. The three categories are for "regular," "box," and "bird or bat" kites. The competition will be by grade groups, with divisions as follows: grades 1-3; 4-6; and 7-9.

Kite performance will be judged on height and distance plus flight patterns.

All children of this age group are invited to attend and to take part with their favorite kite. There are no admission charges or fees involved.

Them that has, gets.



CHARGED IN PLOT—Maria Theresa Alonzo, 33, is in custody of a federal agent as she arrives at the federal court house in Los Angeles to await arraignment on a warrant charging conspiracy to kidnap. She is a former follower of convicted killer Charles Manson. She and two others have been charged in connection with an alleged plot to kidnap a foreign consul general. (AP Wirephoto)

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