

Ford-Giscard Compromise Call For Oil Producers-Consumers Meet

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FORT DE FRANCE, Marti-
nique (AP) — The presidents of
the United States and France
called jointly today for a con-
ference of oil consuming and oil
producing nations "at the
earliest possible time."

The call was a compromise
to break a French-American
deadlock on how best to cope
with increased oil prices. Presi-

dents Ford and Valery Giscard
d'Estaing agreed in summit
talks on a series of "inter-
related steps" leading to the
proposed conference.
A communique issued as they
ended two days of talks on this
Caribbean island said these
steps "should be taken in se-
quence."

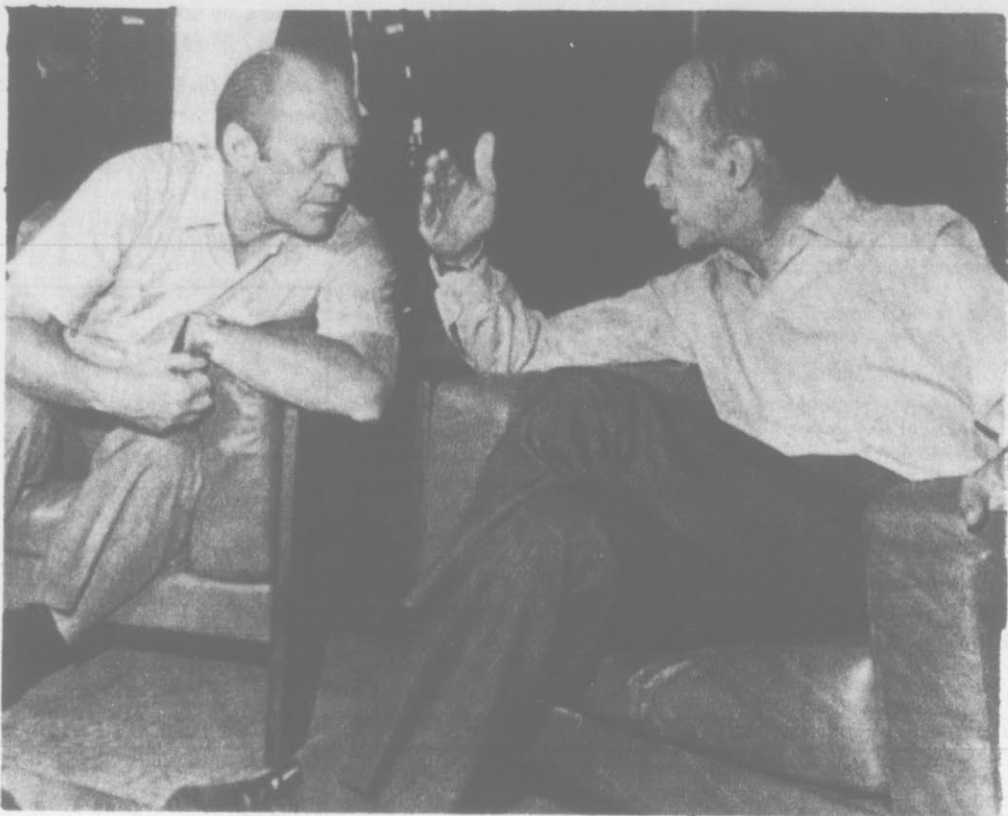
—Consuming nations, work-
ing "within the framework of
existing institutions," should
develop programs for energy
conservation, for developing
existing and alternative sources
of energy and for financial soli-
darity.

—Consumer nations should
hold a meeting next March "to
develop an agenda and proce-
dures for a consumer-producer
conference."

—The preparatory dis-
cussions among consumer coun-
tries "will be followed by in-

tensive consultations" to pre-
pare a unified position for the
meeting with the exporting
countries.
The communique did not set
a date for a conference be-
tween the oil exporters, mostly
in the Middle East, and their
customers: the United States,
Japan and France and other
countries of Western Europe.

But it appeared there would
be a push to hold the meeting
late next spring or early sum-
mer — a timetable suggested
by qualified sources as the two
presidents negotiated a resolu-
tion of their differences on
energy policy.
Before the Martinique sum-
mit, France had been pressing
for an immediate consumer-
producer conference. The
United States contended such
a meeting should not be held un-
til the importers agreed on a
joint negotiating position.
To reach the compromise,



SHIRT SLEEVE DIPLOMACY—French
President Giscard d'Estaing gestures as he talks
with U.S. President Gerald Ford in the meeting

on Martinique. The two leaders wore only shirt
sleeves during the very informal meeting. (AP
Wirephoto)

Pilot Waits In Havana

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — A
Tampa pilot, forced by a lone
gunman to fly to Havana, was
waiting today to find out how
much he would have to pay to
get Cuban authorities to release
his plane, officials said.

Swiss diplomats in Havana
were negotiating for pilot
Frank Haigney's return, while
the FBI in Tampa sought to
identify the man who hijacked
the twin-engine charter craft
late Saturday.

James A. Chesson Jr., owner
of Tampa Flying Service, said
officials told him Haigney was
in good condition after his
flight to Havana. But Chesson
said there was a delay in find-
ing out how much money Cuba
was going to charge for fuel
and landing fees before releas-
ing the plane.

Federal officials said it was
the first successful hijacking of
an American craft to Cuba
since 1972.

It will be the first test of the
new Cuba-United States bilater-
al agreement on hijackers,
signed last year. Under terms
of the agreement, Cuba prom-
ised to either return hijackers
or try them in Cuban courts.

Authorities reported that the
hijacker, identified as being
about 55 years old, was in cus-
tody of Cuban authorities.

Just A Dream

RALEIGH (AP) — Dreams
of a White Christmas for
North Carolina may well be
"The Impossible Dream," so
says the National Weather
Service.

Forecasters said based on
records of Christmas past,
not on weather predictions,
there is a seven per cent
chance that at least one half
of the ground in the northern
mountains of North Carolina
will be covered with snow on
Christmas day.

In other sections of the
state, the weather service
said, Tar Heel citizens will
likely be grouped with other
residents of the southeastern
United States who will be just
dreaming.

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HOW'S THE WATER?

I saw the television special about carcinogens in
so much of the nation's drinking water. What is the
source of Greenville's water? Is the carbon
filtration used? To what extent is the water tested?
And are there any known dumpages in the water
supply?

About 60 per cent of Greenville's water comes
from the Tar River; about 40 per cent from six
wells situated throughout the city, Greenville
Utilities Director Charles Horne said.

He said carbon is used to remove both taste and
odor from the water and that it is constantly
monitored by the Water Treatment Plant and by the
N.C. Board of Health. There is testing for bacteria
and some chemical analysis also is done, he said,
though he said he doubts if the sophisticated tested
done by the EPA that was talked about in the TV
program is done anywhere in the state.

A. C. Turnage, who heads the Regional Office of
the Division of Water Pollution Control of the State
Water and Air Resources Department, said treated
sewage is dumped into the Tar by Henderson,
Louisburg, Rocky Mount, and Tarboro, as well as
some smaller towns on tributaries of the river. He
said he knows of no direct dumping by industry,
though, of course, there are many whose refuse is
run through the sewerage systems of towns on the
river.

\$250 TREE?

I have heard that the City of Greenville has paid
\$250 for an artificial Christmas tree for City Hall. Is
this true? J.T.

"Yes, it is true," City Manager Bill Car-
starphen said. "In the past, we have purchased a
live tree each year at a cost of \$35 to \$40. Rather
than continuing to spend this amount or more each
year, we decided to invest in a permanent tree.
Over a period of time, we feel it will represent a
substantial savings."

"Incidentally, we think it is a beautiful tree and
we invite Greenville residents to come by and see
the tree, and we wish them all a Merry Christmas
on behalf of the City."

Rail Reorganization Act Upheld By Court

By W. DALE NELSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The
Supreme Court today upheld
the constitutionality of the Rail
Reorganization Act passed by
Congress last year to keep
bankrupt railroads in the
Northeast and Midwest oper-
ating.

By a vote of 7 to 2, the Su-
preme Court overruled a Phila-
delphia which had held that the
act was unconstitutional be-

cause it violated property
rights of creditors and share-
holders of the railroads by re-
quiring the railroads' continued
operation at a loss.

The Supreme Court ruled that
the rail act gives the creditors
and shareholders the right to
sue in the U.S. Court of Claims
if their compensation is not
adequate. The government had
argued that the act gave credi-
tors recourse through the Court
of Claims and the shareholders
argued that it did not.

The Supreme Court rejected

the argument of the share-
holders that the reorganization
was, in effect, a condemnation
of their property under eminent
domain procedures and that
they were therefore entitled to
be compensated in cash.

The act calls for creation of a
Consolidated Rail Corp., on
Conrail, a private corporation
backed by \$1 billion in federal
obligations. Creditors and
stockholders of the bankrupt
lines would receive stock in
Conrail, which would take over
the railroads.

Only 2 Of Sextuplets Left In Fight To Live

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) —
Another of the Lange sextuplets
born nine days ago died early
this morning, leaving only two
of the premature infants left in
their battle for life.

Dr. James Harrod said a boy,
Jason, died at Valley Medical
Center of respiratory failure.
He was the youngest of the six
infants and weighed the most
at birth, 2 pounds 4 ounces. A
normal baby usually weighs be-
tween seven and nine pounds.

Like the other five infants,
Harrod said Jason struggled
against hyaline membrane dis-

ease, a disorder that starves
the lungs of oxygen.

Another boy, Brian, has
shown some improvement over
the past two days, but remains
in critical condition and on a
respirator to help him breathe,
said Harrod.

The first born, Jolene Rene, a
girl, who had sipped donated
mother's milk through a tube
over the weekend, appeared to
be the strongest. Harrod said
she is in stable condition and
"making progress, although re-
quiring intermittent respiratory
assistance."

Charlotte Lange, 26, gave
birth to sextuplets, three
months premature, on Dec. 8.
One died four hours after birth
and two more died last Tues-
day.

Mrs. Lange and her husband,
Alvin, 31, visit the babies daily.
She bore quadruplets in No-
vember 1973, but they all died
shortly after birth.

The San Jose housewife said
she took a fertility drug before
each of the pregnancies be-
cause doctors told her it was
the only way she could con-
ceive.

Energy Policy Strategy Being Set By Advisers

By STAN BENJAMIN
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Top
administration officials are
drafting major energy policy
recommendations for President
Ford after spending a weekend
in isolation considering possible
government measures to curb
energy demand and boost do-
mestic production.

The group met in a nine-hour
brainstorming session Sunday
and a 12-hour meeting Saturday
at Camp David, Md. to go over
alternatives. Several partici-
pants said they were asked by
Interior Secretary Rogers C. B.
Morton not to discuss the talks
in detail.

The President's Cabinet-level
Energy Resources Council,
chaired by Morton, will review
the findings of the Camp David
meeting, possibly as early as
today, and begin refining pro-

posals into specific policies for
recommendation to Ford.

One participant said the
group took into account "a
pragmatic appraisal of what is
possible to get through Con-
gress," apparently hinting at a
pessimistic view on proposals
for a high gasoline tax or any
other type of costly energy tax-
ation.

Remaining in contention
would be such other tactics as
tax incentives allowing industry
and the public to save money
by saving energy, additional
voluntary programs and per-
haps mandatory measures that
require energy conservation.

No major policy options were
definitely discarded during the
weekend meetings, the source
added.

"It was a very positive meet-
ing," said one participant.
The meeting was called after

the administration conceded
that voluntary energy-saving
measures have proved unsatis-
factory.

Ford has said he will an-
nounce new energy policies ear-
ly next year, probably in his
State of the Union address to
Congress.

Participants in the meeting
included Morton, Trans-
portation Secretary Claude
Brinegar; Commerce Secretary
Frederick Dent; Federal En-
ergy Administrator Frank Zarb,
who also serves as the execu-
tive director of the Energy Re-
sources Council; and Alan
Greenspan, chairman of the
Council of Economic Advisers.

In other energy and economic
developments:

—General Motors said the
cost of raw materials in its au-
tomobiles is leveling off, possi-
bly signalling an end to high in-

flation. GM Chairman Thomas
Murphy said an indicator of
material costs rose 42 per cent
between August 1973 and Au-
gust 1974, but has hardly in-
creased at all in the past three
months.

—Rep. Philip Burton, D-Calif.,
said there has been a lack of
urgency on President Ford's
part to combat the nation's eco-
nomic problems. Appearing
with Burton on ABC's "Issues
and Answers," Rep. John B.
Anderson, R-Ill., said the blame
for economic woes should be
placed on slow action by Con-
gress and, in general, on the oil
embargo, the poor crop and
general world conditions.

—Oil firms say they are
sharply curtailing plans to build
new refining facilities because
of industry concern over eco-
nomic conditions and govern-
ment policies.

Boston School Committee Is Due File Desegregation Plans Today

BOSTON (AP) — The Boston
School Committee submits its
phase two desegregation plan
in federal court today and de-
cides whether to close schools
early for the holidays following
a weekend of massive demon-
strations for and against bus-
ing.

U.S. District Court Judge W.
Arthur Garrity ordered the
committee to approve a plan
and submit it to him by noon
today. The committee sched-
uled a vote on the plan, which
is slated to call for the busing
of 35,000 school children, just 30
minutes before the deadline.

The initial court-ordered de-
segregation plan was imple-
mented in Boston schools this
fall with the busing of 18,000
of the system's 95,000 pupils. That
plan has already divided the
city and led to sporadic racial
violence.

Sunday, some 4,500 school
busing foes rallied on Boston
Common, listening to speeches
denouncing Garrity and calling
for a constitutional amendment
to prohibit forced busing.

Just 24 hours earlier, the
Common was the scene of a
prointegration rally which at-
tracted an estimated 20,000
demonstrators, capping a three-
mile "National March Against
Racism."

Both rallies followed a week

of violence and demonstrations
in a number of high schools,
and the stabbing on Wednesday
of a white South Boston High
School student. Seven schools in
the predominantly white section
of South Boston and Roxbury
High in the city's black section
have been closed since that in-
cident.

The school committee will de-
cide today whether to keep the
schools closed throughout this
week, which would give stu-
dents an extended Christmas
vacation and a lengthy cooling
off period.

Lorraine Faith, mother of Mi-
chael Faith, 17, whose stabbing
touched off the week's earlier
demonstrations, addressed the
Sunday crowd.

She said Garrity "seems to
have more power than any dic-
tator who ever crawled on the
face of the earth."

"When my son was stabbed,
Judge Garrity responded by
heaping more indignities on us.
He made it a federal offense
for more than three of us to
gather in our own neighbor-
hood," she said.

Faith is listed in good condi-
tion at Boston City Hospital and
is expected to be released
shortly.

The demonstrators came by
motorcade and on foot Sunday,
many from South Boston and
others from suburbs to the
south of the city.

It was the largest show of
strength yet by the antibusing
forces, who have been holding
nearly regular Sunday demon-
strations and motorcades, end-
ing up at the homes of Garrity
or State Education Commis-
sioner Joseph Cronin or Gov-
elect Michael Dukakis.

County School Holidays Ambassadorship Of Elliot Richardson 'Formally' Studied

Students and teachers in the
Pitt County Schools System will
begin their Christmas vacation
at the close of school Wed-
nesday.

Students will observe Dec. 19
through Jan. 1 as Christmas
holidays while the central office
will close at the end of the work
day on Dec. 20 and return to
work on Jan. 2. Dec. 23-25 and
Jan. 1 will be holidays while Dec.
26-31 will be considered vacation
days.

Twelve month employees will
observe the same holiday
schedule as the central office.
Twelve month employees at the
Winterville Media Center and
Title VI and Title III 12-month
employees at the Grifton
Resource Center will be off at
the end of the day on Dec. 20 and
return on Jan. 2.

The transportation depart-
ment will close at the end of the
day on Dec. 20 and return to
work on Jan. 2. Holidays will be
Dec. 23-25 and Jan. 1 and
vacation days will be Dec. 26-31.

Holiday schedule for the
maintenance department begins
at the close of the day on Dec. 19
and will conclude on the morning
of Jan. 2. Dec. 23-25 will be
holidays and Dec. 26-31 will
be vacation days.

LONDON (AP) — The British
government said today it is for-
mally studying Washington's
nomination of former U.S. Atty.
Gen. Elliot L. Richardson to be
the next ambassador to Britain.
Diplomatic sources here said
British approval was virtually
certain and that President Ford
will formally announce the
nomination later this month.
Richardson's name then goes to
the Congress for approval.

A Foreign Office spokesman
confirmed press reports that

Richardson's name had been
put forward to succeed Walter
Annberg, a close friend of
former President Richard M.
Nixon who resigned the post
last October after 5½ years as
ambassador.

Richardson, 54, resigned as
attorney general in 1973 rather
than obey Nixon's order to fire
special Watergate prosecutor
Archibald Cox.

Since his resignation he has
been a \$25,000-a-year project di-
rector for the Woodrow Wilson
International Center for Schol-
ars at the Smithsonian In-
stitution.

Election Set By Planning Board Armed Robbery At Harrisburg

The Pitt County Planning
Board will meet Wednesday at
7:30 p.m. in the Law Library at
the Pitt County Court House.

Items on the agenda include
election of officers for the
coming year, a report on the
solid waste disposal situation,
and discussion of two sub-
divisions—the Baywood sub-
division and Guy Mayo sub-
division.

HARRISBURG, N.C. (AP)—
Three gunmen robbed the Har-
risburg branch of Citizens Sav-
ings and Loan Association to-
day, fleeing with an undeter-
mined amount of money.

The bandits were reported
headed toward Charlotte when
last seen.

Miss Wanda Sue Brown Is Bride Does His Wife Go To The Party?



MRS. WOODROW TALLEY DIXON

The Greenville Church of God was the scene of the Sunday afternoon wedding of Miss Wanda Sue Brown and Woodrow Talley Dixon. The double ring ceremony, at 4:00 p.m., was performed by the Rev. E. H. Miles.

A program of wedding music was presented by Mrs. William Harvey Whitehurst of Stokes, organist, and Jimmy Page of Greenville, cousin of the bridegroom, who sang "The Wedding Song," "More" and "The Wedding Prayer."

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell Brown of Rt. 1, Stokes, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white formal gown of bridal satin and peau d'ange lace. The gown was styled with a natural waistline, sheer lace bodice and sheer full bishop sleeves featuring a wide cufflet of lace with traditional bridal button closings. The A-line skirt, embellished with lace appliques and bordered with lace, featured bridal buttons and a bow at the center waist in back. An attached chapel train bordered with lace fell into a chapel length train.

The bride wore a self-crown mantilla of silk illusion bordered with peau d'ange lace to match her gown. She carried a bouquet of miniature with carnations, ivy and baby's breath centered with a white cattleya orchid.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Henry Dixon of Rt. 3, Greenville.

Mrs. Clayton Warren of Rt. 1, Robersonville, aunt of the bride, was matron of honor and the maid of honor was Miss Terrie Briley of Greenville. They wore formal length gowns with empire waists. The gowns had raspberry velvet skirts with white lace bodices and long bishop sleeves of lace. They carried colonial nosegays of pink carnations and baby's breath with velvet streamers.

Bridesmaids were Jo Lynn Switzer, Lydia Rose Dixon, sister of the bridegroom, Denise Arnold, and Mrs. Donnie Harris, all of Greenville. They wore formal length gowns with empire waists and bishop sleeves. Their flowers were identical to those of the honor attendants.

Junior bridesmaids were Sheryl Brown of Stokes, sister of the bride, and Lynn Page of Greenville, cousin of the bridegroom. They were dressed like the bridesmaids and carried similar flowers.

The flower girl was Anita Mills of Greenville. She wore a formal gown with a forest green velvet skirt with bodice and sleeves of white lace. She carried a white wicker basket of pink petals.

The mother of the bride was dressed in a formal gown of pink with a lace top. The mother of the bridegroom was attired in a floor length gown of blue. Both mothers wore miniature carnations corsages. Grandmothers were remembered with white carnation corsages.

The father of the bridegroom was best man and ushers were Clifton Dixon, cousin of the bridegroom, Mel Boyd, Jessie Lilley, all of Greenville, Charles Brown of Stokes, brother of the bride, and David Carraway of Belvoir. Junior ushers were Dixon Page and Bill Edwards of Greenville, cousins of the bridegroom.

bridegroom. Billy Warren of Robersonville, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer.

For a wedding trip to Florida, the bride changed into a navy tweed pants suit with navy accessories. She wore the orchid lifted from her bouquet.

The wedding was directed by Mrs. E. H. Miles assisted by Mrs. Bobby Arnold.

Miss Lisa Johnson of Robersonville presided at the bride's book.

The couple will reside in Stokes.

The bride is a graduate of North Pitt High School and is attending Beaufort Tech. The bridegroom graduated from D. H. Conley High School and Pitt Tech. He is employed by Carolina Leaf Tobacco Co.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception given by the bride's parents, was held in the church fellowship hall.

The table was centered with a silver epergne holding miniature pink carnations. Mrs. Edna Mills of Greenville served the four tiered cake. Mrs. Doris Boyd and Mrs. Della Evans of Greenville poured punch.

Good-byes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Briley.

The bridal couple and wedding party were entertained at a rehearsal dinner at the Western Sizzlin given by the bridegroom's parents.

Engagement Announced

The Rev. and Mrs. Wiley D. Vick of Millenium announce the engagement of their daughter, Judy Annette, to Charles Edward Mayo Jr., son of Mrs. Charles Edward Mayo Sr. of Falkland and the late Mr. Mayo. The wedding will be held Dec. 22.

Births

Tyndall
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Tyndall, Reidsville, a son, Richard Ashley, on Dec. 10, 1974, in Memorial Hospital, Reidsville. Mrs. Tyndall is the former Karen Miller of Greenville.

Hutchins
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hutchins, Rocky Mount, a daughter, Jeannie Denise, on Dec. 12, 1974, in Nash General Hospital. Mrs. Hutchins is the former Sheri Webb of Farmville.

Personals

Mrs. Mae Sutton is a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital, room 219.

J. L. Kilgo of Greenville is a patient in Richland Memorial Hospital, Columbia, S. C.

Christmas Program Given At Tri-Chapter Meeting

Delta Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, was hostess chapter for the annual tri-chapter dinner meeting held Thursday evening at St. James Methodist Church in Greenville.

Guests chapters were Beta Alpha, Mrs. Ann H. Cartner, president; and Alpha Omega, Mrs. Jane Ross, president. Mrs. Edna Earle Baker, president of Delta Chapter, presided.

The membership of Delta and Beta Alpha chapters is made up of people in the Greenville-Bethel-Farmville-Winterville area, while the members of Alpha Omega come from the areas farther to the south and east. Both Beta Alpha and Alpha Omega chapters were organized by members of the original Delta Chapter.

The welcome was brought by Miss Elizabeth Hyman, charter member and part president of Delta Chapter. Mrs. Milah Meekins of Mapeto, director of Region I, was a special guest and brought greeting to the group and reported on activities in Region I.

Mrs. Tennala A. Gross, a member of Delta Chapter and local coordinator for ERA United, reported that Delta Kappa Gamma International has endorsed ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment and gave a brief resume of activities on the state level.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilkerson of Delta Chapter presented the program. Using the Christmas decorations which Miss Frances Smith and her social committee had provided as a backdrop, Mrs. Wilkerson traced the development of various Christmas customs with emphasis on the use of Christmas trees.

There were over 15 different Christmas trees in the meeting room, ranging from the tiny espaliered tree with a singing bird in the lobby to the huge fir behind the speakers table. Each place was marked with a ceramic tile bearing a decorated tree and the Delta Kappa Gamma insigna. As part of her

presentation, Mrs. Wilkerson, sang an anglicized version of the German carol, "O Tannenbaum, O Tannenbaum." To conclude the program, she led the group in singing carols. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Rosalind Britt.

Special guests for the meeting were Mrs. Sylvester Green, Mrs. W. E. Roseveare, and Mrs. Madison L. Marshall, all of Greenville, and Miss Minnie Hollowell of Edenton.

Serving with Miss Smith on the social committee were Miss Deanie Haskett, co-chairman, Mrs. Stella Chambliss, Mrs. Margaret Speight, Mrs. Arlene Hoot, Miss Irene Fleming, Mrs. Lucille Evans, and Mrs. Miriam Little.



Engagement Announced

MISS EVELYN JUANITA SMITH... is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Smith of Winterville, who announce her engagement to Walter F. McNeal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McNeal II of Kinston. The wedding will take place Jan. 4.

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Denim Continues To Soar Here, There And Everywhere

By PATRICIA McCORMACK
UPI Family Editor
NEW YORK (UPI) — Demand for American-made denim, at home and abroad, led to the selling of 450 million yards of the indigo blue stuff last year.

That was up 50 million yards from the previous year. The value of the denim sold? Close to \$4 billion.

The Denim Council, composed of textile manufacturers who turn out most American denim, says 100 million more yards could have been sold — most of it for export. But mills turning out denim haven't been able to expand fast enough.

The \$4 billion figure includes about \$1 billion worth of exposed denim products — the greatest, most famous and most numerous being the humble blue jeans.

Over 300 million pairs of blue jeans were bought last year in America alone. Demand for same goes on without end.

In advertising campaigns for all kinds of products and in a high proportion of popular movies, main figures wear blue jeans these days. This keeps the blue jean craze going, the Council figures.

Consider the blue-jean-wearing thespians who emote while dressed like most of the audience. They include:

Robert Redford and Paul Newman, "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid," Al "Serpico" Pacino; Burt Reynolds and John "Deliverance" Voight; Barbra Streisand "Up the Sandbox."

The Council asked a New York psychiatrist, Dr. H. E. Walker, about blue jeans as a uniform on the screen.

"Audiences," he answered, "like to think that man or woman up there on the screen could be me. The fact that both audience and actor are wearing blue jeans definitely aids this concept."

The audiences of today prefer to identify with actors instead of "worshipping them from afar" in the manner of yesteryear's fans.

Beyond jeans, where's blue denim going? New directions were shown in a Council fashion show.

Featured were the creations of six students from the Fashion Institute of Technology, Pratt Institute, Rhode Island School of Design and Traphagen.

The new denim outfits included:

—Sharon Allen of the Traphagen School and a native of Winnipeg, Canada, designed a scoop neck sleeveless calf-length coat dress bound in white satin.

—Sandy Beneditti of the Fashion Institute of Technology made a denim design for skiing. The resident of Ridgefield, N.J., stitched up a quilted, hooded jacket cinched at the waist and worn with matching overalls.

—Sigie Chapman of Pratt Institute and from Dorena, Ore., designed a hooded sports outfit, top-stitched to indicate detailing on jacket and patch-pocketed pants

—Nansil Choi of the Fashion Institute of Technology and a native of Korea showed an indigo blue denim flared coat with oriental collar, buckled shoulders, wrist tabs, pocket detail and self belt.

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Holiday Schedule

The Woman's Department of "The Daily Reflector" will observe the following deadline for wedding write-ups and engagements to be published in the newspaper during the Christmas holidays.

All weddings, pictures and engagements to be published through Dec. 31 should be received by the Woman's Department no later than noon Wednesday, Dec. 18.

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Whitehurst-Gurganus Vows Said

On Saturday, Miss Julia Helen Gurganus became the bride of Jimmy Trent Whitehurst. The double ring ceremony was performed in the chapel of Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church at 4:00 p.m. by the Rev. James Bailey.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. George Alton Gurganus Sr. of Greenville. The

bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lomer Hayes Whitehurst Sr., also of Greenville.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. Lee Todd Pair, soloist, and James Hyatt, organist.

The chapel was decorated with tiered candelabra with bouquets of white snapdragons and chrysanthemums. At the altar was a prie-dieu flanked by tall standards of emerald greenery. Pews were marked with white ribbons.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother. She wore a formal length gown of white velvet designed with a high neckline encircled with Venice lace beaded with pearls. Matching trim accentuated the cuffs of the long, full sleeves. The gathered skirt extended from a modified empire waistline.

Her bouffant illusion veil was held in place by a beaded tiara headpiece of lace and pearls. She carried a semi-formal cascade bouquet of white miniature carnations and white

orchids tied with white bridal satin.

Mrs. Ralph H. Vincent of Tarboro was her cousin's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Debra Lynne Hall and Miss Patricia Ann Morgan of Greenville. The bridal attendants wore formal length

cotillion blue crepe gowns designed with a high neckline and long, full bishop sleeves with fitted cuffs. The bodice featured an overlay of royal blue velvet in a bolero effect trimmed in royal blue and metallic gold silk braid. The full gathered skirt was of cotillion blue crepe. They

carried colonial bouquets of pink miniature carnations and American beauty carnations nestled in a cloud of baby's breath and tied with pink velvet, accented with American beauty velvet.

Mr. Whitehurst, was his son's best man. Ushers included Lomer Hayes Whitehurst Jr. and William Stuart Meeks, all of Greenville.

The mother of the bride selected a pale pink polyester dress with a flared skirt. The mother of the bridegroom chose

a blue long sleeved dress with a fitted waistline. Both mothers wore white orchid corsages.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the church parlor.

The bride is employed as a stenographer in the history department and Provost's Office at East Carolina University. The bridegroom is associated in business with Whitehurst Floor and Carpet Center.

After a wedding trip to unannounced points, the couple will reside in Greenville.

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Holiday Meet Held Thursday By BPW Club

The Greenville Business and Professional Women's Club held its annual Christmas meeting at the Ramada Inn Thursday.

Each member brought presents for the Pitt County patients of the Eastern Lung Association and for the children at Caswell Center. Mrs. Ardath Jones of the Salvation Army was a guest at the meeting and spoke briefly of the work of the Salvation Army in arranging Christmases for the needy of the area. Club members made individual cash contributions to assist the army in the project.

Elizabeth Deal presented the program for the evening, "When Do We Stop Learning?" She expressed the idea that one never stop learning and introduced Audrey Andrews, who spoke of the services of the Employment Security Commission.

Gladys Stokes, a club member who is retired, spoke of her activities since "retirement." She has traveling, knits, and makes cross stitched quilts. She said that she is not bored with retirement, but is doing what she wants to do and enjoying it. Louise Congelton, who is employed by the Voice of America, presented a "show and tell" program of her hobbies of needlepoint, ceramics, and handmade Christmas decorations.

Arlene Mallison and Pepsy Baker represented the club at the meeting of the City Council on Community Development.

The meeting closed with group singing of Christmas songs led by Doris Marlowe.

For spring the all-American front-buttoned shirtdress continues its casual way in fashion. But the wrapped silhouette and the aprondress that began as the American popover also will be in the front lines.

Grifton News

Mrs. Winnie McGlohon of Wilmington is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Casey Jr.

Lloyd Allen Butler, a student at Western Carolina, Cullowhee, has arrived for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gower were in Roanoke Rapids Sunday for a parade in which the N.C. State University cheer leaders took part. Glenn Tucker, who is on the cheer leading team, is son of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. January of Marion visited here Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Rogers. Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Rasberry where in Chapel Hill during the weekend and visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Sugg were in Mount Olive Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Kornegay.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scholtz of Charlotte, Miss Shirley Phillips and Rusty Gower of Raleigh visited here during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gower.

Raleigh shoppers during the weekend were Mrs. Walter Murphy, Mrs. Frank Davis, Miss Geva Davis and Mrs. Paul Bradley.



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Med School Outlook Is Bright

We are still asked about the prospects for development of the East Carolina University medical school.

The answer is that the outlook for the school is as bright as anything could be at this stage.

The development of a full four-year school has been authorized by the UNC Board of Governors and the board has recommended the appropriation of \$35 million to be used with the \$15 million already on hand for building the academic structure and a teaching hospital.

Our state's Advisory Budget Commission has the request under consideration and, while nothing is officially known of what is in the budget recommendations, it has been reliably reported that the \$35 million is tentatively included in the 1975-76 biennial budget recommendations.

That being the case, the primary worry would be an economic disaster which might throw the state's budget making process into a turmoil.

The funds earmarked for the medical school construction likely will come from the state's credit balance; that is funds remaining from the present year's budget. Since North Carolina is required by law to maintain a balanced budget, the tendency is to underestimate revenues, so when times are good a credit balance remains. Traditionally these extra funds have been used to a large degree for capital improvements programs in the upcoming budget. From time-to-time the budget makers have faced

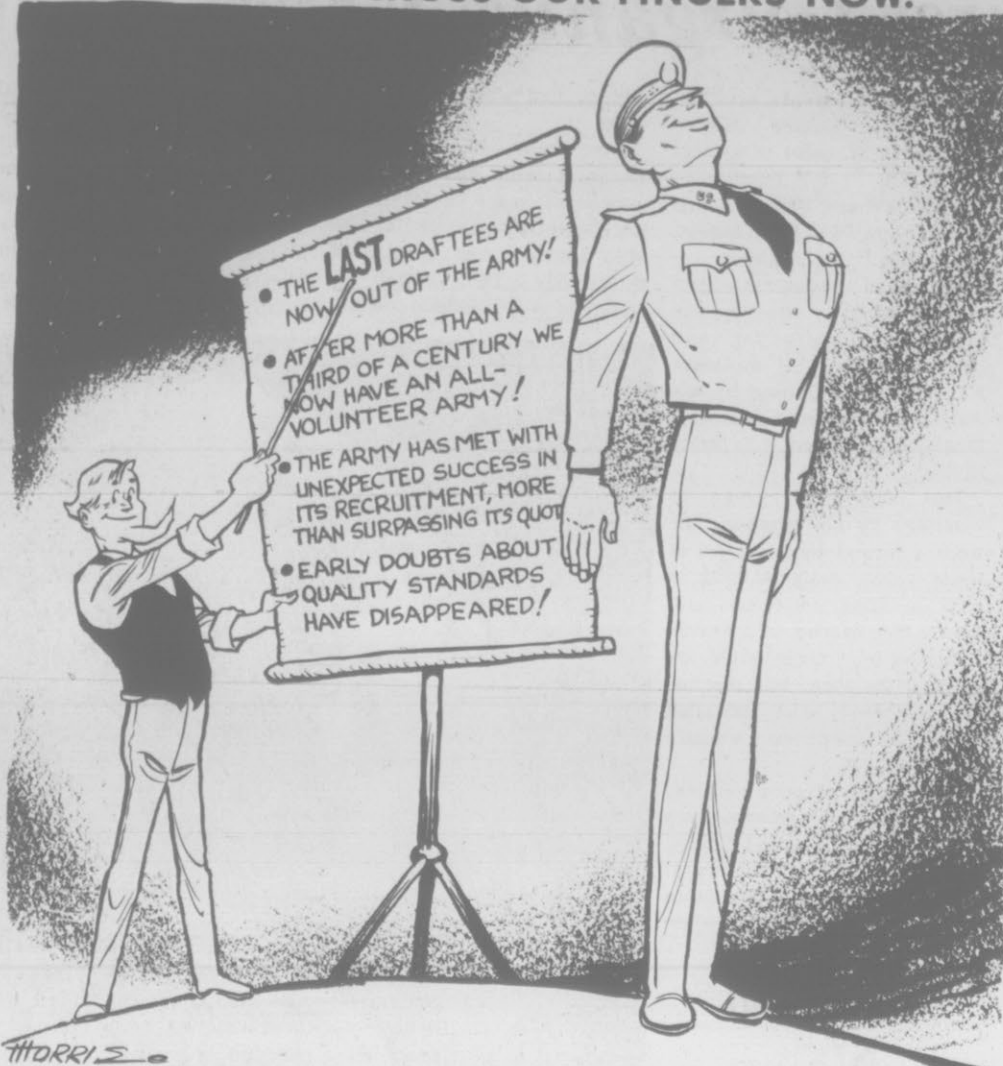
criticism about this procedure, the critics saying either that the large credit balance should signal a tax cut, or that the credit balance doesn't provide enough for capital improvements to keep the state moving forward. The system has worked well, however, and North Carolina has been able to finance the majority of its building program without costly bond issues.

It wouldn't be wise to use the bulk of credit balance funds in the upcoming operational budget in face of a recession, because there is no way of knowing that the funds would recur in the next biennium. Thus it is a good possibility that capital improvements recommended will remain in the budget.

If economic disaster occurred, anything could happen to almost any program now financed by state government. Even then, though all might not be lost since there would be great pressure from the federal government to get public projects moving. With an ongoing program already established, the ECU medical school could fit very nicely into any recession-spurred public works program.

In the meantime, ECU has recently retained a senior consultant and a search is underway for a dean for the medical school. A nucleus faculty is already on hand and actually involved with the teaching of medical students. Even with the dark outlook for the economy, things couldn't look brighter for the ECU medical school.

WE CAN UNCROSS OUR FINGERS NOW!



By ART BUCHWALD

Nice Guys Finish Last

WASHINGTON—“I’m getting sick and tired of having a nice guy in the White House,” Sugarbush said the other day.

“But, Sugarbush, it was less than a year ago that you said you were sick and tired of having a crook in the White House.”

“I don’t want a crook and I don’t want a nice guy.”

“Then what do you want?”

“How do I know? Isn’t there something between a crook and a nice guy?”

“I guess so. What bothers you about President Ford the most?”

“He seems so sincere. He is the kind of guy I would buy a used car from.”

“Of course. We’d all buy a used car from Gerry Ford.”

“The trouble is you get the feeling he doesn’t know what he’s selling. One day he tells you to buy a car, and the next day he tells you not to buy one. He had to be a nice guy, but he’s a lousy car

salesman.”

“Sugarbush, you can’t be mad at a President because he’s such a nice guy.”

“Oh, yeah? Who says I can’t? If you have a mean guy in the White House, you can blame him for everything—unemployment, the recession, the price of sugar, the drop in the stock market. It makes you feel good to lay the whole thing right in his lap. But if you have a nice guy in the White House, he makes you feel guilty. I’m sick and tired of feeling guilty.”

“People still blame President Ford for everything,” I said.

“But there is no real heat behind it. Your anger doesn’t come from the gut. Now take Nixon. You could really get mad at Nixon. Every time he came on television your blood boiled. You could scream at the TV set. We all knew he was lying to us, and we didn’t feel guilty about hating him.

We knew he was responsible for everything bad that was happening to us. Even if he wasn’t, we wanted to think he was. As long as you have somebody to blame for your troubles you can survive. The reason people are mad at Ford is that they can’t get mad at him.”



ART BUCHWALD

“It’s not easy,” I admitted. “Why do you think Gerry Ford is such a nice guy?”

“He can’t help it,” Sugarbush said. “Some guys are born nice. It might have been his early upbringing. Maybe no one was mean to him when he was a kid. Whatever it was, it wasn’t his fault. But why should the rest of us pay because Gerry Ford had a happy childhood?”

“When a man becomes President he should rise above his niceness and become the S.O.B. we expect in our Presidents.”

“You make an awfully strong case against nice guys. Maybe Ford will stop being nice after a few more months in office and a few more articles like this one.”

“No way,” Sugarbush said. “You just have to look at him to see he’ll never change. He doesn’t know what it is to be mean. He doesn’t have it in him to create the loathing we all need to keep going.”

“All right, Sugarbush. You don’t want Ford in the White House. Whom do you want?”

“I know you’re going to think I’m crazy, but what about Spiro Agnew?”

“Agnew? Why Agnew?”

“He can be awfully mean when he wants to be. He’s just as bright as Ford, but no one has ever thought of him as a nice guy.”

Quote

“It is only through labor and painful effort, by grim energy and resolute courage that we move on to better things.”—Theodore Roosevelt.

Terry Had A Record

By ROBERT B. CULLEN
Associated Press Writer

SOUTHERN PINES, N.C. (AP)—There is only one highway bridge in North Carolina with a walkway for fishermen. It spans Oregon inlet on the Outer Banks in Dare County.

It was built when Keith Fearing was the state representative from Dare County and Terry Sanford was the governor. Fearing had seen similar bridges in Florida. He suggested the fishing walkway. The Sanford administration responded. “Why not?”

That bridge, in a small way, is one of the reasons Terry Sanford, ten years after leaving public office, can mount a campaign for president of the United States.

There was something creative about the way Sanford ran things as governor. There was an eager response to new ideas and a vision of what the state might become.

It intrigued and excited many men like Keith Fearing. So when Sanford called on him last week, Fearing responded. He showed up, along with some 80 others, amid the knotted wood paneling and shag carpeting of Pine Needles Lodge to see what he could do.

The touch, of course, was on. Fearing and the others were to be members of the “interim finance committee.” Their job will be raising money for Sanford in their home counties.

Sanford needs the money partly to finance the organizing states of his campaign. But, more importantly, he needs it to impress people. When campaign spending reports are filed, he wants people to see substantial sums contributed to his campaign. It will be one way to convince the national news media that he is a credible candidate.

The men at Pine Needles Lodge can afford it. Many of them flew to the meeting in private planes. And being successful businessmen, they are realists.

Few of the people at the meeting thought Sanford had anything but a long-shot chance to win the Democratic nomination. He probably has a much better chance to be nominated for vice president.

He is hoping that a divided convention in 1976 will turn to someone with a fresh face on the national scene, someone untarnished by the atmosphere of Washington, someone who fits into the ideological middle of the party spectrum.

But even if that happens, it might just as easily be Dale Bumpers of Arkansas, Jimmy Carter of Georgia, or someone else.



THIS AFTERNOON

Budget Processes Grilled

By BILL NOBLITT

RALEIGH — Criticizing North Carolina's state budget process is somewhat akin to proclaiming the emperor has no clothes.

Nonetheless, he is naked.

Coming as it does with the official cloak of governmental bureaucracy replete with graphs and charts, The Budget is generally treated with awe, respect, even reverence—particularly in the General Assembly.

Lawmakers, after all, are citizen lawmakers and they don't have time to read every line and puzzle every unjoined figure in a \$3 million budget document weighing several pounds.

But not to worry. On the very first page it is made quite clear that this budget is “submitted by the Governor and the Advisory Budget Commission.” The ABC—almost equally as awesome as The Budget itself, composed as it is of the very most prestigious legislators, plus topdrawer outsiders, and backed up by the mathematical wizards of the Department of Administration and specifically the Office of State Budget.

Myth Shot Down
Little wonder then at the

reaction of one member of a tax reform study commission—who is not a member of the General Assembly—as he listened to a free-wheeling and relaxed discussion the other day as some members of the Advisory Budget Commission destroyed the myth.

The crux of the matter is that members of the ABC, the legislative staff, and other legislators admit that they don't know what's in the budget, that the professionals manipulate figures to suit their own ends, that the governor controls information to gain his ends that the budget may have the names of the legislators prominently displayed, but is in reality an executive department budget, and that appearances to the contrary are “hoodwinking” not only the public, but members of the General Assembly as well.

“I’m shocked. As a taxpayer, I’m just shocked,” said Christopher Scott, layman member of the tax study group whose fulltime occupation is that of director of research and education for the AFL-CIO. Scott said he—and he is certain a lot of fellow Tar Heels—thought there were some better methods and safeguards in

the budget-making process. State Senator McNeill Smith put it this way: “Members of the General Assembly have great reverence for the stamp put on the budget by the Advisory Budget Commission... they ought not have.”

No Time

Senator Russell Kirby, chairman of the reform study commission and himself an ABC member, said “We don't really have time... to review the budget.”

That is occurred in by State Rep. Liston B. Ramsey, member of the ABC and chairman of the House Finance Committee, who noted that professional bureaucrats spend “weeks and weeks preparing things, and then we take two days to look at a stack of papers 14 inches thick and all the time they're hollering Hurry Up, Hurry Up.”

Mercer Doty, chief of the Legislature's own Fiscal Research operation, confided that he and his people sit on deliberations but take no part. There is, he said, no lead time to study or think, and we don't want to be considered a party to it.

Certainly department heads parade before the ABC and outline their plans and answer questions—at the rate

of 20 minutes for each agency—and Kirby noted that “one man speaks for his own department... it is not an adversary procedure at all.”

But how about the much touted tour of state facilities by ABC members, getting a firsthand look at what is, and what is needed?

Senator J. J. (Monk) Harrington put that in perspective: the plane lands, the people are hustled to the place for the visit, handshakes, coffee, some chat, and an hour later, the ABC is gone.

Harrington, not a member of the ABC, said that if, as a legislator, “You think we are getting hoodwinked, a lot of people are. Decisions are made before the ABC even arrives.”

Those talking about the problem made it clear that this is nothing new, connected to the Republican administration, but is a long tradition under a long line of Democratic governors.

One solution being studied now would be to provide the staff and the budget for the General Assembly's own employees to provide budget analysis information and revenue projections to weigh against the material contained in The Budget.

The GALLUP POLL

Drastic Political Reform?

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By GEORGE GALLUP
PRINCETON, N.J. The recent conferences held by both major parties reveal that party leaders are far from instituting the kind of drastic political reforms long favored by the American people.

Ample evidence of the public's distrust of politics and politicians was provided won Nov. 5 when one of the

lowest victor turnouts in American political history was recorded.

Republican governors, their ranks depleted by the midterm elections, were recently warned by their new chairman, Missouri's Christopher S. Bond, that Watergate would continue to haunt the GOP unless the party takes the lead in political reforms. Bond, who said the GOP was “obviously gravely wounded by Watergate,” called for a reform in election laws, tightening financial disclosure and conflict-of-interest laws, as well as other

reforms.

A post-election survey conducted by the Gallup Poll indicates that one key reason for the near record low turnout in this year's November congressional elections (only about 4 in 10 of those of voting age voted for candidates for the House of Representatives) is the low opinion Americans currently have of politicians and the political process.

A key reason given by survey respondents for not voting is disgust with the political scene in general. The same survey shows 65 per cent of persons saying they would like to see changes in the way political campaigns are conducted. Equal proportions of Republicans and Democrats call for changes.

All persons in the survey were asked this question: “Would you like to see any changes in the way political campaigns are conducted?”

Here are the national results, and by sex and party affiliation:

Would Like Changes
In Way Campaigns
Are Conducted

NATIONAL	65%
Men	69
Women	62
Republicans	62
Democrats	63
Independents	72

Nearly half of all responses deal with some aspect of campaign spending, and favor a reduction in the amount being spent, having the federal government set limits, and public disclosure of campaign contributions. Other reforms sought include: “cleaning up campaigns,” reducing “mudslinging,” changing the way candidates are selected,

greater discussion of the issues, shortening the campaign period and limiting the terms of legislators.

Politics Has Poor Image

Surveys taken during the Watergate era revealed a low regard for politics on the part of the public. One survey showed two Americans in three expressing the belief that many Senators and Representatives in Congress won elections by using “unethical and illegal methods in their campaigns.” More dramatic still was the finding that one-fifth of persons interviewed estimated that half or more of the legislators had attained office through questionable means.

Some political analysts feel that the public's image of politics will not improve—and voter turnout in the U.S. will remain low—until certain electoral reforms, long sought by the public, come into being.

The public would revamp the whole electoral process, from the selection of candidates to the electoral college. Specifically, here are changes the public is seeking.

Seven in ten Americans favor a proposal to have presidential candidates chosen by voters in a nationwide primary.

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They Demand Inflation Control

By LEE MITGANG
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Some oil experts believe an Iranian plan to adopt a single Arab oil price that would rise or fall automatically with a price index of 20 or 30 other commodities merely assures more rapid-fire oil price hikes for years to come.

But of course, the Shah of Iran and his oil spokesmen, considered the leading price hawks in the Middle East, do not put it exactly that way. Essentially, the Arabs are saying to oil consuming nations that if they want lower oil prices, it is up to them to control the inflation

that has sent the cost of all the world's commodities and goods an estimated 14 per cent higher this year.

Informed sources report that delegates of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) meeting in Vienna have deferred the indexing scheme until next year. But the sources say OPEC is prepared to adopt the plan in principle. Full details of the Iranian proposal have not yet been revealed.

“I presume the commodity index would include what oil exporting nations import, mainly manufactured goods and agricultural commodities,” says Youssef Ak-

bar, an Iranian embassy official.

It adds up to nothing more than a cosmetic way to raise oil prices steadily and automatically, says Lawrence J. Goldstein of the Petroleum Industry Research Foundation.

“We're talking about very significant price rises,” he says. “It hardly makes sense. The Arabs have already made up for inflation for the next ten years. No other prices have gone up four-fold.”

Existing oil prices set by OPEC are scheduled to expire Dec. 31 and Iranian Minister Jamshid Amouzegar has agreed at

least to consult with oil consumers represented in the 16-nation International Energy Agency about the proposed commodity price index.

But he also insists oil exporters need more money to maintain their ever-increasing purchasing power in the face of worldwide inflation.

Goldstein also believes new domestic oil, which is oil produced after 1972 not subject to any price restraints, would certainly rise as well.

A problem raised outside the United States would be the further strain oil price indexing would have on developing nations.

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New Vice President By End Of Week

By JIM LUTHER

Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States will have a new vice president by the end of the week, if Congress keeps its schedule in the last days before adjourning and confirms Nelson A. Rockefeller as expected.

In addition to confirming Rockefeller as vice president, Congress is expected to take final action on legislation this week to increase unemployment benefits, curb strip mining and expand foreign trade before adjourning for the year.

The Rockefeller nomination, already approved overwhelmingly in the Senate, faces a House vote Thursday or Friday after being recommended 26-12 by the House Judiciary Committee.

Rockefeller's swearing-in ceremony is expected to follow quickly after the House vote. The United States has been without a vice president since Aug. 9.

House-Senate conference committees also are scheduled to iron out differences among several bills designed to increase unemployment compensation and create more public-service jobs. The unemployment rate in November rose to 6.5 per cent from 6 per cent in October, and more than 6 million persons are out of work.

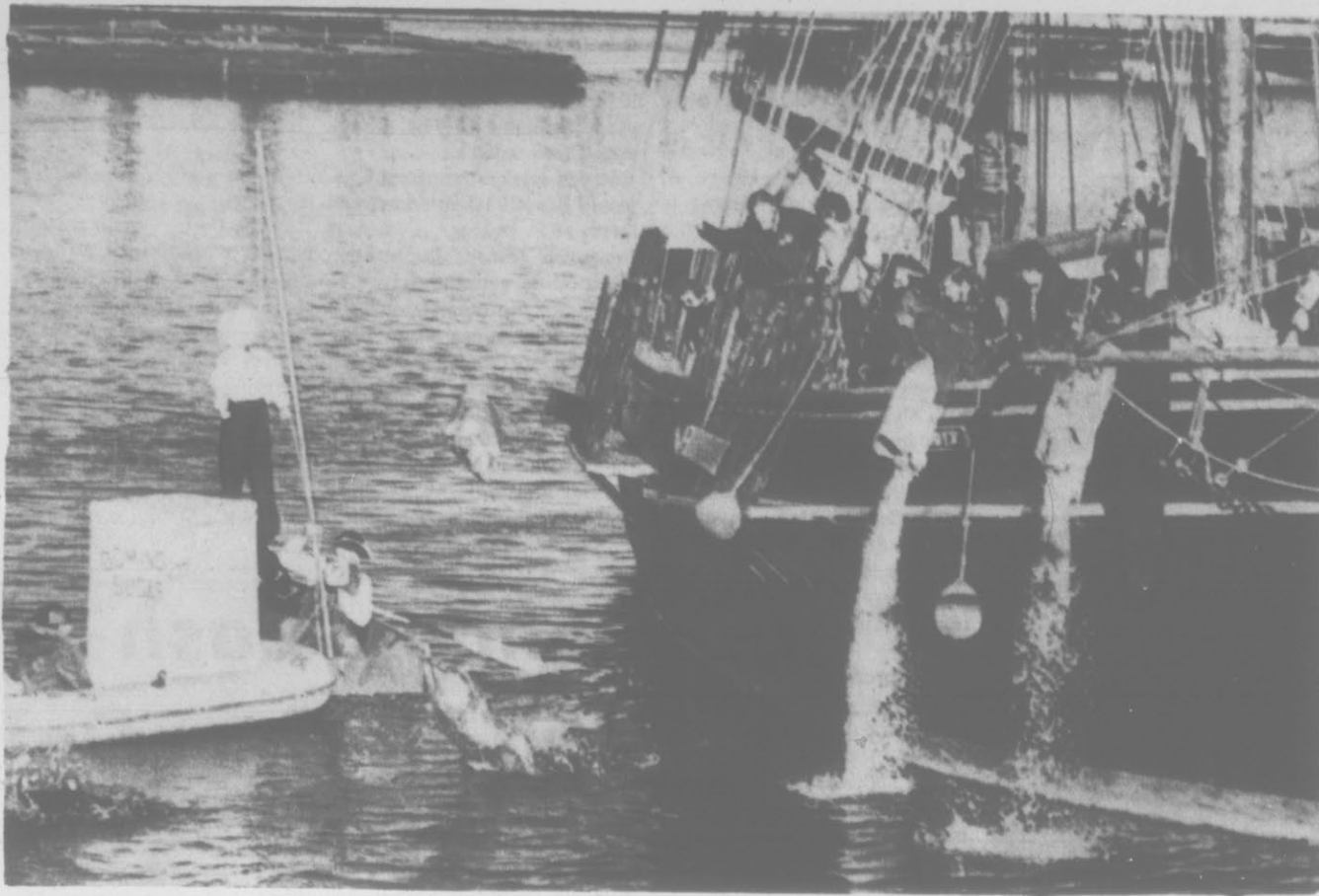
A final Senate vote today would send to the White House a compromise bill aimed at preventing environment damage due to strip mining of coal. President Ford has promised he would veto the bill on the ground it would result in decreased coal production at a time when the nation is looking for alternatives to expensive foreign oil.

Ford also has expressed deep reservations about the inflationary impact of another compromise bill that requires 30 per cent of imported oil to be carried on U.S. tankers.

The bill, strongly supported by maritime unions and shipping interests, is up for final Senate action today.

Ford has said the bill would fuel inflation and raise gasoline prices. But Senate aides say there is doubt Ford will veto the bill because it was made clear to him that if he wanted a far-reaching trade bill he would have to accept the shipping measure.

The trade bill empowers the president to negotiate mutual tariff reductions and includes a provision aimed at ensuring free emigration of Russian Jews. The measure is in a House-Senate conference committee to work out differences between versions approved by the two chambers.



SWEETEN THE HARBOR—Members of the People's Bicentennial Coalition conduct a Boston Sugar Party Sunday, dumping bags of "sugar" off the Bever II, the Tea Party ship replica, to protest high

sugar prices and call for the firing of Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz. Their sugar is actually chopped leaves. Today is the 201st anniversary of the Boston Tea Party. (AP Wirephoto)

Newsman Told State Will Not See Major Tax Reform In '75

Survived When Crash Cushioned

By ISAAC A. LEVI

Associated Press Writer
LIMA, Peru (AP) — The bush pilot who led six children on a week-long survival march through the Peruvian jungle says they were saved because his small plane crashed into a cushion of dense vegetation.

Three other children died in the crash and the 24-year-old pilot, Oscar Zender Sarmiento, suffered broken ribs.

But the surviving children, aged 6 to 16, reportedly had only minor cuts and bruises and some worm bites. They were recuperating in a hospital at San Ramon, on the Andean slopes beside the Pacific.

Reports from San Ramon said:

Zender was flying the nine children from school in San Ramon to their family plantation in Iscosasin, a settlement on the edge of the jungle. The pilot and the children were all members of a family of Swiss-German immigrants that settled near Iscosasin early in this century.

Zender said the single engine of his Cessna went dead 10 minutes out of San Ramon and he glided to a crash landing in a tree-filled swamp.

Six-year-old Juan Wingaert and Antonio Simon, 14, died in the crash.

"We started walking through the jungle," said Zender. "We lost most of our footwear and

clothes. We lived on water, some palm fronds and roots and other jungle food. Sometimes we picked up wild fruit. The vegetation tore at our legs and bodies.

"We finally reached a river and we picked up by a raftman just as we were about to lose our strength."

But 11-year-old Katty Zender died of wounds that became infected during the survival trek.

The surviving children were Kasilda Zender, 6; Carlos Panduro Zender, 8; Herbert Panduro Zender, 11; Juan Zender, 12; Herta Zender, 11, and Gladys Zender, 16.

A helicopter was sent to recover the bodies of the two children killed in the crash.

Three years ago, on Christmas Eve, 1971, a plane flying from Lima to Iquitos crashed in the jungle. The sole survivor of the 92 persons aboard, 17-year-old Juliana Koepecke, walked 10 days through the jungle before she was found.

Entertained At Area Family Care Homes

The week of Dec. 9-13 was set aside by the Majestic Ebonairs of Greenville to visit and entertain residents of several family care homes in this area.

Places visited included Early's, Willoughby's, Bradley's, and the Spruill Family Care Homes, plus the D.D.A. Home and the Greenville Nursing Center. They sang carols and presented gifts at each place.

The Ebonairs also have given a \$25 check to Mrs. Kitty Grady of Pitt County Social Services for gifts for the foster children of the County. \$100 was given to Father C. H. Mulholland for St. Gabriel's Church.

A formal fellowship dinner will be held New Year's night at the Ramada Inn. Guest speaker will be F. N. Moore, Jr., assistant principal of North Pitt High School, the president, Mrs. Rosa Harris, said.

N.C. Roads Claimed 12

By The Associated Press

Twelve persons were killed on North Carolina roads over the weekend, including three teen-aged boys in the collision of two cars near Benson.

There have been 1,474 traffic deaths in the state this year, 331 fewer than at the corresponding time last year.

Killed in the accident at a rural intersection near Benson were Randy Franklin Coleman, 16; Tony Keith Turner, 16, and Michael A. Proctor, 14. Five other youths were injured.

Others fatally injured in road accidents:

Jerry Ray Moss, 22, of Bailey in Nash County.

Janette Feaster Gunter, 81, of Winston-Salem.

Larry James Collins, 17, of the community of State Road in Surry County.

Henry Thomas Fowler, 60, of Roanoke Rapids.

Danny Ray Pierce, 13, of Leland in Brunswick County.

Joseph Wayne Frye, 19, of West End in Moore County.

Ray Cameron Campbell, 23, of Ca Vel in Person County.

Danny Ray Craig, 17, of Lenoir.

Hubert Lowry, 25, of Shannon in Robeson County.

CONCORD, N.C. (AP)—The chairman of the state Senate's Finance Committee predicted Saturday that there would be no major reform of the North Carolina tax system during the 1975 session of the General Assembly.

State Sen. John Henley, D-Cumberland, said there may be some minor reforms of inequities in the state's tax structure during the session. Though he didn't mention it, groups seeking removal of the sales tax from food items will not succeed if his prediction is accurate.

Henley's comments came during the annual meeting of the North Carolina Associated Press News Council. Appearing at the Concord meeting with Henley was state Rep. Kitchin Josey, D-Halifax. Josey is expected to be elected majority leader in the House and Henley is expected to have that title in the Senate.

Arrest Man On Larceny Count

Billy Ray Tyson, 23, of Route 4, Greenville, was arrested on larceny charges following an incident at Heilig-Myers Furniture on Greenville Boulevard Saturday.

Chief Glenn Cannon said Tyson allegedly took two speakers from the firm about 2 p.m.

He was placed under a \$200 bond pending hearing of the case in court.

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Sadat Warns Mideast Is 'Bomb' About To Explode



RENT THIS CAR AND IMPRESS YOUR FRIENDS—For those folks who want to impress their friends or celebrities who want to arrive at functions in style Robert Valley (left) and his partner Mark Weaver rent Rolls Royces from

their agency in Beverly Hills. "It would only cost \$65 a day and 65 cents a mile to show a little class", says Valley. And of course if you lose a hub cap it's only \$140 to replace. (AP Wirephoto)

By The Associated Press
President Anwar Sadat of Egypt, warning that the Mideast is a bomb about to explode, says he is having contacts with President Ford and Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger to decide whether to continue the U.S.-led negotiations.

"If the Americans through their step-by-step approach can achieve any progress or success, I welcome it," he said in an interview in Cairo on Sunday with an Iranian publisher.

If not, Sadat said, Egypt favors going ahead with resumption of the Geneva peace talks, as the Soviet Union wants. The United States thinks nothing concrete can be achieved yet in multilateral talks and prefers to continue private negotiations.

The president warned that immediate action is needed to defuse the tense Middle East. He also said he believed Israel has a nuclear capacity and added that Egypt would find a way to acquire such weapons if

necessary, but would not be the first to use them.

His remarks to Tehran publisher Farhad Massoudi were made available to The Associated Press today.

Israeli leaders on Sunday rejected Egypt's latest announced terms for peace: a 50-year freeze on Jewish immigration to Israel, Israeli withdrawal to the borders prescribed by the 1947 United Nations plan for the partition of Palestine and establishment of a Palestinian state.

Premier Yitzhak Rabin said the demands made by Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy on Friday cast a serious ques-

tion mark over Egypt's readiness to enter peace negotiations.

Foreign Minister Yigal Allon told the Israeli cabinet the demands were absurd from start to finish and could not serve as a bargaining stance.

Sources in Cairo suggested that Fahmy's immigration stand was a bold attempt to break the impasse between the two countries. One informed source said the Egyptian government was in effect telling the Israelis: "Unless you accept the Palestine Liberation Organization, see how unreasonable we can be."

Israeli officials said no deci-

sions had been made on how to counter Fahmy's statement. They said they were waiting for the results of Soviet Communist party chief Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit to Cairo next month. Former Premier Golda Meir told an American television audience Fahmy's proposal was "nonsense." She agreed with speculation that it might have been a signal of Arab displeasure with the emigration of Soviet Jews to Israel.

Mrs. Meir was asked on CBS-TV's "Face the Nation" if war would break out this winter.

"It may," she replied. "That depends entirely on our neighbors. Certainly if war breaks

out, it won't be because Israel is going to attack anybody."

A guerrilla source reported that the Palestinian National Council recommended Sunday that a special revolutionary court be set up to try the four gunmen who hijacked a British jetliner to Tunis last month and murdered a West German passenger. The Tunisian government turned the hijackers over to the PLO early this month.

The source said the Executive Committee of the PLO will decide what is to be done with the men.

Johnny Cash Wants To Try Playing Detective

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A guest appearance with Peter Falk on television's "Colombo" program earlier this year has given country singer Johnny Cash the bug to star in his own nonviolent detective series.

"I think he'll do it, I really do," said Cash's sister and business assistant, Reba Hancock.

Mrs. Hancock said if a script is completed and approved within the next few weeks, a CBS television pilot movie will be filmed in January. And if the ratings are good enough, the series will likely follow, she said.

Mrs. Hancock said script writers working for producer David Wolper are trying to create a story showing Cash as a gentle character, but without losing the potential for good ratings which seem to demand violence in television police shows.

"A police show has to have a certain amount of action," said

Cash's agent in Los Angeles, Marty Klein. "Otherwise, it can't get on television. It just can't be a pabulum-type show."

Klein said he hopes to get Cash a "new concept" in police show formats.

"They're going to show him in this particular thing living on a farm. They're going to show his private life, which you don't see on television with police shows. You sure don't see it in 'Colombo' or 'Mannix.' He's even going to have a mother."

Cash is not expected to sing in the show. However, plans call for having plenty of country music as background — at the police department, for example.

Cash's wife and singing partner, June Carter Cash, will be written into the story as an associate at the police department, Klein said.

Cash's home in the story is his real-life farm at Bon Aqua, near Nashville. After the initial movie, plans call for building a

sound stage duplicate of the Nashville Metro Police Department headquarters to continue the series.

Klein said that to get the pilot movie on the air before the current season ends in April, it must be filmed no later than Jan. 15.

D.H. Conley HIGHLIGHTS

Last week was a very exciting one for the Conley Vikings and one that will never be forgotten.

The FFA Club sponsored a door-decorating contest and throughout the school the doors were decorated. Only one was chosen to be the most original and outstanding. Mrs. Donna Mills freshmen homeroom won by using a gigantic Christmas card to cover the entire door. They were given a party Friday.

The IPS Students-of-the-Week are (second period), Randy Edens; (third period), Linda Hudson; (fourth period), Wayne Howard; (fifth period), Louie Dixon. The overall student-of-the-week was Linda Hudson.

Jackie Coston, 17, has been named CO-ED correspondent for the 1974-75 school year, according to an announcement by Midge Richardson, editor of CO-ED magazines. EO-ED published nationally by Scholastic magazines Inc., for home economics students, contains features on today's personal development, careers, and consumer awareness, as well as the latest trends in fashion, food, beauty, and home furnishings.

Jackie is a senior and an honor student at Conley. She was appointed correspondent by the home economics teachers.

Selected for qualities of leadership and enthusiasm for home economics, Jackie will serve as Junior adviser to the CO-ED editors. Like the CO-ED

correspondents throughout the United States and Canada, she will keep the editors informed of activities at her school. Congratulations, Jackie.

The Art Club was busy this week making Christmas ornaments for our tree in the student commons area. The ornaments were made with burlap, glitter, and yarn. Also, were chains made from colored construction paper.

The FFA and the FFA helped in getting the Christmas tree. They all participated in putting on the lights and helping to create a Christmas atmosphere at D. H. Conley.

The Literary Club is sponsoring two Christmas plays, "Two Much Mistletoe" and "Be Deckin' the Halls", with two performances, one at 8:45 a.m. and the other at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday December 17. Characters are Eddie Woodall, Kathy Gaskins, Connie Harris, Rick Mobley, Roscoe Tucker, Elaine Dixon, Caledonia Dixon, Mike Clendren, Kearn Kilpatrick, Ronnie Mabry, Teresa Hines, Joey Fornes, Donna Meeks, Mike McClanahan, Lennox Greene, Debra Daniels, Betty Tyson, Janet Sutton, and Jerome Pritchard. Tickets are on sale now are 50 cents for Literary Club members and 75 cents for everyone else.

Proceeds will go towards the purchase of materials for the Media Class and the English department and the Literary Club.

Get in the Christmas spirit and buy your ticket now.

Dawkins Is Given Award

Howard Dawkins, executive director of the Eastern Carolina Sheltered Workshop, was presented an award for his accomplishments during the past year at the annual award night of the North Carolina Association, Southwest Division of Human Resources held last week in Reidsville.

Dawkins was the only executive director to receive this award which was given to him for his outstanding accomplishments during 1974. According to the citation presented to Dawkins, "he has earned the appreciation and respect of the members of the North Carolina Association of Sheltered Workshops through his leadership of our legislative community."

"Though his personal efforts many bills were passed by the legislature that were of great consequence to the workshops. Because of his interest, handicapped citizens of North Carolina are being served better than ever before. Dawkins has set of example we should all try to emulate."

INSURANCE FACTS
NEW YORK (UPI) — A total of \$1.800 billion worth of insurance was in force for Americans at the beginning of the year, according to the Institute of Life Insurance. California ranked No. 1 among the states with a total of \$172.4 billion; Alaska last, with \$2.4 billion.

Charge Four In Stabbing

LUMBERTON, N.C. (AP)—Four men from Laurinburg are in custody and have been charged with first-degree murder in the fatal stabbing of a grocery customer, the Robeson County sheriff's department says.

Sixty-three-year-old Maxwell Cook was slain and Mrs. Cora Jacobs, in her 50s, who operates the small Jacobs grocery at Midway with her husband, was treated for stab wounds. The sheriff's department said Cook had been stabbed in the back and his wallet was missing. A department spokesman did not have figures Sunday on what might have been stolen from the cash register in Friday's robbery.

The spokesman said David Nicholson, 24, and James Allen McEachan, 25, were captured several hours after the robbery; Coleman Covington, 26, surrendered voluntarily on Sunday, and Leroy Richardson, 21, was arrested at his home Sunday.

Says War Rests With Neighbors

NEW YORK (AP) — Former Israeli prime minister Golda Meir says that war may break out in the Middle East again this winter, but "that depends entirely on our neighbors."

Appearing Sunday on CBS' "Issues and Answers," Mrs. Meir said she did not think that Israel would make a pre-emptive strike but that she had learned from experience "that we should be ready for war at any moment."

Mrs. Meir has been in the United States for 12 days helping raise money for the United Jewish Appeal.

Salvation Army Money Stolen

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)—Thieves broke into the Salvation Army Sunday and stole a safe containing \$400 that was to be used to buy toys and other Christmas presents for needy children.

"This means we will just have to work that much harder to see that no child is forgotten," said Salvation Army Capt. Alvin Smith.

The stolen money had been collected in kettles on downtown streets Friday and Saturday.

The thieves jimmied a front door and made off with the 300-pound safe.

Capt. Smith said there was one consolation. They did not bother a bundle of toys.

BUTKUS ROLE
HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Dick Butkus, former pro football linebacker with the Chicago Bears, will appear in a two-part episode of "Police Story."

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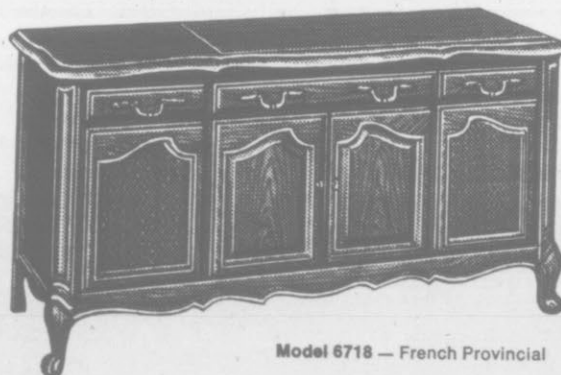
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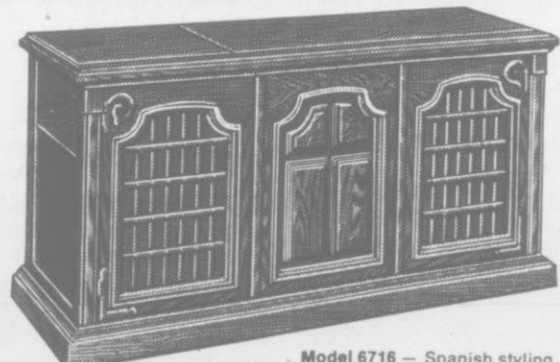


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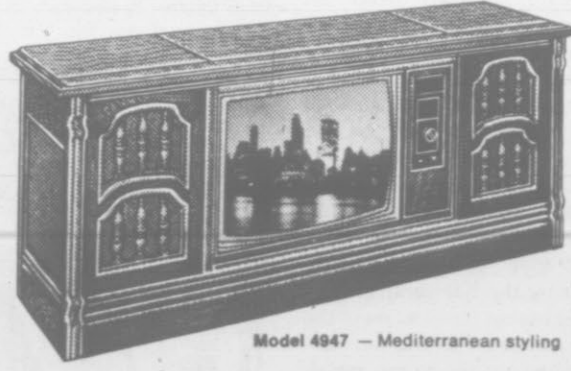
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PUZZLING FEET—Trying to solve the mystery of the hand foot markings at the Victoria & Albert Museum is nine-year-old Nigel Gainsborough of Dulwich, London. The display is part of an "exhibition" for children called Bodybox.

at which visitors will be encouraged to touch exhibits and bring alive the display through participation. The main theme of the exhibition is the human form seen through the eyes of the sculptor. (AP Wirephoto)

Watergate Cover-up Trial In Final Week

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Watergate cover-up trial is entering its final week of testimony with the jury verdicts for five former Nixon administration and campaign aides not expected until after Christmas.

Former Asst. Atty. Gen. Robert C. Mardian is testifying in his own defense and the prosecutors are expected to cross-examine him today.

Only one more defendant, Kenneth W. Parkinson, former lawyer for the Nixon re-election committee, is still waiting to present his case.

Mardian and Parkinson often seemed like spectators in the crowded courtroom during the first 11 weeks of the trial when attention centered on their three co-defendants: former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell and ex-Nixon White House aides H. R. Haldeman and John D. Ehrlichman.

All five are charged with conspiring to obstruct the investigation of the Watergate break-in.

Except for Mardian, the other defendants also are charged with obstruction of justice, and Mitchell, Haldeman and Ehrlichman with lying under oath.

The charge against Mardian includes the allegation that he called G. Gordon Liddy from California on June 17, 1972, the day of the break-in, and told him to try to reach then Atty. Gen. Richard G. Kleindienst and ask him to get one or more of the Watergate burglars out of jail.

On the stand Friday, Mardian denied that and other allegations.

Mardian also testified that his impression was that Richard M. Nixon, not Mitchell, made many major campaign committee decisions. He said he based that on his knowledge that Mitchell occasionally was

overruled and that Nixon was the only person he knew who had that authority.

Parkinson is expected to start presenting his case on Tuesday. Later in the week, defense and prosecution lawyers will argue before U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica on what sort of instructions he should give the jury before it begins deliberations.

At least three days are expected to be required for closing arguments by the lawyers.

That schedule could take it up to Christmas Eve and cur-

rent speculation is that in that case Sirica would delay sending the case to the jury until just after the holiday.

Questions Evidence In Kennedy Slaying

NEW YORK (AP) — Former Rep. Allard K. Lowenstein says that after a personal year-long study, "I don't believe the evidence sustains the theory that Sirhan Sirhan is the murderer of Robert F. Kennedy."

Sirhan is serving a life sentence in California for the assassination of Sen. Kennedy on June 5, 1968, in a Los Angeles hotel following Kennedy's victory in the California presidential primary.

that 'never could have occurred' have occurred."

He said, however, that he was not proposing that Sirhan, a Jordanian immigrant who expressed anger over Kennedy's pro-Israel position, was part of a larger conspiracy. He said he had no ideas so far about the identity of the wielder of the "true gun" in the killing.

Schrade said such a probe is necessary because it "has to do with the future, the life of Teddy Kennedy." He referred to Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass.

Lowenstein, a former Democratic congressman from New York, revealed his doubts about the shooting at a news conference Sunday, accompanied by Paul Schrade, a former United Auto Workers official who was wounded at the time of the assassination.

Schrade said Lowenstein had convinced him that there were many unanswered questions in the case.

Lowenstein said he made his investigation because of the "recalcitrance of the authorities" to make all the technical evidence public and because in the wake of Watergate "the country now understands what it didn't before — that things

Officers Named By News Council

CONCORD, N.C. (AP)—J. Michael Rouse, managing editor of the Durham Morning Herald, was elected president of the North Carolina Associated Press News Council Sunday.

tor of the Concord Tribune, was elected first vice president.

Tom English, managing editor of the Fayetteville Times, was elected second vice president.

George Williams, executive editor of the Gastonia Gazette, was elected third vice president.

William J. Dill, chief of bureau for the Associated Press in Charlotte, was reelected secretary-treasurer.

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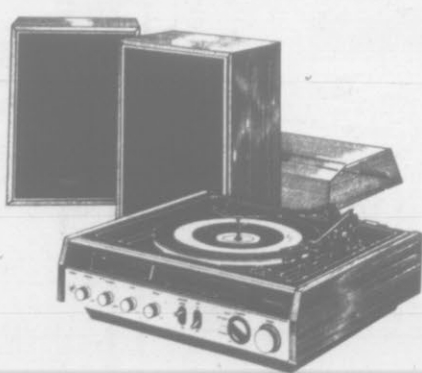
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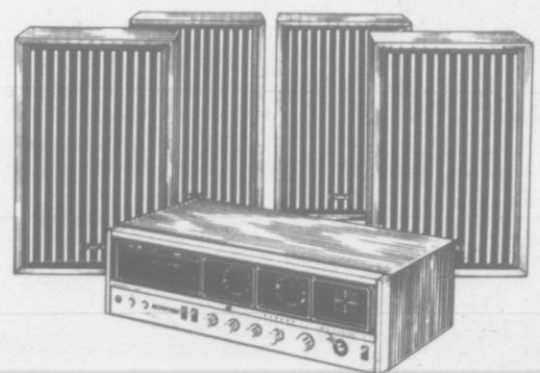
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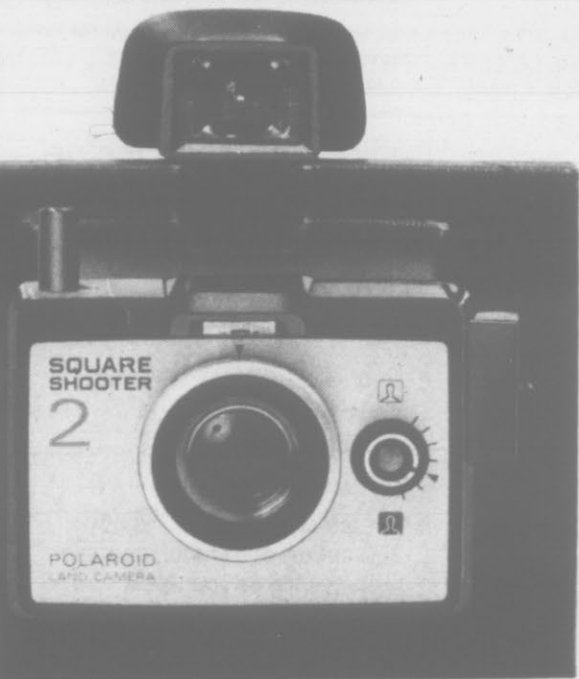
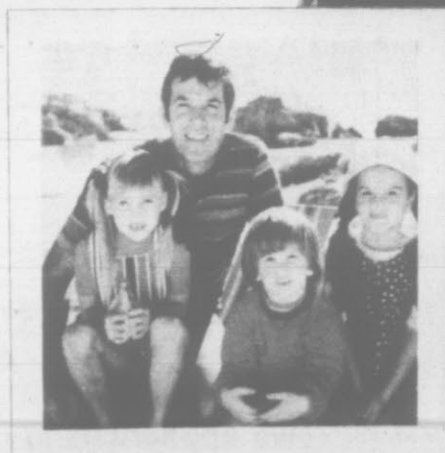
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Stock And Market Reports

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RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—North Carolina f.o.b. dock broilers market steady, supplies ample and demand fair. Weights heavy. The North Carolina f.o.b. dock weighted average price for less than truck lots of sized, plant-grade broilers to be picked up at docks this week is 35.37 cents per pound.

Estimated slaughter today totaled 984,000.

NEW YORK (AP)—Stock prices were mixed in moderate trading today.

Brokers said investors remained cautious, and awaited some indication of government policy in regard to the economy.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was off .15 at 592.62 at 11:30 a.m., but advances topped declines 507 to 469 among the 1,475 issues traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

"It's sort of a standoff," said Robert Stovall of Reynolds Securities, Inc. "At least the market's not going down."

Figures released last Friday by the Federal Reserve Board showed a sharp drop in November's industrial production. Countering that, brokers say, are indications the Fed is becoming more stimulative.

Dr. Pepper, down 1/4 at 6 1/2, and Sony Corp., steady at 4 1/2, were the Big Board's most-active issues.

International Flavor & Fragrances skidded 1 to 22.

Gold was strong, as bullion prices advanced in European markets. ASA, Ltd., was up 2 1/2 to 69 1/2. Dome Mines gained 2 to 46 1/2, and Homestake was up 1 1/2 to 42.

Some bank stocks declined, on published reports that loan losses in 1975 might drop some bank earnings. Citicorp was off 1 1/2 to 27 1/2. Morgan Guaranty slipped 1 1/2 to 53 1/2, and Chase Manhattan Corp. lost 3/4 to 26 1/2.

General Motors was up 3/4 to 32 1/2, and Ford gained 1 to 34.

On the American Stock Exchange, the most-active issue was Viking General, down 1-1/4 at 7-1/2. Houston Oil & Minerals, after a delayed opening because of an influx of orders, fell 1 1/2 to 26 1/2.

The Big Board's composite index at 11 a.m. was up .03 at 35.42, and the Amex market-value index was down .22 at 59.89.

NEW YORK (AP)—Midday stocks

High	Low	Last
Alkoma	10 1/2	10 1/2
Allicha	6 1/2	6 1/2
Alcoa	27 1/2	27 1/2
AmAir	5 1/2	5 1/2
AmBds	31 1/2	31 1/2
AmCan	20 1/2	20 1/2
AmCyan	20 1/2	20 1/2
AmMotors	32 1/2	32 1/2
AmT&T	42 1/2	42 1/2
Babcock	12 1/2	12 1/2
BeaIFd	14 1/2	14 1/2
BellSI	24 1/2	24 1/2
Boeing	16 1/2	16 1/2
Borden	19 1/2	19 1/2
Burling	14 1/2	14 1/2
Carph	12 1/2	12 1/2
Celanese	24 1/2	24 1/2
CentralSoy	14 1/2	14 1/2
Chimpit	10 1/2	10 1/2
Chrysler	8 1/2	8 1/2
CocaCol	49 1/2	48 1/2
CocaPat	21 1/2	21 1/2
ComEd	23 1/2	23 1/2

ConiCan	25 1/2	25 1/2
DeltaAir	29 1/2	29 1/2
DowChem	53	53
DukePower	10 1/2	10 1/2
duPont	88 1/2	88 1/2
EasKod	59 1/2	59 1/2
EasAirLin	3 1/2	3 1/2
Escon	19 1/2	19 1/2
FirstStone	22 1/2	22 1/2
FlaPow	12 1/2	12 1/2
FlaPwL	15 1/2	15 1/2
GenElec	33 1/2	33 1/2
GenFoods	9 1/2	9 1/2
GenMills	17 1/2	17 1/2
GenMol	33 1/2	33 1/2
GenTelE	16 1/2	16 1/2
GoPac	26 1/2	26 1/2
Goodrich	13 1/2	13 1/2
Goodyear	12 1/2	12 1/2
Grace	22 1/2	22 1/2
Greyhound	10 1/2	10 1/2
Hercule	17 1/2	17 1/2
Honywell	19 1/2	19 1/2
IBM	167 1/2	165 1/2
IntHarv	18 1/2	18 1/2
IntTAT	13 1/2	13 1/2
IntPap	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kaiser	12 1/2	12 1/2
KraftCo	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kresges	22 1/2	22 1/2
LockHdair	15 1/2	15 1/2
Loews	14 1/2	14 1/2
Marcor	14 1/2	14 1/2
Medco	12 1/2	12 1/2
MinnMMA	49 1/2	49 1/2
Mobil	35 1/2	35 1/2
MobIO	41 1/2	41 1/2
Nabisco	22 1/2	22 1/2
NatDistill	13 1/2	13 1/2
Pennay	38 1/2	38 1/2
PepsiCo	38 1/2	38 1/2
PhilMor	46 1/2	46 1/2
Polaroid	38 1/2	37 1/2
Procter	19 1/2	18 1/2
ProctGm	79 1/2	79 1/2
RalstonP	35	35
RCIA	9 1/2	9 1/2
Reynold	50 1/2	49 1/2
Rockwell	19 1/2	19 1/2
RoyColo	8 1/2	8 1/2
SFFequi	19 1/2	19 1/2
ScottPap	11 1/2	11 1/2
SeaCalLin	27 1/2	27 1/2
SearsR	45 1/2	45 1/2
SouthCo	8 1/2	8 1/2
SouRy	39 1/2	39 1/2
Sperry	27 1/2	26 1/2
StdBrds	52 1/2	51 1/2
StoicCal	22 1/2	22 1/2
StoicInd	42 1/2	41 1/2
Stevens	10 1/2	10 1/2
TexasCo	22 1/2	22 1/2
TexEtr	29	28
Texaco	27 1/2	27 1/2
UMC Ind	8 1/2	8 1/2
UnCarbide	39 1/2	39 1/2
Unifal	35 1/2	35 1/2
Uniroy	5 1/2	5 1/2
USSteel	37 1/2	37 1/2
Wachovia	11 1/2	11 1/2
WestGE	8 1/2	8 1/2
Weyerha	29 1/2	28 1/2
Woolrich	8 1/2	8 1/2
XeroxCo	51 1/2	50 1/2

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

Burroughs	74 1/2
United Telecommunications Pfd.	16
Heublein	27 1/2
Jeff Pilot	27 1/2
Tri South	8 1/2
Wachovia Realty	2 1/2
Eckerd	5 1/2
Central Soya	10 1/2
Harcis	4
Infogon	7 1/2
Piedmont	15
Weyerhae	29 1/2
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LEAVING INDIA—Daniel F. Moynihan, ready to resume teaching at Harvard after 21 months as ambassador to India, turned his farewell news conference into a classroom Sunday in New Delhi, India. He lectured the Indian government about the American arms embargo to South Asia. U. S. Atty. Gen. William B. Saxbe was named last week to succeed Moynihan. (AP Wirephoto)

Will Hear Goldwater

KITTY HAWK, N.C. (AP)—Sen. Barry M. Goldwater, R-Ariz., a retired major general in the Air Force Reserve, speaks Tuesday on the 71st anniversary of the Wright brothers' first airplane flight.

Orville Wright was at the controls when the heavier-than-air craft the bicycle mechanics from Dayton, Ohio, had built flew 120-feet in 12 seconds against a 27 m.p.h. wind. He and Wilbur Wright made three other flights that day, Dec. 17, 1903, at Kitty Hawk on the sandy North Carolina Outer Banks, the birthplace of aviation.

The longest flight of the day in their biplane with 25 horsepower engine was 457 feet, but from then on the world had wings.

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Obituary

Roberson
Mr. Roosevelt Roberson of Greenville died this morning. He was the husband of Mrs. Emma Roberson. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

VERY SHAKY
SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—California experiences literally thousands of earthquakes every year, but most are too small to be felt or cause noticeable damage.

To Withhold Coffee In Plan To Boost Prices

By The Associated Press
Major Latin American coffee states are planning to withhold coffee beans from the market to bolster sagging prices, but New York commodity experts doubt they will succeed.

Informed sources in Caracas, Venezuela, said Brazil, Colombia, Mexico and other major coffee growers will join smaller Central American countries in holding back 30 per cent of their coffee crop.

Venezuela's President Carlos Andres Perez told the Central Americans at a summit conference in Caracas Saturday that his government would use its oil money to back them. Informed sources said Venezuela would put up \$80 million.

But commodity dealers in New York said the coffee countries' attempt to emulate the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries would probably have little impact on consumer prices because there is a surplus of coffee beans and consumption in the United States is declining.

On the oil front, Saudi Arabia's oil minister says that contrary to rumors, his government has no plans to sell its investments in Britain.

"If we start withdrawing it

means we lose what we have," Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani told a television interviewer in London. "Besides, it would hurt the political stability in a country like Great Britain."

The Saudis have told American oil companies that they will accept only U.S. dollars in payment for their oil, and this set off rumors last week that sent the pound sterling to an all-time low on foreign exchange markets.

Yamani asserted that Saudi Arabia is fighting against higher oil prices. But he said his government would have to "listen carefully" to those who advocate cutting oil production to maintain reserves unless Western countries supply the technology and "full cooperation" Saudi Arabia needs to make the best use of its oil revenues.

In another interview, Kuwait's Finance Director Khalid Abu Saud told the West German magazine Der Spiegel that global inflation was making it impossible for the Arabs to discuss a cut in oil prices seriously.

In Guyana, Prime Minister Forbes Burnham said the Reynolds Metal Co.'s bauxite mines would be nationalized Jan. 1. He said talks will be held on

compensation.
Reynolds, the third largest North American aluminum company, gets only about 1 per cent of its bauxite — the raw material of aluminum — from Guyana. The company has been disputing \$8.5 million in taxes Burnham demanded earlier in the year.

Missionary Will Speak

The Rev. Herbert Waid, missionary to Japan, will be the featured speaker at Maranatha Free Will Baptist Church, Greenville, tonight.

He will speak at Immanuel Free Will Baptist Church, Winterville, Tuesday and at Parkers Chapel Free Will Baptist Church, Greenville, Wednesday. All services will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The sponsoring pastors invite the public to attend these services.



REV. HERBERT WAID

The Rev. Waid has returned from his third term of service in Japan and will be speaking on the missionary work in "The Land of the Rising Sun." Although some of his time was spent on the island of Hokkaido in northern Japan, most of his work has been in the Tokyo area. Waid and his wife, Geraldine, have five children. They were first appointed to missionary service by the Board of Foreign Missions of the National Association of Free Will Baptists March, 1958.

Has Multiracial Rule As A Goal

SALISBURY, Rhodesia (AP)—Prime Minister Ian Smith says he thinks there will be multiracial rule in Rhodesia within his lifetime, but "if we ever got to a stage of having black rule our policy will have failed."

"What we have to accept is that Rhodesia is going to be governed by all the people of Rhodesia. That is, white as well as black. I believe that is what is going to come in Rhodesia," Smith said in an interview with the British Broadcasting Corp. released Sunday.

Smith announced a cease-fire between government troops and black guerrillas last week in exchange for a constitutional conference with black nationalist leaders and release of black political prisoners.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 16, 1974

Patton's Problem: Convincing His Players

Bucs Host Georgia State Cagers Tuesday Evening

Parseghian To Leave Coaching For A Year To Evaluate Future

By JERRY GARRETT
AP Sports Writer

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — After 11 seasons at the helm of America's most traditional college football power, Notre Dame's Ara Parseghian has decided he needs a rest.

In a short statement released to newsmen Sunday, Parseghian said he would leave coaching for at least one year to rest and evaluate the future course of his career.

The announcement, probably not due until after Parseghian directs the ninth-ranked Irish in the Orange Bowl game against No. 2 Alabama on New Year's Eve, apparently was made to stop speculation that Parseghian would take another college job or move to the professional ranks.

"I'm not resigning at this time to take any other coaching position either on the college level or in the professional ranks," Parseghian's statement said. "I just felt that I should get away from coaching for at least one year."

"I just need time to rejuvenate myself physically and emotionally."

This has been a stress-filled year for the 51-year-old Parseghian. Three close friends have died. One of his two daughters is afflicted with multiple sclerosis. The other daughter was married this fall.

His team, which appeared headed to an easy defense of its national title, was rocked by dismissal of six players from the university in a disciplinary action that Parseghian protested vehemently, and other key players were injured before the season even began.

"The pressure has taken the toll on the man," said a longtime associate. "It's time for him to slow down. I'm surprised he's been able to keep up the pace this long."

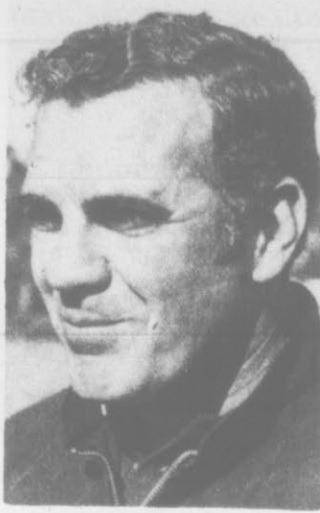
Close friends say they have seen Parseghian's decision coming for some time. One said the decision was made after the Navy game this year.

"After 25 years as a head coach, I find myself physically and emotionally drained," Parseghian said. "This is certainly not an impulsive decision."

"I've been mulling this over in my head for some time now, and I finally decided at midseason that my health and the welfare of my family was more important than anything else."

Parseghian scheduled a news conference at 11 a.m. Tuesday to discuss his decision. He would not come to the telephone to talk with newsmen who called his unlisted home number.

Parseghian will remain at the university for the next year,



ARA PARSEGHIAN

helping with the athletic program, said The Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, vice president in control of athletics.

Before coming to Notre Dame in 1964, Parseghian was head coach eight seasons at Northwestern and five at Miami of Ohio, where he began his coaching career in 1951.

The Associated Press learned that four of Parseghian's assistants have his endorsement to the faculty board to succeed him.

They are George Kelly, line-backer coach; Paul Shouts, defensive secondary coach; Joe Yonto, defensive line coach; and Tom Pagna, offensive backfield coach. A decision is not expected until after the Orange Bowl.

In 232 games, Parseghian's teams have lost only 58, while tying six. His Notre Dame teams are 94-17-4. Only the immortal Knute Rockne's 105-victories at Notre Dame tops Parseghian's total.

Writers Honor Harvard Coach

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — Joe Restic, who led Harvard to a share of the Ivy League football championship after rejecting an offer to return to the Canadian pro ranks, has been named Eastern Coach of the Year by the New York Football Writers Association.

Restic, who quit as a pro coach in Canada to take over at Harvard, has compiled a 23-12-1 record in four years with the Crimson.

"I'm surprised, deeply honored and humbled by this honor," Restic said Saturday when informed of his selection by the New York writers.

Many basketball coaches find their problems in getting through to their players that they can win. Coach Dave Patton, in his first season at East Carolina, may now be suffering from just the opposite, convincing his players that they can be beaten.

Of course, the Pirates did lose their first three games of the season, to two of the top teams in the country, Alabama and N.C. State, and also to ACC member Duke. But in the three losses, the Pirates performed well, and were in a position to win two of the three games.

Since then, they've played two more games, winning both of them—both in both they had to struggle to get the wins. They came over unheralded VMI and UNC-Wilmington.

"Both times, I warned the team that these people could beat us. I told them that we are going to have to play our best to leave them standing, and I think we're going to have to continue to do this. The people we play from here on in are going to be looking up at us to a certain extent, just like we did against State, Duke and Alabama, so we better be ready."

Against UNC-Wilmington Saturday, the Bucs were behind much of the game, rallying in the final seven minutes behind

the scoring of freshman Wade Henkel and the rebounding of sophomore Larry Hunt, both of whom played outstanding games.

"We put a challenge to the team at halftime. We pointed out that they were not playing like they should. They were being badly outrebounded and outshot. So they went back out there and got the job done," Patton said. "I'm pleased with the way they accepted this challenge. But I'm also disappointed in that they haven't realized that they are going to have to work right from the start to win. We have to overcome this and develop a real killer instinct. We've got to jump on our opponent right from the start and go for the throat."

The coach was pleased with the shooting. "It was definitely improved. We shot them right out of their zone defense. We took our time and worked for the good shots."

And despite the fact that Wilmington shot 55 per cent from the floor, Patton was pleased with the defense. "When you are chest to chest with your opponent and have your hands up and he still goes up and shoots, there's not much more you can do when they drop them in like they did. I do think that Buzzy Braman and Ken

Edmonds did a good job stopping Willie Jackson (the Seahawks' leading scorer) in the second half."

Patton also felt that the Pirate depth showed itself again. "We showed that when someone isn't getting the job done, someone else can do it for us. Henkel and Hunt did this for us. I also think Donnie Owens had a fine game for us."

And the coach added that because of his depth, he really can't pick a starting five. "I really feel that we have a starting twelve."

Tomorrow night, the Pirates face another challenge when they meet Georgia State. "They've come a long ways in the past few years," he said.

"Just recently they beat my alma mater (Georgia Southern) for the first time ever. And they gave Georgia Tech a good game Saturday, losing just 80-74. So they'll be tough. They are about the same size as Wilmington so this might be a problem for us."

Patton added that even though some of the Buc opponents might be classified as "no-names," they are still good teams. "We're kind of no-name ourselves in that we don't have any real stars on this team. We probably don't have anybody in the top ten in the conference in scoring, and we may not all year the way our scoring has been going. The man who leads us one night may be entirely different from the next night's leader. We're that kind of a team. We have 12 people we depend on and all of them can do the job for us."

The coach also pointed out that the two games this week, against Georgia State and Mercer are important to the Pirates. "If we win them both, we'll go home for Christmas with a winning record (4-3) and that can mean a lot to us."

Tipoff time for the Georgia State game is 8 p.m. in Minges Coliseum. A junior varsity preliminary will get underway at 5:45 p.m.

ECU Wrestlers Again Triumph

WESTCHESTER, Pa.—East Carolina's wrestling team won two meets over the weekend including an upset of the 11th ranked College Division team in the nation, Cal Poly.

The Pirates beat Westchester in the first match, 30-12 and beat Cal Poly, 22-16. Cal Poly had upset eight-ranked in a previous match, 21-10.

ECU's Ron Whitcombe beat the defending national champ, Cliff Hatch by a decision in the 167 pound class, 8-4.

The wins were numbers two and three for the Pirates who remain undefeated over the past three years.

The summary:
East Carolina, Cal Poly
118: Mark DiGirolamo (C) decided Jim Blair, 5-2.126: Dan Monroe (E) decided Bengie Williams, 17-2.
134: Rick Torres (C) decided Pau Ketcham, 12-2.142: Tom Marriott (E) decided Ron McKinney, 9-7.
150: Roger Warner (C) decided Paul Thorp, 9-6.158: Bruce Lynn (C) decided Roger Burns, 11-4.
167: Ron Whitcombe (E) decided Cliff Hatch, 8-4.

177: Sythall Thompson (C) decided Jim Cox, 6-1.

190: Mike Radford (E) pinned Gary Casey, 5:29.
Heavyweight: Willie Bryant (E) pinned Randy Hudson, 4:48.East Carolina-Westchester
118: Jim Blair (E) decided Phil Barwell, 6-3.126: Bill Raeich (W) decided Dan Monroe, 6-5.
134: Steve Towel (W) pinned Paul Ketcham, 4:27.142: Tom Marriott (E) decided Dave Bove, 11-5.
150: Jerry Barnwell (W) decided Paul Thorp, 5-3.158: Roger Burns (E) decided John Gembering, 4-1.
167: Ron Whitcombe (E) decided John Leber, 13-9.177: Jim Cox (E) pinned Dave Bowersox, 4:40.
190: Mike Radford (E) pinned Fred Swanson, 3:55.

Heavyweight: Willie Bryant (E) pinned Tom Stoddard, 4:06.

Sees Hope In WFL's Future

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The World Football League's past was shaky and its future may be rocky. But Chris Hemminger says he "can see the light at the end of the tunnel."

Following a disastrous first season, the league concluded two days of meetings in New York with optimism.

"I had guarded optimism before," Hemminger, WFL president, said, "but I think I can see the light at the end of the tunnel. Before, I think all we saw were reflections on the wall."

The meetings, however, produced one puzzled owner.

"I really don't understand some of the stories that came out of the meeting," said Sinclair Kouns, who heads the New Shreveport Steamer Corp. "Nobody talked to me about dropping Shreveport from the league ... but I read stories that said we were out, along with other smaller cities."

Ski Champion Adds To Laurels

SAELEN, Sweden (AP) — Martha Rockwell, winner of 15 U.S. ski championships, still is posting victories.

Mrs. Rockwell, 30-year-old veteran from West Lebanon, N.H., scored a major victory Sunday in winning an international cross country race. She covered a five-mile course in 28 minutes, 30 seconds, two seconds ahead of Sweden's Eva Olsson.

Alabama Signs 2nd Rutledge

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP) — Quarterback Jeff Rutledge, brother of Alabama quarterback Gary Rutledge, has signed a letter of intent to play football at the University of Alabama. It was announced Sunday.

The 6-foot-2, 196-pounder is from Banks High School in Birmingham.

Pro Football

By The Associated Press
FINAL NFL STANDINGS
AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Eastern Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
Miami	11 30	.786327216
w-Buff.	9 50	.643264244
New Eng.	7 70	.500348289
NY Jets	7 70	.500279300
Balti.	2120	.143190329

Central Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
Pitts.	10 31	.750305189
Cinci.	7 70	.500283259
Houston	7 70	.500236282
Cleve.	4100	.286251344

Western Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
Oakland	12 20	.857355229
Denver	7 61	.536303294
K.C.	5 90	.357233293
San Diego	5 90	.357212285

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
SLouis	10 40	.714285218
w-Wash.	10 40	.714320196
Dallas	8 60	.571297235
Philphia	7 70	.500242217
NY Gnts	2120	.143195299

Central Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
Minn.	10 40	.714310195
Detroit	7 70	.500256270
Grn Bay	6 80	.429210206
Chicago	4100	.286152279

Western Division		WLTPct.Pts.OP
L.A.	10 40	.714263181
S.F.	6 80	.429226236
New Or.	5 90	.357166263
Atlanta	3110	.214111241

w-Gains wild-card berth

Grand National Racing Season Opens Jan. 19

By The Associated Press
Riverside International Raceway officials announced Saturday that the Winston Western 500 stock car race will open the Grand National racing season Jan. 19 at Riverside, Calif.

The 500-mile race carries a purse of \$105,000 dollars.

In other racing developments, National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing President Bill France Jr. has confirmed that he is talking with CBS-TV about televising some Grand National races in 1975, but he says "it's premature" to talk about how many races the network will telecast.

However, ABC-TV is expected to continue to broadcast the majority of the TV events.

One trackowner says he believes more than ten races will be televised next season.

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RUNNING ROOM—Wide open space at Atlanta Stadium Sunday is only partially filled as Atlanta Falcons running back Dave Hampton (43), right, passes block by teammate Dennis Havig (56) on Green Bay Packers Al Mathews to score from five yard line.

Though the Falcons win, 10-3, in their 28th straight home sellout, only 10,020 persons attended to set a National Football League "no-show" season record of 143,488. (AP Wirephoto)

Cardinals 'Woke Up' To Capture Divisional Title

By BRUCE LOWITT

AP Sports Writer

It took less than 30 minutes for the St. Louis Cardinals to wake up—and not the 30 minutes in which they'd gotten shoved around.

"Nobody said much at half-time," said Terry Metcalf, revealing the silence in the Cards' dressing room, when they trailed the New York Giants 14-0. "Without saying anything, we all knew we had to do a better job. We'd given up too much and weren't about to give up more."

What St. Louis—mainly Metcalf and Jim Hart—gave in the second half was a typically brilliant comeback performance that resulted in a 26-14 victory.

And that gave the Cardinals their first National Football League divisional title in 26 years, and St. Louis' first ever. When the Cards won the NFL's Western Division title in 1948, they called Chicago their home.

Washington's Redskins, who had charged into a tie with the Cards after the National Conference East, clobbered Chicago 42-0 and finished tied with St. Louis, each with 10-4 records.

But the Cards got the title by virtue of their two regular-season victories over Washington. The Redskins had to settle for the NFC's wild-card playoff berth.

In Sunday's other games, it was Miami 34, New England 27; Los Angeles 19, Buffalo 14; Houston 28, Cleveland 24; the New York Jets 45, Baltimore 38; San Francisco 35, New Orleans 21; San Diego 17, Denver 0; Philadelphia 28, Detroit 17, and Atlanta 10, Green Bay 3.

On Saturday it was Pittsburgh 27, Cincinnati 3; Min-

nesota 35, Kansas City 15, and Oakland 27, Dallas 23.

Roger Wehrli's 32-yard punt return to the New York 41-yard line actually woke up the Cards, who had lost two straight games and four of the last six to turn a divisional runaway into a dogfight. But it was Hart and Metcalf who kept their eyes open—and widened the eyes of St. Louis' wildly cheering fans.

Hart started out by firing an 18-yard pass to Mel Gray. A few plays later, St. Louis had its first touchdown in seven periods on Hart's four-yard pass to Ken Willard.

Jim Tolbert's interception of a Craig Morton pass set up another one just 57 seconds later. Tolbert returned the ball to the New York 28 and, on the next play, Hart hit tight end Jackie Smith for a touchdown.

And just minutes later, the Cards got another interception—and another touchdown on Metcalf's one-yard run.

Metcalf polished off the Giants early in the fourth quarter on another touchdown run, this one covering 16 yards.

St. Louis will visit the Minnesota Vikings, champions of the NFC Central Division, next Saturday in a first-round playoff game. On Sunday, the Redskins will face the NFC West's winners, the Rams, in Los Angeles.

In the AFC next Saturday, the Dolphins, first in the East, are in Oakland to play the Raiders, the best of the West. On Sunday, Pittsburgh, the AFC Central Division champ, hosts Buffalo, the conference's wild-card team.

Redskins 42, Bears 0
Veteran Sonny Jurgensen, who started in place of No. 1

quarterback Billy Kilmer, connected on 14 of 22 passes for 205 first-half yards, hitting Charley Taylor for an 11-yard touchdown pass and setting up touchdown runs of one and four yards by Larry Brown to give Washington a 21-0 halftime lead.

In the second half, quarterback Joe Theismann took over and threw a 13-yard third-quarter touchdown pass to Taylor. Duane Thomas and Charley Evans ran for the final Washington touchdowns in the last period.

Dolphins 34, Patriots 27
New England's Mack Herron set an NFL record for most single-season total yards in the Patriots' loss to Miami. Herron gained 185 yards on rushes, receptions and kick returns to finish with 2,444 for the year, four more than Gale Sayers got with the 1966 Chicago Bears.

But the Pats couldn't handle the aerial tandem of veteran quarterback Earl Morrall and rookie wide receiver Melvin Baker, who teamed on touchdown passes covering 37 and 46 yards. Don Nottingham also

bullied in for two Miami scores as the Dolphins wiped out New England's early 24-0 lead.

Rams 19, Bills 14
Bob Schirer and Ron Jaworski each scored his first regular-season touchdown. Schirer on a 14-yard pass from James Harris, who also scored on a one-yard run, in Los Angeles' victory over Buffalo.

Oilers 28, Browns 24
Dan Pastorini threw two touchdown passes and Fred Willis and Willie Rodgers ran for decisive second-half scores

that enabled Houston to finish at 7-7, its first non-losing season since 1969.

Jets 45, Colts 38
"I don't know whether or not this is my last game," Joe Namath said after completing 19 of 28 passes for 281 yards and two touchdowns in New York's victory over Baltimore.

49ers 35, Saints 21
Gene Washington caught a 17-yard touchdown pass from rookie Tom Owen on the first play of the fourth quarter and, just 23 seconds later, defensive tackle Bill Belk recovered a fumble by New Orleans quarterback Larry Cipa and scored another touchdown, putting San Francisco ahead 28-7.

Chargers 17, Broncos 0
Otis Armstrong of Denver, with a 142-yard day, won the NFL rushing title with 1,407 yards. But San Diego rookie Don Woods surpasses John Brockington's first-year rushing mark of 1,105 yards by gaining 105 to finish with 1,162. And he got San Diego's first touchdown on a six-yard run in the first quarter.

Eagles 28, Lions 17
"We considered this Michael's strongest test, and he did a fine job of throwing and play selecting against a Detroit defense that constantly changed," Coach Mike McCormack said of rookie Mike Boryla, who replaced veteran quarterback Gabriel three weeks ago after the Eagles had lost six straight.

Falcons 10, Packers 3
Dave Hampton's five-yard run in the opening period for Atlanta accounted for the game's only touchdown.

Foul Line Games Brought Richmond Into Contention

By The Associated Press

Richmond Coach Carl Stone says "we have competitive free throw games at the end of each workout" and the winning team escapes some extra running, which may explain why the Spiders are back in contention in the Southern Conference basketball race.

Stone's team hit 33 of 41 shots from the foul line Saturday night and escaped with a 95-90 victory over Virginia Military's Keydets that upped their league record to 2-1—right behind Furman's Paladins, East Carolina's Pirates and William and Mary's Indians at 1-0.

In another conference scrap, The Citadel's Bulldogs evened their record at 1-1 with a 99-94 squeeze past Appalachian State even though the Mountaineers limited sophomore Rodney McKeever to seven points.

William and Mary ran its over-all record to 4-2 with a 77-65 victory over Wagner and East Carolina, 2-3, pulled out an 84-81 decision over UNC-Wilmington, but they were the only winners against outside foes.

The two teams listed as major contenders for the title were beaten as Furman's two-time defending champions dropped a 71-56 decision at Oklahoma and Davidson's Wildcats lost to

Princeton 72-56. Furman is now 1-2 over-all, Davidson 2-2.

Tonight's only action has Appalachian, which has won just once in six starts over-all and has lost both its conference games, at home against East Tennessee in a nonconference scrap.

With 8:43 left against VMI, Bob McCurdy hit a jumper for Richmond to make it 71-64 for the Spiders, 2-3 over-all. They didn't hit another field goal until the 4:55 mark, yet their lead had expanded midway that span to 78-66—thanks to seven of eight free throws.

"Right in there is when they beat us, with those free throws," said VMI Coach Bill Blair. But he also pointed to the play of McCurdy and Eric Gray as "super. They can play ball for anyone."

Gray hit 13 of 23 shots from the floor for a career-high 33 points and McCurdy hit 11 of 20 and finished with 32 points. The Keydets cut their deficit to 93-90 with 14 seconds left, but Kevin Eastman hit two Richmond free throws just three seconds later.

Leading the way for VMI, now 1-2 in the conference and 13 over-all, were John Krovic with 17 points, Will Bynum with 16 and George Borojevich and

Johnny Garnett with 14 each.

McKeever had scored 100 points in The Citadel's first three games and the Bulldogs, now 3-1 over-all, fell behind Appalachian 29-15 in the early going and still trailed by 50-42 at intermission.

But Greg Morrison and Richard Johnson pulled the Bulldogs into a 62-60 lead with about 14 minutes left and they never trailed again. Morrison and Johnson finished with 19 points each. Appalachian's Ed Kane had a game-high 28.

Freshman John Lowenhaupt had 28 points, hitting 13 of 18 shots from the floor, and sophomore Dennis Vail connected on eight of 11 shots for 17 points and also grabbed nine rebounds for William and Mary, whose lead was never less than nine points in the second half.

A 19-foot jumper by Donnie Owens with 7:27 left gave East Carolina the lead for good against UNC-Wilmington, but the Pirates were led by a pair of substitutes—freshman Wade Henkel with 21 points and sophomore Larry Hunt with 18.

Davidson fell behind 34-24 in the first half at Princeton and never stopped the Tigers' Barn-

Catfish Is Free Agent

By CRAIG AMMERMAN

AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Catfish Hunter, the American League's top pitcher and the ace of the three-time world champion Oakland A's, is a free agent and may now offer his services to the highest bidder, it was learned today.

Formal announcement of Hunter's victory in his arbitration case over Oakland owner Charles O. Finley was set for later this morning in New York.

The historic arbitration ruling apparently was granted to Hunter in recognition of his claim that Finley failed to meet the 28-year-old right-hander's contract, which called for \$100,000 a year over two seasons.

The contract called for \$50,000 in regular salary each season for Hunter, and another \$50,000 to be given in deferred payments to an insurance company. This is a fairly common method used by high-salaried athletes to avoid paying high taxes, and it was this deferred payment part of the contract which Hunter claimed Finley reneged on.

Hunter's attorney, Jerry Kapstein, said he had not been officially informed of the arbitrator's decision. But he told a New York newspaper today, "If my information is correct, I plan to start negotiating a contract" for Hunter. "I plan to talk with every major league club that wants to talk to Jim and I."

There were published estimates that the bidding war for Hunter could reach as high as \$1 million. There was no way to judge how high it might go since there is no recent case in baseball history to compare with it.

"If I become a free agent I know I won't play for the A's," Hunter said. "I know I won't go back because I don't think Finley appreciates me."

Hunter, who had a 25-12 record this past season, won the 1974 Cy Young award as the American League's top pitcher, and announced on the eve of the World Series that Finley had not paid the \$50,000 owed him and that he would seek to become a free agent.

Bear Grass Girls Show Promise In Early Play

By WOODY PEELE
Reflector Sports Editor

(One of a series)

BEAR GRASS—The Bear Grass girls' basketball team hasn't gotten away to a great start, but they are showing improvement.

Coach Churchill Briley, who guided many a Robersonville girls' team to championships, is in the second year of his tenure at Bear Grass, and his chargers are beginning to become accustomed to his style of basketball.

"My style is a little different from what they are used to," Briley said. "But they are beginning to make the transition now, seeing what I'm trying to teach them."

Briley has four starters back from last year's team, giving the Bears some experience. Returning are center Colar Rogerson, guards Janet Holiday and Lou Rawls, and forward Kay Rawls.

Joining them in a starting role is Patricia Taylor, but Briley notes that Benita Harden has also started in the same position in several games, and both are about on a par. "We're really using six starters, I guess you could say," Briley said.

"Despite the fact that we do have right much starting experience," the coach said, "we are still young. We have only one senior, Colar, starting, so we've got something to look forward to."

Besides those mentioned above, except for Miss Taylor, who is a freshman, other letterwomen back are Darlene Rogerson and Linda Leggett, who make up the bulk of the reserves. "Our bench is shallow—too shallow in fact," Briley said. "We just don't have the reserves now."

He's playing the reserves as

much as possible, however, to give them a chance to get a lot of experience. "When the game is settled, I usually clean the bench to let everyone play as much as possible."

If depth is a problem, height is probably the biggest problem the Bears have. "We are short," the coach said. "Colar is our tallest at 5-7, and this really something we can't overcome. It's hurting our rebounding too since we don't have the height or physical strength to go up against some of the other teams in the conference. In fact, I think we are the shortest team in the league." The leading rebounder so far has been Patricia Taylor.

Shooting has also been "very poor," Briley said. "This has been our real downfall. We just can't find the range." Most of the scoring has been done by Lou Rawls and Miss Holiday, although Miss Taylor has come on strong in recent games.

Miss Rawls is averaging 6.8 through eight games, while Miss Holiday is scoring at a 5.7 clip. Taylor at 4.5 for the season, has scored nearly eight a game

for the past three (through Thursday).

"I definitely think we are going to get better," Briley said. "We've had our ups and downs, but we are beginning to learn what to do. And I think toward the end of the year some of these teams are going to have to start looking up to us."

"We are pretty quick, and we've been playing some pretty good defense. If our shooting would come around, I think we could be a much better team. I'm aiming for a peak around the tournament, so that perhaps we can surprise some people. I think we can do it too."

Briley feels that the quickness and speed, once the girls get it under control could bring about a good fast break system for the Bears—helping to offset their lack of height.

In the Beaufort-Hyde-Martin Conference, Briley looks to Chocowinity and Aurora to be the favorites, but notes that Bath and Pantego could also be strong powers.

"I think we'll be okay later on," he said. "It's just a question of time."

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Washington 21 7 .750 —

Cleveland 14 11 .560 5½

Houston 13 15 .464 8

Atlanta 12 15 .444 8½

New Orleans 3 24 .111 17½

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Detroit 100, Philadelphia 93

Portland 100, Los Angeles 97

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Tuesday's Games

Philadelphia vs. Boston at Providence

Golden State at New York

Washington at Atlanta

New Orleans at Houston

Seattle at Chicago

Cleveland at Los Angeles

Milwaukee at Portland

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Detroit 15 14 .517 —

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Chicago 12 13 .480 1

Milwaukee 10 17 .370 4

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Golden St. 18 10 .643 —

Seattle 14 16 .467 5

Phoenix 13 15 .464 5

Portland 13 16 .448 5½

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Saturday's Results

Buffalo 118, New York 102

Boston 92, Atlanta 90, OT

Washington 99, Golden State 91

Houston 123, Kansas City-Omaha 84

Detroit 100, Philadelphia 93

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Cowboys To Get Early Choice

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys will get either the first or second choice next year in the National Football League's college player draft.

The Cowboys, who got the No. 1 choice in 1974 from Houston, earlier this year traded quarterback Craig Morton to the New York Giants for the Giants' first-round pick in 1975.

A coin toss will determine whether the Cowboys, in place of the Giants, or Baltimore will get the No. 1 draft choice.

HITTING PITCHERS

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates had two southpaw pitchers who were the best hitting moundsmen in the National League in 1974.

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seats with new SHAPE Chief of Staff U. S. General Alexander Haig during ceremony at SHAPE headquarters in Casteau, Belgium, Sunday afternoon. (AP Wirephoto)

AMA Asks End Leaf 'Subsidy'

By JOHN STOWELL
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — An article in the Journal of the American Medical Association today accused Congress of subsidizing "increased death and disability" by paying subsidies to tobacco growers, and an accompanying editorial urged an end to such payments.

A spokesman for the AMA said it was the journal's first call for congressional action against smoking after its dec-

ades-long campaign of educating physicians and patients about the hazards of smoking.

"Congress is using our tax money, in many ways, to subsidize increased death and disability among our citizens, as well as those of the rest of the world," wrote Dr. Weldon J. Walker of White Memorial Medical Center's cardiopulmonary unit in Los Angeles and a member of the JAMA editorial board.

JAMA editor Robert H. Moser said in an editorial: "Walker's stern challenge to the legislators should be heeded."

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare calls cigarette smoking the leading cause for the 600,000 deaths a year from coronary heart disease, 72,000 deaths from lung cancer and 25,000 deaths from chronic bronchitis and emphysema.

The Tobacco Institute Inc., a trade organization representing

cigarette manufacturers, said federal tobacco subsidies actually hold down production by setting acreage quotas.

William Kleopfer Jr., the institute's senior vice president, also said federal and state excise taxes on tobacco products will yield \$5.5 billion in revenues this year.

In addition, he said, tobacco held by the government will yield a 50 to 100 per cent profit when sold, "a pretty fantastic business deal."

Walker said the death rate from heart disease, although still the nation's No. 1 killer, has been dropping steadily since the first U.S. surgeon general's report on smoking and health in 1964.

After a 19 per cent increase on an age-adjusted basis between 1950 and 1963, the death rate from coronary heart disease fell 10.5 per cent and "coincided precisely" with the surgeon general's report, he said.

However, the death rate from lung cancer has increased 54 per cent every 10 years, he said. Walker said the adverse effects on human lungs linger on after a person stops smoking.

The cardiologist said the United States spends \$11.5 billion annually for health care costs resulting from cigarette smoking.

He said "Congress seems to be the major problem" by increasing the price support per pound of tobacco 34 per cent during the last decade, increasing from 7.5 per cent to 9 per cent the percentage of cigarettes produced free of federal taxes during the same period, keeping federal taxes on tobacco constant from 1968 to 1973 while its market value rose 38 per cent, and spending more money to promote U.S. tobacco exports to other countries.

"We in the health care field must arise and expose those actions," he said. "Our government is responsible for programs that foster death, disability and increasing health care costs."

Partial Production At Appalachian Coalfields

By MIKE CLARK
Associated Press Writer
CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — Almost two weeks after a month-long United Mine Workers strike officially ended, the Appalachian coalfields were expecting only partial production today.

UMW locals in central and southwestern Pennsylvania and in West Virginia agreed Sunday to honor picket lines manned by striking UMW construction workers.

Although both miners and construction workers belong to the UMW, the two groups work under separate contracts.

The miners won a 64 per cent increase in wages and benefits over a three-year contract, but the construction workers want additional unemployment benefits and travel pay because they are subject to more frequent layoffs and often have to move around from one mine construction site to another.

Contract negotiations between the UMW and the Association of Bituminous Contractors continued in Washington Sunday but there was no indication that a tentative agreement was near.

A tentative contract was approved by negotiators last week, but the UMW's 38-member bargaining council sent it back for further study. The council must approve a contract before it can be submitted for a rank and file vote by the

4,400 construction workers. Picketing last week idled about a fifth of the UMW's 120,000 miners. About 8,000 were off the job in Pennsylvania while West Virginia estimates were around 7,500. Almost 4,000 were idle in Virginia, as were most of Indiana's 2,500.

The figures are expected to be greater this week as a result of the locals' official sanction of picketing activity. One local president said he expected most of Pennsylvania's 20,000 miners to stay home rather than report for the Sunday midnight shift change.

A spokesman who attended a meeting Sunday night in Indiana, Pa., said 11 locals, nine in central Pennsylvania's District 2 and two in the New Kensington area of District 5 in southwestern Pennsylvania, agreed to support the construction workers.

"We are stopping everything until we get a contract," said the spokesman, who asked that his name not be used. "It seems like what the rank and file want and what the top officials want are two different things."

Grievance Committee's Legality Is Challenged

RALEIGH (AP)—Legality of the Inmate Grievance Commission set up by the 1974 legislature has been challenged by a civil suit filed in federal court in Raleigh.

The class-action suit was filed by eight prison inmates on behalf of all prisoners. It names the commission, Fred Morrison, its executive secretary, and Gov. Jim Holshouser as defendants.

The suit charges that the law setting up the commission violates the state and federal constitutions.

The law says an inmate with "a grievance or complaint

against any officials or employees" of the prison system "may submit such grievance or complaint to the Inmate Grievance Commission." The law also provides that the commission may require inmates to run their complaints through prison channels if such channels exist.

In the suit is a charge that inmates are forced to take complaints to those who are the objects of the complaints. It also says inmates are denied equal protection of the law because citizens who are not in prison are allowed to take their complaints directly to governmental officials.

The suit claims that prisoners are denied the constitutional guarantee of presenting grievances to the government.

Morrison appealed for understanding from inmates, prison officials and the public. He said the commission must satisfy all three groups and described the board's function as being "sorta like walking a tight-rope."

The suit was filed by Daniel Ross, Thurman Boykin, Jimmy Hardy, James Matthews, William Taylor, Ralph Mettles, William Griffin and Ezekial Roberson.

Letter Is 30 Years Late

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP)—A letter written by a Navy Seaman during World War II will reach its destination this week after 30 years and 30 days in the bowels of a battleship desk.

The tattered, yellowed letter was found on the USS North Carolina Battleship Memorial in the Wilmington harbor last week when one of the battleship's desk's was being disassembled. The address was still legible and the 6 cent Air Mail stamp was uncanceled.

On Nov. 17, 1944, Seaman First Class Glenn Hopkins, stationed on the Cruiser USS Miami, wrote the letter to his cousin Reginald Hopkins, in Alameda, N.Y. He gave the letter to the ship's censor as wartime regulations required.

The envelope bears the censor's initials and there is no clue as to how it got lost in the inner mechanism of the desk or how it got from the USS Miami to the USS North Carolina.

But the former seaman, now living in Attica, N.Y., will have his letter delivered at last.

Former Miss America Is Wed

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — Former Miss America Terry Anne Meeuwsen was married Sunday during a candlelight ceremony at a suburban country club.

About 700 persons were present as the 25-year-old night club vocalist exchanged vows with Tom A. Camburn, 38, a Milwaukee factory sales manager.

The bride, the 1973 Miss America, is formerly of De Pere, Wis. She has said she is considering a job in Los Angeles after the couple honeymoon in the Caribbean.

Plan Reduce Energy-Use

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)—Burlington Industries officials say the company's energy costs have increased 50 per cent over the past two years and the textile firm will try to cut back energy consumption by 15 per cent in 1975.

Burlington said the cost of energy for its plants may rise another 26 per cent in 1975. Faced with this increase and the threat of a natural gas shortage, the company has decided to reinforce the energy conservation program it began a year ago.

The company said energy conservation committees at each of its plants will examine energy consumption at their facilities and offer recommendations for reducing usage.

Burlington chairman Horace C. Jones said, "This effort not only makes good business sense, but it is in keeping with the spirit of the President's recent request for national conservation and a renewed concern for the prudent use of all resources."

The textile conglomerate has 125 offices and plants, most of which are located in the Southeast.

PEACEMAKERS

NEW YORK (UPI) — World-wide sales of heart pacemakers and similar medical electronic devices will reach \$209 million next year, up from \$81 million last year, Frost & Sullivan, Inc., the marketing research firm predicts.

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Farm Tips

By Dr. J. W. Pou
Agricultural Specialist
Wachovia Bank & Trust Co., N.A.



A poultry expert at North Carolina State University has predicted rising prices for broilers, eggs and turkeys in the months ahead.

"Unless prices increase in the next few months, many producers will go bankrupt," said Dr. W. C. Mills Jr., specialist in charge of N. C. State University's extension poultry work.

Mills said all three industry segments — turkeys, eggs and broilers — have been in a depressed financial condition for about 10 months and producers have lost millions of dollars.

North Carolina is a major poultry state, ranking third in turkeys, fourth in broilers and fifth in eggs. Income from these enterprises last year reached \$552 million.

"Some producers have given up and gone out of business, while others have been hanging on by the skin of their teeth," said Mills.

He said the situation had been brought about by rising costs, particularly for feed, without a corresponding rise in producers' selling prices.

"This would be a good time for consumers to buy turkeys and broilers, both of which are nutritious, high in protein and low in fat, and it would also be a good time to buy eggs," Mills said. "No one can predict when — or even whether — prices to consumers will ever be this low again."

The specialist said he saw "very little relief on feed prices," which are expected to remain high for another year.

In January the farm blend price received for eggs was 59 cents a dozen and the cost of production was about 45 cents, leaving a profit of 14 cents for the producer, Mills said. By the last of August the blend price to farmers had dropped to 45½ cents, costs had risen to 56 cents, and farmers were losing about 10 cents a dozen on eggs.

Mills said broiler producers have been losing money since last November. Early this year losses were as high as 8 to 10 cents a pound, or about 30 cents per bird.

In late August, prices reached 42 cents a pound, which Mills termed, "just about the break-even point." In mid-September the North Carolina f.o.b. dock price was 38.7 cents.

"As for turkeys, since the first of the year producers have been losing \$2 per head on hens and \$4 per head on toms," Mills said. "In late summer, prices started rising and producers then were just about breaking even on hens and losing around \$2 a bird on toms."

In early September, the specialist said, it was costing about 36 cents a pound to produce toms and they were selling for 27 cents.

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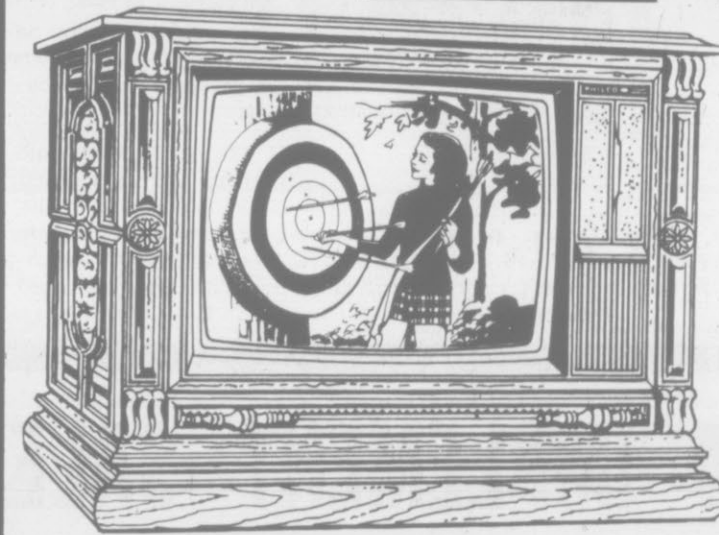
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District Court

Judge Charles H. Whedbee disposed of the following cases at the November 25-29 term of District Court in Pitt County.

Denne Eldon Albertson, 433 Aycock Hall, stop signal violation, pay cost.
Wesley Carl Artis, Box 485, Grifton, speeding, pay \$50 and cost.
Addie L. Buchanan, Burgess, Washington, stop signal violation, no pros with leave.
William Earl Barrett, 604 W. 14th St., interfering with officer, 30 days jail suspended pay \$25 and cost.
James Hilton Burroughs, Rt. 5, Greenville, no registration, no insurance, 30 days jail suspended, cost remitted, surrender drivers license 30 days.
Cleveland Barnes, 1511 Fleming St., speeding, pay cost.
Joe Brown, Rt. 3, Greenville, assault on police officer, no pros with leave.
Virge Ray Casper, Oak City, speeding, pay cost.
Mitchell Glenn Coward, Pinetops, speeding, pay cost.
William Kelly Davenport, Newport, reckless driving, pay \$50 and cost.
Troy Allen Dennis, Rt. 2, Ayden, fail stop for stop sign, not guilty.
Linda Mizelle Evans, Farmville, fail stop for stop sign, no pros with leave.
Richard-Clifton Edwards, Raleigh, fail stop for stop sign, not guilty.
Calvin Earl Edwards, 1504 W. 4th St., no insurance, no operators license, leaving scene of accident, improper registration, 30 days jail suspended pay \$50 and cost.
Paul Bradley Faulkner, Dover, speeding, pay cost.
Ned Lee Garrix, Rt. 2, Ayden, speeding, pay \$50 and cost.
Jennifer Lynn Gibbs, Washington, speeding, pay cost.
Sammie Rayfield Hodges, 102 Hardee Rd., fail stop for stop sign, not guilty.
Robert Harrington, Pitt St., public drunk, 12 days jail.
Ester C. Johnson, Grimesland, fail drive on right half of roadway, pay cost.
Ray Jones, Dickinson Ave., public drunk, 11 days jail.
William Edward Lancaster, Grimesland, carry concealed weapon, driving under the influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months, pay \$25 for Winterville Rescue Squad, probation 12 months.
Tony Earnest Medlin, 1111 Forbes St., improper muffler, no pros.
Earl Joyner, Ayden, fail to show certificate, no pros with leave.
James Winborne Martin, Conway, exceed stated speed, pay cost.
Rex Moser Mendenhall, King, N.C., driving under the influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad.
Kim Brooks Newcutt, 1805 Sulgrave Rd., possession of marijuana, no pros; trespass, not guilty.
John Clinton Radford, Rt. 5, Greenville, improper turn, no pros.
Walter Hardin Spivey, Jr., 171 Aycock Dorm, improper muffler, no pros.
Thomas Sampson, Glendale Court, public drunk, not guilty.
Brian Knight Strother, Kinston, fail yield right of way, no pros.
Carl William Whitlow, 2612 Tryon Dr., driving under the influence, guilty of reckless driving, pay \$50 and cost.
James Michael Brown, Rt. 2, Greenville, fail yield right of way, no pros with leave.
Matthew Keyes Bosley, Box 531, Grifton, drinking in public, warrant quashed; littering, not guilty.
William Lee Bell, Ayden, driving while license revoked, driving under the influence, 2 years jail suspended pay \$400 and cost, continued on probation, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad, reimburse State for counsel fees allowed.
Robert Lee Carmon, Rt. 1, Winterville, fail yield right of way, no pros with leave.
Hyman Lee Chapman, Jr., Rt. 3, Greenville, reckless driving, pay \$25 and cost.
Roger Carr, 403 Dudley St., damage personal property, not guilty.
Kinchen Benjion Cobb, 707 Greenville Blvd., driving under the influence, not guilty.
Christine Williams Coward, Rt. 2, Ayden, restriction violation, pay cost.
Johnnie Gray Dixon, Rt. 3, Greenville, hit and run, driving on wrong side of road, no pros; driving under the influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad.
Gary M. Dancy, 1505 Greenville Blvd., liquor law violation, pay cost.
Willie Lee Fleming, 119-C Lakeview, driving under influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$200 and cost, surrender drivers license for 2 years, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad.
Vickie Diane Farmer, Fletcher Dorm, aid and abet to trespassing, pay cost.
William Foreman, 714 Vanderbilt Lane, assault by pointing gun, 30 days jail suspended pay \$25 and cost.
Thomas Earl Harris, (no address listed), damage to personal property, assault on female, no pros with leave.
Jessie Freeman Heath, 502 E. 2nd St., driving under influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad.
James Franklin Hassell, Rt. 4, Greenville, driving while license revoked, 6 months jail suspended pay \$200 and cost, no drive for 2 years.
John Benjamin Joyner, Jr., Rt. 2, Greenville, driving under influence, not guilty.
Bennie Ray Murphy, Rt. 6, Greenville, no dealer permit, pay cost.
Ivin Glenn May, 207 Ridgeway St., resist arrest, 30 days jail suspended pay cost.
Ivin Glenn May, 207 Ridgeway St., driving under influence, 90 days jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months, probation 12 months, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad.
Augusto Mananings, 345 Garrett Dorm, shoplifting, guilty of forcible trespass, 30 days jail suspended pay cost.
Allen Franklin Oakley, 504 Watagua Ave., fail reduce speed, not guilty.
Steven Kyle Price, overloading vehicle, fail secure load on vehicle, no pros.
Melvin Ray Pollard, Rt. 6, Greenville, exceed safe speed, pay cost.
Kevin L. Purnell, Battleboro, trespassing, pay cost.
Jimmie Lee Speller, Box 245, Grimesland, allow unlicensed person to drive, pay \$25 and cost.
Fred Robert Silverthorne, Williamston, driving under influence, 2nd offense, 6 months jail suspended pay \$200 and cost, surrender drivers license, pay \$25 for Grifton Rescue Squad.
May Viola Smith, 1625 S. Pitt St., shoplifting, 6 months jail suspended pay \$25 and cost, probation 12 months.
Jeannett Vanboskerck Vickers, Chapel Hill, exceed stated speed, prayer for judgment continued on payment of cost.
Glen Dale Williams, 509 Shepherd St., speeding, 30 days jail suspended pay \$30 and cost.
Alexander Wilson, 405 Moore St., trespassing, no pros with leave.
Kenneth Ray Wells, Kinston, assault with deadly weapon, prosecution adjudged frivolous and malicious, prosecuting witness pay cost.
Lester T. Heath, 1108 Myrtle Ave., driving under the influence, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license, pay \$25 for Greenville Rescue Squad, reimburse State for counsel fees allowed, probation 12 months.
Derrick Lamont Aytch, Snow Hill, possession of lottery tickets, pay cost.
Derrick Lamont Aytch, Snow Hill, driving while license suspended, 30 days jail suspended pay \$200 and cost.
Vesley Earl Dixon, Rt. 1, Ayden, pay \$10 and cost.

To Measure Find Children Big Offenders In Shoplifting

By HOWARD BENEDICT
AP Science Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Do jet planes pollute the upper atmosphere?

To find out, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration is equipping four commercial Boeing 747 airliners with sensors to measure pollution along the world's major air lanes.

The five-year program began this week when a United Airlines jumbo jet carried the detectors for the first time. It will take readings during normal commercial flights over the continental United States and between the West Coast and Hawaii.

Within months, jets of three other airlines will operate the sensors: Pan American over its global air corridors; Qantas of Australia in the Southern Hemisphere, and Scandinavian Airline System over the North Polar route.

The \$5 million project is called GASP, for Global Air Sampling Program. The goal is to determine how jet emissions and other pollution sources affect the atmosphere at altitudes above 20,000 feet.

GASP project manager Porter J. Perkins said results may show whether the level of the ozone, which shields the earth from harmful ultraviolet solar radiation, is changing over time; whether jet vapor trails contribute to cloud cover, and how much of the dust in the atmosphere comes from aircraft.

When the planes climb to an altitude of 20,000 feet, the air sampling equipment turns on automatically and does not interfere with regular aircraft operations. A tube protruding six inches beneath the first class cabin takes in air for analysis by the instruments. Particles are counted and some are collected on an air filter which is changed at the time the plane is serviced.

The system measures dust particles, carbon monoxide, ozone, water vapor, carbon dioxide and oxides of nitrogen. The 747's modern navigational gear permits this data to be coordinated with aircraft location, altitude, temperature and speed at the time of measurements.

The ozone layer of the upper atmosphere absorbs the greater part of ultraviolet in the sun. In mild doses this radiation causes sunburn; in larger doses, some fear it could cause skin cancer; if the full force were experienced at the earth's surface, it could be fatal to all life.

The government said nine persons were killed and more than 70 wounded in the riots. But other sources said the number was probably much greater. Martial law remained in effect today, and newspapers

By LARRY HEINZERLING
JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A nationwide survey on shoplifting in South Africa shows school-age children are the biggest offenders.

The survey also concluded that men steal more than women, that women tend to steal more as they grow older and Africans do not steal more from stores than whites.

These conclusions were drawn from a recent computerized analysis of statistics provided by retail stores to the Association of Chambers of Commerce of South Africa.

The analysis covered 2,711 reported apprehensions for shoplifting, 50 per cent of them from major cities and the other half from smaller areas.

The total number of offenses were broken down in percentages as follows:

Whites 18.1 (males 8.7, females 9.4); Africans 64.6 (males 39.0, females 33.7); Coloreds (mulattoes) 14.2 (males 8.0, females 6.2); Asiatics 2.8 (males 1.3, females 1.5).

Eric McMaster, who helped run the study, says the figures correspond remarkably closely to the percentage population

figures of the race groups in the country.

"There was a higher percentage of males than we expected, particularly as we know that more women shop than men, so it seems that a higher percentage of male customers than female customers are dishonest," he said.

Classified by occupation, the highest percentage of the sample, 25.3 per cent, claimed they were students.

In age categories, 23 per cent were under 16, another 27.5 per cent were between 16 and 20 and 16.3 per cent were between 21 and 25.

"What we are worried about generally is whether this is an indication of what will happen to the coming generation," said McMaster, noting that 67 per cent of the offenders were 25 or under.

He said it was not possible to pin down a reason for the high level of shoplifting, but it did not appear to be based on need. Only 23 per cent of those apprehended, he said, were unemployed and most of the goods stolen were not essentials such as food.

Rangoon Sees Many Arrests By Troops

RANGOON, Burma (AP) — Army trucks filled with civilians guarded by armed troops rumbled through the streets of Rangoon today, and soldiers administered more streetcorner haircuts to long-haired youths.

Otherwise life in the Burmese capital city appeared to have returned to normal following the third major flareup of violent opposition to President Ne Win's rule in 12 years.

Burmese sources said at least 4,000 to 5,000 persons have been arrested since government forces took the body of U Thant from the Rangoon University campus early Wednesday, setting off two days of street violence.

Special military tribunals were reported preparing to try more prisoners. Rangoon Radio reported Friday that 26 persons were sentenced to five years in jail and nine to three years. Today official sources said 28 more people were sentenced to three years during the week-end.

were warned not to publish casualty lists.

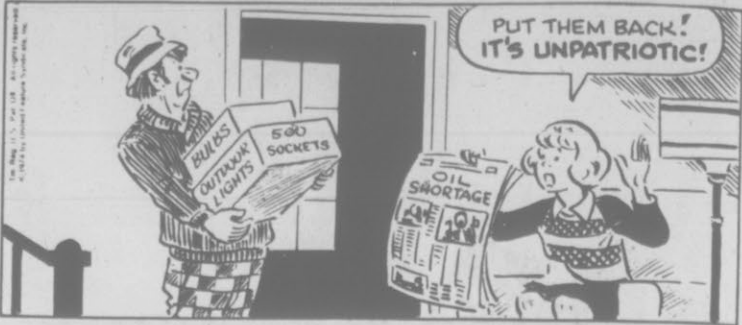
The body of the former United Nations secretary-general lay under tons of concrete in a shady park in the shadow of the Shwedagon Pagoda.

City School Lunch Menu

Lunchroom menus for this week at Greenville elementary schools have been announced as follows:

Monday—hot dogs with chili, cole slaw, french fries, milk;
Tuesday—roast turkey and gravy, rice or dressing, green beans sweet potato fluff, cranberry sauce, rolls, milk;
Wednesday—vegetable soup, crackers, peanut butter, and cranberry sauce sandwich, orange juice, Christmas cake, milk.
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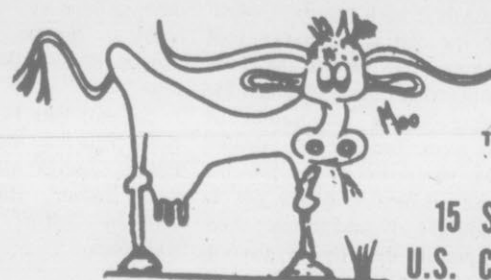
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AM America's Girl Stephanie

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Stephanie Edwards, who occasionally appeared in the "Girl With Something Extra" series, is a girl with something extra.

But she'd rather not discuss it. It's the trombone she used to play.

The fact is mentioned in a handout for ABC's new "AM America" morning show she'll be cohosting next year. And she is weary, in a good-natured way, of being kidded about the sliphorn.

"Charles, get rid of the trombone," she begged the press attaché accompanying her observer. Your observer, a fine flugelhornist, had the brass to ask about her horn. He quickly dropped the matter.

Miss Edwards, a tall, friendly young Minnesotan, comes to Fun City by way of Los Angeles, where for 3½ years she's cohosted a morning talk show with KABC-TV personality Ralph Story.

She says she got into show biz the traditional way — college drama study, a march on Hollywood and door-pounding for acting jobs between such civilian work as secretary to a minister and instructor in a modeling school.

She credits Story, who'll be the "AM America" Western correspondent, with greatly helping her career. She said she saw him on the tube one day and simply wrote him for advice on how to get started in show biz.

"He called me in for an inter-

view and hired me as a researcher," she said. "I later became his secretary and after a year of that, he had the opportunity to start the KABC show and said, 'I know you'd rather be on camera than behind it' and gave me a try."

Miss Edwards, who strikes one as a very common-sense, straightforward person, says she's found this town "not as bad as I expected, considering it's a place I never said I'd go...."

"But the thing I found the toughest to deal with is how much money it takes to live here. I am really frightened that I didn't ask for enough money."

Perchance her lawyer can take that up with ABC if the show clicks?

"If I can afford the attorney," she laughed.

The Public Broadcasting Service, which on Dec. 5 aired "Primate," a controversial documentary by Frederick Wiseman, says it's sending a 30-minute discussion program about the show today to public TV stations for broadcast at will. Wiseman appears in the second program.

The Yerkes Primate Research Center, where "Primate" was filmed, has a representative in today's show, but not the center's director, Dr. Geoffrey Bourne. He was so outraged by "Primate" he refuses to appear on any follow-up program in which Wiseman also appears.

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TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) See those bigwigs you know and gain their support for whatever means the most to you. Use tact. Handle civic matter.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) If you study into the new and progressive, you can get into some interesting venture that can make you more money.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) If you do more for others and show how much you appreciate being connected with them, you get excellent response.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) A partnership is a two-way street, so don't expect everything to go your way with partners. Civic work can increase prestige.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Get into details of work in your specialized field, make it as perfect as you can and derive right benefits.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) A good day to plan a party or accept an invitation to one. Find some pretty gift to take your hostess. Dress well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Think about kin and how to please them the most at Christmas. Give more thought to a brother, sister you may have. Reconcile.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Shop, see people, and get into the spirit of the season. Remember last-minute cards. Avoid one who has strange ideas.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Use good, mature judgment in handling monetary affairs today, as well as a more up-to-date system. Avoid a troublemaker.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You can be with interesting personalities now and much good can result. Attend to social obligations. Be considerate.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Contact a bigwig and know better how to profit from abilities. Avoid one with a chip on the shoulder.

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7:00 Truth Or	12:00 News	12:05 Search For	12:10 The Young
8:00 Gunsmoke	1:00 The Young	1:00 Maude	1:00 World Turns
9:00 Rhoda	2:00 Guiding	2:00 Edge Night	2:00 Price Right
10:00 Med. Center	3:00 Match Game	4:00 Mod Squad	4:00 Big Valley
11:00 Final Report	5:00 CBS News	5:00 CBS News	5:00 CBS News
12:00 Jokers' Wild	6:00 CBS News	6:00 CBS News	6:00 CBS News
1:00 You See It	7:00 CBS News	7:00 CBS News	7:00 CBS News
11:30 Love Life	11:30 CBS News	11:30 CBS News	11:30 CBS News

WITN—Ch. 7

MONDAY	12:00	12:05	12:10
7:00 Holly Squ	12:00 News Noon	12:05 NBC News	12:10 NBC News
8:00 Bear Slept	1:00 Jackpot	1:00 Jeopardy	1:00 Days of Lives
9:00 Cite Wilson	2:00 Days of Lives	2:00 Doctors	2:00 Mother Wid.
10:00 Movies	3:00 Marriage	4:00 Somerset	4:00 Bewitched
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WCTI—Ch. 12

MONDAY	1:00	1:05	1:10
6:00 News	1:00 Deal	1:05 Newlywed	1:10 Girl
7:00 Griffith	2:00 Police	2:00 Life	2:00 Pyle
8:00 Rookies	3:00 Rascals	3:00 Gilligan	3:00 News
9:00 Bowl	4:00 CBS News	4:00 CBS News	4:00 CBS News
10:00 Movies	5:00 CBS News	5:00 CBS News	5:00 CBS News
11:00 News	6:00 CBS News	6:00 CBS News	6:00 CBS News
12:00 Second	7:00 CBS News	7:00 CBS News	7:00 CBS News
1:00 Children	8:00 CBS News	8:00 CBS News	8:00 CBS News

WUNK—Ch. 25

MONDAY	1:00	1:05	1:10
6:00 Your Future	1:00 Images	1:05 Ripples	1:10 CBS News
7:00 Issues	2:00 Earth	2:00 Earth	2:00 Earth
8:00 Wolf Trap	3:00 Philips	3:00 Philips	3:00 Philips
9:00 In the Act	4:00 CBS News	4:00 CBS News	4:00 CBS News
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- Man's nickname
- Affection
- Righteous
- Civilian dress
- Lead, copper
- Hebrew month
- Thrusting sword
- Circulate
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- Scrutinize
- Lather
- Sorrel
- Stormy
- Box
- Its capital is Lima
- Walk on the moon
- Soapstone
- Fencing sword
- Those holding office
- Pair
- Onassis
- Acknowledge
- Chubby
- Regimen
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- By way of
- High in the scale
- Wild banana
- Asian holiday
- Correlative of either

GOREN BRIDGE

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Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠762 ♠Q854 ♦AQJ103 ♣8

The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1♦ 2♥ 2♠ ?

What action do you take?

A.—Bid four hearts. Your hand has tremendous trick-taking potential, and opposite a partner who could make a vulnerable overall at the two-level, game must be a certainty, especially as the auction has marked partner with shortness in spades. A pusillanimous raise to three hearts would be competitive and could be passed.

Q.2—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠KQ83 ♥A982 ♦72 ♣A74

The bidding has proceeded:
East South West North
1♦ Dble. Pass 1♥ 2♦ ?

What do you bid now?

A.—Pass. You have a minimum takeout double, and should make that fact evident to partner by passing. Don't let your four-card support for hearts influence you to raise him—you promised support for the unbid suits when you made your takeout double.

A.3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AK987 ♥A82 ♦9543 ♣7

The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1♥ Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A.—Four hearts. An opening bid opposite an opening bid should produce game. In view of partner's heart rebid, which should show a six-card suit, your support is excellent. A raise to three hearts would be invitational, and could result in a missed game, for partner is allowed to pass with a minimum opening bid.

Q.4—North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AJ107 ♥K873 ♦742 ♣95

The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1♥ Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A.—Four hearts. Partner's bid is an attempt to reach game, and shows a hand that is better than

minimum. Since your hand is worth 10 points in support of hearts (you can add 1 point for your trump king), you must accept his invitation. A return to three hearts would suggest a minimum holding—6-8 points.

Q.5—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K103 ♥Q54 ♦AQ62 ♣K76

The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1♦ Pass 1♥ Pass 1NT Pass 3♦ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A.—Three hearts. It would be improper to bid three no trump. By jumping to three diamonds, partner has told you that his hand is unbalanced and that he would prefer to play in a suit contract. You should show your heart support and give him a choice of contracts.

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠83 ♥6 ♦KJ8732 ♣J932

The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1♦ 2♦ ?

What action do you take?

A.—Pass. It is unsound practice to double a low-level overall with nothing other than length in the opponents' suit. In this case, someone is bound to run from two diamonds doubled. Should it be West, you will be uncomfortably placed when partner elects to double the likely escape to two hearts.

Q.7—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠KQ8 ♥AKQ965 ♦KJ ♣AJ

The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
2♥ Pass 3♥ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A.—Four hearts. You are absolutely minimum for your demand opening bid so, despite partner's positive response, your first duty is to tell him that you have nothing in reserve. Any slam try must come from him.

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This 2nd day of December, 1974.
Johnnie M. Carney
Rt. 1, Box 366
Bethel, N.C.
Rosa C. McNair
204 Greenfield Terrace
Greenville, N.C.
CO-Administrators of the Estate of Richard Carney, Deceased.
Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30, 1974

NOTICE OF CREDITORS
Pitt County
The undersigned, having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Floyd T. Harrell, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of June, 1975, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This 2nd day of December, 1974.
ALBERTA W. HARRELL
EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF FLOYD T. HARRELL
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Post Office Drawer 99
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Speight, Watson and Brewer, Attorneys
Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 1974

NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK
FILE NO.: 73 SP 326
North Carolina
Pitt County
ELLA GOLD SMITH WILSON AND HUSBAND, WILLIE BRYANT WILSON
WOODROW A. SMITH (UNMARRIED), CLARA SMITH PATRICK AND HUSBAND, C. L. PATRICK; SARAH SMITH BROCK AND HUSBAND, DAVID BROCK; JOHNNIE MAE SMITH BRILEY AND HUSBAND, W. ELBERT BRILEY; THEODIS SMITH KYLE AND HUSBAND, LARRY E. KYLE
Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made in the above entitled proceeding, and under and by virtue of an order of resale made by the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt

PUBLIC NOTICES

County, the undersigned Commissioners will on Friday, December 20, 1974, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, at the court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, but subject to the confirmation of the Court, the following described land, lying and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:
TRACT 1, Situated in Winterville Township and adjoining the Town of Winterville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the eastern side of N.C. Highway 11, the west side of Chapman Street, and beginning at an iron located in Chapman Street, said iron being 380 feet North 06 deg. 44 min. East of the northeastern corner of the Bishop Tract on Chapman Street, and running thence North 83 deg. 46 min. East 33.26 feet to an iron located in the eastern edge of the right of way of N.C. Highway No. 11, thence along and with the eastern edge of the right of way of N.C. Highway No. 11 North 11 deg. 45 min. East 974.02 feet to a stake where a ditch intersects said highway, thence South 85 deg. 24 min. East 128.59 feet to a point in the center of said ditch, thence continuing with the center of said ditch South 74 deg. 13 min. East 136.85 feet to a stake in the western edge of the right of way of Chapman Street, thence along and with the western edge of Chapman Street South 06 deg. 44 min. West 916 feet to an iron, the point of beginning, and being Tract 1 containing 8.460 acres of land as shown on map surveyed by Rivers and Associates dated April 30, 1974.

TRACT 2, Lying and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina on the west side of N.C. Highway No. 11 and beginning at a stake where a ditch intersects with the western edge of the right of way of N.C. Highway No. 11 and running thence along and with the center line of said ditch North 43 deg. 23 min. West 251.29 feet to a stake located in the center line of a second ditch, thence along and with the center line of said second ditch the following courses and distances: North 23 deg. 11 min. East 69.53 feet to a point; North 52 deg. 54 min. East 113.42 feet to a point; North 31 deg. 39 min. East 65.64 feet to a point; North 56 deg. 44 min. East 122.91 feet to a point in the western edge of the right of way of N.C. Highway No. 11; thence along and with the western edge of such highway right of way South 11 deg. 56 min. West 425.39 feet to a concrete marker, thence South 78 deg. 56 min. East 10 feet to a second concrete marker, thence South 12 deg. 02 min. West 20.59 feet to a stake in the center of the first ditch, the beginning, containing 1.121 acres, more or less, and shown as Tract 1A on map prepared by Rivers and Associates, dated April 30, 1974, to which map reference is hereby made for a more complete and detailed description. Tract 1 will be offered for sale upon an opening bid of TWENTY SEVEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FORTY TWO (\$27,142.00) DOLLARS. Tract 2 will be offered for sale upon an opening bid of THIRTEEN HUNDRED TEN (\$13,100.00) DOLLARS.

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Milton C. Williamson, Commissioner
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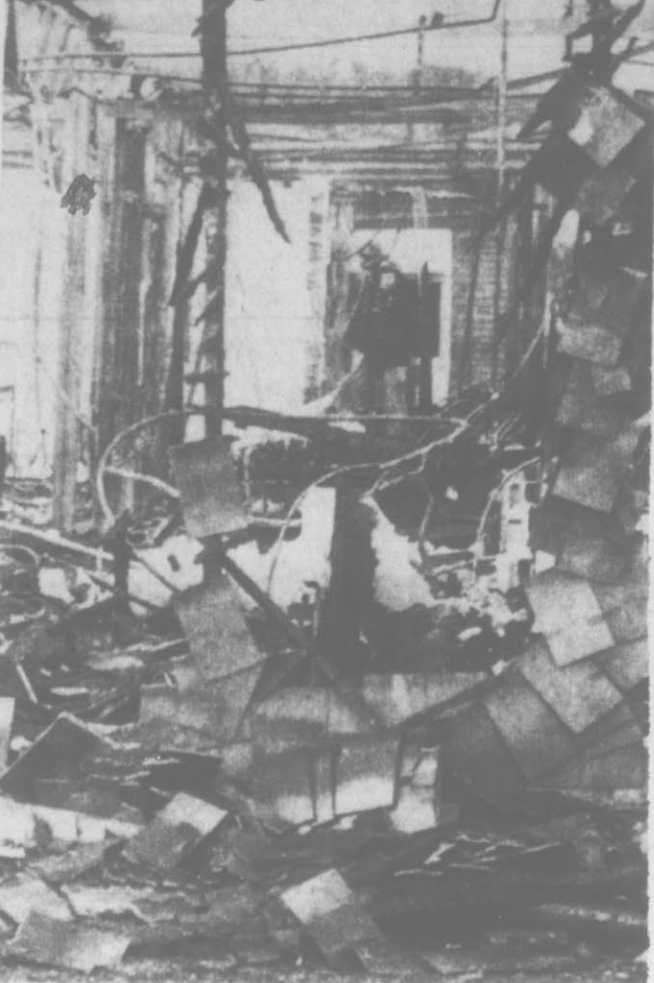
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N.C. Cities Curtail Christmas Street Lighting



DISASTER SCENE—Firemen look at the scene of devastation after putting out the Nottingham (England) fire which had swept through Fairfield Old People's Home early Sunday. Police said 18 persons died in the blaze. Most of the victims were inmates of the home but several staff members were believed to have lost their lives. (AP Wirephoto)

By VAN VANUCH
Associated Press Writer

Cities across North Carolina are trying to stroke up a Christmas atmosphere downtown, and at the same time deal with energy problems that limit decorative street lighting.

They are working without federal or state guidelines. The presence or absence of the traditional Christmas lights reflect local decision on what has become a chronic shortage of energy.

Charlotte isn't lit up this year for a very simple reason. "There are no lights to put up," says Bill Guerrant, city information director.

The Central Charlotte Association, a group of merchants, professional and businessmen that has handled street decorations in past seasons, sold the city's Christmas lights because "they were in such disrepair," Guerrant says.

"I feel if the lights had been available they would have been up," he said.

Jack Miller, executive director of the Central Charlotte Association, says he doesn't know what the city will do next year. "There are no plans at this time to get more lights. I don't

know who's going to pick it up from here."

Retired Col. James Breckenridge, executive director of the Downtown Fayetteville Association, said his organization has put up decorations, including lights.

"The bulbs are in, but they're not lighted," he said. "We have received no guidelines from federal or state officials. We're doing this because we think it's right and proper."

Fort Bragg Army base at Fayetteville has also banned outdoor lighting in troop and housing areas to conserve energy.

The lights are burning in Hickory, but not as long as in previous years.

Downtown Association President Robert Walker said where as his city used to have its multicolored lights glowing from dusk until dawn, this year they are cut on at 6 p.m. and cut off at 11 p.m. The lights are off on weekends.

"We have our lights on at the absolute minimum of time people are in the area, shopping," Walker said. "Although we have cut back drastically, this still enables us to have a little of the Christmas atmosphere."

Hickory, like most other cities, didn't light itself up last year, because "It was an unpatriotic thing to do at that time," when government officials had asked for a reduction in use of electricity, Walker said.

"It was a crisis situation last year, but there has been no recommendation this year that there not be any lighting," he said.

Kinston turned its lights on officially Dec. 4, and will turn them off the day after Christmas. They are switched on at 5 p.m. and turned off at 9:30 p.m., about an hour earlier than when the country had plenty of energy.

In setting the lighting time, "The city council made it quite clear we would take a long hard look at the energy situation on a week to week basis," said Kinston City Manager Robert Brigman. "If we're going to be pressed for electricity, will simply turn them off."

Greensboro began a new system last year, in which reflective decorations were put up around street lights.

"We're using the same thing we did last year, with a few

improvements here and there," said Stanley Cilbreth, executive vice president of the Greensboro Merchants Association. "The foil and garlands pick up and reflect light very well."

He said the scheme is made possible by Greensboro's new street lighting system, in which four lights are on each street lamp about 10 feet above the sidewalk.

On the other hand, Asheville's new downtown lighting system will prevent Christmas lights from being strung up this year, says Mrs. CRYSTAL Strom, executive secretary manager of the city's merchants association.

She said the city put in a new underground wiring system, and there was no way to patch in the Christmas lights. However, she said some merchants have put up lights outside their establishments.

The lights are strong and burning brightly in Raleigh. "Until we get a federal order or until Carolina Power and Light Co. requests that we stop

we're going to do it," says Wesley Williams, executive director of the local merchants association.

"There is a lot of excess lighting in other places. If there is any one time the city needs to have decorations this is it," Williams said. "And, public sentiment is on the side of turning the lights on."

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States Lose Tax Revenue

WASHINGTON (AP)—Military commissaries in North Carolina cost state government between \$2 and \$3 million in lost sales tax revenues during the last fiscal year, Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., said Sunday.

South Carolina and six other states lost a similar amount while Virginia lost more than \$4.89 million.

Nationally, the 300 post exchanges, the nation's "fourth largest food chain," cost state governments more than \$44.5 million in lost taxes, he said.

Aspin said commissaries were established "when the military was underpaid and when posts were in the boon-docks." Now, he said, military pay is comparable to non-military wages, with the lowest ranking servicemen or woman receiving \$6,844.21 after basic training.

The commissaries cost the public about \$100 million a year

in direct subsidies and another \$400 million in operating costs, Aspin said, objecting to all those outside isolated areas.

Burton Romance Said Broken Off

LONDON (AP) — Princess Elizabeth of Yugoslavia has broken off an eight-week romance with actor Richard Burton and has returned to her husband in London, the Daily Mail reported Monday.

The London newspaper said the 38-year-old princess had rejoined her banker husband Neil Balfour, their son Nicholas and her two daughters by a previous marriage.

"Yes, I am back. There is nothing more to say," she was quoted as saying. The Daily Mail said friends said Princess Elizabeth told them that Burton's drinking was one of the reasons for the breakup. "I didn't realize it takes more than a woman to make a man sober," she was quoted as saying.



TRADE OFFERED—President Ford Sunday offered, jokingly, to trade his news secretary Ron Nessen for Nicole Sequin, above, who works for the French press office. Nicole is shown here in the press center of the Hotel Meridien, at Trois Islets, Martinique. (AP Wirephoto)

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Everyone gathers in the dining room to eat a holiday feast and talk over the year's events. Set a beautiful table for the festivities with this antique white, French style group or this Mediterranean group in a natural finish.

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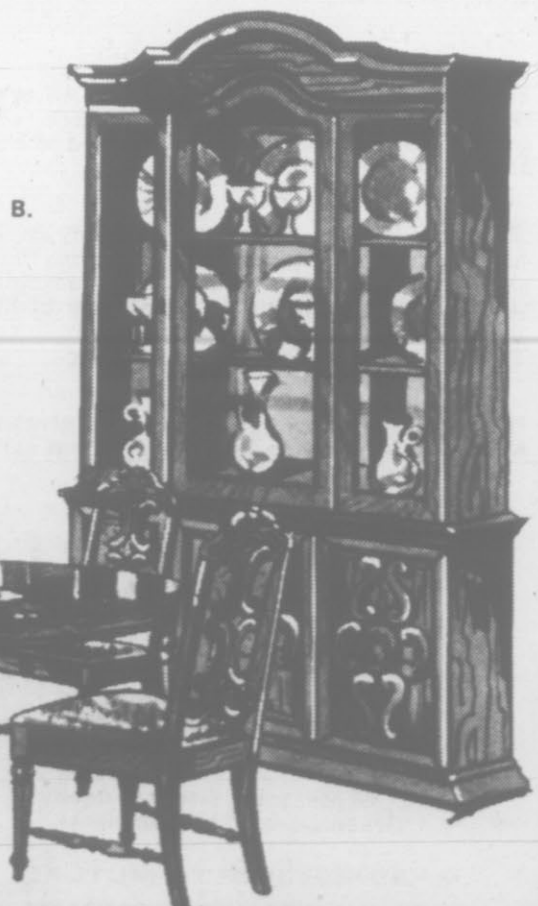
A. Prepare your finest Christmas feast and serve it proudly on this French style group in rich, antique white accented by a delicate touch of yellow. Grained table top and server has a natural wood contrasting top. Cabriole legs and ribbon back

effect on chairs. China has decorative molding effect on doors and interior lighting. Additional arm chairs.....\$59.95 Additional side chairs.....\$49.95 Lighted China purchased separately.....\$229.95

- Oval Table
- 3 Side Chairs
- 1 Arm Chair

B. If you prefer a natural finish choose this Mediterranean group with a lustrous fruitwood stain finish. You'll appreciate the fine attention to detail, defined with ornate scrollwork on doors and chair-

backs and matching butterfly graining on tabletop. Additional arm chairs.....\$59.95 Additional side chairs.....\$49.95 Lighted China purchased separately.....\$229.95



8 Piece Group Your Choice \$599

- Oval Table
- 5 Side Chairs
- 1 Arm Chair
- Lighted China