

Military Factions Wage Lisbon Battle

By STEPHENS BROENING
Associated Press Writer
LISBON, Portugal (AP) — Air force planes bombed the barracks of an artillery regiment near Lisbon today and paratroops surrounded it as the national radio said there had been "a rising against democratic order."

The 1st Light Artillery Regiment near the airport, blasting holes in the red tile roofs of the barracks buildings and shattering windows. "Several men were killed. We don't know how many," said an officer at the scene. Sources said the fighting involved rival factions of the military, which toppled

Portugal's 45-year dictatorship last April 25 and has been ruling the country in preparation for elections. The national radio, which said it was broadcasting for the 5th Division of the Lisbon military high command, called on residents to remain calm and united with the armed forces. The communiqué said the in-

urrection "can in no way succeed." Paratroops in battle gear took up positions in a ring around the barracks wall at a distance of more than 100 yards. They were at construction sites, near apartment buildings and along the main road to the Spanish border. There was no firing after

the planes attacked. The aircraft circled slowly in the sky, making occasional passes over the barracks. Two jets stalked them at higher altitude. A passer-by reported seeing one of the buildings at the artillery unit barracks on fire. Meanwhile, witnesses said

armor and mobile anti-aircraft guns were converging on the capital from the outskirts. Military planes were visible over Lisbon. Officers went to a factory near the airport and said the workers should be sent home and the factory closed because of the danger. Sources in Madrid said the

artillery regiment that was bombed had recently taken a sharp turn to the left politically. Reports reaching Madrid also said leftist radio stations in Lisbon were calling on people to come out to the streets. Portugal's present military led government says it will hold a constitutional assembly next month and

legislative elections in the fall, but left-wing and moderate factions within the military have been differing over the military's future role in running the nation. Spanish officials in Madrid said Lisbon airport had been closed and that the Spanish national airline Iberia had suspended flights to Lisbon because of the fighting.

Hanoi Unleashes Attacks

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — North Vietnamese troops backed by tanks launched widespread attacks across South Vietnam today, toppling district capitals, bases and outposts, cutting highways and threatening to seize their second provincial capital in two months, military officials said. Officials said the situation in the lower central highlands provincial capital of Ban Me Thuot — where nine Americans are trapped — worsened when North Vietnamese reinforcements backed by tanks renewed their assaults on the city and captured many parts of the town.

"Communist forces have launched a nationwide military campaign in South Vietnam," the Saigon command said. Heavy casualties were reported but no total count was available. In Cambodia, heavy shelling of the Phnom Penh airport again curtailed the American airlift of rice from South Vietnam and DC8 jets bringing ammunition and other military supplies from Thailand. About 15 per cent less cargo was delivered.

South Vietnamese field reports said the reinforced 4,000-man government garrison at Ban Me Thuot had lost radio contact with the corps headquarters at Pleiku after one tank scored a direct hit on the

city hall command post. But it remained in contact with observation planes acting as a relay station. Lt. Col. Le Trung Hien, chief spokesman for the Saigon command, said the command staff at Ban Me Thuot had moved outside the headquarters to operate with ranger reinforcements flown in by helicopter. The Saigon command said the fighting—the heaviest since the fall of Phuoc Long Province north of Saigon last Jan. 7 — marks the start of a general offensive.

"Communist forces have actually begun their nationwide offensive campaign..." the command said in a communiqué. "North Vietnamese units, supported by tanks and artillery, launched many shelling and ground attacks against government civilian population centers and military installations across South Vietnam."

In efforts to drive back two North Vietnamese regiments and other supporting units numbering perhaps 4,000 men with between 40 and 50 tanks, South Vietnamese bombers mounted 100 missions around the city, officers said. One of the bombers immediately knocked out the tank that made the direct hit on city hall, field reports said. A second tank was destroyed behind the city treasury building, the reports said.

This raised to 14 the number of North Vietnamese tanks

claimed destroyed by South Vietnamese air and ground forces in the Ban Me Thuot battle. The Americans trapped in Ban Me Thuot, a city of 165,000 located 155 miles northeast of Saigon, included Paul Struharik, an official of the U.S. Agency for International Development in charge of the refugee and resettlement program, and eight missionaries from the Christian Missionary Alliance.

A U.S. Embassy spokesman said that at last report the Americans were safe and that evacuation "will have to wait until the military situation stabilizes." "We are in contact with them," he said. "They are not in need of food and water and are in good spirits. Because of the fighting and anti-aircraft fire we cannot evacuate them but we hope to do so when the situation permits."

He said also that one Iranian and one Indonesian member of the four-nation International Commission of Control and Supervision are in the city. Military officials said the North Vietnamese overran three more district capitals and attacked two others including one 40 miles northwest of Saigon, leaving their fate in doubt. They also shelled three major air bases.

Highway 22 leading to the provincial capital of Tay Ninh was cut about 40 miles northwest of Saigon by North Vietnamese and Viet Cong troops who seized a hamlet and blockaded the road, military sources said. The government launched an operation to reopen the vital supply line.

Hien said government forces knocked out two North Vietnamese tanks that basted their way into the district capital of Tri Tam, 40 miles northwest of Saigon, and blew up a concrete bridge just on the outskirts of the town to stop other tanks from advancing. Military sources said a base camp less than five miles to the south of Tri Tam was overrun by the North Vietnamese.

Big Shakeup In Cambodia

By MATT FRANJOLA
Associated Press Writer

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — President Lon Nol has asked Prime Minister Long Boret to form a new cabinet in a sweeping shakeup that included the ouster of the commander in chief of the armed forces, political and diplomatic sources said today.

The cabinet shuffle was seen as the start of a major change

in leadership that is intended to expand civilian control over the government and could lead to the fall of Lon Nol himself. Some sources said the U.S. Embassy was behind the shake-up.

Political sources said Long Boret tendered his resignation late Monday saying his government "is incapable of leading the country any more" following the removal of a province chief without consulting his cabinet.

The sources said Lon Nol accepted the resignation and immediately renamed Long Boret to form a new government. The prime minister and the former cabinet met with Lon Nol at his palace late today to deliberate on the composition of the new government, the sources said.

The reported resignation came as a surprise to political observers in Phnom Penh, who only two days ago had been told such a reshuffle would wait until after the U.S. Congress voted on a \$222 million emergency military aid bill for Cambodia.

NEW APPROACH

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Attorney Allen Bailey, president of the Baptist State Convention, has asked the Charlotte City Council to restrict pornography by having such material declared a public nuisance.

Oppose Crop Cut

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The world's food supply is too thin to justify cutting crop acreage, top food officials for the United Nations say. They took issue with the concern of some U.S. farmers about price drops and speculation about a coming bumper grain crop.

"The cold, hard facts" are that today there are no grain reserves in North America, which supplies 70 per cent of the world's food grains and cereals, said John A. Hannah, former president of Michigan State University and former head of the U.S. foreign aid agency. It will take at least three years of bumper crops to build proper reserves. Until then, "no one should be deferred from an all out effort to increase production," he said.

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

Golden Frinks, state field secretary for the Southern Christian Leadership Conference and the Rev. Leon White, director of the North Carolina Commission for Racial Justice were on hand here yesterday for the opening of the Free Joanne Little Committee-Coalition headquarters... a tent on Albemarle Avenue at the South Alley intersection.

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Summer Fuel Alert

RALEIGH (AP)—The staff of the State Utilities Commission has predicted that natural gas will be in short supply for North Carolina industries this summer.

The staff study, released Monday, said that factories which do not have "firm contracts" for natural gas will have to find alternative fuels. Alternatives, such as propane, are available. But they are more expensive.

Normally in the summer, factories without firm contracts are able to get natural gas for a cheaper rate on an "interruptible" basis. Interruptible contracts can be cut off in time of shortage. But because residential users need less gas in the summer, it has been available for industrial users.

The prediction is based on an estimated 36 per cent shortage of normal gas allocations this summer, the staff report said.

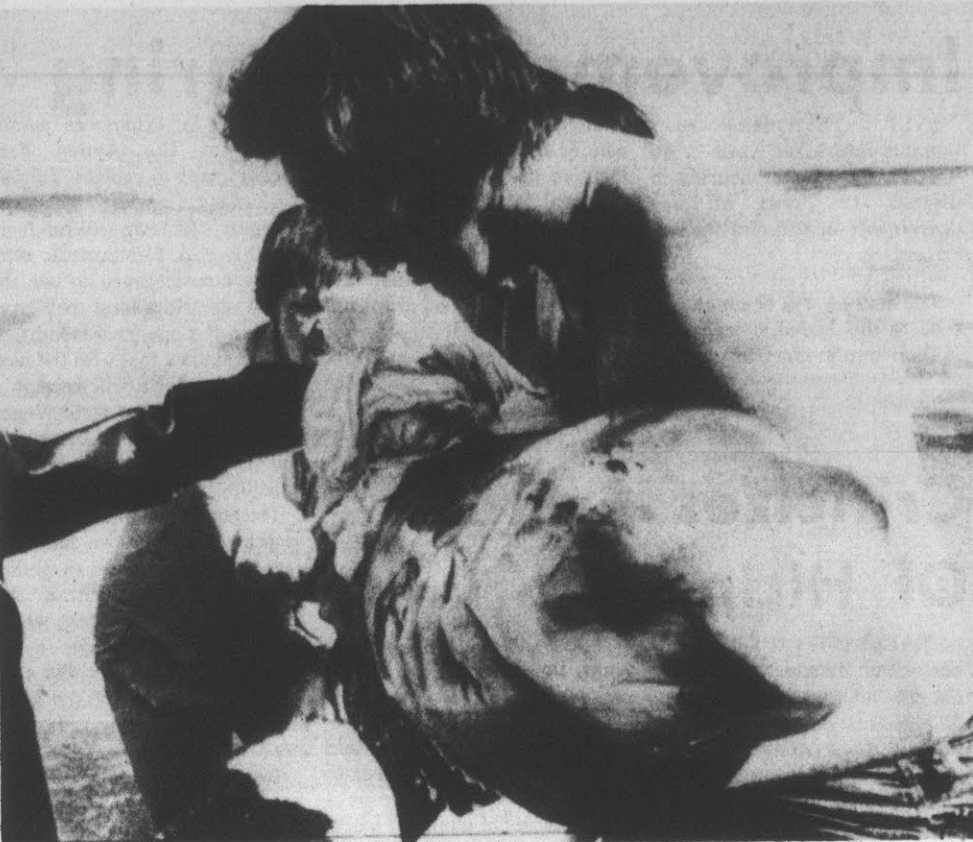
HQ Of Joanne Little Campaign Opens Here

By STUART SAVAGE
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was attempting to rape her in her jail cell. Frinks noted that the Rev. Ralph Abernathy — national director of the SCLC — will participate in a rally and march here Thursday afternoon to "protest against racial and political repression in Eastern North Carolina," and to solicit support for the Free Joanne Little Committee. According to Frinks, the

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MOTHER WHALE AND CALF RESCUED—Unidentified rescue workers carry a female pigmy sperm whale and her newborn calf, wrapped in towels, from the Jacksonville (Fla.) Beach surf Monday. (AP Wirephoto)

Strangers United To Rescue Whales

JACKSONVILLE BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Strangers became friends in a common cause as 50 people joined two Marine patrol officers in an effort to save a beached, wounded mother whale and her newborn calf.

"Here were all these people not paying any attention to each other," said Marine Patrolman Ronald R. Tedder. "And along come two helpless creatures... and then we're all on a first name basis, beaming, smiling and freezing together."

The group struggled for more than three hours Monday until the pigmy sperm whales, making no effort to free themselves, could be pulled from the surf and taken to a marine park at St. Augustine.

"We had to keep them from drying out or getting sunburn and keep them from being pounded by the surf," Tedder said. "But just standing there was a problem. We had to stay in waist-deep water in waves about two feet high. It took eight of us in shifts on each side, two on the tail, to support the mother. She must have sensed we were trying to help her."

The 10-foot, 1,500-pound mother beached herself after apparently being injured by a boat propeller or a fishing net, Tedder said. The three-foot baby, about a day old, simply followed its mother.

Tedder said he explained to everyone who offered help that the big whale could swing her tail and injure someone.

"I warned them, but they still helped," he said. "The only thing she did was get us all wet."

Bathers gave up their beach towels and blankets in the cause.

"One woman ran a quarter-mile down the beach to get us towels," Tedder said.

He said one teen-age girl in a bikini kept her arms around the baby whale for three hours until a truck came for the animals.

"The girl turned blue, the water was so cold," Tedder said. "But she said, 'It's my job. I'm going to keep holding this baby.' And she did."

Amend Policy On Personnel Of Commission

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer

An amendment to the personnel policies of the Redevelopment Commission and adoption of a pay plan that conforms with the city received commission approval Monday night.

The action involving the personnel policies is the same as adopted last week by the Housing Authority and provides for additional accrual of vacation time and unlimited accumulation of sick leave.

The amended policy provides for employees to accrue 15 earned vacation days per year after ten years of service, and 21 earned vacation days after 20 years with the Commission. The old plan provided for one earned vacation day per month or 12 per year.

Under the amended version, employees will also be able to earn one day sick leave per calendar month or 12 days annually in contrast to ten days per year under the old policy. Employees will now be able to accumulate an unlimited amount of sick leave during their service tenures with the Commission and apply the accumulation to his advantage at retirement. A 30-day limit on sick leave accumulation existed prior to the amendment. Executive director Joe Laney

explained that the pay plan, which would make the starting salary grades of new employees comparable to the city schedule, would not affect present staff members. The initial pay grade for the first salary level would be increased under the new plan. The pay plan was also on the Housing Authority agenda last week for consideration and a workshop was held on the matter last Wednesday.

Commissioners, in discussing the possibility of cost of living increases for employees, followed the recommendation of Laney in not authorizing new increases for all staffers but approving the awarding of merit increases for deserving employees as judged by the director.

Laney, noting that the city recently adopted a five per cent cost of living adjustment with a ceiling of \$600, said the financial situation of the Redevelopment Commission and Housing Authority is such that automatic increases every six months for all employees can not be afforded at this time.

Board members accepted the bid of S. G. Wilkerson and partners for a 6,074 square foot disposal parcel (D-6) located directly east of the present Wilkerson Funeral Home facilities on Evans Street. (Continued on page 6)

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TOLL-FREE SERVICE?

People on the Fountain telephone line (about 425 of us) are very pleased with having been provided toll-free service to Farmville. I wonder what the possibilities are of getting toll-free service to Greenville, which would connect us with most of the rest of the county. Mrs. W. C.

Carolina Telephone has to be neutral in efforts to institute toll-free service between one area and another, District Commercial Manager Don Collier said.

The first step, he said, is for every person who would like to see toll-free service between Fountain and Greenville to write to him at Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, 401 W. Fifth Street, Greenville, N.C. 27834. He needs letters showing there is an interest among civic groups and the towns and their chambers of commerce, as well as among individuals who would work for the desired result.

If there seems to be sufficient interest, studies will be done to determine the volume of calls made between Greenville and Fountain now.

If the N.C. Utilities Commission feels there are enough calls and enough interest to warrant the idea, it will approve the polling of all subscribers involved to see if they would approve the increasing of rates needed to offset the revenue of toll calls between the same two areas.

REFUND RECEIVED

On Nov. 5, I ordered some foam rubber balls from Lee Ward's in Elgin, Ill. They have cashed my \$7.21 check, but haven't sent me anything yet. Mrs. W. W.

Hotline wrote on your behalf the first week in January, and you report you have a refund now.

Local Economy 'Good' Compared With Others

By JAMES KYLE
Reflector Staff Writer

The Greenville economy is very good compared to other parts of the state and country and this city has been fortunate, according to many area

businessmen.

"The strong agricultural base and excellent diversification of local industry has held up the local economy," said Wally Howard, senior vice-president and regional director of

Wachovia Bank.

Harold Creech, director of Greenville Chamber of Commerce and Merchant's Association, said Greenville is fortunate to have a good economy. Business is very good

for this time of year, there have been a minimum number of layoffs, and building starts are actually up from last year, Creech said.

Most local businessmen questioned are at least holding

their own and some businesses even report an increase in sales. Fred Beauman of J. C. Penney Co. said he hasn't noticed any drop in the market for the past year, and his business is better than last year.

Some stores are not doing as well, however. Rose's assistant manager Johnny Brown reports that business is off. "We are holding our own with others at Pitt Plaza. Business is gradually (Continued on page 2)

N. Viet Strategy Anticipated

By SPENCER DAVIS
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Senior American officials say Communist troops are massing for a spring offensive in Vietnam, where a showdown battle could develop in the next six weeks.

Intelligence reports indicate the Communist strategy is to grab as much land as possible in South Vietnam and then ask for a cease-fire. The next step would be to return to the negotiating table, where the Communists would attempt to negotiate for what remains of South Vietnam.

One of the key targets of the expected North Vietnamese

spring offensive is expected to be the bustling provincial capital of Tay Ninh, in the "Parrot's Beak" region near the Cambodian border. The city would provide a capital for the provisional revolutionary government of the Viet Cong.

While the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong may mass enough men to capture Tay Ninh, experts here do not believe the Communist forces can hold it against a determined South Vietnamese counter attack.

Other Communist objectives are in the rice-growing delta region and Kontum in the mid-

section, where the Communist forces have sought repeatedly to divide the south in half.

State Department spokesman Robert Funseth acknowledged Monday that there is now a heavy movement of men and supplies from North to South Vietnam. He said that close to 50,000 troops have moved south on the Ho Chi Minh Trail since the beginning of January.

Funseth said intelligence reports indicate the North Vietnamese "plan to continue heavy offensive action for the foreseeable future." He said the action again demonstrates Hanoi's gross violation of the 1973 Paris Peace Agreement.

According to intelligence reports, North Vietnam has moved its 968th Division from Laos into South Vietnam. The 341st Division is on the move southward and elements of the 316th and 312th Division are in the south.

According to American authorities, the cuts in the Ford administration's requests for military aid and the open debate on Cambodia is believed to be encouraging North Vietnam to take risks it would not have

attempted one year ago. Hanoi depends on both the Soviet Union and China for military assistance. According to some analysts here, the Chinese are continuing their flow of supplies now but are not committed to do so indefinitely.

The Chinese are believed to be unhappy at the thought that all of Indochina would be under the hegemony of Hanoi while the Soviet Union maintains more than one million armed men on the Chinese border.

Dr. Malene Irons Addresses Meeting

Dr. Marlene Irons was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Elm Street Senior Citizens Club Thursday morning.

Dr. Irons, director of the Developmental Evaluation Clinic, told the group of the many things that are being done at the clinic to help children.

President Harriett Roseveare presided at the meeting and the Rev. Henry Lofquist gave the devotional.

Mrs. Retha Dunn, Ways and Means chairman, gave a report and Mrs. Jessie Little read the minutes from the last meeting.

The club was extended an invitation to see the Rose High School art exhibits at the Greenville Art Center.

Mrs. Louise Harrington was welcomed as a new member.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Queenie Clark, Mrs. Pattie Mizelle, Rev. Henry Lofquist, Mrs. Katherine Lofquist, Mrs. Lillie Rose and Mrs. Emma Wygart.

The March hospitality persons are: Mrs. Eva Corbett, Mrs. Alma Paramore and Mrs. Helen Snyder.

Ayden Bd. Sets Date Of Improvements Hearing

AYDEN—The Ayden Board of Commissioners set April 14 as the date for a public hearing to discuss the cost of improvements on Mill and Juanita Streets.

The hearing will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Ayden court room. The town's electric depart-

ment presented a policy letter concerning underground services to the commissioners for approval. Dr. Dixon said he felt the contractors and builders in the area should be notified of the policy to see if they had any suggestions concerning the matter. Action on the matter will be taken at the April meeting.

Robert L. Tripp was named chief of the Ayden Fire Department to replace Tillman Chauncey, who resigned recently. His term will run from April 1, 1975, to March 31, 1976.

The board agreed to use the same electric billing they have used in the past two months. It was explained that with the next billing, the town will receive a full 30-day billing from Vepco and would be able to determine the cost to the town and to the consumers.

The board was informed by its attorney that the town could not legally post rewards to obtain information concerning the shooting of insulators which caused a power outage in the town. The board was told that only the governor of the state has the authority to post rewards.

Town Manager Don Russell explained the insulators had been shot and chipped, causing a shortage and power outage for about two hours.

It was announced that the town had received personal property taxes from the Free Will Baptist Press for the year 1974. The board approved the amount of money received to be placed against the 1974 levy for collection.

LWV President At Conference

Rhea Resnik, president of the local League of Women Voters, attended a Regional Litigation Conference in Atlanta, Georgia March 7 and 8. Held at the Marriott Motor Inn, the conference was sponsored by the League of Women Voters' Education Fund and was funded by the Ford Foundation.

Representatives from ten southern states participated. The Greenville league was one of

six leagues in North Carolina invited to send a participant.

The litigation workshop was led by national LWV Litigation Department lawyers who spoke on going to court in the public interest.

A workshop on improvement goals dealt with employment laws and their enforcement during times of economic hardship. Among those speaking at the workshop were Ms. Eliza Paschal, a representative of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; William E. Harris, Dept. of Labor, Task Force on Migrant Labor; and Emory Via, from the Southern Regional Council.

A third workshop focused on the use of litigation in meeting local, state and national land use goals and encouraging land use planning.

Criticizes System Of Hiring Workers

CHARLOTTE (AP)—A member of the Mecklenburg County Mental Health Advisory Board, Bertha Maxwell, has criticized the state's system of hiring mental-health workers.

She says it doesn't make allowances for hiring more blacks when needed, and thus is biased against black patients.

Dr. Maxwell, a doctor of philosophy, is director of black studies at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. She made her remarks Monday at an advisory board meeting during a discussion of charges by nine staff members of the Mecklenburg County Mental Health Center. The staff members said black patients are not being given adequate counseling because of a shortage of black counselors. They said that because of dissimilar backgrounds, white counselors cannot identify adequately with the problems of blacks.

There are six black therapists

on the staff of 38. Black patients make up 28 per cent of the patients.

The area mental health director, William E. O'Connor, said the local program is required to get all new employees from a state register of qualified workers, which has few blacks.

As the result of complaints by the staff members, the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare is sending a team of mental-health specialists to review the Mecklenburg County program. They will be in Charlotte March 24th through the 27th.

Economy...

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getting better," Brown said.

Jesse Laughinghouse of Bostic-Sugg Furniture Co. said his business is "holding up real well" but this is not the case all over. He has visited furniture companies in the western part of the state and reports their sales are all down.

Malcolm Williams of Greenville T.V. and Appliance Inc. said more people are building and buying appliances for their new homes. "As it gets warmer, people will be getting out and building more," Williams said.

Joe Taft, Jr. of Taft Furniture Co. agrees that sales will improve as the weather becomes warmer.

Phillip Michaels, tax supervisor for Pitt County, said there has been an increase in inventory values for local businesses. However, this is probably due to inflation. Actual inventory counts are probably down, Michaels said, but inflation has driven the values of the inventory over what they were last year.

Most businessmen believe business will improve throughout the year, although Laughinghouse does not think there will be much pick-up until the last quarter of the year.

CHURCH SPEAKER
The Rev. James H. Brown of Upper Octorara Presbyterian Church in Parkersburg, Pa. will speak at Northwest Christian Church on Carey Road here Monday through Wednesday of next week. Services begin at 7:30 each evening. The public is invited.

DEDICATION SET
FARMVILLE — Wesley United Methodist Church here will dedicate its fellowship hall to the memory of the Rev. Key Wesley Taylor May 18. The Rev. Taylor, who was pastor of this church for a number of years, died yesterday.



ACTIVE SERVICE—Prince Charles, nicknamed The Red Dragon, is welcomed aboard the aircraft carrier HMS Hermes by Captain Derek Raffell, right, Monday. The 26-year-old prince, who is a lieutenant in the Royal Navy, made a perfect landing on the carrier to start active service as a navy helicopter pilot. As Prince of Wales, his banner bears a rampant red dragon, hence his nickname in the navy. (AP Wirephoto)

Joanne...

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march will begin at the "Resurrection City", and lead to the Pitt County Court House.

Frinks indicated that original plans for Abernathy to be in Greenville Friday and in Winston-Salem on Wednesday had to be changed.

Greenville Police Chief Glenn Cannon confirmed that the SCLC has applied for a parade permit for a Thursday afternoon march.

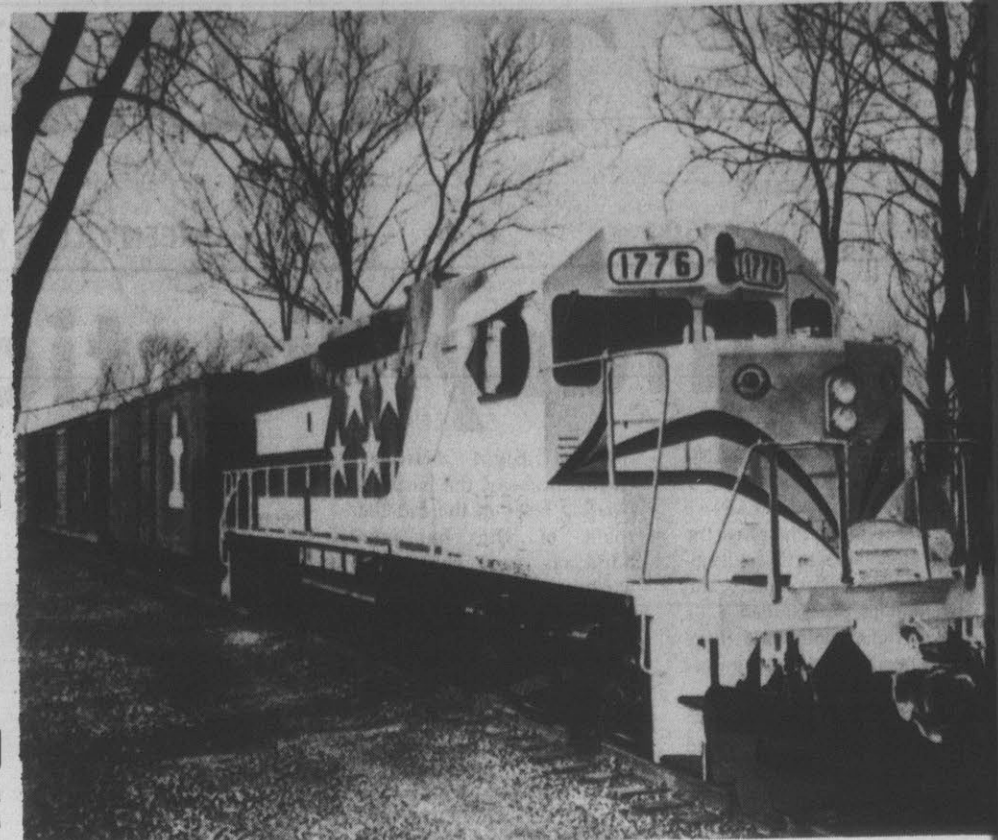
The application, Cannon said, requests a permit for a march between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. by from 100 to 1,500 persons.

The permit application calls for the parade to move down Albemarle Avenue to Fifth Street, down Fifth Street to Evans, and down Evans to the Court House. The application calls for a return march along the same route.

The Rev. White said it is the position of the Free Joanne Little Committee that "it is unjust to even take her to trial." Saying her murder case should be not prosed, White said "there is no way any juror in North Carolina can sit on that case with an open mind. The only just thing is to let her go."

"Apparently a capital crime was being perpetrated against her. We're saying the charges should be dropped," he added.

White noted too, "we feel Joanne Little is being used," by the Joanne Little Defense Fund as a "national political thing to embarrass the State of North Carolina." He added that "this local effort", the Free Joanne Little Committee, "is trying to bring this (case) back into perspective."



SPRIT OF '76 — Illinois Central Gulf's Bicentennial train, painted in red, white and blue, was on its maiden trip from Chicago to New Orleans Monday when it hit a tank truck at a crossing just south of Brookhaven, Miss. The

truck exploded in flames, burning the engine and killing the engineer. This ICG photo shows the train as it began its trip in the Chicago suburb of Homewood, Ill. (AP Wirephoto)

Reduced Foreign Aid Is Coming Before House

WASHINGTON (AP) — The foreign aid appropriation bill that comes before the House Thursday is \$2.5 billion below administration requests and \$2.3 billion less than last year's appropriation.

Rep. Otto E. Passman, D-La., chairman of the House foreign aid appropriations subcom-

mittee, said Monday that the \$3.5-billion bill for foreign aid and related programs represented "the largest cut in an administration foreign-aid request since the program began after World War II."

The \$3.5 billion includes \$2.8 billion for U.S. military and economic foreign aid, a cut of \$2 billion from the administration's request; and \$736 million for related programs, a cut of \$464 million.

In turn, the \$2.8 billion consists of \$2 billion in economic aid, \$490 in military assistance and \$300 million for foreign mil-

itary sale loans. The related programs include the Peace Corps, U.S. contributions to three international development banks and aid for refugees.

A report by Passman's subcommittee said U.S. aid has totaled about \$164 billion since it began in 1948, plus \$106 billion in interest on borrowings for the \$164 billion for a combined total of \$270 billion.

The report said the major recipients have been South Vietnam, \$22.5 billion; South Korea, \$11.9 billion; India, \$7.6 billion and France, \$7.3 billion.

Song Group At Church Friday

The Apostolic Echoes of Elm City will be singing Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Faith Assembly of God.

The church is located on the Bethel Highway, north of Burroughs Wellcome.

The pastor, Steve R. Jones, invites the public to attend.

There is no historical evidence that the United States flag was ever raised by the army during the Revolutionary War.

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GETTING IN SHAPE . . . Platoon 1-A of Women Marines heads out for daily running exercise at

Parris Island, S. C., Women Marine Recruit Training Battalion. (AP Wirephoto)

Women Marine Recruits Follow Rigid Training Schedule Cycle

By CINDY THAMES
Savannah Morning News Writer
Written for
The Associated Press
PARRIS ISLAND, S.C. (AP)—
Sgt. Linda Mercer, a Woman
Marine with seven years' ser-

vice in the corps, recalled a volleyball game in Washington, D.C., with Army and Air Force women.
"They told us they'd figured we'd be seven feet tall and all muscle," she said, "they were

surprised to see these petite Marines."
Sgt. Mercer is one of the four drill instructors in charge of Platoon 1-A of the Women Marine Recruit Training Battalion at Parris Island.

Having heard the notion that WMs are merely skirted versions of men Marines, I took a 26-hour "tour" with 1-A to find out what WMs are really like. I joined the platoon when the privates were 32 days through their 49-day cycle.

On first impression, the recruits appeared identical and almost mechanical in their humble light blue physical training uniforms. Their eyes stared straight ahead, they never smiled. They automatically obeyed every command of a superior.

By 9 p.m., when I slipped into a recruit-made bunk with its 45-degree angles and six-inch folds, knocked out by the pace of the day, 1-A had shown me plenty of life.

The demands on a recruit for unquestioning obedience, attention, and military perfection begin at 5 a.m. and rarely let up until she hits the rack at 9 p.m. On the day I spent with them, the women attended four 50-minute classes, prepared for and stood silently at attention during a two-hour long CO's inspection, and ran two miles.

They marched in formation from one place to another, singing on command. And once released into the relative refuge of

their squad bay, they scurried about preparing for the next demand in their schedule.

The DIs, and any other superiors who happened along, maintained complete control over the privates. Beneath the surface of the regimented, authoritarian atmosphere existed a level of camaraderie, mutual trust, respect and humor.

That night, Sgt. Mercer, making final inspection of her crew before lights-out, with her usual no-nonsense air, strode between the rows of pajama-clad privates.

"Those toenails need shining," she dead-panned without breaking pace. A wave of giggles followed in her wake.

When I had the chance to talk to the recruits, I found out that most of them had been motivated by desires to travel, get an education without burdening parents, or by the scarcity of civilian jobs.

Pvt. Connie Wolfe, 24, says she joined up to get training in her chosen field—advertising—and because she believes chances for advancement will be better within the military's cut-and-dried criteria for promotion than in the less objective civilian world.

"Outside the military it's hard for women," she said. "It's more of a man's world in many ways."

"I never knew pride until I got here," she said.
"I don't like being categorized," Pvt. Cathy Truelove said, who also said she joined the Marines because "I had nothing else to do."

Pvt. Hargrove, an avid follower of the women's movement, believes some changes are due.

Gunnery Sgt. Moore, a close order drill instructor for both men and women, says he has found WMs can be taught the basic moves in a third of the time it takes to teach their male counterparts.

"The WMs IQ's average about 115," he said. "I get some men with IQ's as low as 65."

However, despite their sometimes higher intelligence, the exclusion of WMs from combat training limits them to "support" roles.

Yet, while making a concerted effort to distinguish themselves from Marine men by demonstrating their ability to meet conventional standards of femininity, the WMs are trying to rid themselves of being considered a distinct group within the total corps.

Feb. 13, the 32nd birthday of the Women Marines, went by this year uncelebrated for the first time.

Commemoration of the birthday was discontinued, according to a spokesman at the Parris Island public affairs office, "because we want to stop being thought of as a separate group and think of ourselves as part of the Marine Corps as a whole."

Her Dinner Guest Wanted Doggie Bag Woman In Trade Show World Cites Pros And Cons



By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I prepared a huge, lovely dinner party myself. When my guests departed, they all thanked me and raved about how wonderful everything was.

The next morning, each one telephoned to tell me again how much they enjoyed the dinner, repeating the compliments about the food, etc.

Abby, I had no help, and there was plenty of cleaning up to do after that party, and I was very much annoyed with those unnecessary calls. Each one talked for 15 minutes to half an hour, and when they all finished, my morning was gone.

After having already thanked me, I felt it was totally unnecessary for them to call the next morning and take my time as they did.

On top of it all, one of the guests took a tremendous amount of meat for her second helping, and then asked for a doggie bag.

What is your opinion of both cases?

DISGUSTED

DEAR DISGUSTED: In addition to verbal thanks on departing, a written note to reiterate one's appreciation is far more appreciated, and less intrusive than a telephone call. And as for the doggie bag number—Wow, and how wow! Shame on her.

DEAR ABBY: My wife recently lost her mother whom we loved dearly. My wife was an only child and "Moms" left us a substantial sum of money.

Although we are a young family with young children and have had a difficult time making ends meet, we cannot bring ourselves to spend any of our inheritance.

We don't dislike money, and could have enjoyed spending some of Mom's money while she was still alive if she had just made an occasional small gift to us and said: "Here, I know you can use a few luxuries, so please take it, and spend it and enjoy it!"

Abby, what do you think of this? Are we normal to feel as we do? Sign us....

WONDERING

DEAR WONDERING: I think you're probably sufficiently "normal" to get over your present attitude, and adopt the "better-late-than-never" philosophy. (P.S. Write to me in a year from now, and if you still can't spend it, I can recommend some dandy charities.)

DEAR ABBY: Four months ago, when we were on vacation, my husband neglected to shave for a few days, so our daughter said: "Oh, Daddy, you'd look neat in a mustache, please grow one!"

Well, George grew a mustache. I didn't like it one bit, and I told him so, but he hasn't said anything about shaving it off. I don't hassle him about it, but he knows how I feel.

Some of our friends like George's mustache, and some don't, but George seems to hear only the compliments he gets on it.

Personally, I think he should listen to me. As his wife, I surely want what is best for him and I wouldn't steer him wrong.

Abby, why would a man insist on wearing a mustache (or a beard) when he knows his wife doesn't like it?

ONE WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Facial hair on men communicates a variety of messages. Among the most obvious are: "Like it or lump it, I'm old enough to shave and have the whiskers to prove it, and I'm doing my own thing."

It's a symbol of independence, and in some cases, it's a decoration one courageously confers upon himself.

DEAR ABBY: What one thing most inspires you to write?

NOSY IN N.J.

DEAR NOSY: The Bureau of Internal Revenue.

New Food Additive To Improve Nutrition

By JEANNE LESEM

UPI Food Editor

NEW YORK (UPI) — Odds and ends from a food reporter's notebook, some of them odd indeed:

A new plant scheduled to open next year will use food grade alcohol made from petroleum to produce a food grade yeast for use in everything from breakfast cereals and snacks to meat products, gravies, sauces, pasta, and baked goods.

This new additive is said to improve the nutritional quality and texture of foods. It can also enhance flavor and reduce the need for spices in some meat products by as much as 20 to 50 per cent.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture already has approved the new yeast for use in soups, stews, meat patties and non-specific loaves. Baked or fried meat products containing it are said to be juicier as well as more flavorful.

Two other new food products that can be used as additives or ingredients are made from oats. Developed by Quaker Oats Co., toasted oat hearts already are being used in and on a milk chocolate bar from a California manufacturer. Both the hearts and instant oat powder have protein content of 13 to 15 per cent.

Both products can be used to reduce ingredient costs in many formulated foods, says Food

Processing, a trade magazine.

They can be used as milk and gum replacers, stabilizers, texturizers and instant thickeners. The powder is said to have a mild nutty flavor. It improves the flavor of baked goods and helps keep them moist.

The crunchy, nutty flavor of toasted oat hearts makes them suitable as topping for baked goods and as a nut replacement in cookie doughs or toppings as well as in candy. It has even been tried successfully in a snack mix with pumpkin or sunflower seeds, raisins and chopped nuts.

Cereal grains can also be used to grow a starter for tempeh, a fermented food traditional in Indonesia for generations. Two scientists at the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Northern Regional Research Laboratory in Peoria, Ill., developed the starter.

Biochemist Hwa L. Wang said the starter, a mold, can be grown on wheat, rice or other cereals, then freeze-dried for use at home and in the food industry. One of its home uses would be as a substitute for dried yeast in baking bread.

Dr. Wang and C.W. Hesselstine developed new tempeh-like foods by fermenting wheat, rice and other cereals, alone or mixed with soybeans. She said they have mild, pleasant flavors, unlike many fermented foods which are strong-tasting.

Woman In Trade Show World Cites Pros And Cons

By JOY STILLEY

AP Newsfeatures Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — As president of a firm in a field dominated by men, Royan Engel has found that being a woman is both an asset and a liability.

The founder and head of Stratagem Enterprises, Inc., which produces trade shows and industrial exhibits, admits being female has opened doors to her.

"No matter who they are, I can get in to see them because they're going to be taking bets on whether I'm fat and 50 or young and gorgeous," she says with a laugh.

If they bet the former they're out of luck. Miss Engel is 31, a slim 5 foot 4, with wavy auburn hair, hazel eyes and a fetching smile.

On the minus side, she says, is the fine line she must walk to avoid being a threat to the male ego.

"I deal almost always with men in my business and that boy-girl thing does still exist," she says. "If another guy walks in it's one thing, but if I force ideas down a man's throat I become an aggressive female."

"No man wants to feel less knowledgeable than a woman, no matter who she is or what she does. They never let you forget you're a woman. But who'd want to forget it anyway," she adds. "It's kind of fun."

Miss Engel, who now has a staff of 22 marketing and creative people, including designers, carpenters, electricians, script

writers, film producers and sales personnel, got into the business by chance.

Before that she was a singer and actress, a profession she found easy to enter since her father, actor Roy Engel, "knew everyone in Los Angeles and everyone owed him at least one favor and I collected them all."

After she became known she was thrown into the world of trade shows when she began being picked for such royal titles as Sports Vacation or Travel Queen.

"I would wander around the shows and someone would ask me what I thought of something and what I thought they ought to do," she recalls. "I finally realized that some ideas I was tossing around were being used and I started a backyard operation in the second bedroom of my house in Glendale."

Then she came to New York and ran into a group of men who "gave me a whole \$2,000, an office and a phone and said 'See what you can do' and it worked." She incorporated about five years ago.

"My idea was if I walked into a company all they had to do was show me a product and I would create a whole marketing program in order to sell that product in the trade show medium," she explains. "We design and build the exhibit, create the show to go with it, write the script for the demonstration, produce our own film if needed, manage the hospitality suite, make the whole thing tie in and run the whole ball of wax."

Since her first love has always been set design rather than performing, she finds her background especially useful in exhibit design and construction, which she calls the stage that makes the program work. Her work has all the elements of show business but instead of selling an act, you are selling a product, she notes.

"The first thing at a show is to stop the visitor," she points out. "It takes approximately two seconds to walk by a 10-foot exhibit, so you have just two seconds to stop them. You have to have something live or on film or whatever that incorporates enough showmanship to retain the interest of the visitor and allow you time to demonstrate the benefits of the product."

Miss Engel, who concedes that it's fun to be successful at such an early age, adds that the one disadvantage is that she is too busy to have much time for herself.

"I have about 95 per cent nonexistent personal life," she says ruefully. "What I'd really like to do is bring the firm to a point of professionalism that I could institute a greater policy of profit sharing and replace myself so I could continue on a consulting basis and devote time to my personal life. But I don't expect that to happen for at least five years."

Meanwhile she doesn't rule out the possibility of marriage and children, though she says she would never just sit at home.

"I doubt seriously that anyone doesn't want to have children," she says. "But that has to be preceded by finding a man to love. He would have to be my very best friend, with whom some chemistry also exists."

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At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck



I hope you're not going to be shocked by what I am about to say, but I am one of a half dozen people in this country who do not know what a low pressure system is. Furthermore, I don't care.

There, I've said it. Every night for the past 20 years I've sat in front of the TV set and pretended to get shocked when a cold front moves down from the Great Lakes or Davenport, Iowa's sun will rise at 5:02.

Oh, I've picked up a few technical phrases. Like I tried on a tube dress the other day and the salesperson said, "You look like a cumulus cloud" and I said, "I hope you find a dead bird in your rain barrel," but generally, I haven't the foggiest notion of what weathermen are talking about.

They pull down a large map of the country and immediately start to draw a curve here, a wavy line there, here a sun, there a moon, everywhere diagonal lines for rain and a few

dots for snow. When they are finished, the whole mess looks like a terminal case of acne. Then they say things like, "Florida is having some weather this evening" (so what's the alternative?) or "Ada, Ohio reports a severe depression moving in." (You think you're depressed, Ada, I've just had my scholarship to Weight Watchers revoked when they checked my breath for liver and found out I was cheating.)

The plain truth is if someone is having rotten weather, I can't help it and if they're having better weather than we are, I don't want to hear about it.

I guess what it amounts to is that weather isn't made relevant to people. I want to know how it affects lives and what a falling barometer does to me personally.

A London weatherman, Gordon Barnes, recently breathed a little life into the subject by reporting that when the thermometer is 29.9 degrees or lower, women are more lovable. "You show me a low pressure weather pattern," he said, "and I will show you a woman who can't let men alone."

I can hear it now, "There's a passion front moving in tonight over Nebraska with winds lusting . . . pardon me, gusting up to 30 mph. Although roads are clear, travelers are warned of heavy traffic for those getting out of Florida's 75 degree temperatures (light love frost). The overnight low is 15 degrees, you son of a gun! There will be some promiscuity as far east as New Jersey but will diminish when the temperature hits the low 30s."

You know what I think? Weathermen have purposely kept women in the dark with their mumbo jumbo. Now that we know, just remember, women, "That hand that controls the thermostat . . . controls the world!"

In Loving Memories Of BENJAMIN F. SMITH

It's been 10 years ago today
You smiled and quickly went away
Leaving this old troubled world
And your broken hearted little girl.
But there is one thing I know for certain
When I join you at that final Curtain
Those happy days that passed before
Will last and last forever more.

Sadly missed by
Daughter,
Lillian

Bridge Winners Announced

Club Championship winners Wednesday morning at Planters Bank were:

Billie McAdams and Lee Rucker, first; Edith Page and Elnora Baker, second; Sandra Smith and Janet Black, third; Doris Harbin and Joann Proctor, fourth.

Wednesday afternoon Club Championship winners included: Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Humphrey, first; Mrs. Effie Williams and Mrs. George Martin, second; Mrs. John Proctor and Mrs. J.M. Horton, third; tied for fourth were Mrs. Harold Forbes and Tim McDonald and Mrs. L.D. Harris and Mrs. Clifton Toler and Mrs. Sol Schechter and Mrs. Max Chused; Mrs. Eli Bloom and Mrs. Frank Moseley, fifth.

Saturday afternoon winners at First Federal included:

North-South: Mrs. L. D. Harris and Claude Goodman, first; Jim Bell and Dave Shuping, second; Mrs. Lacy Harrell and Mrs. J.W.H. Roberts, third.

East-West: tied for first were Mrs. Clifton Toler and Mrs. William Parvin with Mr. and Mrs. George Martin; tied for third were Mr. and Mrs. Greg Williams and Mr. and Mrs. C.V. Rogers.

A Club Championship will be held Saturday, March 15.

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Planning Phase Set The Stage

The City Council last week approved a Community Development Plan for the city, and an application will be submitted for federal funds based on the plans.

The city will be participating in the first of three years of the Community Development plan. It replaces a number of federal programs and allows the municipalities to develop their own plans for spending the federal money.

Greenville is to get \$1.9 million the first year of the program. The city can also anticipate nearly \$2 million for each of the fiscal years of 1976-77 and 1977-78.

The budget proposed by the city calls for expenditures of \$1,790,300 for specific projects next fiscal year and an unprogrammed balance of \$118,700 to meet unanticipated needs.

The funds can be spent for such projects as housing, transportation, recreation, public facilities, environmental and human services.

The City Council held a series of public hearings at which individuals and civic group leaders were invited to come forward with ideas for use of the money to the city's best advantage.

There was considerable participation and, while not every project requested was provided for, the city officials found many useful ideas from the public dialogue which were incorporated into the proposed Community Development budget.

All-in-all we think the planning phase for the Community Development budget has gone quite well here. Greenville was fortunate that it received one of the larger allocations of federal funds for cities of its size. We are also fortunate that local leaders took the time to present constructive ideas for the program and that the City Council listened.

A lot of constructive work can be accomplished with the Community Development funds and for our growing city the funds may keep us out of future financial difficulties.

THIS AFTERNOON

Assembly's Budget Power

By BILL NOBLITT
RALEIGH — North Carolina boasts a legislature of part-time citizen lawmakers who convene only periodically to handle matters of state government.

That, by Constitutional fiat, is the Legislative Branch. Then there's the Executive Branch: a set of full-time professionals—some elected, some appointed by the governor—who run the various agencies on a day-to-day basis.

Those agency chiefs (the elected ones are Democrats, the appointed ones Republican) have at their beck and call a bevy of top-level, full-time statisticians, public relations men, draftsmen, advisors, consultants, etc.

Despite the intent of the drafters of the Constitution who sought to provide checks and balances in government, it's no match.

Legislators are largely dependent on state agency people for reports, facts, and figures, program assessments—information which naturally will be presented in such a fashion to put the agency in its best light and bolster a case for more money; while obscuring or hiding any shortcomings.

Restore Balance
The joint Legislative

Commission on Governmental Spending (which included a couple of Republicans, who agree with the findings) is now ready to propose action to restore the balance of powers to state government.

A report will be filed with members of the General Assembly outlining a revision of the 50-year-old Executive Budget Act with the purpose in mind of providing legislators with more (and the same) information available to state agency people; putting the brakes on agency transfers of money after the General Assembly has spoken on how it is to be spent; and limiting the powers of the executive branch to make its own decisions.

State Sen. I. C. Crawford, D-Buncombe, chaired the spending probe, and in a brief report full of implications, has this to say:

"The commission has observed a continuing failure on the part of the General Assembly to exercise its legitimate legislative authority, as evidenced by the repeated delegation of authority to the executive branch of government, almost to the extent of creating a discrete policy or decision making system within the executive branch.

"Recognizing that a certain degree of flexibility with respect to expenditures of appropriations is desirable, but also that absolute discretion is a power which may not be delegated by the General Assembly, the commission proposes changes in the Executive Budget Act which are intended to provide for stronger checks and balances between the legislative and the executive branches."

Major Shift
Careful review of the numerous proposals will show the far-reaching implications in the tentative suggestions for revision:

Members of the Advisory Budget Commission would select their own chairman to preside over meetings where budget is being prepared; leadership of both the house and senate would be admitted to all meetings of the ABC, and would have the right to be heard; and ABC members must be given "the same information now required to be furnished to the Director of the Budget" by state agencies.

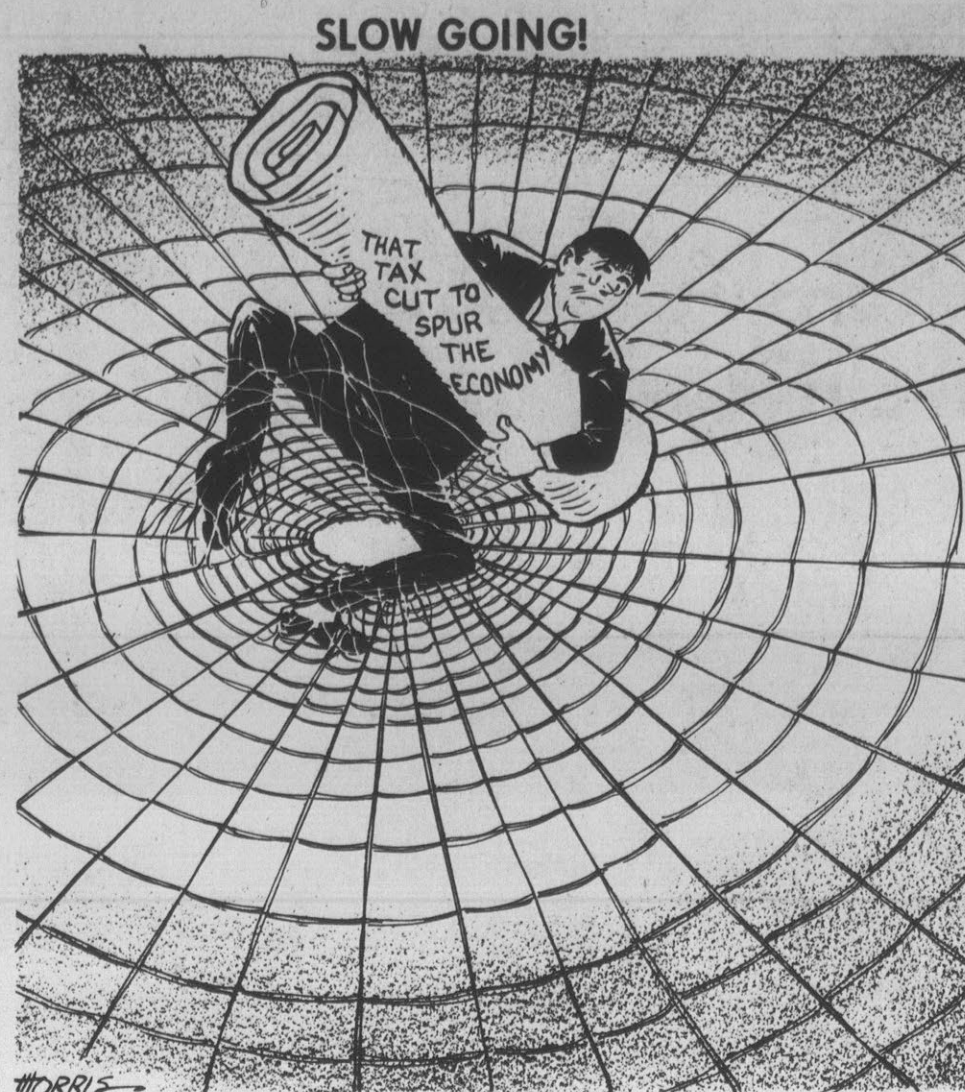
Further, the new law would require that the ABC could receive any information upon request that is now furnished to the Director of the Budget; and would have authority to review the entire scope of

budget requests from state agencies—not just the material left after the governor and budget officer had reviewed it.

Several legislators are named to the ABC, and the changes would require them to have expressed intention to seek re-election before serving. Also, to provide more study by assemblymen before the confusion opening day of the session when the budget is delivered, the proposal calls for six members of the "majority political party" from the house and from the senate to be given copies of the budget in advance.

Clamps are put on authority to state agencies to transfer funds from one account to another within their own budget, and law would require safeguards for control of state spending on private projects such as historical sites, arts, drama, etc.

Proposed changes would also permit Legislative Fiscal Research staff members to attend all meetings of the ABC or its subcommittees, and would give the Appropriations Committee of each house subpoena power over documents and agency people when information is sought.



By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

The Stigmatized South

The Voting Rights Act of 1965, unless it is further extended by Congress, will expire on August 6 of this year. Parts of the act—those parts of general application—are useful, and should be retained. The obnoxious blunderbuss sections should be scrapped.

In the history of civil rights, no chapter is more encouraging than the story of black political gains in the past ten years. Credit has to be given where credit is due. Some of the progress would have developed anyhow, because Southern politics and Southern attitudes were changing even as the law was adopted. Most of the gains are fairly attributable to the Voting Rights Act.

Before the act was approved, scarcely a black officeholder could be found in the whole of the South. Today there are nearly one thousand. Twenty-two blacks sit in the Georgia legislature, 15 in Alabama, 13 in South Carolina. It is no longer a novelty to find blacks elected as mayors, sheriffs, or

members of city councils.

Since 1965, upwards of 1.1 million new black registrants have joined the political process in the South. In the seven Southern states that were made federal hostages under the law, the gap between white and black registration has been reduced from 44 percentage points to 11 percentage points. In Georgia and South Carolina, the percentages of registration, by race, are substantially equal.

Granted, much remains to be done before that millennial day when the last vestige of racial discrimination will have been removed from our human relationships. But speaking as one Southerner, I find these developments immensely heartening; I want to see them continue—but not under the insulting, stultifying, invidious provisions now contained in Section 5 of the act.

This was the section that Justice Hugo Black called the "hat-in-hand" section. It compels seven white states, as Black said, "to go to a

United States attorney general or to a District of Columbia court with hat in hand begging for permission to change their laws." In these seven states, and in a scattering of other jurisdictions also, a precinct polling place cannot even be moved from one side of the street to the other without a locality's petitioning the attorney general for his approval. Black called the system both degrading and unconstitutional, and he was right.

The Southern states were trapped by what was known as the trigger, or trigger, provision of the 1965 act. Under Section 5, any state that used a literacy test became subject to federal control if fewer than 50 percent of its adults were registered or voted in the 1964 presidential election. Later this was extended to the 1968 election.

The trigger scooped up Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina, and Virginia. To the embarrassment of the bill's sponsors, they later discovered they had inadvertently scooped up Alaska, 40 counties in North Carolina, two counties in California, nine counties in Arizona, three boroughs in New York City, and 37 towns in New England. The thrust of the act was directed at the South. The idea, in Justice Black's image, was to create new military districts in a new Reconstruction.

The U. S. Commission on Civil Rights in January released a long report urging that the act be extended for another ten years. In support of that conclusion, the report cited a hundred cases of what it took to be deliberate discrimination against black voters in recent years. But in

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Clings To 'C' Claims

By C.G. McDANIEL
AP Science Writer
CHICAGO (AP) — Two Chicago scientists say there is little convincing evidence that daily doses of Vitamin C have any effect on the frequency or severity of the common cold.

But Dr. Linus Pauling, a Nobel laureate in chemistry and leading advocate of high doses of Vitamin C for treating colds, says the pair has not looked at all the evidence. Pauling says he is still convinced that Vitamin C — ascorbic acid — is beneficial.

The Chicago scientists, Dr. Michael H.M. Dykes of the American Medical Association's department of drugs, and Dr. Paul Meier, a University of Chicago statistics professor, reviewed studies of Vitamin C in the March 10 issue of the association's journal.

They summarized studies, dating from 1939, in which scientists treated comparable groups of subjects with doses of Vitamin C and with placebos — sugar pills.

Most studies supporting Vitamin C as an effective cold preventive were scientifically unsound, they wrote. They said in some studies the test subjects decided whether Vitamin C had helped, and in other instances scientists doing the studies made such determinations without objective evidence.

Dykes and Meier said potentially harmful side effects from large amounts of ascorbic acid have not been thoroughly established, but a number of side effects, such as diarrhea, have been suggested.

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40 Years Ago Today

March 11, 1935
The finals of the annual school basketball tournament sponsored by East Carolina Teachers College will be played at 7 p.m. tonight in the college campus building.

Play will be in both the Class A and Class B divisions.

At seven p.m., the Lillington girls meet the Smyrna girls and at 8 p.m. the West Edgcombe boys meet the Dover team.

At 9 p.m. in Class A play, Washington will meet the New Bern boys team. Greenville girls forfeited their game to New Bern, giving New Bern the championship in that division.

R. L. Powell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, left for Raleigh today where he will attend a meeting of the State-Federal Housing Administration.

Powell is chairman of the Housing Administration here. The organization loans money for repairing and remodeling houses in the United States.

Federal money will be made available to persons wishing to improve their property through the Administration.

—Susan Price

The INSIDE REPORT

Brutal Budget For Israel

By ROWLAND EVANS
and ROBERT NOVAK

JERUSALEM—The exorbitant cost of raising its military power to a point 50 per cent higher than before the October war of 1973 in such major categories as battle tanks has placed Israel in a precarious economic crisis, by far the worst in a 27-year history studded with financial problems.

One predictable impact: an attack on high military spending by worried economists and planners in Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin's government. Indeed, there is reason to believe that Rabin himself, who was chief of the general staff in the brilliantly fought six-day war of 1967, is convinced that the \$4 billion defense budget—approximately one-half the

gross national product—is far too high and is quietly trying to cut it.

"There is a huge argument now going on inside our government about the size of the military budget," a top government economist told us. "What we desperately need is more civilian control, an oversight committee to study real defense needs. We need a control mechanism to rein in Peres" (Defense Minister Shimon Peres).

Peres himself intends to meet this defense-cut campaign head on. He told us that even if a second-stage Israeli withdrawal from Sinai succeeds and Egypt pledges some form of non-belligerency, the defense budget for 1976 would still remain at the just-under \$4 billion level set for 1975.

Given the battle-front conditioning of four major wars since independence, the voters might follow Peres and not the budget-cutters if the issues goes public. The economist now pushing for a civilian oversight committee half conceded that fact.

"We are willing to sacrifice our well-being if we have to," he told us, "but not our being."

The sacrifice of well-being is pervasive and harsh, and Rabin has shown extraordinary political courage in forcing his country to do what has to be done, given the

exorbitant level of defense spending. There is only one word to describe his policy, which was drafted by economists on the staff of Finance Minister Yehoshua Rabinowitz and the bank of Israel (which both controls the monetary system and acts as economic adviser to the government). That word is—brutal.

The object is to squeeze purchasing power out of the civilian economy down to but not quite including the last drop. The devices are familiar: let prices soar and

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Strength For Today

PROOFS OF GOD

One of the simplest ways to be convinced of the power and goodness of God is to take a long, panoramic view of His beautiful world. Logical thinking brings us to the conclusion that a world which seems to have such order as ours must have had an orderly beginning. Something as complex and interrelated as our world simply could not have happened by accident. Yet in every era intelligent and often well-intentioned individuals deny that there can be any cause or reason

behind the world as we know it.

But how can anyone look upon the beauty of the natural landscape, the glory of the heavens at night, and feel that there is not a directing intelligence behind all nature?

If God were to come and speak to us audibly and call us by name, He could not more completely disclose Himself than He does every day by the order and beauty of the world in which we live.

—By Elisha Douglass

Letters Received By The Public Forum

To the editor:

I am writing in response to Elizabeth Savage's letter of March 6 regarding the Equal Rights Amendment. Ms. Savage's statement that ERA would "wipe out a woman's present freedom of choice to take a paying job or be a full time wife and mother supported by her husband" is erroneous. Women who choose to be housewives would not be deprived in any way—American housewives would not be snatched away from their stoves and forced into factories should ERA be passed. The ERA would give women more freedom of choice, not less.

Those labor laws Ms. Savage refers to were originally designed to protect women—times have changed, however, and these same laws work now to exploit women by keeping them out of jobs which offer advancement or higher pay.

There was also a reference to "laws protecting women from such crimes as statutory rape and forced prostitution." But "the amendment will not invalidate laws which punish rape, for such laws are designed to protect women in a way that they are uniformly distinct from men." (Senate Report 92-689)

The ERA would not eliminate preferential social security benefits, but extend them, so that men could enjoy these same benefits.

As for the military, women served both in and out of combat zones in the Vietnam war. But there are still barriers against women in the military in terms of assignment and promotion—even those women who have already served bravely. Congress can provide exemptions to the draft which apply equally to men and women. After all, Congress already has the power to draft women if it sees fit.

I do not believe we could all be instantly divested of our common sense should the ERA be passed.

Marcelyn Mitchell

To the editor:

Today, the children and grandchildren of the men who voted for the 19th amendment giving women the right to vote are pressing for the ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment.

We do not doubt the good faith of those who oppose ERA. They believe ERA given Congress power to draft women. Congress has that power and has drafted women.

They believe that ERA relieves men of responsibility for the support of families, will do away with alimony, and will force women out of their homes and into the labor market. A married woman living with her husband gets in practice what he chooses to give her. Courts are reluctant to interfere in an on-going marriage. The legal elaboration of duties husband and wife owe one another has taken place in the context of the breakdown of marriage. Alimony and child support are often myths. Wives don't always ask for alimony; when they do, they often don't get it. Child support awards amount to one-half the cost of rearing a child and are the least complied with of all awards.

The ERA could not be used to compel women to leave homes and enter the labor force. The amendment applies only to government action and does not affect private actions or social relationships.

Those who believe that ERA will eliminate the so-called protective labor legislation for women do not realize that the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits such legislation when it applies to only one sex. State legislatures are now working toward extending valid protective labor legislation to men.

The Civil Rights Act and ERA combined make it possible to protect all working people. ERA is good for both men and women.

Sincerely yours,
Mary C. Daugherty,
Pres. Greenville BPW Club.

To the editor:

Is the management of Minges Coliseum prejudiced? If not, then why do they hinder people from enjoying a country music program in a building built exclusively for such activities? Why do they force people to resort to crowding viewers into a school gym to see a country music show, when their coliseum stands empty?

Is it because they feel that a country music program would not bring in a large crowd? If so, then they are sadly mistaken. On Friday, Feb. 21, Ayden-Grifton High School's gym was packed with people who had come to be entertained by Conway Twitty, Loretta Lynn, and other guests. The people who were responsible for the show, namely the Greenville Rescue Squad and the Kinston Police Department, made room for people, where room was not available and still had a large number that had to be turned away.

Does the management of Minges feel that country music is not what the public wants? Granted, there are people who do not enjoy country music, but if there are not enough people to make a country music program profitable, then why do such places as The Scope in Norfolk, the Richmond Coliseum, and the Hampton Roads Coliseum bill country music performers? One could go on to mention Nashville, Tenn. Country music is Nashville. How can country music be shrank by a relatively small coliseum, when it is what the whole city of Nashville thrives on?

In closing, I wish to say that if the management of Minges Coliseum prefers to have only "rock" performers at their coliseum, then they deserve to lose the money they could be making by billing country music performers. Minges may be satisfying young people all over N.C., but I am one young person who would rather see Conway Twitty than Elton John any day, and I am sure a multitude of other people feel as I do.

Dawn Cole,
Plymouth

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Kissinger Leaves Turkey To Resume Shuttle Role

Atty. General Orders A Special Investigation

RALEIGH (AP)—North Carolina Atty. Gen. Rufus Edmisten has ordered a special investigation into allegations involving the Enforcement and Theft Division of the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

Edmisten, a Democrat, said Monday the investigation's scope would include charges that the Republican agency has misused state funds and engaged in political harassment.

Sources in the Justice Department said the recent arrest of the agency's director, Roy McCampbell, was the catalyst for the investigation.

McCampbell resigned last week and was charged with fraud in connection with an insurance claim he made for alleged burglary losses in his Durham home.

The sources said the as a result of the McCampbell affair, new leads have developed in old controversies surrounding the agency.

The old controversies include allegations that its agents sought information damaging to U.S.

Sen. Robert Morgan, D-N.C. and investigated the personal lives of two reporters.

"We want to find out who gave them their orders," Edmisten said. "I never thought I'd see such a sorry state of affairs in North Carolina. I've been through Watergate and it seems to me they would have learned. It's a pretty seamy affair."

The Enforcement and Theft Division's statutory function is the investigation of auto thefts and violations of the motor vehicle law.

PTA Sponsors Benefit Game

The Parent Teachers Association of G. R. Whitfield in Grimesland will sponsor a basketball game featuring the parents versus the faculty at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. At 6:30 p.m., the fourth graders will be playing. Cost will be \$1 for adults and fifty cents for children.

The proceeds will be used for school improvements.

Evans-Novak...

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sop up what little non-essential buying power is left—after the purchases of essentials like sugar, bread, milk—by high taxes. Then, to reduce the \$3.5 billion balance-of-payments deficit, shift investment out of the domestic economy into export (a necessary step, but likely to double the 3.4 per cent unemployment rate by next fall).

Late last year the Israeli pound was devalued by 43 per cent and government subsidies to hold prices down were ruthlessly reduced. One result: sugar tripled in price overnight, bread doubled, meat and milk soared 80 per cent. But the hardest Rabin decision still lies ahead, when the next cost-of-living allowance—direct government payments to compensate workers for lost purchasing power the preceding six months—comes due.

If Rabin hangs tough, workers will have to forfeit the allowance in June, despite the precipitous increase in the cost of living. The national labor union (Histadrut) is already battling Rabin over his austerity program. That battle will become war if the June allowances don't materialize.

But if Rabin caves, and the allowances are paid, the crucial purpose of his program—to wring out every last Israeli pound of non-essential civilian spending—will be defeated, and a new inflation spiral will start.

Thus, the bottom half of this hard-working population—Oriental Jews with impoverished economic and cultural backgrounds—is going to suffer bitterly. "They are now consuming every penny they earn," one economic expert told us. No wonder Rabin's finance minister turned ashen when warned that Israel's request for \$2.59 billion as a gift from the U.S., where unemployment is nearing 10 per cent, won't get the usual "anything you want" from Congress. Since every dollar cut from that request will be a dollar out of Israel's spartan living standard, that would leave one recourse—cut the untouchable defense budget.

McDaniel Col...

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"Until such time as pharmacologic doses of ascorbic acid have been shown to have obvious, important clinical value in the prevention and treatment of the common cold, and to be safe in a large varied population, we cannot advocate its unrestricted use for such purposes," they said.

"Although the common cold is undoubtedly an uncomfortable and inconvenient disease, it is rarely anything but a benign and short-lived one."

In a telephone interview from Menlo Park, Calif., Pauling said concern about harmful side effects is unwarranted. There may be some side effects for some people, but the toxicity of Vitamin C "is surely low," he said.

Pauling noted that there have been no reported deaths from Vitamin C overdoses, while there have been some among persons taking aspirin. "Altogether, I think the American Medical Association is doing a disservice against the American people by continuing to raise objections to the use of ascorbic acid for health," he said.

Pauling took issue with Dykes' and Meier's interpretation of some of the experimental data and said the scientists failed to consider some studies which would have presented Vitamin C more favorably.

Among the dozen studies cited by Dykes and Meier, a 1971-72 study by T.W. Anderson and others of 1,000 volunteers in Toronto was the only one which they said demonstrated that high doses of Vitamin C were beneficial.

Safety Body Hears Kneib

Jan Kneib, safety supervisor for E.I. DuPont de Nemours Inc. was the guest speaker at the March meeting of the Pitt County Safety Council held last week.

Kneib told the group that safety is always a challenge, but in today's economic climate, the challenge increases. When business is poor, he said, safety usually suffers first in the cost squeeze.

But safety, Kneib emphasized, must be looked on as a business asset not a burden.

Kneib suggested that business and industrial firms set "safety deadlines" for recognized problems and work to meet deadlines set to correct the safety problems.

In business, Kneib said, the term deadlines means getting something done within a prescribed time. If you fail to meet the deadline, he suggests, an individual might be a "dead duck."

Safety is good, he emphasized, and the product of safety is better.

Safety Council president Paul Jewett presided at the meeting.

Icebreaker Has Won Freedom

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—The U.S. icebreaker Glacier has rammed her way through a mile and a half of the antarctic ice pack into the freedom of open seas, the Coast Guard here reported today.

A spokesman said the 309-foot Glacier, the United States' largest and most powerful icebreaker, radioed just before 10:30 p.m. PDT Monday night that she had freed herself from heavy ice in the Weddell Sea.

The U.S. icebreaker became trapped while on a mission to rescue the Argentine icebreaker, the Gen. San Martin. The two ships were caught by blocks of ice and glaciers that formed a frozen mass up to 25 feet in thickness.

Of the Glacier's 211 crew members, 138 were on board when the crippled ship pounded her way through the ice to reach open water.

Thirty-seven of the remainder, along with 13 civilian scientists, are now in Buenos Aires, and 36 other crew members are

on the icebreaker Burton Island near the Glacier, awaiting evacuation to Buenos Aires by Argentine Air Force C-130 aircraft.

The Burton Island is in open water to the north of the Glacier.

The airlift, however, should prove unnecessary, and the men will most likely be returned to the Glacier, the spokesman said. He added that a decision will be reached soon on whether those already in Buenos Aires will be flown to the United States or returned to the Glacier.

Women Staged Fight In Court

ROXBORO, N.C. (AP)—Two Roxboro women were charged with contempt of court Monday after a fight—complete with yells and curses—broke out in Person County Superior Court.

Dorothy Satterfield and a 15-year-old girl were to return to the court today to answer the contempt charge. "I feel you both will be severely punished," Judge Giles Clark said after the fight was broken up by court officers.

The fight erupted after a jury acquitted Miss Satterfield of a charge of shooting the younger woman in the foot with a .22-caliber pistol last November.

In 1626 Peter Minuit bought all of Manhattan Island's 2,200 acres for 60 Dutch guilders' worth of trade.

of up to 30 miles.

—Assurances from President Anwar Sadat that he will permit cargo to and from Israel to move through the Suez Canal when it reopens.

—A letup in propaganda by Egypt and Israel against each other.

The key issue in dispute is what kind of guarantees Israel will accept from Egypt in exchange for Israeli withdrawal from the Gidi and Mitla mountain passes and the Abu Rudeis oilfield.

Israel has been demanding a formal end to the state of belligerency. Sadat has refused to give this, but there has been talk of an Egyptian pledge of peace to the United States and a U.S. guarantee to Israel.

Kissinger's second major problem is how to fit Syria into the picture. The Israelis are not interested in linking negotiations for the Sinai withdrawal to the Syrian demand for a simultaneous pullback on the Go-

lan Heights. But Syrian opposition could prevent Sadat from signing an agreement, and Kissinger may have to promise Syrian President Hafez Assad some concessions.

Sadat on Monday told a group of Egyptian newspaper editors in Aswan that he was reservedly optimistic about Kissinger's mission. But he said Egypt would remain steadfast to its principles.

"Egypt relies on its national power and principles to liberate its lands," he was quoted as saying. "We don't bargain on Arab territory nor on the Palestinians' rights. We will not give up a single inch of land."

Kissinger met in Ankara with Turkish Foreign Minister Melih Esenbel and Gen. Semih Sancar, the military chief of staff. His talks in the Turkish capital were a followup to his meeting last Friday with Greek Foreign Minister Dimitrios Bitrios in Brussels. He also planned to send Assistant Secretary of

State Arthur Hartman to Athens to brief Greek government leaders on his talks in Turkey.

Negotiations between the Greek Cypriot majority and the Turkish Cypriot minority collapsed last month after the Turkish Cypriots proclaimed their own state in the northern 40 per cent of Cyprus that the Turkish army occupied last summer.

The Greek Cypriot government complained to the Security Council and said during the debate that it would not resume negotiations unless they were held outside Cyprus with U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim as chairman. The Turkish Cypriots said there was no need for U.N. intervention and they were ready to resume negotiations any time in Nicosia.

The council was debating these differences last Saturday when the United States asked it to delay action until after Kissinger talked to the Turks.



NO SMILES — U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, left, walks with Gen. Semih Sancar, Turkish chief of staff, Monday in Ankara. Kissinger took time from his Middle East tour to

visit Turkey in an attempt to break the deadlock between Turkey and Greece over Cyprus. (AP Wirephoto)

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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)—Charlotte spot cotton report for Monday for staple lengths of 1 1-32, 1 1-16, and 1 3-32 inches, respectively: middling 39.75, 41.25, 41.50; strict low middling 38.25, 39.75, 40.00; low middling 34.00, 36.00, 36.25; strict low middling (light spotted) 34.25, 36.25, 36.50.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)—North Carolina egg markets were unchanged Monday. Supplies were adequate and demand was good.

Weighted average prices for small lot sales of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets: Grade A large whites 64.77; medium whites 58.40; small whites 46.69.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)—On North Carolina grain markets Monday, corn prices were slightly higher and soybeans slightly lower. No. 2 yellow shelled corn was 2.67-2.80. No. 1 yellow soybeans were 5.10-5.21 per bushel.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)—North Carolina hog market steady to 25 lower today. Wilson 38.50-39.50; High Falls 37.75-38.75; Rocky Mount 38.50-39.00; Kinston 39.00-40.00; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Elizabethtown, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourn, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson 39.50; Salisbury 38.50.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)—North Carolina broiler market steady today, with a firm undertone noted for next week. Supplies barely adequate and demand good. Weights desirable. The North Carolina FOB dock weighted average price for less than truck lots for sized plant grade broilers to be picked up at docks this week is 40.36 cents per pound. Estimated slaughter today totaled 1,031,000. North Carolina hens market steady on heavy types. Supplies abundant in balance with a good demand. Prices paid per pound for hens over 7 pounds at farm 18, FOB plants 20-21½.

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

Burroughs	94½
United Telecommunications Pld.	94½
Heublein	37
Jeff Pilot	37
JRI South	32½
Wickes	12½
Wachovia Realty	37½
Everco	37½
Central Soya	13½
Int'l Harv	4½
Int'l T&T	6¼
Fieldcrest	9¼
Hatteras Income	16½
Vepco	12
OVER THE COUNTERS	
Combined Insurance	10½-11½
Franklin Life	20½-21½
NCNB	10½-11
Piedmont Air	5½-6
Life Mint	5½-6
Conner Homes	1¼-1½
Guardian Care	2¼-3¼
Planters Bank	16-17½
Daniel International Corp.	17-18

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market, straining against increased profit taking pressures, was mixed in very active trading today.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrial was down 2.12, at 774.01, while gainers maintained a slight over-all lead over losers on the New York Stock Exchange.

Brokers said the market appeared to draw continued support from sliding interest rates and signs of receding inflation.

But they also noticed an increased tendency toward profit

MASONIC NOTICE
William Pitt Lodge No. 734, A.F. and A.M. will have an emergent communication Wednesday at 7 p.m. Work will be in the second degree. All master masons and fellow craft are invited.

William R. Morris, Master
Clifton Moss, Secretary

The Meeting Place

TUESDAY
7:30 p.m.—Beta Sigma Phi will meet at the home of Mrs. Delores Whitehurst.
9:30 a.m.—The Lakewood Pines Garden Club meets with Mrs. William Woolard.
7:30 p.m.—The Patient Circle of The King's Daughters meets with Miss Annie Turner. Mrs. J. B. Cutchin and Mrs. Mildred Manning are assisting hostesses.
8:00 p.m.—Withia Council, Degree of Pocahontas meets at Rotary Club.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy.

WEDNESDAY
9:30 a.m.—Welcome Wagon ladies bridge for members at the Greenville Golf and Country Club.
9:30 a.m.—Morning duplicate bridge at Planters Bank.
11:30 a.m.—Welcome Wagon luncheon meeting at Greenville Golf and Country Club.
1:30 p.m.—Duplicate bridge club weekly game at Planters Bank.
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club meets.
7:00 p.m.—Jay C-Ettes meet.
8:00 p.m.—Greenie White Shrine meets at Masonic Temple.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Al-Anon Group meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy. Telephone 756-3222 or 756-0567.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Association for Retarded Citizens at Wahl-Coates School Auditorium.

Greenville Industries Reports Dividend

Obituaries

Conley
Mrs. Ada E. Conley, 85, died in Washington, D. C., Monday. Graveside services will be held at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at Pinewood Memorial Park by the Rev. John Farmer, the associate pastor at Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church. The body will be at the Wilkerson Funeral Home until the funeral hour.

Surviving are a son, Albert R. Conley, a teacher in the School of Business at East Carolina University; two daughters, Mrs. Lola Taylor and Miss Inez Conley, both of Washington, D. C.; three sisters, Mrs. Steve Emery of Eureka, Calif., Mrs. Barbara Reiman of Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Augustine Garner of Nebraska; and three grandchildren.

The family will be at the home of her son, 100 Fieldside Dr.

Johnson
Mr. Jesse D. Johnson, 62, retired mechanic, died Monday at his home near Church's Crossroads. A funeral service will be conducted Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at the Christian Chapel Church of Christ by the Rev. Wayne Davis, pastor. Burial will be in the Robersonville Cemetery. The body will be taken from the Wilkerson Funeral Home to the church Wednesday morning.

Mr. Johnson, a native of Bertie County, spent most of his life in Windsor. He had made his home in the Church's Crossroads community for the past four years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie Lou Johnson of the home; a son, Douglas F. Johnson of New Bern; three daughters, Mrs. Faye Eubanks of Edenton, Mrs. Mike R. Moore of Windsor, and Mrs. Bobby Jernigan of Hyattsville, Md.; a step-daughter, Mrs. Archie L. Bowen of Church's Crossroads; four step-sons, Joseph Henry Wayne of Tarboro, Leon Earl Wynn of Conetoe, Columbus Mack Wynn and Thomas Hark Wynn, both of Church's Crossroads; a brother, Thomas E. Johnson of Windsor; a sister, Mrs. Hazel Sessoms of Florida; 10 grandchildren, and eight step-grandchildren.

The family will be at the Wilkerson Funeral Home, Greenville, from 7 to 9 o'clock Tuesday evening.

Taylor
LOUISBURG—The Rev. Ley Wesley Taylor, 67, died Monday. Memorial services will be held

Hear Program On Volunteer Efforts

The Junior Woman's Club of Greenville heard a mini program on Volunteer Greenville given by Mrs. Becky Lutz Wednesday night.

The Public Affairs Department Chairman, Mrs. Anne Murdock, introduced Deputy Sheriff Wayne Nobles, who spoke on rape.

Arts Chairman Mrs. Dianne White announced the winners of District 15 Arts Festival, which was held in Washington, including: Mrs. Donna Oldfield, dough craft; Mrs. Jane Greene, string art; Mrs. Vicki Bishop, wood craft, and photography; Mrs. Leslie Pressel, weaving; Mrs. Rosemarie Donahue, crewel; Mrs. Betty Fuqua, ceramics; Mrs. Nancy Gustafson, mosaic; and Mrs. White, mixed media, art.

Student winners were: Ann

at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the

Louisburg United Methodist Church and at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Wesley Church near Farmville.

Rev. Taylor, a native of Magazine, Ark., served in the ministry for many years in eastern North Carolina and was in past years pastor of the Wesley Church and also of Methodist churches at Walstonburg, Bell Arthur, Windsor, South Mills and Lucama, Sims.

He was a retired member of the N. C. Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, and for 16 years was chairman of the Conference Committee on Town and Country Work. Rev. Taylor was also a member of the Board of Trustees of N. C. Wesleyan College for 13 years.

He was educated at Ashbury College, Gordon College and the Divinity School of Duke University.

There is one survivor, an aunt, Mrs. Josephine Gillespie of Los Angeles, Calif.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to the C. Wade Goldston Scholarship Fund, Louisburg College; the Haven Rest Home in Tarboro, or the Wesley United Methodist Church, Rt. 3, Farmville.

Thompson
BETHEL—Funeral services for Mr. Jesse Ronald Thompson, who died Friday in Lenoir Memorial Hospital, will be conducted Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Saints' Delight Church of God in Bethel by the Rev. Armstrong Burial will be in the Council Cemetery.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Maggie Carney Thompson of the home; a son, Samuel Spruill of Amityville, N.Y.; his mother, Mrs. Catherine Green of Wilson; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Burney of Wilson and Mrs. Cora Kornegay of Philadelphia, Pa.; three brothers, Sylvester Thompson of Nashville, William Thompson of Wilson, and Eugene Thompson of Portsmouth, Va.; three step-daughters, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Mrs. Minnie Staton, both of Bethel, and Mrs. Dorothy Johnson of Elizabeth City; a stepson, Donald Staton of Bethel; and three grand-

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Real estate officer Kirby Boyd explained that the Wilkerson's had been approved as a bidder for the piece of land subject to approval of their final development plan for the property.

According to the development plan for the property.

According to the development proposal, the firm plans to bring the cleared land up to finished grade and utilize the area for additional parking. The parcel has frontage on Seventh and Eighth Streets.

The Wilkerson bid, opened on March 3, was for \$3,948.10 and was the only bid submitted for the disposal parcel.

Boyd, who reported that no demolition took place in the Central Business District Project since the February meeting, said that two acquisitions took place in the area. Parcel 15-14, located on Fourth Street, involved total acquisition while a severance was acquired from property located at the corner of Eighth and Evans Street (Parcel 18-1).

Two structures were demolished in the Southside Project during February, it was reported, but no acquisition took place.

According to Dan Sullivan, assistant CBD project manager, an relocation, involving Smith's Texaco on Evans Street, took place during the period since the last meeting.

Mrs. Faye Brewington, Southside project manager, said that two relocations were handled in the project, involving one family and an individual.

T. I. Wagner, deputy director and CBD project manager, told commissioners that three alleyways have been paved and two portion of a third have been landscaped and planted.

Wagner said that an overhead transformer in the block on the east side of Evans between Fourth and Fifth will be moved to Cotanche Street and work in the alleyway in that section of the block should begin by next week.

He said that ten members of the CBD project advisory committee met Feb. 25 and the group was in agreement that construction work on the mall should begin as soon as possible. Bob Anderson of City Planning and Architectural Associates of Chapel Hill was here for the meeting and discussed the overhead cover for the mall. Wagner said that the PAC voted to accept the mall cover plan and recommended its acceptance by the Commission.

The attendance of two staff members and one commissioner at the annual meeting of the Carolinas Council of Housing, Redevelopment and Code Officials in Myrtle Beach, S. C. April 27-30 was authorized.

Those attending from Greenville were Dot Jean Tice, Jerry McGowan, Lester Burroughs, Diane Vandiford, Vicki Brown, Francis Rogerson, Leigh Galloway, Buddy Overton, Jessie Fleming, Edgar Eatman, Val Latham, all members of "The Group"; plus volunteers Alice Keene, Sue Turcotte, Hester Latham, Mrs. L. L. Overton, Bill Holland, Scarlett Bunch, and Suzanne Thompson.

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Dr. Smith At Raleigh Meet

RALEIGH—Dr. A.W. Smith of Farmville presided at the meeting of the North Carolina Society of Professions Thursday at the Velvet Cloak in Raleigh.

Dr. Smith is outgoing president of the association. Legislators and members of the association discussed mutual legislative issues and heard current legislative issues which are of special concern to the association.

Dr. Smith, DVM, will continue to serve on the executive committee as immediate past president.

A spokesman for the governor, whose father defeated Nixon in the 1962 California gubernatorial race, said the state Office of Criminal Justice Planning rejected the request.

Successful activities of Greenville Industries during the past year enabled the corporation to show enough profit to pay a 20 per cent stock dividend to shareholders.

Announcement of the dividend was made last night during Greenville Industries' annual stockholders meeting, held at the City Council chambers at city hall.

Greenville Industries president, Mayor Eugene West, reported on the activities of the organization during the year, noting that land was sold for the Eaton Industries location and an additional piece of property was sold to National Boat Works for future expansion. West said that the industrial training building and its 24-acre site beyond Vermont American was sold to

F&E South during the period. The mayor reported that the anticipated construction of the Becton-Dickinson plant in Greenville during 1975 will be delayed due to the present economic situation. The firm, headquartered in New Jersey, manufactures health aid product.

According to West, Greenville Industries still has over 250 acres for future industry to locate on with most of the property situated the northeast side of the 264 Bypass.

The board of directors decided, it was noted, that people who own a small number of shares in Greenville Industries may turn in their stock for the original price if they so desire. West said that the board hopes, however, that most of these people will continue to hold

their stock and support Greenville Industries in future development. Greenville Industries has over 800 stockholders.

Commenting on the organization, West said that, "I feel that Greenville Industries has been extremely successful in the task we set out to accomplish. We have located good industries in Greenville and we shall continue to look for other good industries that are suitable for this area."

The present members of the board were reelected for another term. They are: West, Bruce Sugg Jr., John C. Proctor, J. B. Kittrell Jr., S. Reynolds May, R. W. Howard, Morris Brody, Gene Prescott, James Ficklen Jr., Charles Horne, and Jack Minges.

Seven Collisions Here Investigated By Police

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Damage was estimated at \$200 to the Livingston car and \$300 to the Talton auto, by police who charged Talton with failing to see his intended movement could be made in safety.

Drive For Members

This month 1,650 member units of the National Association for Retarded Citizens will campaign for new members across the nation

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 11, 1975

Williams And Moye Capture Area Basketball Scoring Championships

Willie Williams of Ayden-Grifton slipped past Rick Mobley of D.H. Conley during the final weeks of the 1974-75 basketball season to capture the Pitt-Martin-Greene scoring title by three-tenths of a point.

Farmville Central's Julia Moye held onto the girls' lead to win the title by only a tenth of a point over North Pitt's Kathi Manning.

Conley's boys and Williamston's girls took team scoring honors, while Greene Central's boys joined Williamston's girls in the defensive crowns.

Williams ended the season with an 18.3 average, while Mobley ended up with an even 18.0 mark. Jerry Ange of Jamesville took third place with a 16.4 mark.

Donnie Perkins of North Pitt was fourth at 15.5, followed by Mike Corbett of Farmville Central at 15.2. The remaining members of the top ten included Paul Jones of Oak City, 14.3; Melvin Williams of Conley, 14.0; Eric Davis of Jamesville, 13.5; JoJo Purvis of Williamston, 13.2; and Ronnie Barrett of Rose at 13.1.

For one of the few times since the scoring records have been

kept, the 20-man roster finds not all in double figures. The 20th scorer, Donnie Shields of Rose, had only a 9.7 mark.

In the girls' standings, Miss Moye finished with a 15.0 average. Miss Manning, just managing to get into the select group, had a 14.9 mark. She missed several of the late games because of an injury, and just played in the required two-thirds of the games of her team.

Third place went to Beatrice Forrest of Robersonville at 13.0, while Sissy Taylor of Williamston was fourth at 12.7, and teammate Nancy Williams was fifth at 12.1.

The second five included Mary Brown of North Pitt, 10.9; Audrey McCarter of Ayden-Grifton, 10.7; Fran Hardison of Williamston, 10.5; Alice Costen of Conley, 10.3; and Tena Smith of Ayden-Grifton, 10.1.

And while Miss Manning just made it with the required number of games, two others, Judith Tripp of Greene Central, and Gerry Mobley of D.H. Conley's boys' team, failed to make their respective lists because they failed (due to injuries) to play enough games. Both did finish with double figure averages.

In team statistics among the boys, Conley was tops in offense, scoring 69.4 points a game, just beating out Rose at 67.2.

Defensively, Greene Central allowed only 45.0, best of the area. North Pitt was second at 52.6.

Conley also led in margin of victory, outshooting its opponents by 15.1 points a game. Greene Central, 8.8, and North Pitt, 8.5, were the only other teams to outthrust their opponents.

Conley finished with the best record, 26-2, losing only in the first round of the Pitt County Invitational, and in the second round of the State 3-A event. North Pitt was second at 20-5, followed by Greene Central at 15-7.

Among the girls' teams, Williamston led all categories. They had the best offense, 55.1 points a game, the best defense, 31.8 per outing; the highest winning margin, 23.3; and the best record, 25-1, as they lost in the first round of the State Tournament to the eventual winner.

North Pitt was second in offense at 40.2, while Ayden-Grifton was number two in

defense at 33.8. Farmville Central, 8.9; Ayden-Grifton, 2; and North Pitt, 2.2, were the only others to out score their foes.

Farmville Central at 22-4, and Ayden-Grifton at 10-10, were the only girls' teams not posting losing records.

Boys Scoring	
1. Willie Williams, A.G.	18.3
2. Rick Mobley, DHC	18.0
3. Jerry Ange, James.	16.4
4. Donnie Perkins, NP	15.5
5. Mike Corbett, FC	15.2
6. Paul Jones, OC	14.3
7. Melvin Williams, DHC	14.0
8. Eric Davis, James.	13.5
9. JoJo Purvis, Wmst.	13.2
10. Ronnie Barrett, Rose	13.1
11. Vincent Barnhill, NP	12.7
12. Randy Stokes, Bear G.	12.1
13. Jesse Harris, NP	12.1
14. Mike Brewington, Rose	11.9
15. Clennel Streeter, DHC	11.9
16. David Bellamy, OC	11.9
17. Barry Wallace, Wmst.	11.9
18. Ricky Purvis, Rob.	11.9
19. Willie Forbes, A.G.	10.9
20. Donnie Shields, Rose	9.7

Offense	
1. Conley	69.4
2. Rose	67.2
3. North Pitt	61.1
4. Oak City	56.1
5. Williamston	55.1

Defense	
1. Greene Central	45.0
2. Bear Grass	52.9
3. Conley	54.3
4. Jamesville	61.2
5. Williamston	61.3

Winning Margin	
1. Conley	15.1
2. Greene Central	8.8
3. North Pitt	8.5

Records	
1. Conley	26-2
2. North Pitt	20-5
3. Greene Central	15-7
4. Rose	14-10
5. Williamston	15-10
6. Bear Grass	9-15
7. Robersonville	7-14
8. Jamesville	7-15
9. Farmville C.	6-17
10. Ayden-Grifton	5-17
11. Oak City	4-16

Girls Scoring	
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2. Kathi Manning, NP	14.9
3. Beatrice Forrest, Rob.	13.0
4. Sissy Taylor, Wmst.	12.7
5. Nancy Williams, Wmst.	12.1
6. Mary Brown, NP	10.9
7. Audrey McCarter, A.G.	10.7
8. Alice Costen, DHC	10.3
9. Tena Smith, A.G.	10.1
10. Donna Williams, James.	8.9
11. Bet Branden, Wmst.	8.1
12. Darlene Joyner, FC	7.1
13. Patricia Taylor, BG	7.0
14. Diane Thompson, OC	6.9
15. Janet Holiday, BG	6.5
16. Diane Duggins, OC	6.4
17. Phyllis McNeil, Rob.	6.4
18. Kathy Supps, FC	6.3

Offense	
1. Williamston	55.1
2. North Pitt	40.2
3. Ayden-Grifton	42.9
4. Ayden-Grifton	36.7
5. Robersonville	35.4

Defense	
1. Williamston	31.8
2. Farmville Central	35.0
3. Ayden-Grifton	33.8
4. Greene Central	36.3
5. Oak City	37.0

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1. Williamston	23.3
2. Farmville Central	8.9
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Records	
1. Williamston	25-1
2. Farmville Central	22-4
3. Ayden-Grifton	10-10
4. North Pitt	10-11
5. Robersonville	7-14
6. Greene Central	6-15
7. Bear Grass	6-15
8. Oak City	5-15
9. Jamesville	4-16
10. D.H. Conley	1-19

IRS Sells Americans

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service says it will begin accepting sealed bids today on contracts involving 59 players of the old Birmingham Americans of the World Football League.

William E. Self, chief of the IRS Collection and Taxpayer Service Division, said the bids would be opened at 10 a.m., CDT, April 18.

He said the IRS felt "like there was some interest (in the sale) or we wouldn't be going this route."

The organization behind the Americans, the WFL champions last year, owes the federal government about \$236,000 in back taxes, Self said. He added the sale of the contracts was the first time anything like it had been done in Alabama.

Self said, "We are offering for sale the government's rights, title and interest in the contracts."

Today's Sports
Basketball
Church League
Oakmont vs. Black Jack
Presbyterian vs. Immanuel
Trinity vs. St. James
Golf
East Carolina at Pinehurst
Tournament

Baseball
Ayden-Grifton at Kinston (3:30 p.m.)

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Golf
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Tournament

Baseball
East Carolina at N.C. State (1:30 p.m.)

Track
Ayden-Grifton at Rose (girls)
Eastern Wayne at Farmville Central (3:30 p.m.)

Conley at C. B. Aycock (3:30 p.m.)

North Pitt at Southern Wayne (3:30 p.m.)

Ayden-Grifton, North Lenoir at Greene Central (3:30 p.m.)



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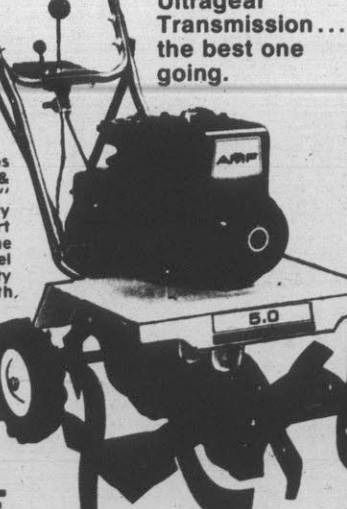
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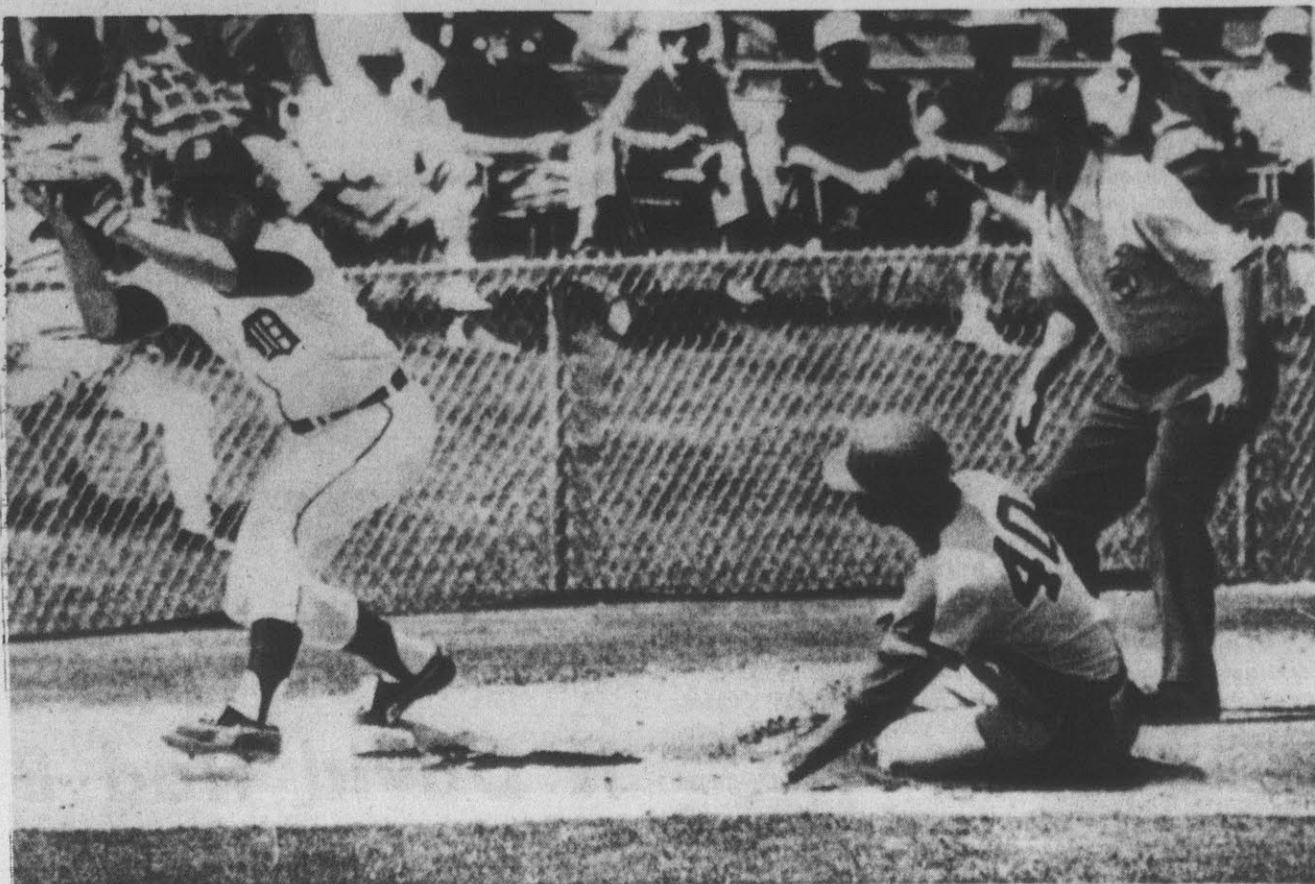
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THE BALL BEATS DRAGON TO THIRD — Chunichi Dragons' Yasunori Ohshima is out as he attempts to advance to third on Hiroshi Shintaku's grounder to first base in the fourth inning of a game with the

Detroit Tigers in Lakeland, Fla., Monday. Tiger third baseman Lance Parish is about to catch the ball from first baseman Reggie Sanders. Ohshima hit a grand-slam homer later in the game. (AP Wirephoto)

Tournament Fields No Longer As Impressive As In Yesteryear

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Do you get the feeling that it won't be long before there are more college basketball tournaments than there are teams?

It seems as if the colleges are becoming a mini-version of the pros.

In the American Basketball Association, for example, 10 teams play 84 games apiece, then two are eliminated and eight qualify for the playoffs. In the National Basketball Association, 18 teams play 82 games apiece and 10 enter the playoffs.

And now, what used to be a few cozy college tournaments with highly prized, select berths has become a multi-tentacled monstrosity of playoffs piled upon playoffs. Everyone, it seems, must have a shot at getting at least a slice of the pie—or perhaps a few crumbs.

In these days of rampant inflation, the word "champion" has been devalued. Almost every team could be the champion of something. It seems to be almost fashionable to turn down an invitation to a playoff, as North Carolina State did this year and Maryland did a year ago.

The National Invitation Tournament is the grandfather of all college tourneys. There was a time when a telephone call from New York's Madison Square Garden, with a voice saying, "How would you like to play..." was pounced upon by colleges.

It was an invitation to be one of only eight teams to play in the palace of basketball. To win was the ultimate goal. But simply to be there, to get that phone call, was almost as important.

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BY WOODY PEELE



Anytime coaches and the press get together informally, a thousand stories fly back and forth.

Bo Brickles of Davidson is one of the classic storytellers of the Southern Conference, and he made an appearance in the press room during last week's tournament to swap some stories and bend an elbow.

A writer could probably write a book about Brickles escapades, but might not be able to keep his friendship with some of them. He's a delightful fellow, however, and I cannot resist telling this one he tells on himself.

During this disastrous season, Brickles' first as head coach, the team was being mauled by Brigham Young, which was killing the 'Cats on fast break after fast break.

Finally, Brickles could stand it no longer, and dashed out onto the court, grabbing off a pass that was meant to set up another break.

Naturally, he got a technical. But when one of his players came up and told him he should do things like that, he was ready.

"I stopped their... fast break, didn't I? That's more than you guys have done all night!"

I could go on forever with Brickles' stories, but I better not.

East Carolina will be going to the Commissioners' tournament in Louisville this week. Even though the Bucs lost to William & Mary in the Southern semifinals, there was little doubt that the Bucs would get the bid.

However, when Commissioner Ken Germann announced it, a chorus of boos greeted him.

ECU Coach Dave Patton wasn't too upset however. "The William & Mary people had a right to boo. They felt they should have gone. And the Furman people were booing us because they knew that we were their biggest threat all year." And maybe next year too.

There was a lot of talk about Richmond's announced withdrawal from the Southern next year, although Commissioner Germann said he had not heard anything official from the school.

Few could understand the motives of the Virginia school. So we decided to do a little research.

Southern Conference championship records go back to 1953, when the league split into the Southern and the ACC. Three teams have left the Southern since then, West Virginia, Virginia Tech and George Washington, so we didn't count them.

But during the past 21 years (not counting any this school year), Richmond shows the poorest championship record. They have won or shared only six titles in all sports during those 21 years, just 0.3 per year.

Next to the bottom is Furman with 18 titles or 0.8 per year. The Citadel comes sixth with 19 crowns and 0.9 per year.

Davidson's Wildcats had captured 22 during the span, or just a hair over 1.0 per campaign. VMI's Keydets had won 31 or 1.5 per year.

Appalachian stands in third place, having won five titles in their three years in the conference, 1.7 per year. William & Mary is second with 40 titles, 1.9 per year. It might be pointed out that 27 of those titles have come in cross-country, indoor and outdoor track, sports which use essentially the same personnel.

And some might be surprised to find East Carolina at the top of the list. In their nine years of Southern Conference membership, East Carolina's Pirates have won 22 titles, a fine average of 2.4 crowns a year.

Now, between Richmond and East Carolina, which would have the better credentials to move into a higher conference?

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Milwaukee In Win Over Kings

By MIKE O'BRIEN
AP Sports Writer

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Count Kansas City-Omaha in the scramble for the National Basketball Association Western Conference wild card playoff spot.

At least Coach Phil Johnson says so, even though his Kings still hold second place in the Midwest Division.

Milwaukee, written out of the playoffs by many a week ago, further jammed the race Monday night by beating the Kings 103-96 in the only NBA game played. There were no American Basketball Association games scheduled.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar scored 13 of his 34 points in the fourth quarter, while Bob Dandridge contributed two baskets and a steal in the last 2½ minutes as the Bucks earned their fourth victory in five games.

The Kings' fifth defeat in eight games dropped them 3½ games behind first-place Chicago and only 3½ ahead of third-place Detroit.

Milwaukee, while still last in the Midwest, is only one game behind Detroit and 4½ behind the Kings. The Bucks, now 32-35, have a better won-loss percentage than Seattle, Portland and Phoenix, who rank second through fourth, respectively in the Pacific Division.

The conference's best third place team gets the wild card berth.

"I don't see anyone catching Chicago, and I think it will be hard for us to finish second," said Johnson, a top candidate for NBA coach of the year.

"We were playing great for quite awhile, and you've got to expect a dip," he said. "But we've got to get it together. We've got a seven-game road trip at the end of the year."

"I think Milwaukee is the best of all the wild-card teams," he said.

Asked if he included the Kings in that category, he said, "We haven't got it made, even though we're in second place."

While the game was tied eight times in the second half and wasn't decided in the closing minutes, Coach Larry Costello said his Bucks had been on the verge of being blown out until they changed the tempo

with defense in the second quarter.

The Kings hit 14 of their first 20 shots, most from 20 feet, and opened a 10 point lead early in the second quarter. But the Bucks held them without a point the next 7:37 and led 46-45 at the half.

"The turning point was our defense in the second quarter," Costello said. "Steve Kuberski, Mickey Davis, Kareem, Jon McGlocklin and George Thompson were pressuring, creating 24-second violations. They made them stop running their offense the way they do in practice."

Nate Archibald scored 19 of his 34 points in the second half as the Kings stayed close, but Abdul-Jabbar converted a three-point play, fired a floor length pass to Davis for a lay-up and sank a jump shot to put the Bucks up 92-84 with 5:20 left.

The Kings got within 94-91, but Dandridge made a three-point play, fed Thompson for a layup after stealing an Archibald pass, then tipped in a basket to give the Bucks a 101-94 lead with 1:26 to play.

Dandridge finished with 21 points and McGlocklin added 16.

Coaches Disagree

NEW YORK (AP) — Remarks that the National Invitation Tournament is for "losers" and "minor leaguers" drew the ire of the 16 coaches whose teams will play in the annual Madison Square Garden basketball shoot-out.

"Is Joe Lapchick a loser? Is Nat Holman a loser? Is Clair Bee a loser? Or Lenny Wilkens or Julius Erving or Walt Frazier?" asked Coach Lou Carnesecca of St. John's University.

"They all coached or played in the NIT."

The angry remarks came at a news conference held to introduce the coaches and announce the pairings.

Carnesecca was upset over remarks that at first were attributed to John McFadden, assistant coach at Rutgers, and North Carolina State star David Thompson.

McFadden reportedly called the NIT "minor league" when his Scarlet Knights edged St. John's 79-77 to earn a berth in the NCAA tournament. Later, McFadden said the quote came from Tom Young, Rutgers' head coach, and that it was only a device to get his team up for the game against St. John's.

"I'd say any coach who says something like that suffers from foot-in-mouth disease," Carnesecca said. "How can you call people 'minor league' over a difference of two points? That's infantile immaturity."

Thompson, whose North Carolina State Wolfpack turned down a bid to the NIT after being snubbed by the NCAA, called the NIT "a loser's tournament."

Princeton Coach Pete Carril said he didn't want to discuss Thompson's charge.

"The last time I checked, they weren't playing anywhere," Carril said.

The 16-team post-season tournament, the oldest in the country, begins play Saturday when Manhattan meets Massachusetts. Other Saturday games will pit Providence against Clemson, Southern Illinois against Pittsburgh and St. John's against Lafayette.

Leaders Take Wins

The Burners and the Rockets picked up victories in the South Greenville Basketball League last night.

In the opening game, the Burners took a 70-49 win over the Bullets. The Burners held a 41-35 lead at the half.

A. J. Tyson led the Burners with 32 points, while Mac Adams had 14 and Samuel Green and Robert Reddick each had 10. Earl Atkinson led the Bullets with 15, while L. Burnett had 14 and C. Norfleet had 10.

The Rockets took an 82-79 win over the Nets in the second game. The Rockets held a 47-43 lead at the half.

The Rockets were led by David Tyson with 27 points, while Mike Brewington had 18. The Nets were led by Ronnie Taylor with 29, while Stevenson had 26.

In Wednesday's games, the Rockets meet the Burners and the Bullets take on the Nets. The Rockets and Burners are currently tied for the league lead with 6-2 records, while the Nets are 3-5, and the Bullets, 1-7.



SMASHING THROUGH — Chris Eldredge (31) of Illinois Wesleyan University smashes into Gerald Douglas (44) of the University of Montevallo (Ala.) During their NAIA basketball game in Kansas City on Monday, (AP Wirephoto)

'If David Had Been Ready' NCS Fans Moan

By DAVE NELSEN
Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — "If David Thompson had been able to play his normal game, North Carolina State would be on the way to the NCAA regional playoffs."

That comment, or something close to it, was the reaction in Raleigh after N.C. State—last year's college basketball champions—fell 70-66 to North Carolina in the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament finals Saturday night. Thompson, the All America superstar, suffered severe leg cramps and was sidelined in the last 10 minutes of Friday's game against Maryland.

Though he tried to play, Thompson wasn't himself against North Carolina. He scored only 16 points, little

more than half his game average.

N.C. State Coach Norm Sloan said he didn't want to make excuses, but, "When your legs cramp severely, you in essence strain muscles." He said Thompson was still limping from the soreness Monday.

The players, especially the seniors, were deeply disappointed by the loss, Sloan said. While Sloan favored accepting it, the players voted to reject a bid to play in the National Invitation Tournament.

"They had wanted so desperately to have a chance to defend the national championship," Sloan said of his team. Several players said the NIT is a "losers' tournament," one State spokesman said.

Sloan said he didn't want to explain the loss. "We're out.

We're not even defending champions because we were eliminated," he said, adding a mild criticism of sports writers because they want to know what's wrong with the team that lost.

"When you win you get a positive evaluation; when you lose you get a negative evaluation," he said.

The Wolfpack had a 51 per cent shooting average during the season, but scored with only 39 per cent of the shots against North Carolina. Sloan credited the Tar Heel defensive play and said, "Most of the time when your shooting percentage is that low, you're going to lose."

State also played without a center this year. All America center Tommy Burleson was a major factor in the Wolfpack's 30-1 season last year. This season State fell to 22-6 playing three forwards.

Sloan was careful to avoid even that as an excuse for losing the ACC title and the chance to defend the championship. "The only difference between this year and a year ago was that we got some good bounces, we did some great things at the right time. We won the close games; this year we didn't win them," he said.

Sloan said his big job now is recruiting. "We have to have a great recruiting year this year," he said. The Wolfpack loses three starters including Thompson.

Payton On All-League

MURFREESBORO — Freshman forward-guard Lonnie Payton of Greenville, Chowan College's top scorer with a 16.2 average, has been named to the Cavalier-Tarheel All-Conference basketball second team.

He was the top vote getter and only freshman on the second team. The former J. H. Rose High School star also led Chowan in rebounding with a 12.3 average as the Braves finished the season with a 20-10 mark.

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Japanese Baseball Is Showing Lot Of Growth

By LARRY PALADINO
AP Sports Writer

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — Japan's Chunichi Dragons aren't ready to take on the likes of the Oakland Athletics in any kind of world major league baseball competition. Not yet anyway.

But Japanese baseball has been growing steadily. And the trip to Florida by Chunichi and the Tokyo Giants this spring is sure to help the Japanese hone their baseball talents and increase their prestige.

"We're still way back as far as coming to the major league level," said Chunichi Manager Wally Yonamine, prior to a Dragon exhibition game in Lakeland against the Detroit Tigers.

"Americans are stronger, they throw harder, they have more power," said Yonamine, a Japanese-American and former football player with the San Francisco 49ers. "Japanese players compared to years ago are bigger and stronger. That's because of the food they eat. They're getting more protein nowadays. The kids eat a lot of milk, butter and cheese."

"They're two or three inches taller than when I first came to Japan 20 years ago. I used to be one of the taller guys, but now I'm one of the smaller ones."

Yonamine is about 5-foot-9. Chunichi isn't a city. That's the name of the newspaper in Nagoya—Japan's third largest city—which sponsors the Dragons.

There are 34 players on the Florida trip in a party of 74, the others being mostly front-office personnel and about 25 newspapermen and broadcasters.

"We came here to learn fundamentals," Yonamine said. "We want to see how major

league players run, how much they hustle, how much power they have, how they throw."

"I tell my players to open their eyes and see what American players do. They can't speak English, so they have to learn by watching."

The Dragons have existed since professional baseball started in Japan in 1935. They won the Japan Baseball Series in 1954. Last year they won the Central League championship, defeating the Giants.

There are two leagues of six teams each in Japan. Chunichi has finished second in its league 10 times since 1950 and third eight times.

Yonamine said his players average about \$12,000 in salary a year, while his top player, second baseman Morimichi Takagi, earns more than \$50,000. Chunichi averaged 23,000 spectators a game at its 35,000-seat stadium last season and drew 1,360,000 for 65 home games.

Reserved seats cost about \$3.50.

According to Yonamine, all but one of the Japanese ballparks have dirt infields, and there is no artificial grass.

There is no per-diem pay on road trips, he said. "We all eat

together and stay at the same Japanese Inn. We eat the same food," he said. "But we give the two Americans on the team \$50 a day for room and board."

The two Americans are Ger Martin and Ron Woods. Martin was in the Philadelphia system and eventually was picked up from Hawaii of the Pacific Coast League. Woods played for the Tigers and Montreal Expos.

Yonamine is a story himself. The Hawaiian native played halfback for the 49ers in 1947 and 1948, before being hurt. He switched to baseball and played in the minors for the San Francisco Seals in 1949 and Salt Lake in 1950.

He went to Japan in 1951 and played for 10 years with the Giants as a center fielder. The 4-year-old from Honolulu is in his fourth year as manager of the Dragons, following 12 years as coach.

"My parents were Japanese. I'm an American citizen," the articulate skipper said. "My parents used to speak Japanese to us but we'd speak back in English."

He said it took him a year before he could converse in Japanese.

Since a newspaper sponsored his team, do the Dragons ever get bad publicity?

"All the time," Yonamine said. "All the time."

Swimmers In Meet

The Greenville Swim Club sent four swimmers to Durham last weekend for the Second Annual New South Invitational Meet. Over 500 swimmers from 72 teams in the United States and Canada took part in the meet, held at the Duke University pool.

Lance Timmons led the Greenville team, capturing four medals and two ribbons. Ken Berry followed with two ribbons, while Kevin O'Neil brought home one ribbon. Kevin Richards also swam but did not place.

O'Neil, swimming in the 9-10 boys group, took eighth place in the 50-yard freestyle in 31.7 seconds.

Berry, in the 11-12 boys' group, was seventh in the 200-yard freestyle in 2:12.2; and eighth in the 100-yard breaststroke in 1:20.4.

Timmons, in the 13-14 boys' group, was first in the 50-yard freestyle in :24.5; second in the 200-yard backstroke in 2:19.9; second in the 100-yard backstroke in 1:00.2; third in the 100-yard freestyle in :52.2; fifth in the 200-yard individual medley in 2:13.3; and eighth in the 200-yard freestyle in 1:58.0.

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Bucs Back In Field

PINEHURST, N.C. (AP) — Wake Forest and Alabama lead a 12-team field going into today's second round of the 54-hole Pinehurst Intercollegiate Golf Tournament.

Both teams tallied scores of 376, placing them nine strokes ahead of Georgia Southern.

Six golfers compete on each team but only the low five are counted for the team's total.

Wake Forest is the defending tournament champion.

Jerry Pate of Alabama, U.S. amateur champion, carded the lowest individual score with an even-par 72.

Curtis Strange of Wake Forest, the NCAA individual champion, was among four players finishing one stroke behind Pate. Others tied with Strange were Alan Pate of Alabama, Tony Hollifield of Alabama, and Jim Croley of Florida Southern.

Behind the team leaders were Clemson at 389; North Carolina, 390; Duke, 393; Florida Southern, 393; North Carolina State, 393; Maryland, 394; East Carolina, 400; Virginia, 409; Temple, 412.

The competition was delayed nearly two hours by rain.

Bowling

Wednesday Mourners

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Go Getters	62	30
Dumb Clucks	57	35
Dingbats	57	35
Friendly Neighbors	49½	42½
The Stompers	47	45
The Streakers	43	49
Make Believers	43	49
We Three	40	52
Love Bugs	40	52
Handicaps	40	52
Ding-A-Lings	37	55
Three Aces	36½	55½

High game, Dianne Cherry, Harriet Crisp, 189; high series, Harriet Crisp, 513.

Tuesday Bowlettes

Sluggers	76	24
Eight-Balls	68	32
Merri-Three	52½	47½
Strikers	51	49
Hopeful Clowns	50	50
Mini Pins	45½	54½
Pin Splitters	41	59
The Funsters	16	84

High game, Connie Smith, 203; high series, Nellie Speight, 534.

Semi-Pro Meeting

The league organizational meeting for the Martin-Pitt Semi-Pro baseball will be held tonight at the Greenville Elm Street Gymnasium in the upstairs planning room at 7:30 p.m.

League President, Wayne Hardee, encourages all teams interested in playing this year to make arrangements to have a representative present.

One of the Eagles' most explosive players is 6-6 junior Wil Morrison, who has an accurate line-drive corner shot. He is averaging 17.8 points. He scored 34 against Iowa for the team's season high. He had 31 against Harvard in the championship game of the Beanpot tournament, which BC won.

The team's major weakness is a lack of depth, especially with the injury to Berwanger. The top sub is 6-foot Mike Shirey, who replaces Weldon at the point. He has more assists, 41, than points, 33.

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TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) A fine day for gaining an aim with friends, difficult before. Personal goals need more thought before they are clear in your mind. Don't blast others.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Carry through with whatever bigwigs expect of you. Pay important bills. You understand a civic matter more clearly now. Collect money.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) You have started a new project of living according to planets, so get busy with details. Converse with one whose ideas differ from yours.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Complete discussions with loved one and carry through with agreed-on plan. Get all those responsibilities behind you.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Have discussions with a partner to make the future brighter for both of you. Try to reconcile with one who opposes you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You can now benefit from completing work that's kept you occupied for some time. Rest in p.m. and renew your energies. Read.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Enjoy amusements with friends and relieve tensions. Get some new plan working to increase income. Avoid one who dislikes you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Show more devotion at home so all is harmonious in that important realm. Take care of a basic matter. Forget complacency.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Have an appointment with one who can assist you with a long-existing problem. Write letters and get active to feel better and progress.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Get busy on financial matters that will improve your position in life. Budget your assets more wisely. A business expert can help.

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'Superb' Shows On Public TV

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Keep an eye out for two superb shows, "Of Pure Blood" and "Zulu Romeo-Good Start," if your public TV station is participating in the Public Broadcasting Service's "Festival '75."

The first show is a grim, brilliant study of Nazi wartime efforts to create a "super race." The second is a wonderful, excellently photographed look at the mystique of world championship gliding.

Both are standout offerings in the special package of shows 93 stations are airing during "Festival '75," an 11-day effort to swell the ranks of viewers who regularly contribute to local public TV.

"Of Pure Blood," made by a French team and narrated by BBC personnel, investigates Hitler's "Lebensborn" group, whose job it was to evolve the "master race" through selective breeding of Nordic types.

How ridiculous Hitler's racial theories were is well illustrated when the show interviews a middle-aged German. He recalls that as a schoolboy he was taught how to distinguish the Nordic type — grey-blue eyes, a narrow nose, thin lips, straw-blonde hair.

How diabolic these theories proved is amply shown with old Nazi film clips and documents interspersed with new interviews with some observers, victims, opponents and — believe it or not — defenders of the Nazi "Lebensborn" program.

Under the program, women deemed racially "pure" by Himmler's SS were urged to bear children, even outside of marriage, by equally "pure" German men headed for war, preferably SS officers.

Approved trying emporiums

even were established so SS men and patriotic women — not all the latter from Germany — could gather to breed little supermen and superwomen for der Führer.

"Of Pure Blood" is chilling, If aviation isn't your cup of

tea, then I both pity you and advise you to skip this show. But anyone even vaguely interested in the wild blue will find this aerial essay a thing of beauty and spirit.

Produced by an Australian documentary team headed by John Walker, it covers the world gliding championships held in January 1974 at a remarkably verdant outpost called Waikerie in South Australia.

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BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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♥ J3
♦ 6
♣ A86432

SOUTH
♠ AQ
♥ 954
♦ AKQ104
♣ QJ7

The bidding:
South West North East
1NT Pass 2♣ Pass
2♦ Pass 3♦ Pass
3NT Pass 4♦ Pass
5♦ Pass 5NT Pass
6♣ Pass 6♦ Pass
Pass Pass

Opening lead: Five of ♣.

the area of slam bidding. Take a look at this hand from the recent European Championship. The bidding shown is that of former European Champions Oscar Belentani and Cesare Bresiani of Italy, and probably seems like gobbledygook to you.

South's opening one no trump showed 16-18 points and North's two club response was the Stayman Convention, inquiring about major-suit holdings — just as you and I might play it. Thereafter, no bid except for the final one was natural.

North's bid of three clubs asked about his partner's minor-suit holdings, and three diamonds showed possession of a five-card minor.

Three hearts inquired as to which minor, and three no trump announced diamonds.

North next checked on his spade weakness. Four spades was an asking bid and partner's response showed specifically the ace-queen.

Five no trump requested South to further describe his diamond holding, and the six spade reply confirmed all three top diamond honors, so North bid the grand slam.

Though seven hearts is a slightly better contract, seven diamonds was an excellent grand slam and was duly made. It is interesting to note that, at no point in the auction, did North bid his heart suit naturally.

In the other room, the German South also opened the bidding with one no trump and North made a rather uninspired jump to four hearts, which ended the auction.

There is little doubting the accuracy of these artificial methods, especially in

Farm Scene

By Leroy James
Agricultural
Extension Agent

Throughout 1975, a number of market factors are expected to both act and react with each other to influence the price, output, consumption, and export of United States soybeans and their products.

Key indicators that will bear close watching in the year ahead include the following:

A new tax year is just ahead for many U.S. farmers which may loosen up the rate of soybean marketings to some extent—a somewhat bearish sign.

Even with no increase in 1975 crop, U.S. soybean acreage, production can be expected to increase by about one-fifth—a bearish sign—if yield resumes a trendlike pattern in line with the past decade.

Throughout the next few months, domestic market uptake for meal and oil will be significant market factor. If U.S. crushing appears likely to fall short of the official forecast, it would be bearish unless offset by a larger than expected flow of

soybean exports.

Prospective grouping conditions and developments of the 1975 Brazilian soybean crop to be harvested in April, May 1975, could be a significant market factor. Any indication of substantial expansion over and above the current volume of 8.5 million tons or 312 million bushels would be bearish.

Prospects for meal demand growth are dim in traditional U.S. export markets of Japan and Western Europe, reflecting poor livestock and poultry producer profitability. Also, disposable personal income are reduced due to adverse economic conditions and accelerated inflation rates. Indications of any slackening of demand as indicated by the official U.S.D.A. export forecast would be bearish unless it reflected a downward adjustment in U.S. supplies.

Now Arrest Customers

HAVELOCK, N.C. (AP)—Police in Havelock have begun arresting the customers as well as the operators of a local massage parlor.

Chief Ed M. Gaskill said Monday that five men were arrested and charged with misdemeanors at the American Health Spa last week. They were released on \$100 and \$200 bonds paid by the parlor management, he said.

All five were Marines from bases near Havelock.

Havelock's massage parlor ordinance prohibits a masseuse from touching the genital areas of the customers. A customer who permits it can be charged with a misdemeanor.

Gaskill said the parlor's operator, William O. Jordan on Portsmouth, Va., has been convicted of operating without a license and is appealing the conviction.

But UNC president William Friday said Monday that the expansion needs will probably rise to \$3 million because of inflation and additional operational needs.

REMARKS
OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Helen Herrick Knowland, the first wife of the late Sen. William F. Knowland, has married Charles J. Whyte. She first met Whyte 40 years ago while both were University of California students.

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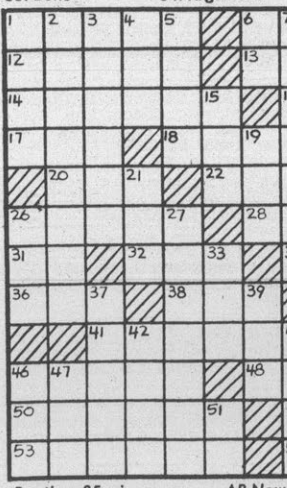
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WNCT-TV Ch. 9

TUESDAY

- 7:00 Truth Or
- 7:30 Make Deal
- 8:00 Good Times
- 8:30 MASH
- 9:00 Hawaii
- 9:30 Barnaby Jones
- 10:00 Report
- 11:30 Gambit
- 11:55 Kerr
- 12:00 News
- 12:30 Search For
- 1:00 Young and
- 1:30 World Turns
- 2:00 Guiding Light
- 2:30 Edge Night
- 3:00 Price Right
- 3:30 Match Game
- 4:00 Tattletales
- 4:30 Batman
- 5:00 Big Valley
- 6:00 News
- 6:30 News
- 7:00 Truth Or
- 7:30 Tell Truth
- 8:00 Orlando
- 9:00 Cannon
- 10:00 Manhunters
- 11:00 Report
- 11:30 Movie

WITN-TV Ch. 7

TUESDAY

- 7:00 Farm Affair
- 7:30 B. Graham
- 8:00 Adam
- 8:30 Movie
- 9:00 Police
- 9:30 Doctors
- 10:00 Another Wid.
- 10:30 Somers
- 11:00 Bewitched
- 11:30 Today
- 12:00 News
- 12:30 News
- 1:00 NBC News
- 1:30 News
- 2:00 Name Tune
- 2:30 Mike Douglas
- 3:00 Sweet Hokes
- 3:30 Fortune
- 4:00 High Roll
- 4:30 Hollywood
- 11:30 Tonight
- 12:00 News Noon
- 12:30 Blank Check
- 1:00 NBC News
- 1:30 Jackie
- 2:00 Marriage
- 2:30 Days of Lives
- 3:00 Doctors
- 3:30 Another Wid.
- 4:00 Somers
- 4:30 Bewitched
- 5:00 Today
- 5:30 News
- 6:00 News
- 6:30 NBC News
- 7:00 News
- 7:30 Name Tune
- 8:00 Mike Douglas
- 8:30 Sweet Hokes
- 9:00 Fortune
- 9:30 High Roll
- 10:00 Hollywood
- 11:30 Tonight

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

TUESDAY

- 7:00 Griffith
- 7:30 Wait
- 8:00 Days
- 8:30 Hospital
- 9:00 Welby
- 10:00 News
- 11:00 News
- 12:00 News
- 12:30 Revue
- 1:00 America
- 1:30 Clock
- 2:00 Griffith
- 2:30 Price
- 3:00 Mama
- 3:30 Movie
- 4:00 Christie
- 4:30 News
- 5:00 World
- 5:30 Split
- 1:00 Children
- 1:30 Deal
- 2:00 Pyramid
- 2:30 Showdown
- 3:00 Hospital
- 3:30 Life
- 4:00 Gilligan's
- 4:30 Rascals
- 5:00 Girl
- 5:30 News
- 6:00 News
- 6:30 Clock
- 7:00 Griffith
- 7:30 Price
- 8:00 Mama
- 8:30 Movie
- 9:00 Christie
- 9:30 News
- 10:00 World
- 10:30 Split
- 11:00 News

WUNK-TV Ch. 25

TUESDAY

- 7:00 ITV
- 7:30 Gen Assembly
- 8:00 America
- 8:30 Man
- 9:30 Woman
- 10:00 Interface
- 10:30 Supervision
- 11:00 Making Count
- 11:30 Sesame St
- 12:00 Elc Co
- 12:30 Ready
- 1:00 Matter
- 1:35 Safety
- 2:00 Leadership
- 2:30 Sounds
- 3:00 Supervision
- 3:30 Making Count
- 4:00 Sesame St
- 4:30 Elc Co
- 5:00 Future
- 5:30 Engineer
- 6:00 ITV
- 6:30 Gen Assembly
- 7:00 Arabs-Israel
- 7:30 Behind Lines
- 8:00 Theater

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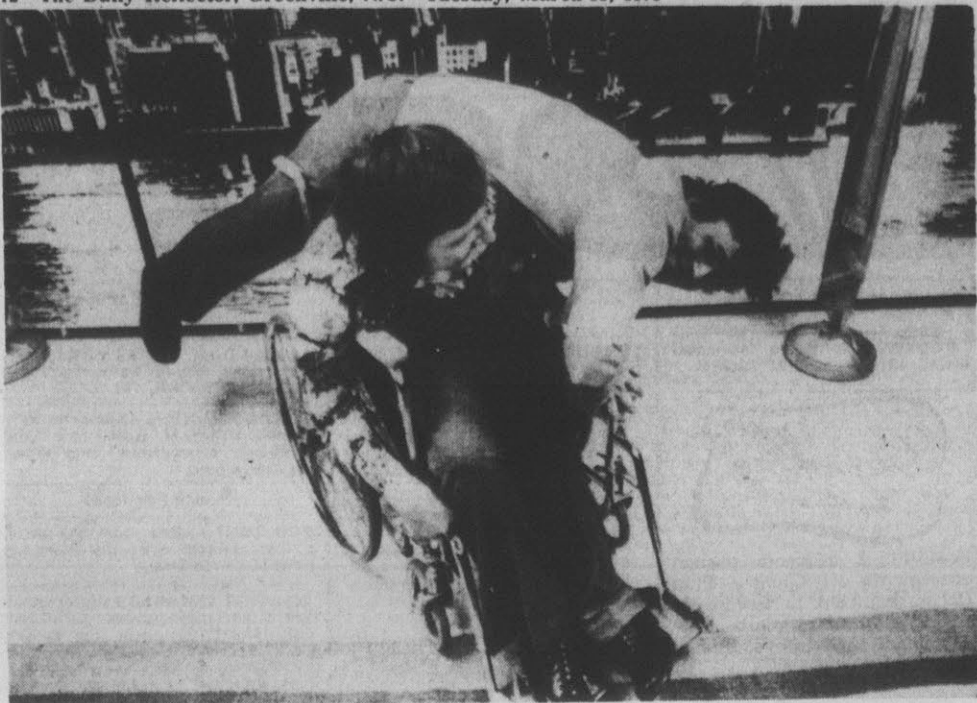
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Fast Food Industry To Take Business Abroad

By **DON KENDALL**
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's fast-food industry, which has put mountains of fried chicken and billions of hamburgers into paper bags for hungry Americans, is planning more outlets around the world for people to grab a bite on the run.

The Agriculture Department says that by 1979, eight leading U.S. companies expect to have more than 6,400 fast-food outlets in foreign countries, nearly quadruple those in operation now.

The No. 1 country targeted for expansion by almost all

companies is Japan, followed by Australia, Europe and Canada, according to a study published by the department's Economic Research Service.

Without any adjustment for inflation, retail sales in foreign countries by 1979 are expected to total at least \$2 billion a year, compared with \$568 million estimated in 1973, the report said.

Philip B. Dwoskin, who prepared the report for his agency, said the 1979 projections indicate a potential market for U.S. suppliers of about \$820 million annually compared with about \$230 million in 1973.

But Dwoskin told a reporter that the term "potential" means just that. Part of the food used in the foreign establishments is provided locally and U.S. exporters will have to compete for the expanding market.

In his report, Dwoskin said that in the United States there is a trend to more company-owned outlets rather than franchised operations. The reason for this seems to be that companies want better control than franchises afford, he said.

"On the foreign side, the emphasis is almost reversed, due mainly to the myriad of local government regulations, language difficulties and so forth," Dwoskin said.

Consequently, it's a common practice for fast-food companies to enter into agreements with local trading companies or individuals to operate the retail outlets in those countries.

"This is particularly true in such developed areas as Japan, Europe and Australia, and accounts in part for the more optimistic expansion plans on the foreign side than for the domestic market," Dwoskin said.

Carryout food also will continue expanding in the United States, according to the survey of the eight major firms which account for more than one-half of annual sales by fast-food shops. The report said those

firms are expected to have more than 25,000 outlets by 1979, a 54 per cent increase from now.

Cancer-Cured Help Others

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Eight former cancer patients now listed as free of the disease have been giving psychological help to other cancer patients on a one-to-one basis.

Now the cured group, which calls itself Dayspring, will hold a public meeting Wednesday. It will go into group sharing of experiences. Dayspring offers no medical advice. Its approach is entirely psychological.

It hopes to do three things at Wednesday's meeting:

1. Help lessen the fear of cancer and reduce psychological stress.
2. Hear the ideas of cancer patients and those who are cured.
3. Give new hope and direction to those who are fighting cancer.

EXTENDED WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR N. C.

Mostly cloudy Thursday through Saturday with chance of rain Thursday and again Saturday. Mild Thursday, with cooling trend Friday and Saturday.

Won His Case Of Reverse Bias

By **MARGARET SCHERF**
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Robert J. Neyhart, who won a "reverse discrimination" case against his employer, says he hopes his experience will prompt other white males to consider filing similar complaints if they are warranted.

In Neyhart's case, his employer was the Office of Equal Employment Opportunity in the Labor Department. It deals with complaints of job discrimination.

"Very few white males file

equal employment opportunity complaints. I'm sort of an oddity," Neyhart said in an interview Monday. "But Congress meant the Civil Rights Act and the 1972 Equal Opportunity Act to apply to all Americans."

Neyhart was awarded back pay and a delayed promotion after a Civil Service Commission hearing examiner upheld his complaint that he was passed over for the deputy directorship of the Labor Department's Office of Equal Employment Opportunity because he is not Spanish surnamed.

"The evidence of record strongly suggests that the fact involved was national origin and that the agency was looking for a deputy director with a Spanish surname," Civil Service Commission hearing examiner Dean Wright wrote in his opinion.

Neyhart was awarded promotion to the \$28,000-a-year deputy directorship with back pay to May 15, 1972, to cover the \$3,600-a-year pay difference.

In the interview Neyhart said, "I was working in the Office of Federal Contract Compliance, which deals with discrimination in the private sector, so I was quite familiar with all the implications of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act."

This prohibits discrimination in hiring on the basis of race,

creed, national origin or sex.

"It was an election year and the Nixon administration was going all out to get the support of the Spanish-speaking," he said.

Neyhart said he was interviewed by Mrs. Velma M. Strode, director of equal employment opportunity, after the assistant directorship was declared vacant in May 1972.

Mrs. Strode told him he had been selected, Neyhart said. Furthermore, he was the only applicant referred for an interview with Frank G. Zarb, then Mrs. Strode's superior and now head of the Federal Energy Administration, Neyhart said.

After that interview, Neyhart

was turned down and Leonel Miranda, of Mexican origin, was named to the post.

"The record reflects that Mr. Henry Ramirez, chairman of the Cabinet Committee on Opportunity for the Spanish Speaking, wrote a letter to Mr. Zarb strongly recommending that the second position in Mrs.

Strode's office be filled by a Spanish-speaking person," Wright wrote in his opinion.

Miranda left the post about a month ago and it has been vacant since, Neyhart said.

RTI Branch To Be In Charlotte

CHARLOTTE (AP) — The Research Triangle Institute will establish a branch here by the end of the year, it was announced Monday. The branch will be the first permanent facility away from the Research Triangle Park between Durham and Raleigh.

The announcement was made by the institute and the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

The institute provides research services under contract to government and private clients.

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Wahl-Coates PTA To Meet

The Wahl-Coates School PTA meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Gary Hess will present a physical education demonstration featuring children from the various grades.

Nomination and voting on PTA officers for the 1975-76 school year will be held.

The class with the largest number of parents represented will be recognized.

Recapture Goat In Courthouse

ROSWELL, N.M. (AP) — A goat recently was caught inside the Chaves County Courthouse by city police.

The animal first was spotted running around the courthouse lawn one Sunday in downtown Roswell.

Two officers said they almost had the fleet-footed animal corralled when it jumped through a courthouse plate glass window and ran around the building's basement area.

Finally, the goat was cornered and taken to an animal shelter to be claimed by its owner.

Hit Thief With Bag Of Money

PORT ELIZABETH, South Africa (AP) — A city official delivering the equivalent of over \$25,000 in cash to a local bank foiled an attempted robbery by bashing the would-be thief over the head with the money bag.

The thief escaped not knowing that the official, Ronald Edge, was being followed by another employee of the city's Treasury Department carrying over \$22 million in checks.

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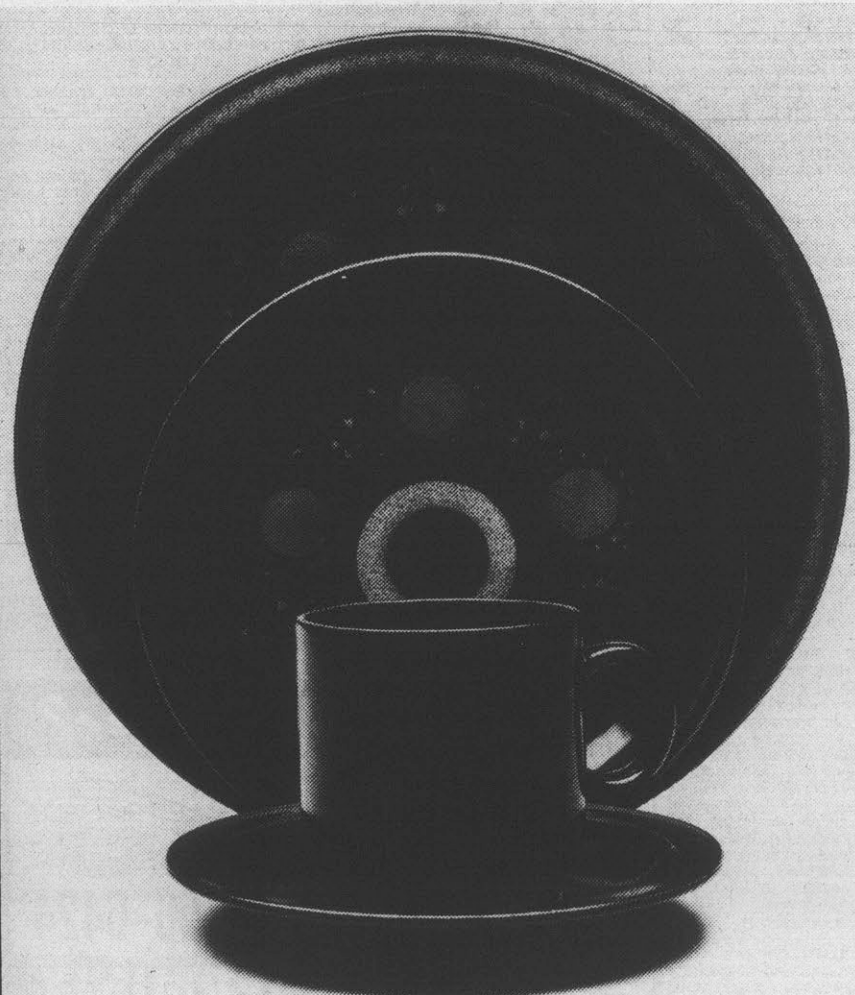
JACKSON, Miss. (UPI) — Mississippi's "new" state capitol was completed in 1903 at a cost of \$1 million.

The capitol, which replaced the first permanent capitol building constructed in 1833, was erected on what had been the site of the state penitentiary.

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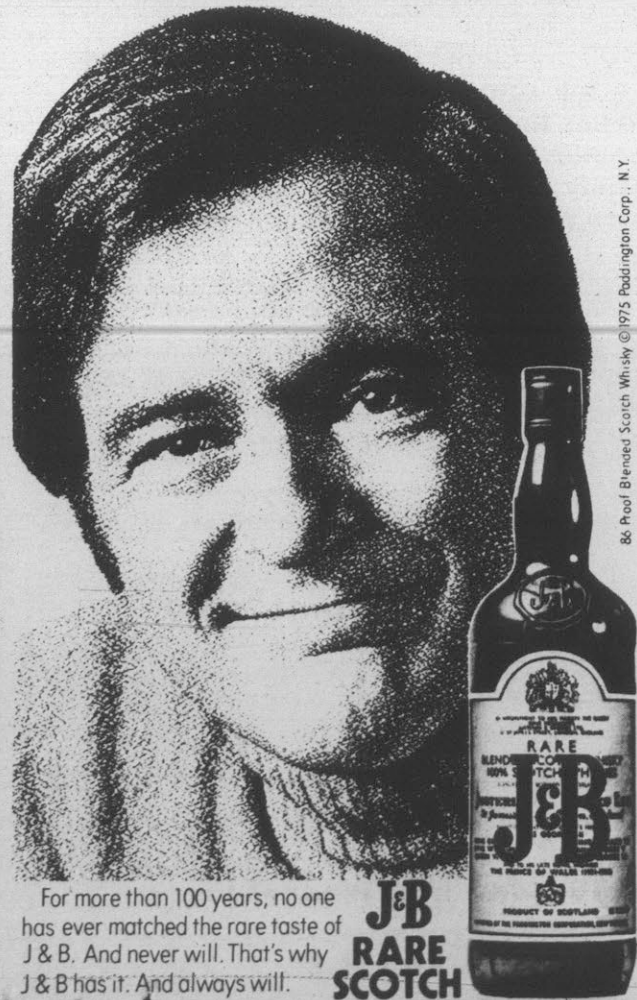


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14" platter	7.50
covered casserole	9.50
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sugar & creamer	4.95
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