

Hospital-Med School Affiliation Okayed

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

A proposed affiliation agreement—which would make Pitt County Memorial Hospital (PCMH) the prime clinical training facility for the East Carolina University School of Medicine—was approved last night by the PCMH medical staff.

The document, entitled "Principals of a Proposed Affiliation Agreement by the Pitt County Memorial Hospital and East Carolina University School of Medicine," is scheduled to go before the hospital's Board of Trustees next Tuesday.

Hospital chief of staff Dr. Eric Fearrington, commenting on the medical staff's action last night, emphasized that the proposed

agreement is "not a legal document," but simply "just principles" for an agreement. Fearrington explained that there are "three parties concerned with any affiliation agreement," the hospital, including the staff and board of trustees; the University and its medical staff and board of trustees; and then the national accrediting agency.

"Any agreement must meet the requirements of the accrediting agency," he said. And the agreement approved by local physicians last night, Fearrington said, was developed by the medical liaison committee of PCMH in conjunction with the medical school's administration, Kenneth Dews from the hospital's board of trustees and Charles Gaskins,

representing the Board of County Commissioners. Fearrington outlined the basic points to the agreement.

He said under the principles for affiliation, the board of trustees of PCMH "will continue to administer" the hospital, with 33 per cent representation of membership on that board, representing the university. Another of the principles he said, is that "with the complete knowledge and consent of the patient and the attending physician, all patients will be available for the teaching program. If a patient does not want to be a member of the program, or if a doctor does not think it advisable... they have that prerogative."

Fearrington noted too, that "patients from Pitt County will have priority for admission, in accordance with need," and that the "rights and privileges of physicians at PCMH who are in the private practice of medicine in Pitt County, and who are members of the medical staff of PCMH, and who do not participate in the teaching program, will be maintained. This confirms the policy," Fearrington explained, "that an open staff will be maintained. Any physician who wishes to come to the community and practice medicine, and who, because of his own choice or for other reasons" does not participate in the teaching program, "is assured of a hospital to place his patients in when they are sick."

The principals of agreement also provide, Fearrington said, "that additional beds and supporting teaching facilities will be added to the new PCMH at the expense of the State of North Carolina."

He noted that feasibility studies are now underway to determine the number of beds "we will be allowed to add" and what other facilities will be needed.

The internal administration of hospital services under the agreement, according to Fearrington, will be under the control of the chairman of the clinical departments at the university. "That is," he explained, "the chairman of the department of surgery at the university will be chairman of

the clinical department of surgery at the hospital."

Fearrington emphasized, however, that there will also be an advisory committee including non-university physicians, to provide "checks and balances... review" for the system.

The principles according to Fearrington, were approved by "a decided margin" of the medical staff, and the physicians, in approving the affiliation agreement, recommended that the hospital's board of trustees give its approval.

"This approach to use Pitt County Memorial Hospital as the primary teaching center for the university will sort of obviate the need of having two separate hospitals in this community," Fearrington explained. "A great deal of concern," has been expressed by PCMH medical staff members and university officials that two hospitals might be "standing side-by-side with about 50 per cent occupancy... a very expensive situation."

"I think this will save our citizens money."

PCMH administrator Jack Richardson, commenting on the doctors' action last night, said "I think it shows there is firm support for the medical school at ECU, with 85 per cent" of the medical staff "voting to recommend to the trustees the acceptance of the principles."

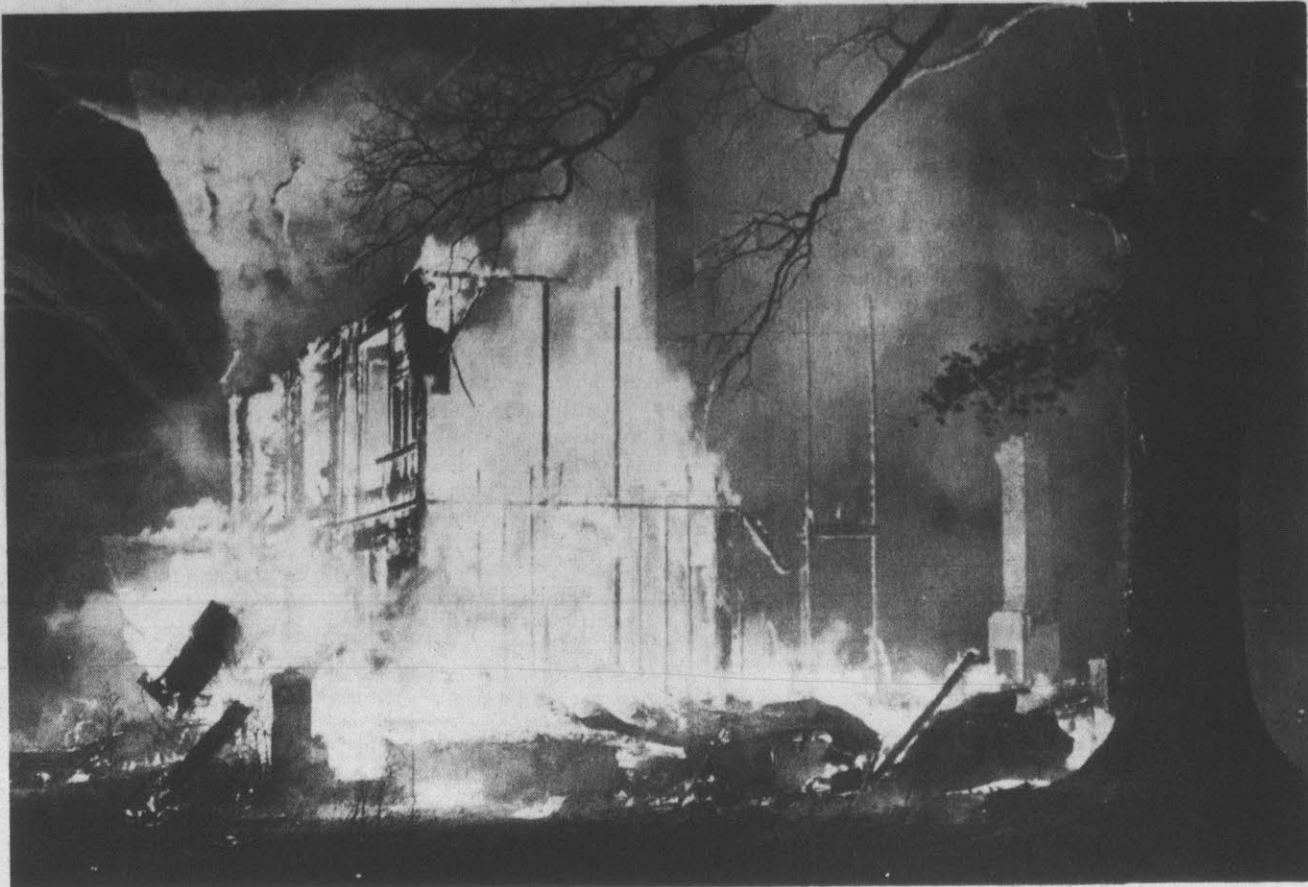
Fearrington noted that the Board of County Commissioners and the hospital's board of trustees "will have to deal with the financial aspects of operating a joint venture. That's out of our prerogative."

Richardson agreed. He said that if the hospital's trustees and county commissioners approve of the principles, it will be up to those bodies "to establish a formal contract agreement" between PCMH and ECU.

"I think it's important to understand that the support and recommendation of the medical staff was necessary to go beyond this point," Richardson noted. Dr. Ed Monroe, Vice-Chancellor for Health Affairs at ECU said this morning "the university is very gratified at the tremendously positive attitude the Pitt County Memorial Hospital medical staff demonstrated" in approving the principles last night.

"This is a major step toward the goal of developing a medical school which is closely allied with the community of Pitt County and of Eastern North Carolina. And as the necessary

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Old Home Totally Destroyed

SPECTACULAR FIRE BURNS HOME—An old home on the Pac-tolus highway was completely destroyed last night. According to Pitt County Fire Marshal Bobby Joyner the home was located approximately a half mile from the highway, with a value placed at \$10,000. Two rural Pitt County Fire Department responded to the

alarm, Staton House and Pactolus, and upon arriving found the rear of the house engulfed in flames. Joyner said that the house was due for demolition in the future. No injuries were reported and investigation is continuing. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

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10 POINTERS

The Reflector has received the following letter signed only, "The Employee." It is a comment on a Family Weekly article entitled, "The Ten Biggest Gripes People Have Against The Boss." We think it has a place in this consumer-oriented column. It's edited on account of space.

"I have not one boss, but many. The public is my boss. Every day I wait on people, comfort their hurts, and try to satisfy their wants to the best of my abilities. I would like to mention how they could get better service from their 'employees.'"

"1. Please don't put money on the counter—hand it to the clerk. Money can and does scratch surfaces and cause them to have to be replaced. Not only this, but it's proper etiquette to hand the money."

"2. Please say please and thank you. The person waiting on you is also human and likes to hear these kind words."

"3. Put that unwanted merchandise back where you got it. Many a manhour is lost when the clerk has to put it back, and it's time taken away from helping the customer and money charged the customer in the long run."

"4. If you want to look at something in a box or bag, get a clerk to help you. More than likely he or she can put it back the way it came out. Merchandise mutilated by a previous customer has to be either marked down or sent back to the manufacturer, who in turn has to repair it and send the cost back to the consumer."

"5. If you can't find any help for the department you're in, the office is usually near the front door. This creates the best possible access to all people, since this is the control unit for the entire store."

"6. Don't let children run all over the store. Every week I find some lost child wandering around the store. By the time I get him back to his parent, there are a few customers wondering where I am. And that broken toy he may have gotten hold of or that item he thought would look funny tied to one of the shelves is costing the consumer."

"7. Don't expect one person to go from one department to another. In a medium-sized store, there may be over 100,000 different items. No one can be expected to tell you exactly where each little item is. If you need some help, ask a clerk in another department to get you some help. Better yet, go to the office. With all the layoffs now, employees are taking on the burden of what three persons used to do."

"8. Don't let another customer push you around, but don't be a pusher yourself. If you feel you are being mistreated by someone, tell the management. We want you to feel that you can come in and shop with leisure and comfort. But don't forget to show others you care for them, too."

"9. Know your way around the store. Not only is this a benefit to you for speed in shopping, but you can meet the people who work for the store. Good friendships in a store will get you the best service no matter what."

"10. Please obey the laws and ordinances. Every year thousands of dollars are lost through shoplifting. It is the consumer himself who pays for the merchandise stolen and for security to protect it."

"If you try to follow any of these suggestions, you can be assured you have the thanks of all your 'employees' in our stores."

Report Lisbon Arrests

LISBON, Portugal (AP) — Portugal's leftist military government has arrested more than a dozen leading industrialists and bankers on suspicion of financing a plot to overthrow the regime, it reported today.

The Continental Defense Command, the government's chief military security force, said among those arrested were Jorge and Jose Manuel de Melo, two of the country's richest men.

Jose de Melo was arrested at the Lisbon airport Wednesday, and Jorge was picked up at CUF, an international industrial combine that he heads.

The government also kept the nation's banks shut for the third day.

A bank union official said employees were guarding the institutions to prevent "economic sabotage" and the flight of capital from the country following the increase in the leftists' powers on Wednesday.

Portugal's leftist military rulers claim that an attempt by reactionary conservatives was made to overthrow them on Tuesday, when two obsolete air force planes made a desultory attack on an artillery barracks near the Lisbon airport.

The leftists announced on Wednesday that they were setting up a Revolutionary Council to make military participation in the country's political life permanent. It will be able to legislate and override the decisions of any elected civilian government should one ever be elected.

Find Remains Of Huge Extinct Flying Reptile

NEW YORK (AP)—Fossil hunters in Texas have discovered the remains of an extinct winged reptile with a wingspan of 51 feet—about the length of an average railroad freight car—that is the largest known creature ever to have flown.

Bones of the animal, which lived about 60 million years ago, were found in excavations during the last three years in

Big Bend National Park in southwest Texas by Douglas A.



BIG BIRD—Bones of an extinct winged reptile with a wingspan of 51 feet have been found in Big Bend National Park, in Texas. The wingspan is twice that of the biggest previously known pterosaur and six times bigger than that of the condor, the largest flying bird now alive. (AP Wirephoto)

Would Support \$30 Billion Cut

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., chairman of the tax-writing Senate Finance Committee, said today he will support a \$30-billion tax cut, almost double the amount recommended by President Ford.

Long made the comment as his committee began writing its version of the tax cut.

A proposal by Long that is drawing increasing support in the committee would allow up to a \$2,500 tax credit for persons who buy a new home. Long said he has no estimate on what this would cost the government.

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — The South Vietnamese today reported the loss of another district town in the Central Highlands.

In Cambodia, a Khmer Rouge rocket hit an ammunition dump at the Phnom Penh airport and forced the suspension of the American airlift again.

Fighting continued for the fourth day inside Ban Me Thuot.

There were no immediate reports of casualties at the Phnom Penh airport, and none of the U.S. airlift planes were hit. But three Americans and Australia's top diplomat in Hanoi were among 26 persons killed when North Vietnamese or Viet Cong forces shot down a Vietnamese airliner in the central highlands.

The Australian Embassy in Saigon confirmed that Graham Lewis, charge d'affaires in the North Vietnamese capital, was one of the 20 passengers. The Americans were identified as Edward Dolan and Robert Seidl, both of Washington, D.C., and George C. Miller, an official of the U.S. Agency for In-

ternational Development in

Vientiane. Officials said Dolan and Seidl were employed by a company named Moore Business Forms.

The district town lost was Buon Ho, 25 miles northeast of Ban Me Thuot. The South Vietnamese command reported North Vietnamese pressure forced the garrison to retreat to another position. There was no word on casualties.

Buon Ho was the sixth of South Vietnam's 244 district towns to fall in the past five days and the 17th lost since the signing of the cease-fire agreement two years ago.

A spokesman for the U.S. Embassy said it had had no radio contact since Wednesday with the nine Americans trapped by the fighting in Ban Me Thuot, the threatened provincial capital 155 miles north-east of Saigon.

The spokesman said an observation pilot flying over the city reported the compound where the Americans were staying had not been bombed and showed no signs of an attack.

The loss of radio contact "could well be for technical reasons," the spokesman added. "We know their batteries were running low."

The Americans include an official of the U.S. Agency for International Development and eight missionaries. Three Canadians, an Australian and a Filipino also have been reported in the city, but there was no word of them.

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Further Slump For Economy Is Expected

By G.G. LaBELLE
Associated Press Writer

Administration officials see the economy going further down and then up after mid-year and food prices going further up and then, possibly, down.

Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz and top economic adviser Alan Greenspan made the predictions Wednesday as the House passed a \$5.9 billion job bill and discussion continued over how much taxpayer relief is needed to jar the economy from the deepening recession.

The White House said Butz told a Cabinet meeting that food prices would rise 3 to 4 per cent, a slower rise than last year, before leveling off or dropping slightly after mid-year.

Greenspan, chief of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, repeated the administration view that the economy would see a turnaround in the second half of the year but warned of a steeper slump first, with unemployment up and production down.

Treasury Secretary William E. Simon said the nation's fiscal policy would pull the country out of recession by midyear but warned of "playing with fire" by going into debt to boost the economy.

Simon added the U.S. government will go into debt at the rate of about \$1 billion a week during the coming fiscal year.

The stock market took a drop, partly in reaction to Greenspan's gloom. The Dow Jones industrial average fell 7.20 to 763.69, though analysts also blamed the decline on profit taking in a market that has risen sharply since the beginning of the year.

COMMENTATOR DIES
DENVER — (AP)—Cedric Foster, 74, newscaster and commentator whose career spanned 40 years, died Wednesday. He was a reporter and commentator with the Mutual Broadcasting System for 27 years.

Children Don't Realize That Comic Book Is Good For Them

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — There's a comic book on the market aimed specifically at teaching children to read better. Its guiding principal is — don't let the kids know it's for their improvement.

The comic is "Spidey Super Stories" and Stan Lee, publisher and editor of the company which puts it out, says, "It looks like a regular comic book. If a kid thought it was special, he probably wouldn't read it. In no way do we imply to the kids that it's beneficial."

Lee says that "The Electric Company," the TV show which is a sister show to "Sesame Street," got in touch with him a couple of years ago and said they were interested in helping children with remedial reading problems. "They said they had found that nothing seems to fascinate children as much as comic books. If they could get kids to read comic books, the kids would learn that reading can be pleasurable and fun. If

you begin to enjoy something, you increase your skill. Then kids would go on to other types of reading.

"They took a survey of children, and Spider Man turned out to be the most popular comic book character. They asked if we would do a special publication starring Spider Man, edited for remedial reading-type children."

So, Children's Television Workshop, producers of "The Electric Company," and Marvel Comics went together into the new venture, which started in July 1974, calling it Spidey, already Spider Man's nickname in the comic strip.

The comic is liked by kids and bought by enough of them for it to be making money, Lee says, but he says he's committed enough to the idea of educating via comics for the company to keep it going even if it lost money.

Especially interesting, to a person old enough to have lost touch with comic books, is Lee's statement that a comic book written for remedial readers is exactly the opposite of his company's usual practice.

"The vocabulary in our comics is of college level. We will use any word at all as long as it isn't vulgar — words like cataclysmic and antediluvian."

"We figure the young readers will learn the word by its use in the context and if they should go to the dictionary and look it up, that isn't the worst thing that could happen. We've attracted a huge college audience. We probably have as many readers 15 to 25 as we do 6 to 15."

Bank Has Mortgage Plan For Girls

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer
Career girls may find it easier now to acquire their own rose-covered homes, although the vines might be twirling over condominiums rather than cottages.

So says banker Raymond E. Cummings, who originated what might be a first, the "Ms. Mortgage." He also has programs "for the bachelor pad" set and others. They can borrow up to 95 per cent of the price of the property.

In fact, Cummings, president of the Burrill Mutual Savings Bank of New Britain, Conn., has found "the unattached female a superior risk."

"We almost never have a delinquency with an unattached female. She will eat crackers for a week before her next payday rather than jeopardize her home. She has been willing to make sacrifices and dedicate the greater portion of her wages to a house. Women have a natural homing instinct," he insists.

He is "not running down the opposite sex," he says, but "men do think of other things first — their car, beer nights and so on."

Women are better at maintenance of a home, too, although the male is "better now than he was."

"It has become a vogue for unattached males to have a pad of their own, and two or three get together and buy a house. Even though they all buy it, one holds the payment book," he explained.

Cummings launched the special plans in 1972, beginning with a plan for newlyweds. At that time the mortgage interest was more like 7 per cent; now it is nearer 10.

"It is unusual in the underwriting process, but we aren't really doing anything other

At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck
Report cards have certainly become sophisticated since the computers took over.

A simple S (for Satisfactory) and U (for Unsatisfactory) has given way to a student identification number, a print-out of the class schedule and attendance record, a grade code, a comment code, and an instant replay of grades by terms and semesters.

"Well, 976553411892," I said to my son, "We have a lot to talk about."

"Just call me 97655," he laughed. (It was to be the last time he laughed all week.)

"I see you got a 3-2 in your Dr. Ed Trg. Cr. What have you got to say about that?" what do you want to know? he shrugged.

"For starters, what's Dr. Ed & Trg. Cr.?"

"It's Driver's Education and if you check the code you'll see that 3 is an average grade."

"What's the 2 for?" I asked.

"According to the comment code, I didn't bring materials necessary for the class."

"You mean you didn't take your textbook with you?"

"No. Brains. Mr. Woods took off because I was going 32 mph in a 30 mile zone."

"That doesn't seem excessive," I said defensively.

"In reverse," he added.

"Good grief. What happened in English. You got a 4 and a code 5. That means you are below average and according to this you could make better use of your time."

"That's not true," he said, "I never goof off in that class. I use every minute."

"To study?"

"To eat my lunch so that when the class is over I can shoot baskets on my lunch hour. You can't budget your time any better than that."

"Well, your history grade is good, but Mrs. Burice indicated you are not working up to your capacity."

"I don't know what my capacity is," he said.

"So, why don't you ask Mrs. Burice?"

"I did and she said I didn't know because I've never worked up to it. I said how will I know when I get there and she said when I stop teepeeing the trees on the school lawn."

Sometimes, I wish schools would just lay it on us . . . in English.

Don't Tell Mother About New Hubby



By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: Our widowed mother, age 52, informed her children, much to our surprise, that she had been dating a man for the last three weeks.

The following week, she called and said she wanted us kids to meet this man because she was thinking about marrying him.

Well, we met him, and he seemed very polite and friendly. He told Mother that he was an undercover F.B.I. agent. My brother was very skeptical, so he asked his wife's cousin, who is on the police force, to run a check on this man. The report came back that this man was not connected with any law enforcement agency.

My brother and I got together and decided that we should tell our mother what we found out, but before we had a chance to tell her, she ups and marries this character.

Our question: Should we tell Mom? Or is it none of our business now that she's married to him?

LOUSED UP IN LONGVIEW

DEAR LOUSED: You're right. It's none of your business. She may be very happy with this man. If she isn't, and asks you for help, then you can become involved. But for now, the word from here is—cool it.

DEAR ABBY: Our daughter, very much against the wishes of her mother and me, moved out of our home to live with a boy she'd been going with for about a year.

After living together for two years, which they did openly, they decided to get married. Now this daughter wants me to foot the bill for a big church wedding in June. She wants a long white gown, veil, bridesmaids, flowers and a catered dinner and reception for 300, complete with orchestra.

Not only that, but she told her grandparents that in case they wanted any ideas on what to give her for a wedding present, a Hawaiian honeymoon would really be great.

My question: Do you think the kind of wedding our daughter wants is in order under the circumstances? And what are your thoughts on a Hawaiian honeymoon?

FATHER OF THE BRIDE

DEAR FATHER: After a couple has been living together openly for two years, a wedding such as your daughter is planning is, I think, in poor taste. Also, a Hawaiian vacation would be lovely, but it could hardly be called a "honeymoon." It would be more like a summer re-run.

DEAR ABBY: What is your opinion of a non-Jewish person who all of a sudden starts wearing a Star of David? She went to Catholic schools all her life and couldn't possibly believe in the Jewish faith.

JUST ASKING

DEAR JUST: I would assume that she believes in someone who believes in the Jewish faith, and she doesn't care who knows it.

CONFIDENTIAL TO VIRGO: When a man tells the woman who has been dating him exclusively for two years that he thinks they should both start dating others, it's the beginning of the end. Say farewell to your Pisces. There are ser fish in the sea.

TC everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal fly, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's new booklet, "What Teen-agers Want to Know," send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (20¢) envelope.

Club Members Hear Speaker

GRIFTON—A program on miniature gardens was given at the meeting of the Grifton Garden Club Monday at the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith. Mrs. Leon Lamb was assisting hostess.

Ed Yancey, Pitt County Agricultural Extension chairman, gave the program and showed a number of slides of miniature gardens and their possibilities.

Mrs. Dave Bosley conducted the business session and appointed Mrs. H. C. Oglesby, Mrs. John Glenn, Mrs. Leon Lamb, Mrs. Clifton Jackson and Mrs. John Coward to act as hostesses at City Hall on Saturday of the Shad Festival.

It was announced that a trip to Southern Pines for a home tour on April 9 was planned. The club will sponsor a garden workshop through the Pitt County Agricultural Extension Office on March 17 from 7:30 until 9 p.m. in the elementary school lunchroom in Grifton.

Births
Savage
Born to Dr. and Mrs. Phillip L. Savage, 2826 Charlotte Lane, Burlington, a son, Matthew Ford, on Feb. 15, 1975.

Goldfarb
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marty Goldfarb, 201 Crestline Dr., a daughter, Deborah Lee, on March 11, 1975, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

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Workers Save Jobs By N.C. Moose Here This Weekend

Buying Up The Business

By JOHN BARBOUR
Associated Press Writer
EDEN MILLS, Vt. (AP) — It might as well be spring in this snow-covered Vermont hamlet. The workers of the old GAF Corp. asbestos mine have saved their jobs. They bought the business.

They began meeting their own payroll with the night shift Wednesday, after an eight-hour session in Montpelier in which the deal was closed.

Just 13 months ago, the nearly 180 miners and millers were told they had only another year to work. GAF was going to close the open pit mine, rather than pump in \$1.5 million to meet federal pollution standards.

Then, John Lupien, a 43-year-old maintenance supervisor, suggested the employees pool their resources and buy the mine. GAF agreed to sell.

"Good luck," said GAF Vice President Thomas Dent after all the papers were signed Wednesday.

"A lot of people were pulling toward the same goal — saving jobs for 180 people. It's the only way a success story like this could have happened."

"It's just great," said Lupien. "It is good news for the battered economy of the state, particularly rural Vermont," said Gov. Thomas P. Salmon.

The workers got a bargain. They paid \$400,000 for the 2,300-acre site and the mill, property the state estimates is worth \$3 million. Yearly sales from the mine top \$7 million.

In announcing its plans to close the mine, GAF had also said that low asbestos prices played a part in its decision.

But after GAF agreed to sell out to the workers' Vermont Asbestos Group, two big Canadian asbestos mines closed and the price of asbestos went up.

The workers, whose pay averages \$8,000 a year, raised \$100,000 themselves by buying 2,000 shares of stock at \$50 a share, and they borrowed almost \$2 million more. The Environmental Protection agency granted a one-year delay in installation of pollution control equipment.

An experienced businessman has been hired as president, and two worker-owner committees will be named to plan for the future development of additional asbestos on the property.

But the big thing is retention of jobs in an area with a jobless rate of 12 per cent and no other major employers.

Lupien, the man who pulled it off, is a transplanted Canadian who has been with the mine less than three years.

He says he got mad when GAF announced the mine would be closed. That's when he said, "let's buy it from them."

Today, as well as reporting as usual for his regular job, Lupien is chairman of the board.

Preparation for the mid-year conference of the North Carolina Moose Association this weekend are all but complete, a labor that will only be overshadowed by the arrival of something over 500 members of the fraternity whose vanguard is due on Friday.

Jas. Biddle To Be Symposium Speaker

NEW BERN—James Biddle, president of the National Trust for Historic Preservation, will be a participating speaker in the Tryon Palace Symposium here Wednesday, March 26.

His visit to North Carolina is under the auspices of the Continuing Education Program at East Carolina University.

At the invitation of the Carteret Historical Research Association, he will visit Beaufort Tuesday, March 25. A tour of historic Beaufort has been planned including a visit to the former home of Mrs. F.R. Bell, where his ancestor, Charles Biddle, once lived.

Biddle will be the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. Castlow during his visit. During the evening, a reception will be given in his honor at the Josiah Bell House on the Restoration Grounds, hosted by the Carteret Historical Research Association, the Beaufort Historical Association and the Bicentennial Commission.

On Wednesday, a harbor cruise on the Duke Marine Lab yacht is planned followed by an

airplane flight for an aerial view of the area. Biddle will tour the Old Burying Grounds adjacent to Ann Street Methodist Church. At the symposium, he will speak on "The Past As A Present For The Future," which will include a slide presentation concerning restoration throughout the USA.

Brennan Back To His Old Job

NEW YORK (AP) — Peter J. Brennan, who has resigned as Secretary of Labor, will return to his old job as president of the New York City Building and Construction Trades Council on April 1, a spokesman said.

Brennan, 56, became labor secretary in 1972, under President Richard M. Nixon, and he stayed on after President Ford took over.

His successor as labor secretary, John T. Dunlop, is expected to be sworn in soon.

For Edwin M. Baldree, secretary of the Greenville Moose Lodge, largely responsible for the arrangements accomodating the influx of fraternity members (most of whom are being accompanied by their wives), it has been a strenuous week of anticipation.

"We have a reputation of hospitality to uphold," says Baldree; "for a number of years, Greenville has been a favored place among those chosen for gatherings of the Moose."



JOHN A. JONES
Sup. Jr. Governor

John A. Jones of Weirton, W. Va., Supreme Junior Governor, will represent the Supreme Lodge at the mid-year conference.

Noah Baker, Jr., of Tarboro, president of the state association will preside over business sessions. Nandor Lozma, Jr., state director, will also be in attendance.

A considerable number of Moose will be arriving Friday, when a luncheon for holders of the Pilgrim's Degree will be held and ritual competition begins. Social activities followed by an officers' business meeting are scheduled, with a dance closing out the evening.

Saturday's activities include panels and luncheon, with the conference opening at 2:30 p.m. in the Greenville lodge auditorium. Saturday evening will be marked by more social activities with final conference session Sunday morning.

Junior Supreme Governor Jones is former assistant to the president of Weirton Steel Division of National Steel Corp. In addition to his service to the Moose, he is a past national vice commander of the American Legion and remains active as consultant to the National Public Relations Commission of the Legion. He is West Virginia

State Chairman of the USO and serves as a commissioner in the W. Va. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Concurrent with the Moose association conference, N. C. Women of the Moose will be meeting. Miss Ada Jones, Deputy Grand Regent, will serve as the official visitor to the conference.

Revival Series Begin Monday

The Rev. Hilton James of Brooklyn, N.Y., will conduct a week's revival services at Sycamore Hill Baptist Church beginning Monday night.

Services will begin each night at 7:30 p.m.

Serving as pastor of the Berean Baptist Church in Brooklyn, the Rev. James has conducted several institutes for the Old Eastern Baptist Association.

The church is located at 226 W. Eighth Street.

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Plan Salute Volunteers

NORFOLK, Va.—The Tidewater Red Cross Blood Region will have a special "Twenty-Five Years of Service" luncheon Tuesday, March 25th, at 11 a.m. at Scope.

The luncheon will recognize the services of hundreds of volunteers, who over the past 25 years have worked to make a successful Red Cross Blood Program possible in the Tidewater area. Those interested in attending are invited to call their local chapter of the American Red Cross.

A program including a history of the blood region, which now extends some 450 miles north and south and 250 miles to the west, will be given and mention will be made of the progress toward a new Bloodcenter to be located in Norfolk. A social hour will precede the luncheon, which will be served at 12:30 p.m.

The guest speaker for the day will be Dr. Julian Schorr, of New York, who will assume the duties of Medical Director of the Tidewater Blood center in the near future.

Appointed To Martin Board

WILLIAMSTON—Mrs. Regina Moore, a Martin County attorney, was earlier this week appointed as the seventh board member of the Martin County Board of Education.

Announcement of the board's unanimous choice was made by George McRorie, chairman of the Martin Board.

The appointment was to fill a seventh member position added to the former six member composition. The North Carolina Legislature recently passed House Bill 64 to authorize a seventh member.

With the appointment, Mrs. Moore becomes the first woman and also the first black to serve on Martin County's Board of Education. A graduate of North

Carolina Central University Law School, Mrs. Moore and her husband, Milton Moore, opened a law office in Williamston several years ago.

The mother of two preschool children, she ran for a seat on the board during the May 1974 elections.

When informed that the board had selected her from the seventh member position, Mrs. Moore expressed a desire to "serve the cause of education in the county" and added she has "a strong concern for the quality of early education."

This is an at-large, four year term position, and will be filled by an elected candidate in the general elections of 1978.

College For Sale

CHAPEL HILL (AP)—The board of trustees of North Carolina Wesleyan College has offered the near-bankrupt Rocky Mount school for sale to the state.

Board Chairman J. Phil Carlton said Wednesday the offer is "a heck of a deal."

Carlton made the offer in a letter to William Dees, chairman of the University of North Carolina Board of Governors.

UNC President William C. Friday said the board of governors will consider the offer Friday.

Carlton said in a telephone interview, "All we ask is that they assume the indebtedness of the school." He said the school's outstanding debts totaled about \$3.5 million and the school's price to the state "would be in that range."

He added, however, the state would have to pay less than \$1 million immediately. The rest would be paid by assuming the school's long term loans.

The state would also have to accept the cost of operating the school.

UF Meeting

The annual luncheon meeting of the Pitt County United Fund will be held Friday, 12:30 p.m., at the Greenville Golf and Country Club.

The nomination and election of new officers and recognition of past leadership will highlight the program, according to Ed N. Warren, president.

Aging Study For 4-H's

Pitt County 4-H's participating in the "Youth Looks At Aging" program recently held a weekend retreat entitled "Add Life to Years."

The retreat focused on the changing attitudes and performing services.

Miss Isabelle Buckley, aging specialist with the North Carolina State University at Raleigh, gave a lecture entitled "Those Later Years." She described the characteristics of the aging process.

Other workshops conducted included "Dealing with Self" by Mike Davis, 4-H coordinator, and "Home Nursing Care, by Mrs. Hope Davis.

The Pitt County 4-H program on aging has recently received commendation from the Governor and from the American Association of Retired Persons for their efforts.

Members attending the retreat were: Ronald Dawson, Randy Eubanks, Debbie Allen, Hope Mullen, Angela Dawson, Kim Eubanks, Cara Burnett, Jeff Bailey, Karen Casey, and Charlie Bass. Four-H leaders participating included Mrs. Raymond Eubanks and Mrs. Nancy Allen.

ARKANSAS TERRITORY INCLUDED OKLAHOMA
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas was part of the Missouri Territory until Missouri applied for statehood. Then Congress created the Arkansas Territory, including much of Oklahoma, on March 2, 1819. The first territorial legislature met July 28, 1819, at Arkansas Post.

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Legislature Is Marking Time

Things are relatively quiet in the State Legislature at this stage.

The lawmakers assembled in Raleigh in January. Committees were organized and the work of the session got underway. So far no overriding issues have developed except the one that is worrying the legislators most—that of finding adequate funds to provide for the state's needs.

That is obviously what is most on everyone's minds at present. It is not that revenues are down, at least not so far; rather it is a question of revenues not growing at the same rapid rate of the past.

So the legislators must mark time prior to really shaping up the budget pending the April 15 tax filing deadline which should give a clearer picture of how much revenue is going to be available.

The General Assembly leaders tell us that the time is not being wasted, however. For the first time in many years the appropriate committees are supposed to be taking a careful look at the huge state budget to see where funds are being wasted or

how they can be better used.

If this process is truly being carried out effectively, then North Carolina is going to gain something from this ongoing recession. The past decade has been a time for adding expenditures, personnel and services in state government. Often budgets have been submitted and accepted at face value for incorporation. If you added a state official, it might automatically be assumed that he should have a car and a secretary, for instance. In practice it may be that the new official really didn't have enough work to keep a full-time secretary busy or that his work really didn't require transportation. It is in areas such as this that expenditures can be pared back and the funds saved can be used for more essential state needs.

The legislators have a dreary task combing through all the items of state expenditures. It will be labor well worth the effort if we can reduce some expenditures that are not returning full value to the tax payers. We, for one, are glad to see this scrutiny of state spending going on.

THIS AFTERNOON

Alternative Steps Opened

By BILL NOBLITT
RALEIGH—Gov. James E. Holshouser Jr., is equipped with a wide latitude of executive powers which could sharply relieve overcrowded conditions in North Carolina prisons, but has taken a "hands off" attitude leaving the General Assembly and a special study commission on penal reform to wrestle with the problem.

That charge came to light in a recent meeting of the Commission on Sentencing, Criminal Punishment, and Rehabilitation chaired by by Charlotte Lawyer Eddie Knox, former state senator from Mecklenburg.

Both Knox and a legislative staff aide charged that there are alternative steps available to the governor in a volatile overcrowding crisis which sees over 12,000 inmates now serving time in a system designed to hold about 10,000; and in the face of projected future population figures showing over 17,000 prisoners by 1983.

One Way
Holshouser and his Corrections chief, David Jones, apparently have put all their eggs in one basket: a massive investment of \$200

million-plus for construction of high-rise prisons housing 400 to 500 inmates. But that solution, even if approved by the General Assembly, is years away, costly, and not accepted by the Knox Commission as the correct philosophy.

The Knox Commission, made up of legislators, judges, and law enforcement people, basically is aiming at reducing the number of inmates rather than building more prisons.

Last summer, Knox wrote a letter to Gov. Holshouser saying that the commission felt some positive action by the governor was essential. At the time, numerous penal experts were warning that the overcrowding and lack of activity were threatening to explode prisons into riot.

"We received absolutely no response to that letter," Knox now charges. "The governor has wide latitude to use his executive powers to relieve these conditions, and he has not acted."

The Department of Corrections, Knox said, has cooperated with his commission "100 per cent," but the governor has not joined in

that effort by using the available alternatives such as opening up bed space, medical care facilities, and classrooms in other state institutions—some of them not being actively used at this time—for the housing of prisoners.

No Information
Mercer Doty, director of the Fiscal Research Division of the General Assembly services staff, said no definite list of available space has been made: "That property information has not been compiled . . . we don't have access to the records."

Doty ticked off a list of possible state-owned institutions in the Department of Human Resources (mental rehabilitation centers, mental hospitals), in the Department of Corrections (juvenile training schools), and elsewhere where space either is currently available, or could be made available by moving clients to other institutions.

It seems, Knox argues, that the administration prefers the new capital construction and emphasis on single-cell units to seeking other available solutions.

Doty said that the bills of

the past two sessions of the General Assembly structuring re-organization of state government were designed to give the governor executive power to bring departments of state together in solving such problems.

"The Department of Corrections has attempted to deal with the problem, but has had little or no cooperation from the executive (governor). The governor is uniquely in a position to find bed space at other facilities, to commute sentences, or other wise act to reduce prison population."

"There is little evidence the governor has considered such," Doty said. "If he is going to run things, then he has been given the authority, and he should not pass the ball back to this General Assembly and this (Knox) Commission which are having to do what he could do."

"He is in a position to study the overcrowding and other available space, to allocate space in Human Resources to the prisons, to use the Department of Transportation to provide work release . . . But his posture has been hands off," Doty said.



By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

Ford Tossed A Gauntlet

President Ford went out of his way last Friday night to rebuke conservative elements within the Republican party. The President denounced what he termed an "attitude of exclusiveness" and he got in a couple of licks at "fanatic factions" and "elite guards."

In brief, he tossed a gauntlet down.

The time has come to say to Ronald Reagan: Pick it up.

With last weekend's Republican Leadership Conference, the division now is sharp and clear between the me-too Republicans, personified by the President and by Sen. Howard Baker of Tennessee, and the conservative Republicans, personified by Reagan and by Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina.

In plain words, the me-too Republicans want a party that stands for everything. The conservatives want a party that stands for something. Sen. Baker told a gathering of college Republicans that American political parties "should not have an ideology." By contrast, Reagan declared that the party cannot survive if it

undertakes "to be all things to all people." Said Sen. Helms: "This broad-based thing is a bunch of hokum as far as I'm concerned."

In this fundamental disagreement, Reagan and Helms are clearly right, and Ford and Baker are just as clearly wrong. If the two major parties are not to have identifiable ideological distinctions, why maintain the charade of two parties?

Political parties are mechanisms, nothing more. They are vehicles for the translation of political thought into political action. To speak of political thought is to speak of political ideas, which is to say of ideology. Our political ideas have taken many forms: protective tariff, free trade; hard money, easy money; slavery and abolition. The role of the major parties is to promote and to elect candidates who will promote the ideas. A party without ideas—without an ideology—is nothing but a nothing; in the words of the old song, it is not a thing at all.

The Democrats are smarter in this regard than the President and his me-too

companions. The Democrats have made themselves the party of what passes today for liberalism. In Miami in 1972, and again in Kansas City three months ago, they spelled out an ideology of the left. Through their party caucus in the House of Representatives, the Democrats are putting the ideology into action. They had no room in their tent for a John Jarman of Oklahoma. Their base was not so broad that conservatives Bob Poage and Edward Hebert could retain committee chairmanships. The Democratic party is behaving as a party.

Very well. With his challenge last Friday night, Ford asked for an intraparty fight. Former Gov. Reagan is eager to give it to him. President Ford is in this peculiar situation: Never having been elected to the presidency, he has no political claim on the office. The immemorial custom is for a party always to renominate its sitting president, but Ford has yet to win his first nomination. He is a candidate. Nothing in the rules should deter other candidates.

Reagan may not be the perfect leader for Republican conservatives. He is a man of bold ideas; such men make enemies, and Reagan has his share. He was born Feb. 6, 1911. He has no experience in foreign affairs. Yet Sen. Helms is little known; Sen. James L. Buckley of New York exhibits no jocular instincts; Barry Goldwater, now 66, is out of it. Reagan is the best in sight.

Reagan's hesitation is understandable. If he were formally to announce his candidacy, he would be accused of "undercutting his President," or "fomenting intraparty strife." He will have to risk this toxic gas. A Reagan candidacy would put some life in the moribund GOP; he could offer a choice, not an echo. It doesn't have to be an ugly collision, marked by blood and lacerations. Reagan has only to say to the President, in the friendliest possible way. See you in New Hampshire.

States Took Lead

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — State governments were in the forefront of legislative initiatives last year because they were the first to perceive public sentiment on major issues, says a federal advisory commission.

While national news such as President Nixon's resignation and the deepening recession dominated public attention, "the states were able to act decisively in many areas to meet the needs of their citizens," the panel said in its annual report.

However, some of the state programs, particularly political reforms, were similar to measures enacted earlier by Congress.

In contrast to the federal government, 16 states adopted gasoline rationing plans to help shorten long lines at gas stations during the height of the energy crisis, the report said.

Governors in 15 states were granted emergency powers to deal with energy problems, and 19 states created commissions and agencies to coordinate supply and demand of energy.

Thirty states enacted laws governing financing of political campaigns.

And while the federal budget deficit grew larger, more than 40 states reported financial surpluses in their treasuries for fiscal 1974, although part of this was the result of federal revenue sharing.

The report was issued by the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, which was created by Congress in 1959 to monitor the federal system and recommend improvements.

In a review of programs enacted by state legislatures, the commission reported that, "As has occurred in the past, they (the states) were the first to perceive citizen desires and translate them into legislative or executive action."

Energy conservation was a major topic in many states, the report said. Eighteen states appropriated funds for research of alternatives to oil based energy, while six states expanded the scope of their building codes to include requirements for evaluation of the

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The INSIDE REPORT

Candidate George Wallace

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK
MONTGOMERY, Ala. —

While Gov. George C. Wallace's political operatives methodically prepare for Democratic presidential primaries, they are also working backstage to insure he can be on all 50 state ballots as nominee of his old American Independent Party.

This reflects the two-track Wallace strategy. Track No. 1 seeks Democratic convention delegates, mainly through primaries. Since his nomination even for Vice President remains remote, Track No. 2 comes into play: leaving the Democratic convention in high dudgeon to accept the American Party nomination.

Moreover, the reality here contradicts wishful thinking by national Democratic leaders, that Wallace's

campaign is disorganized, his attitude dilettantish and his health deteriorating. He has never been better organized politically, he is determined to make a serious campaign and his health — except for paralysis — is excellent. Thus, Wallace is a deadly serious factor, further disturbing the embattled two-party system.

Wallace's national operation, with plush headquarters in downtown Montgomery, bears no faint resemblance to his potluck 1972 campaign. His organization is further advanced than any other Democratic candidate's, with 23 state chairmen selected.

In 1972, Wallace entered primaries on hunch and whim. Today, Wallace campaign director Charles Snider will soon hire a "political manager" — somebody with graduate

degrees in political science who will comb voting statistics to find which primary states have the best Wallace constituencies.

None of this will make Wallace the Democratic nominee for President. He would accept the vice-presidential nomination, but even that is highly unlikely. The massive effort in the primaries is really intended to send Wallace into the Democratic convention as front-runner, enabling him to claim that liberal Democratic leaders flouted the people's will and to enter the American Party convention where he would be nominated by acclamation.

Wallace's most influential supporters — particularly stock-car racing impresario William France of Daytona Beach, Fla. — have long pushed Track No. 2. Wallace himself seems headed that way. "The hierarchy of the Democratic party has a bias against me," he told us in his state capital office. "If they keep it up, they'll have to suffer for it."

To get on presidential ballots if he bolts the Democrats, Wallace must rely on what remains of his old American Independent

Party. Since he ran as its presidential candidate on 50 state ballots in 1968, the party has split in two: the American Party, controlled by the John Birch Society, and the more moderate, much smaller American Independent Party. Together they retain a presidential spot on some 33 state ballots.

Snider is privately making two hard points to the rival splinter parties: first, Wallace will not run unless he is on all 50 ballots; second, the two American Parties cannot get back on all 50 unless they work together. Blocking such cooperation is domination over the larger American Party by Tom Anderson, the anti-Wallace Birchir from Pigeon Forge, Tenn. But Wallaceites may soon force him out.

How can Wallace's operatives dabble in third-party politics while he is ostensibly seeking the Democratic nomination? In reply, Wallace points to nearly universal refusal by Democratic presidential candidates to pledge their support if he ends up on the Democratic ticket. "I know in the Democratic hierarchy they all say derogatory things

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Public Forum

To the editor:

What a waste of time, spirit and effort on the part of the City Council and some citizens of this City to meet and pass a Leash Law for dogs.

The great majority of dogs are truly man's best friend, in that they are not liars, hypocrits, drug addicts, drunken drivers, armed robbers, arsonists, escaped convicts or writers of bad checks. Their taxes are generally paid, more so than a ratio of the populace. Yet they are not to reap any benefits from paid taxes. They are to have no police protection, fire protection, or even able to stroll down a city block alone.

What a pity the same law could not be applied to people who chase cars, molest other people and destroy property. There would be an abundance of people tied in yards, barricaded inside fences and kept locked in empty houses all day. This probably would really be a step forward.

Meantime, what are dog owners who have reliable, responsible, gentle pets to do? Sit down and have a long talk with their pets and tell them, "The party's over. You can no longer be free for any part of any day in this city. Though all your life you have done this, and in most cases bothered no one, because a few of your kind have disobeyed the law you, too, have to suffer."

I hope our dogs will understand, and not grow to hate all humans.

K.M. Bennett
Greenville

New Product In Mutual Funds

By JOHN CUNNIFF

AP Business Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — A curious thing is happening in the mutual fund industry, and if interest rates continue to fall it may evolve into something deserving of a more descriptive adjective.

Here is the background: Several years ago many thousands of Americans abandoned mutual fund investments, seeming to prefer instead a safer depository for their funds — in banks and bonds, for instance.

This coincided with a decline of the stock market as an outlet for discretionary funds. Since the mutual fund industry was invested almost entirely in stocks, it was believed they couldn't do

better than stocks.

Last year the flight from mutual funds slowed. In fact, net sales totaled \$1.4 billion, the best sales year since 1970. It wasn't that redemptions didn't continue; they did. The change resulted from a brand-new product.

The new item was the money market fund, which invests in bank certificates of deposits, commercial paper—money lent by one company to another Treasury bills and the like, all of which pay interest.

Since interest rates hit historic highs, the money market funds, so called because they can be turned into cash quickly, did extremely well. Their sales soared.

Meanwhile, the rest of the industry has been doing poorly. In 1974, sales of growth funds, which are heavily invested in common stocks, fell 40 per cent. Sales of the "growth and income" category, less volatile, fell 26 per cent.

In fact, redemptions in the growth category totaled almost as much as sales. And in the growth and income category, redemptions actually exceeded sales by more than \$300 million.

But the money market funds sold more than \$2.3 billion of shares, an enormous leap in one year from sales of just \$3 million. "Money market funds were clearly the star on the financial stage in 1974," said

one fund president.

But now comes the test. Interest rates are falling, and it was high interest rates that almost solely gave the money market funds that big boost. Meanwhile, the stock market seems to have regained some vitality.

So far, redemptions of money market funds have been relatively modest, although rising. But can these funds continue to attract customers?

The test isn't long off, especially if a new investment climate, based on a belief in economic expansion, takes hold. The money market funds depended to a great extent on uncertainty and insecurity in the stock market.

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preaching of the gospel which even the poor and ignorant could understand.

Jesus's reply to John's disciples is no less of a command to us. But the John to whom we are to tell these things is not John the Baptist; it is John Doe, John Smith, or John Jones—every mother's son who has some anxious query about the value of Jesus Christ for human life. It will do no good to instruct in creeds. Tell all the people that Jesus Christ makes a difference in life, a difference we have seen and heard.

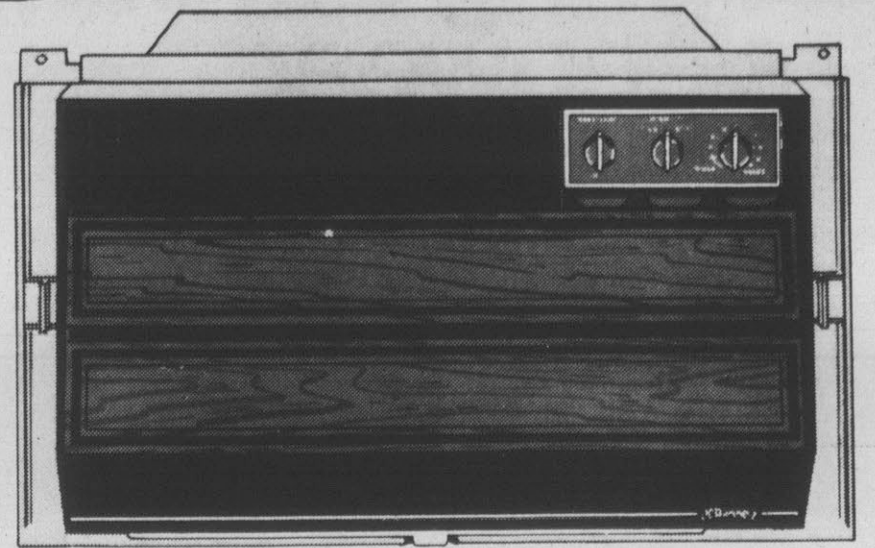
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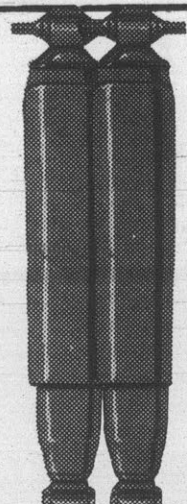
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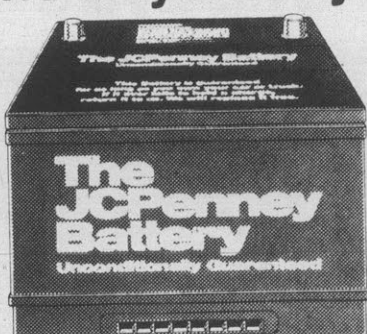


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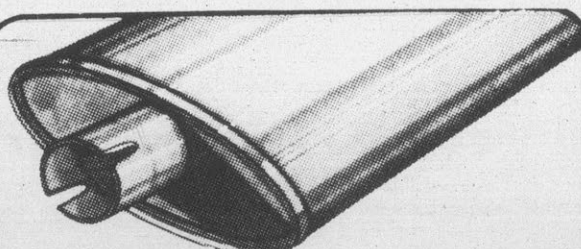
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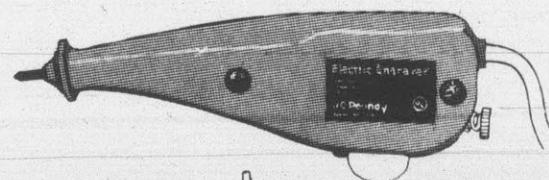


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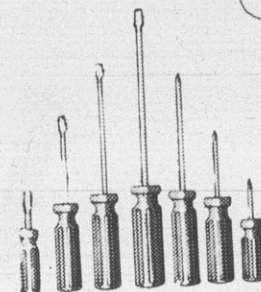
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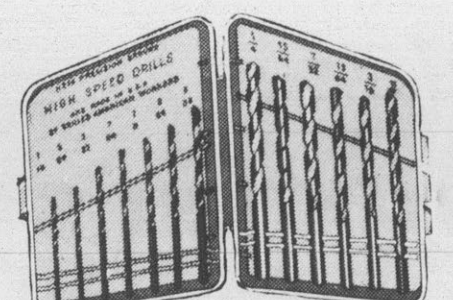
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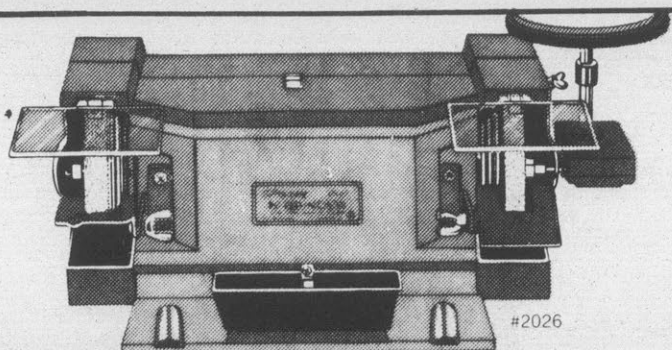
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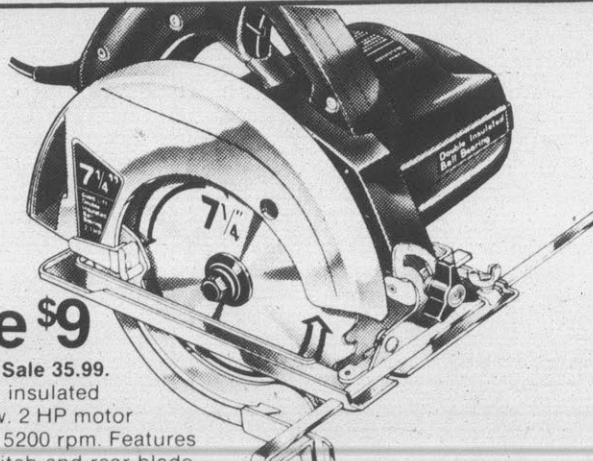


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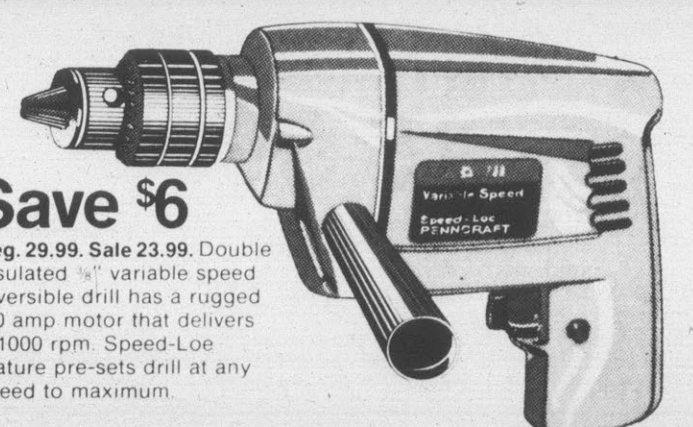
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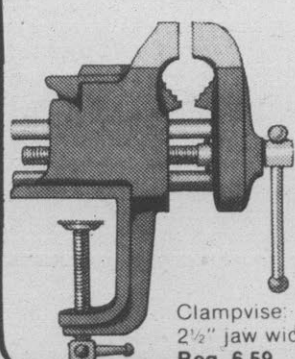
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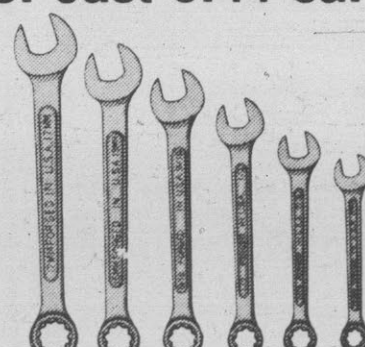
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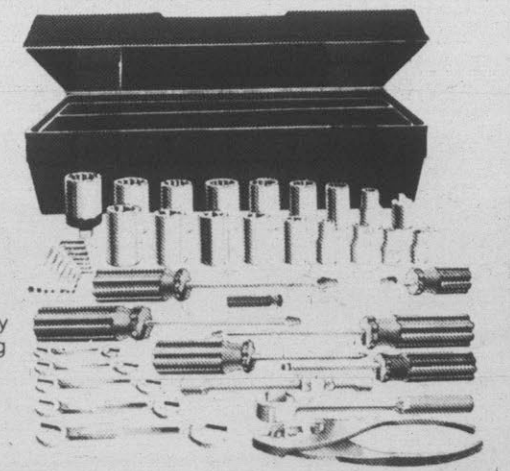
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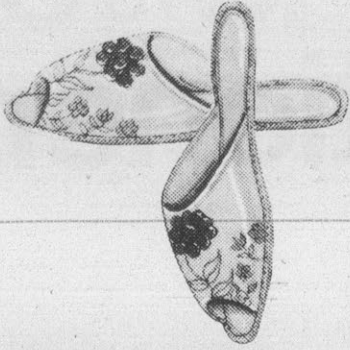
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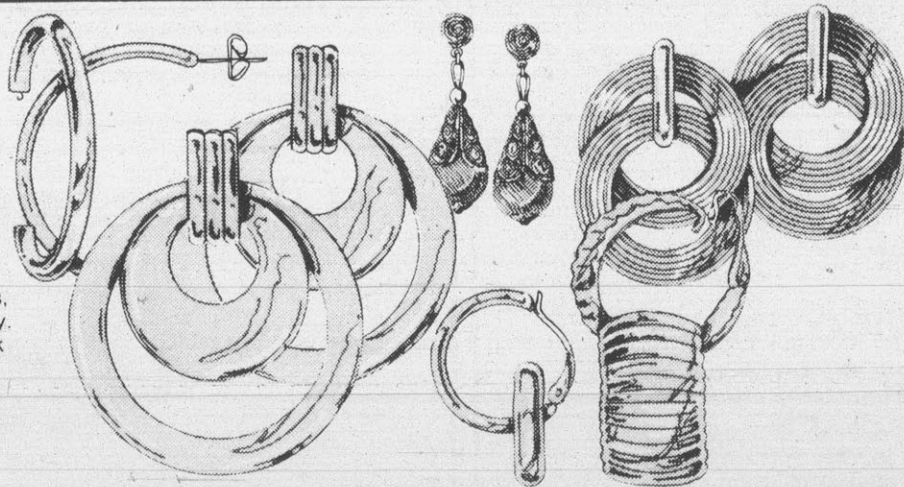


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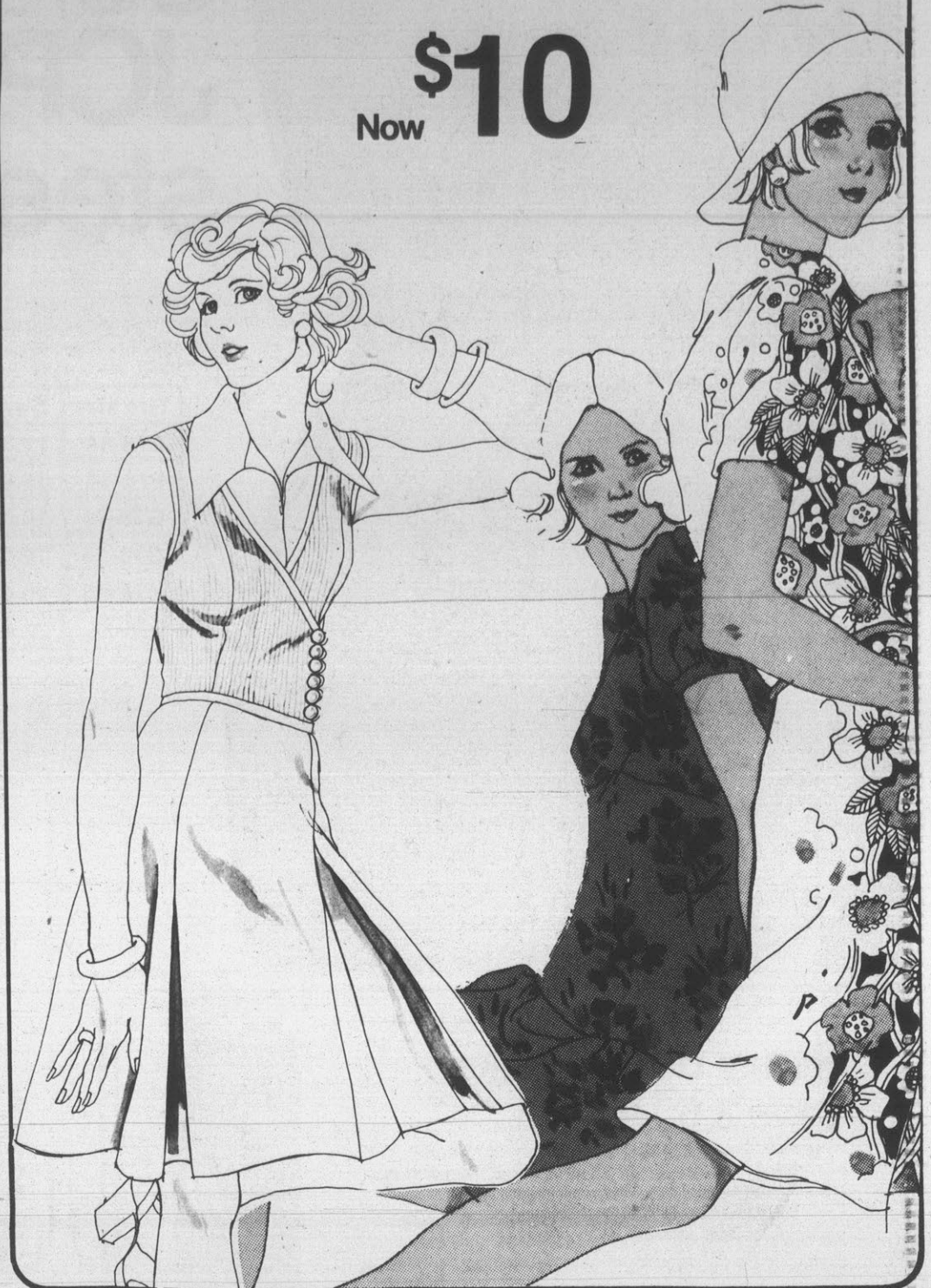
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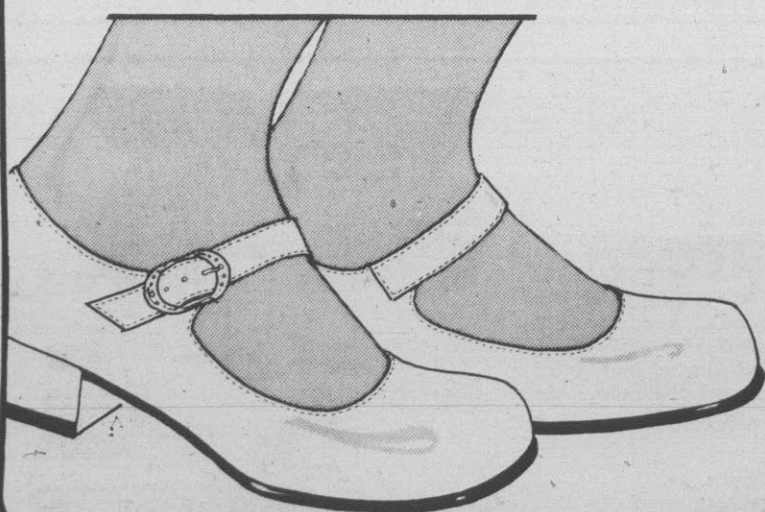
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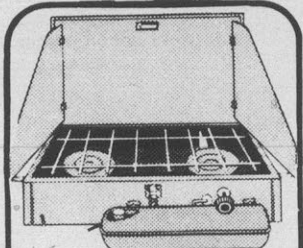
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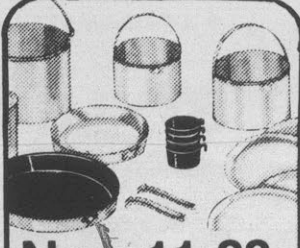
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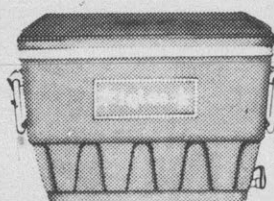
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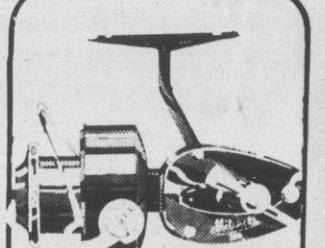
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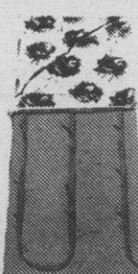
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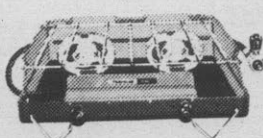
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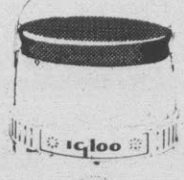
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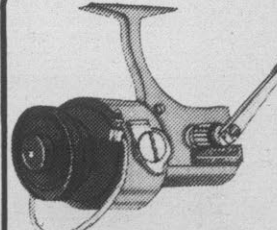
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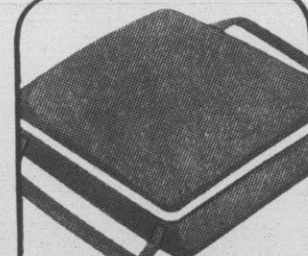
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Speed Limits Being Stressed

By The Associated Press
Slow down!
That's the message state police are trying to get across to motorists who are speeding up as the energy crunch eases and the memory of gasoline shortages starts to fade.
One year after the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit went into effect on a nationwide basis, an Associated Press survey shows police in some areas are giving out almost twice as many speeding tickets as they were a year ago. Authorities are using radar, special patrol cars and even helicopters to try to slow things down.
Most officials said motorists were driving more slowly than they did before the 55 m.p.h. limit was imposed as an energy conservation measure. But they are driving faster than they were last year.
"We feel the public is stepping their speed back up for some reason," said Maj. J.L. Fuqua, commander of the Alabama State Troopers, but he added that at least people

weren't going 90 or 95 m.p.h. the way they used to.
Fuqua said the number of accidents, injuries and fatalities is higher than last year, but below 1973.
"We have everybody out there we can rustle up," said a Michigan state police official, discussing enforcement of the 55 m.p.h. limit. He said that a spot check in May 1974 showed an average speed of 58.8 m.p.h. By September the average was 60.4 m.p.h.; by November, 61.3.
A spokesman for the Arkansas state police said compliance was good in the first months after imposition of the new limit. "It was the thing to do," he said. "Then the newness wore off."
He said the number of speeding tickets was up, partly because of the use of a seven-man squad of police cars that moves from area to area, enforcing the 55 m.p.h. limit.
New York State Police said they made 14,176 arrests for speeding in January this year — up 78 per cent from the 1974

figure. They also said a survey showed the average speed on interstate roads dropped from 63.9 miles per hour in 1970 to 59.7 in 1974.
The Washington State Patrol said 229,500 speeding citations were issued in 1974 — more than double the 111,000 citations handed out in 1973. But officials said motorists were violating the law at safer speeds, helping cut the death toll.
They said that the people who drove 80 m.p.h. when the limit was 70, now are driving 65 or 70 m.p.h. A motorist who drove about 10 miles on an interstate highway at 55 m.p.h. was passed by only three cars.
West Virginia State Police are using two helicopters to watch for speeders and said people generally are slowing down. There were 33 traffic deaths this February, however, compared to 24 in the same month a year ago and motorists trying to drive 55 m.p.h. spotted many cars going 10 or 15 miles an hour above the limit.

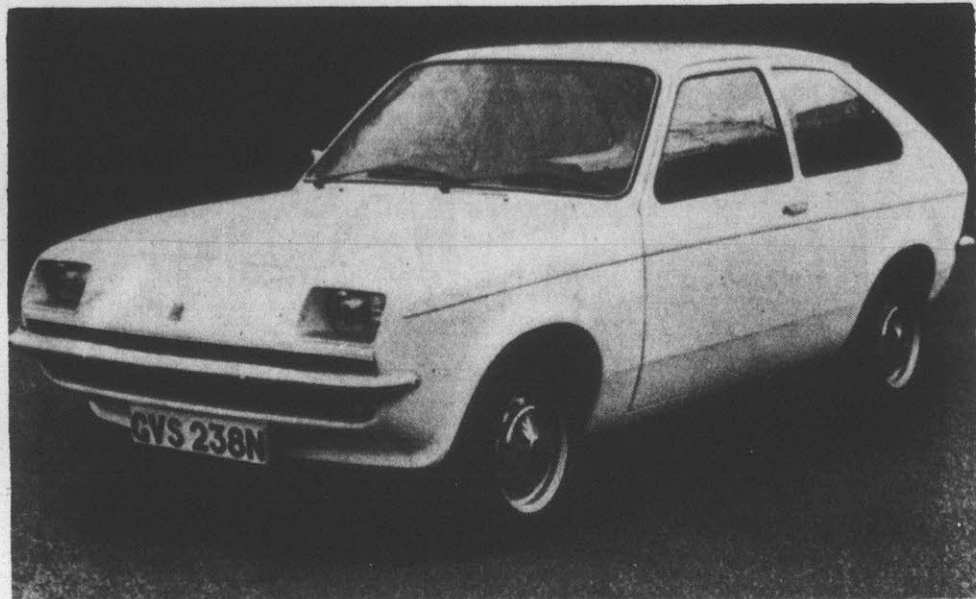
The 55 m.p.h. limit went into effect in Virginia in November 1973, four months before the national deadline. A state police spokesman said motorists "haven't really slowed down to that speed, but they've slowed down perceptibly."
The Virginia police are making greater use of radar and deploying more men on the highways to catch speeders, but people still are traveling faster than they were a year ago.
The State Department of Highways and Transportation said a check of one stretch of Interstate 95 showed that when the limit was 70 m.p.h., the average speed was 78 m.p.h.; in December, 1973, the average speed was 63 m.p.h.; by last September, the speed was back up to 68 m.p.h.
Mississippi Highway Patrol spokesman Tom Sadler said people were observing the new limit "reasonably well. I think they're accustomed to the speed that we're letting them travel — say 65 on the interstate and 60 on the secondary system ... Personally, if I'm speeding, it kind of makes me feel sheepish. I feel bad, like I'm doing something wrong."

Col. Herman Cofer, commissioner of the Georgia Public Safety Department, said: "Troopers around the state tell me traffic has slowed down, but you won't find but about 25 per cent of the people driving around 55 m.p.h. and they really average about 60 m.p.h."
Congress passed legislation late in 1973 requiring states to lower the speed limit on interstate highways to 55 m.p.h. by March 4, 1974 or face the loss of federal funds. All states complied.
The Department of Transportation reported early this year that fewer persons died on the nation's highways in 1974 than in any year since 1963 and officials urged intensified efforts to enforce the lower speed limit to save lives.
Wisconsin Highway Safety Coordinator John Radcliffe said: "We'll do everything we possibly can to keep the 55 m.p.h. speed limit. It contributed to the saving of 249 lives on our highways last year."

of the Watergate scandals, the report said.
Passage of open meeting laws in several states brought to 48 the number of states with some requirement that meetings of government agencies and bodies be open to the public, the report said. Congress and some federal agencies have similar requirements.
Regulations governing the activities of lobbyists were passed in seven states. The federal government requires lobbyists to register as such.
Four states established systems allowing citizens to contribute to a political campaign fund by marking a box on the state income tax form. The federal government has a similar system.
And 14 states enacted new requirements for public officials to disclose their financial interests, the report said. Over all, 30 states approved legislation governing financing of political campaigns, according to the report.

by Wallace for inspiring the prediction at the recent Washington governors' conference by Gov. William Waller of Mississippi that poor health would keep Wallace from running. In truth, Wallace — sipping coke and smoking cigars at dusk after a long, arduous day — seemed to us the old Wallace: garrulous, gossipy, endlessly practicing at polishing his political formulations. His supporters here do not doubt his physical ability to campaign.
How a Wallace third-party candidacy would affect the outcome of next year's election is unknown. Democratic leaders hope Wallace in 1976 would drain

conservative voters from the Republicans as in 1968. But in a dispirited, troubled nation, Wallace's appeal to Democrats could be incomparably greater this time.
When the Alabama legislature met last week in special session to consider Wallace's proposal for higher employment compensation, he called another special session to force down rising utility rates. Such populist programs coincide with polls showing middle-class despair and a sharp rise in Wallace's acceptability. In this climate of alienation, George Wallace's two-track strategy cannot be dismissed.



LOOKING TO 1976 — General Motors plans to introduce a new car, smaller and less expensive than anything now available from the Big Three, for sale in the 1976 model year. Sources expect the U. S. Chevette to resemble this Vauxhall Chevette introduced in Great Britain on Wednesday. (AP Wirephoto)

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Today's Urban Homesteader Gets House For \$1

Editor's Note: A pioneer could get 160 acres in the Wild West if he promised to settle and cultivate the land for five years. Today's urban homesteader gets a house for \$1 if he agrees to renovate it and live there.

By NICK TATRO
Associated Press Writer
Irma Jones, a welfare mother of two in Rockford, Ill., and Daniel Frawley, a young lawyer in Wilmington, Del., are urban homesteaders. Both live in houses they bought for \$1.

Their houses, both in marginal neighborhoods and needing major repairs, were virtually unmarketable a year ago. Today, they are model homes for a self-help rehabilitation program under way or planned in dozens of the nation's cities.

"The idea is to place vacant units back on the market and stabilize the neighborhood," says Edward Martin, a former top official in Wilmington's homestead program and now a policy analyst for the National Association of Housing Redevelopment Officials.

"The benefit to the cities is obvious: it gets houses back on the tax rolls. But the major thing is that the program allows people who would never be able to own a house to have one."

There are an estimated 200,000 vacant and abandoned houses in the nation and plans are under way to rehabilitate thousands. But since Wilmington launched the first program in August 1973 only a few hundred have been homesteaded because of bureaucratic delays in acquiring houses, screening applicants and setting up loan funds.

"The bureaucratic process is slow," says Asst. Secretary H.R. Crawford of the Department of Housing and Urban Development. "But the program is moving forward now and we expect it to do well."

HUD has made 4,000 repossessed homes available to cities for rehabilitation.

The homesteader lucky enough to get a house risks his money, labor and often personal safety in moving into a run-down neighborhood.

The homesteader's downpayment is "sweat equity" — he paints, polishes floors, lays tile, hangs wallpaper, builds cabinets, puts in windows, landscapes or even adds a new roof.

Mrs. Jones, 26, became a homesteader last August. She won one of 10 houses offered in a drawing to 44 persons, those found qualified after 700 applicants were screened in Rockford.

From a city loan fund of \$50,000, she got a \$3,700 loan at 9 1/2 per cent interest and moved out of a \$135 a month, two-bedroom apartment where she lived with her two girls, aged 5 and 7.

"The landlord raised the rent from \$127 and I don't know what I'd have done without homesteading," said Mrs. Jones, who spent two months painting, hanging wallpaper, putting in bathroom tile and fixing up her furniture. A contractor did the heavy work. She saved hundreds of dollars

in rehabilitation costs and despite an income of less than \$400 a month, she owns a four-bedroom house.

Tired of commuting 30 miles a day, Dan Frawley, a 32-year-old E.I. DuPont lawyer, and his teacher-wife Bonnie began homesteading in Wilmington in October 1973.

"I put \$17,000 into it and I consider the house in very good shape," he said. "You couldn't touch this house for \$35,000 in Philadelphia where I used to live — and its only four blocks from the office."

"We did a lot of decorating. I did all the demolition work and my wife finished the floors. We got a professional contractor for the electrical and plumbing work."

Frawley says he became so enthusiastic about homesteading he bought the house next door and is now rehabilitating it. But five of the 28 original homesteaders in Wilmington have given back their houses.

The District of Columbia gave away 13 HUD houses in a drawing last July and plans to offer 10 more in March.

Raymond Horton, a 47-year-old electrician who works two jobs and has four children aged 4 to 19, is hard at work on a three-story home in the Capitol Hill area of Washington. He expects to move in by June.

"If I contracted this job it would be more than \$20,000, but I expect to save about half that because I can buy wholesale and the labor is my own," said Horton.

Thomas Bridgeforth, 34, a forklift operator, is still working on his two-story, grey row-house in the northeast section of Washington.

The work is being financed by a \$17,500 loan at 6 per cent interest from the District of Columbia Development Corp., a public authority with \$168,000 to loan urban homesteaders.

"The only problem has been waiting; they did all the work," said Bridgeforth, who first applied for the house in December 1973.

Bridgeforth, who supports a family of four on \$13,000 a year, said he could "never afford a house without homesteading — the downpayment is a killer."

His wife, Vera, added: "People kept saying how nice it must be to get a house for \$1, but it's really not just \$1. We paid \$207 in taxes, \$45 for title insurance, \$70 for fire insurance and we haven't even moved in yet."

Nadine P. Winter, a city councilwoman and former director of a nonprofit community group that launched homesteading in Washington, says she believes "sweat equity" should be a requirement.

"As it is now, it's discouraged," she said. Other officials say only 2 of the 13 Washington homesteaders have put

NATIONAL PARK
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Congress established Mukuntuweap National Monument in southwestern Utah in 1909. It was later renamed Zion National Park.

in any significant labor of their own.

"I believe urban homesteading is the solution to the housing problem," she said.

"The studies we did show 60 per cent of the rehabilitation cost is labor and I'm saying people have to learn to do it themselves."

For homesteading to work on a big scale, Mrs. Winter says it must dovetail with self-help programs such as Manpower. "My idea is to get contractors,

bankers, builders and labor unions together and show people how to do things. It could even work in building new houses."

But in Rockford, homestead official Ron Hallstrom disagrees. "There is no way to effectively test the skills of a homesteader to see if he can do the major repairs," he said.

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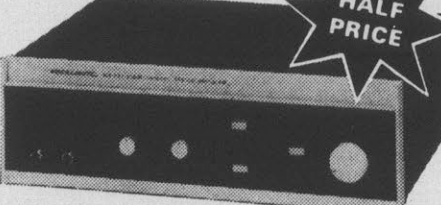
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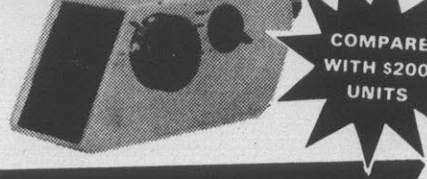
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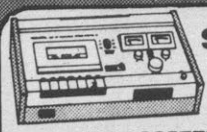
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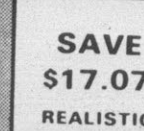
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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—North Carolina egg markets were steady, supplies adequate and demand good. The weighted average price for small lot sales of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby outlets: grade A large whites 68.77, medium whites 62.04, small whites 45.89.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—Corn and soybeans were higher at leading grain markets in North Carolina Wednesday. No. 2 yellow shelled corn was quoted at 2.50-3.00, mostly 2.92-2.97 in the Piedmont. No. 1 yellow soybeans were 5.15-5.61, mostly 5.55-5.59 per bushel.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—North Carolina hog market steady today. Wilson 38.00-39.00; High Falls 37.25-38.25; Rocky Mount 38.50-39.00; Salisbury 38.50.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—North Carolina broiler market firm today. Supplies barely adequate, demand good. The North Carolina FOB dock weighted average price for less than truck lots of sized plant grade broilers to be picked up at docks this week is 40.36 cents per pound. Estimated slaughter today totaled 1,049,000 head.

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

Burroughs	89 1/2
United Telecommunications Pld.	19 1/4
Heublein	37 1/2
Jeff-Pilot	33
Tri South	33 1/2
Wickes	12 1/2
Wachovia Realty	4
Eckerd	10 1/4
Central Soya	13 1/2
Hardies	10 3/4
Integon	6 1/2
Fieldcrest	9 1/2
Hatteras Income	16 1/2
Vepco	11 1/4
OVER THE COUNTERS	
Combined Insurance	11 1/4-1/2
Franklin Life	19 3/4-3/8
NCNB	5 1/2-1/4
Piedmont Air	5 1/2-1/4
Little Mint	9 1/4-1/2
Conner Home	2 1/2-3/4
Guardian Care	16-17 1/2
Planters Bank	17-17 1/2
Daniel International Corp.	17-3/4

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market slipped another notch today in a continuation of the profit taking that set in two days ago.

Trading was relatively quiet. The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was down 4.62 at 759.07, and losers outpaced gainers by close to a 2-1 margin on the New York Stock Exchange.

Brokers said the primary source of the decline was internal forces within the market after the surge of nearly 200 points in the Dow from early December through Monday.

But they also noted some adverse effects on the market from the comments of two top government economic officials before the Senate Budget Committee.

On Wednesday Alan Greenspan, President Ford's chief economic adviser, talked of a decline of better than 10 per cent, after adjustment for inflation, in the nation's Gross National Product for the first quarter of the year.

And this morning Arthur Burns, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, reiterated the Fed's intention to pursue only a moderately stimulative monetary policy in order to avoid exacerbating inflation.

American Motors was the most active issue on the Big Board, up 1/4 at 6 3/4. Earlier this week the company announced receipt of \$25.8 million worth of orders for transit buses.

Philadelphia Suburban gained 1/2 to 19 1/2. The company voted a 2-for-1 stock split and increased its cash dividend.

The NYSE's composite index dipped 14 to 44.08 in the first hour.

ON the American Stock Exchange, the market-value index eased .02 to 77.89.

Canadian Javelin fell 2 1/2 to 6 1/2, trading on the Amex for the first time since Feb. 20. Last Friday the company confirmed that talks had been broken off on a copper venture it was discussing with the government of Panama.

The Meeting Place

THURSDAY
2:00-5:00 p.m.—Game day at Woman's Club
6:30 p.m.—Jayces meet at Elks Club
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club meets
6:45 p.m.—BPW Club meets
7:00 p.m.—Winterville Kiwanis Club meets at community bldg.
7:00 p.m.—Disabled American Veterans Chapter No. 37 and Auxiliary meets at Three Steers
8:00 p.m.—Chapter 1308 of the Women of the Moose
8:00 p.m.—Pride of the East Chapter No. 524. Order of Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Hall, W. Fifth Street
FRIDAY
10:00 a.m.—The Salvation Army Auxiliary will meet at The Citadel
2:30 p.m.—Arts Department of Greenville Woman's Club meets at club bldg.
7:30 p.m.—Redmen meet
7:45 p.m.—Welcome Wagon couples bridge at First Federal
8:00 p.m.—Alcoholics Anonymous meets at Ayden Christian Church. Telephone 746-6242 or 746-3323

Plans Indict Pattie Hearst Harbors

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP)—A U.S. attorney says he is seeking indictments here against one or more persons for allegedly harboring fugitive newspaper heiress Patricia Hearst.

while she hid out in northeastern Pennsylvania, a newspaper reported today.

"There will be indictments," the San Francisco Chronicle quoted U.S. Attorney John Cot-

tone as saying.

The Scranton, Pa., Tribune also said in today's editions that indictments are being sought in the Hearst case. The newspaper attributed the report to unidentified sources.

In San Francisco, Randolph A. Hearst said today that he had little hope the latest development would lead directly to his daughter.

"The FBI told me a couple of weeks ago they had reason to believe she had been on a farm in Pennsylvania," he said in a statement issued from his Nob Hill apartment.

"It is a cold trail. They had some information she'd been on a farm somewhere in Pennsylvania, but it was last summer or late summer, I don't know, quite a while ago.

"This is not a red-hot sighting. It is not a case where they just missed her a couple of days ago."

Hearst said the information he had came from Charles Bates, special FBI agent in charge in San Francisco. He said Bates "told me they don't know where she is now."

Cattone, the U.S. attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, said a federal grand jury at Harrisburg probably would return the indictments today or Friday, the Chronicle said.

The newspaper said the charges also would cover the harboring of Bill and Emily Harris, who, with the 21-year-old Miss Hearst, are the last known survivors of the Symbionese Liberation Army.

The Chronicle said that Cattone refused to answer further questions.

The SLA abducted Miss Hearst, daughter of Randolph A. Hearst, president and editor of the San Francisco Examiner, from her Berkeley, Calif., apartment on Feb. 4, 1974.

In a subsequent taped message, Miss Hearst denounced

her family. She said she had joined her captors because her family responded too slowly to a food give-away program demanded by the SLA in return for her release.

The Chronicle also quoted an unidentified "federal investigative source" in Washington as saying, "the investigation is pretty hot right now. We're talking to people who may have played a role in their concealment."

The newspaper said it was informed by the source that five or six people in Pennsylvania and on the West Coast are under investigation and have been subpoenaed to testify. The paper said it was understood that they would be granted immunity and then forced to testify about their knowledge of movements and whereabouts of the three fugitives.

The Chronicle said Cattone made the statements Wednesday night. Contacted earlier Wednesday, the attorney said there would be indictments but he refused to say whether they would involve the Hearst case.

But one Pennsylvania law enforcement official who asked not to be identified said, "It's on the street. My people tell me Cattone has a big one and it has to do with the Hearst

thing."

The Tribune said Miss Hearst had hidden out recently in northeastern Pennsylvania. The area is not far from the home of William L. Wolfe, one of six SLA members who were killed in a shootout with police at Los Angeles on May 17, 1974, after the terrorists were trapped in a small house.

Wolfe was from Emmaus, Pa., 70 miles south of Scranton.

Miss Hearst, now 21, was last heard from on June 7, 1974, when she sent a taped message to news media in which she said she had fallen in love with a slain SLA member she called "Cujo," believed to be Wolfe. She again denounced her family and vowed to fight on with the SLA.

Wolfe's father, Dr. L.S. Wolfe, said Wednesday night at Emmaus that he did not know of any SLA members hiding out in Pennsylvania.

"I know of no reason why they would be near here or up at Scranton," he said. "I don't think my son knew anyone up there, no communes or counter-culture communities. This is the first I've heard anything about that."

Miss Hearst was not involved in the shooting. Authorities believe she fled the Los Angeles area with two other SLA members, Emily and Bill Harris, who also are still at large.

Miss Hearst faces a variety of state and federal charges which could bring her life imprisonment on conviction. The charges include kidnapping, assault and bank robbery.

One of her four sisters, Anne Randolph Hearst, 19, was arrested with a friend March 4 near Niagara Falls, N.Y., on charges of possession of amphetamines which were found by U.S. Customs agents. The two pleaded innocent to charges of possession of a controlled substance.

Grifton Holding Clean-Up Drive

GRIFTON—A cleanup campaign will be held in Grifton Saturday beginning at 9 p.m. at the town water tower.

Adults and teenagers are needed to help supervise the younger children in the cleanup effort.

Participants are asked to bring large cartons or bags to be filled with trash.

The second session will be held March 22.

The campaign is conducted each year by the Grifton Resources Improvement Program prior to the Grifton Shad Festival.

The Grifton Extension Homemakers Club will serve hot dogs and the Grifton Lions Club will serve drinks to the workers during the cleanup session.

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Floods, Tornadoes And Storms Hit Tennessee

By CHRISTOPHER CABOT
Associated Press Writer

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—Flash floods claimed two lives in Tennessee as tornadoes, high winds and heavy rains ripped through the Southeast.

Heavy rains continued today in the wake of Wednesday's storm, bringing the threat of flooding on four major rivers.

Tornadoes touched down in Tennessee and Mississippi. Severe thunder storms, in some areas accompanied by hail, ranged over Tennessee and Mississippi and parts of Ala-

bama.

One Tennessee National Guard unit was activated to run a water purification facility in Springfield, and some 2,000 other guardsmen were on voluntary duty evacuating some areas of the state, Adjutant Gen. Carl Wallace reported. Another 3,000-5,000 civil defense workers also were on duty.

The Duck, Harpeth and Red rivers in Tennessee were reported above flood stage early today. And the Cumberland River was expected to crest two feet above flood level.

In Memphis, Nonconah

Creek began flooding low lying areas shortly before midnight Wednesday, officials said.

A Franklin, Tenn. girl, Jan Martin, 5, drowned in the West Harpeth River, Williamson County officials said. The little girl was swept into the raging waters Wednesday afternoon as she and her mother tried to walk to safety from a stranded car.

Lydian Mary Karrell, Montgomery County, was drowned when her car was swept off a bridge into a flooding Cheatham County creek.

A tornado touched down in Lawrenceburg, overturning nine house trailers, knocking down power lines and ripping off an elementary school roof. However, no serious injuries were reported.

Funnel clouds were also spotted Wednesday night near Corinth, Miss., and near Woodbury, Tenn.

Obituaries

Stancil

Mr. Charlie Stancil of 416 Cadillac Street, died Monday at Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral Services will be conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. at Haddock's Chapel F.W.B. Church, Rt. 1, Winterville, N.C. with Elder Stephen Jones officiating. Interment will follow in the Cooper Cemetery near Worthington's Crossroad.

He was a member and deacon of Haddock's Chapel F.W.B. Church, and a member of the Willing Worker's Club. He was employed by Cannon Warehouse for a number of years.

He is survived by a niece, Mrs. Ophelia Cox of the home.

The body will be at the Norcott and Company Funeral Home from 6 p.m. Friday until one hour before the funeral. Family visitation at the Chapel of Loving Memories will be from 8 to 9 p.m. Friday.

Stanley

GOLDSBORO—Mrs. Patricia Taylor Stanley, 28, of Goldsboro, died Wednesday in Duke

Hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Farmville Funeral Home. Mrs. Stanley was the daughter of Mrs. Ruby F. Taylor of Farmville.

Webb

HANKERTON, WILTSHIRE, England — Mrs. Emmie Saynell Webb of Hankerton Old Vicarage, near Malmsbury in Wiltshire, England, died Tuesday in a Malmsbury hospital. Mrs. Webb was the widow of Frederick Henry Webb.

She was the mother of Mrs. Elizabeth Webb, a professor in the Department of English at East Carolina University, who resides at 206 N. Oak St.

In addition to her daughter, Mrs. Webb is survived by one son, Francis George Webb of Hankerton; three grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

WOTM Marking 'Chapter Night'

Greenville Chapter No. 1308, Women of the Moose, will hold a Chapter Night program tonight at the Moose Temple, starting at eight o'clock, according to Mrs. Peggy Jamieson, senior regent.

Mrs. Charlotte Ramey, chairman of the chapter's Moosehaven committee, will be in charge of the program.

Mrs. Jamieson said that last-minute plans for the state-wide WOTM Mid-Year Conference, which opens here tomorrow, will be discussed.

Following the meeting, refreshments will be served.

Spring Bazaar At Washington

WASHINGTON—An old-fashioned spring bazaar will be held at Washington Square Mall here Friday and Saturday.

The Grimesland Pentecostal Holiness Church Women's Auxiliary will have a booth.

A gospel sing will be held during Saturday evening.

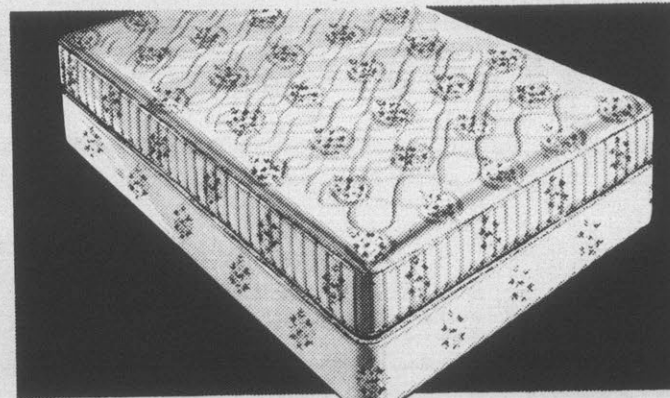
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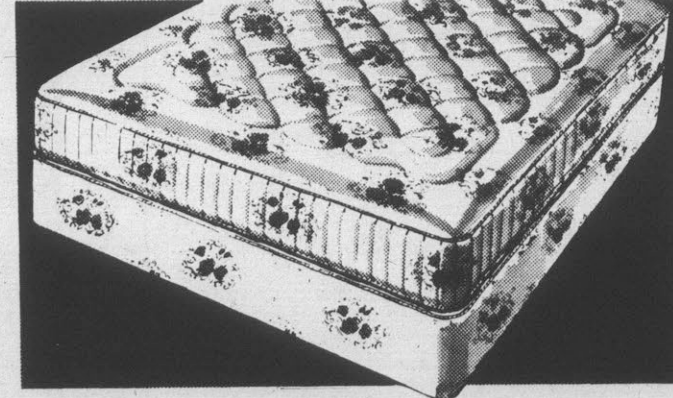


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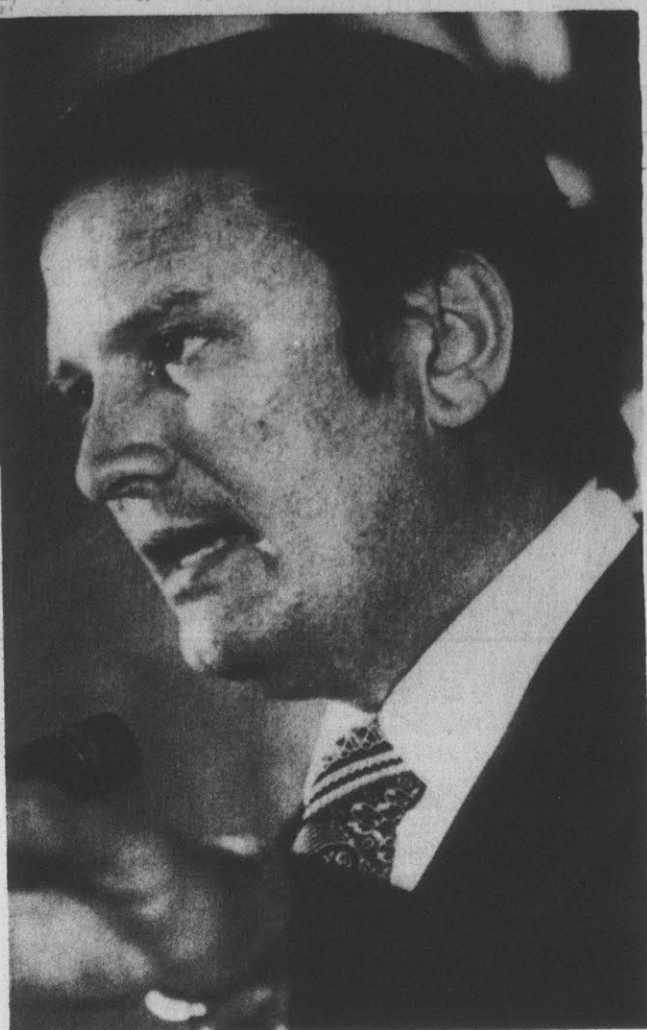
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THERE WILL BE A WFL IN '75 — World Football League President Chris Hemminger gestures as he tells a news conference in Philadelphia "there will be a WFL in 1975." (AP Wirephoto)

WFL Dreams Kept Alive By Loop's Prexy

By CRAIG AMMERMAN
AP Sports Writer
PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Using a unique reorganization plan that ties player salaries to revenue, the World Football League will rise from its ashes and try again for a piece of the consumer's shrinking dollar.

WFL President Chris Hemminger, who parlayed a \$10,000 loan into a holding company with more than \$100 million in assets in Hawaii, has conceived and sold a plan he says will transform the WFL from an unsuccessful league into one which pays its own way.

"Even from the most conservative base, there will be a WFL in 1975," Hemminger said Wednesday following a meeting attended by 13 prospective franchise owners. He refused to give a flat-out guarantee that the WFL would play this year, but repeatedly said there was no doubt it would.

The prospective franchise holders will meet in Chicago in two weeks, then gather in New York April 12, when Hemminger said he would announce the teams for this coming season and a 20-game schedule. He said the first games would be played July 26 or Aug. 2.

When the WFL comes to life again, it will operate under a strict business plan revolutionary in sports.

Each team will be required to place in escrowed bank accounts amounts ranging from \$1 million to more than \$2 million. This is to insure they can pay operating expenses and avoid the incredible series of disasters which struck the league and its teams as they broke promises and missed paydays with alarming regularity in 1974.

Players will get a piece of the action, although it may be smaller than some want. Hemminger said most players would be signed to percentage contracts, in many cases giving them one per cent of a team's revenues as salary. Under last year's chaotic situation, that would have paid the players from \$8,000 to \$28,000, depend-

ing on the team. A few players, such as former Miami Dolphins Larry Csonka, Jim Kiick and Paul Warfield, would continue to be paid much larger salaries irrespective of revenue.

Finally, Hemminger said the league would settle its outstanding debts, which total \$5.7 million out of the \$20 million which was lost in 1974.

He said the large number of players and coaches still owed back pay were being offered from 15 to 25 per cent of the unpaid balance in immediate cash. The rest would be paid in installments over the next five years.

ECU-State Twin Bill Is Wiped Out

The baseball doubleheader between the East Carolina University Pirates and the N.C. State Wolfpack has been cancelled, and this time it may be for good.

Both clubs were to meet yesterday in Raleigh and the game was called due to wet grounds. After today's cancellation, Pirate head baseball coach George Williams said he didn't see much of a chance of the Pirates and Wolfpack getting together again this season.

"Our conference schedule is just beginning," said Williams. "And Coach Esposito's club is booked solid through the ACC tournament, which comes at the end of April. I just don't think we will get to play them again."

The Pirates and Wolfpack split a pair at Harrington Field Saturday, the hosts winning 3-2 in the opener and the visitors, 7-0, in the finale.

East Carolina opens defense of its Southern Conference title Saturday at Harrington Field against the Furman Paladins in a doubleheader. Furman handed the Pirates one of their two conference losses last year, 1-0.

Patton Voted 'Coach Of Year'

Southern Cal Hopes See Matching Indiana Streak

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Southern California, hoping to follow in the footsteps of top-ranked Indiana, begins play tonight in the National Commissioners Invitational Basketball Tournament.

In the same tournament last year, Indiana began its current 32-game winning streak that propelled the Hoosiers to the top spot in college basketball this season.

Southern Cal, with an 18-7 mark and ranked 11th, enters the tournament as the favorite among the eight teams.

Coach Bob Boyd's team was third in the Pacific-8 Conference this season, behind UCLA and Oregon State.

The Trojans finished second to Indiana in last year's tournament. This time, they are led by star guard, Gus Williams, who

is averaging 21.2 points per game.

Williams scored 59 points in three games in the tournament last year.

The Trojans begin play tonight against Drake, 16-10, of the Missouri Valley Conference after Arizona, 20-6, of the Western Athletic Conference meets Southern Conference representative East Carolina, 19-8.

Friday night, Big 10 representative Purdue, 16-10, takes on Big 8 contender Missouri, 18-8, and Tennessee, 18-7, of the Southeastern Conference meets Bowling Green, 17-9, of the Mid-American Conference.

The semifinals are set for Saturday night and the nationally televised championship game will be played Sunday afternoon.

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Dave Patton, who guided East Carolina's Pirates to a second-place finish in the regular season before they were upset in the championship tournament semifinals, was named Southern Conference basketball coach of the year today.

The 34-year-old Patton has compiled a 19-8 record, the finest in the school's history, in his first season and the Pirates have a chance to improve on it in the National Commissioners Invitational Tournament this week in Louisville, Ky.

Patton received 28 votes in balloting by members of the Southern Conference Media Association to 20 for Joe Williams, who directed Furman's Paladins to their third straight league championship and their fourth in his five years as coach.

Bill Blair, who had a 13-13 record at Virginia Military as the Keydets won 13 games for the first time in history, received 10 votes. The other six went to George Balanis, who had a 16-12 record at William and Mary and took the Indians to the league tourney final.

"This award is a team honor," said Patton, who was an assistant two years at East Carolina under Tom Quinn before being named as Quinn's replacement last spring.

"Everything that someone in our basketball program earns is a team honor," Patton added. "I didn't score a point nor pull down a rebound, but I just kept five people on the floor at all times."

Patton said, "It is very gratifying to win this honor. There are several other coaches in the league who equally deserve this. I feel very fortunate that the people involved saw fit to select East Carolina."

The season didn't open too brightly for Patton, whose Pirates lost their first three games, two of them at nationally ranked North Carolina State and Alabama.

Then came a seven-game winning streak that was halted by a 79-77 defeat by Connecticut in the championship game of the Connecticut Classic.

The Pirates then ran off six more victories, including five in conference competition that all but wrapped up second place in the regular season race. East Carolina finished 11-3 in the league behind Furman at 12-0.



DAVE PATTON

East Carolina won its first tournament game over The Citadel 78-66 but was upset 69-66 in the semifinals by William and Mary.

But the Pirates were chosen over the Indians to play in the NCIT, in which they're matched against second-seeded Arizona in the opening game tonight.

Postponed

Rose High's baseball game with D. H. Conley, scheduled for this afternoon, was indefinitely postponed and will not be played today.

The postponement was a second one, the game had been originally set for last Tuesday but the Vikings asked for more time to prepare as a result of the long basketball season.

Rescheduled

OAK CITY—Oak City's baseball game with Chowan, scheduled for yesterday, has been rescheduled.

The game will be played as part of a doubleheader at Chowan next Tuesday.

Second baseman Bobby Grich of the Baltimore Orioles hit 32 home runs for Rochester, N.Y., in 1971 to lead the International League.

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Everything Going For Trevino As Doral Open Gets Underway

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer
MIAMI (AP) — Lee Trevino has everything going for him.

"It always gives you a lot of confidence to win your first tournament of the year," he said, and ticked off the things in his favor.

"I always play good in Florida. I'm playing a golf course I like.

"The weather's hot.

"I'm playing good."

And the bubbly Trevino, the current PGA and World Series of Golf champion and the winner in last week's Citrus Open, ranked high among the favorites for the \$30,000 first prize in the Doral Open Golf Tournament that got underway today on the 7,028-yard par-72 Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.

He would like nothing better

than to steal the scene from the continuing series of confrontations between Jack Nicklaus and the young man who threatens to supplant him as the game's No. 1 performer, Johnny Miller.

Both were absent last week.

"They should have played," Trevino said with a hint of annoyance. "If they'd been there, maybe I'd have played better."

But he quickly turned his attention to this event.

"That's the only thing that's important now," he said. His enthusiasm and confidence are at a mid-year peak in the wake of last week's victory, but he declined to predict another triumph.

"You never know when the wheels are gonna come off," he said. "But I usually play good in Florida. I'm hitting the ball pretty good right now. My confidence is up. I've got a lot go-

ing for me."

But even Trevino, one of the game's great gate attractions, is overshadowed by the third Nicklaus-Miller meeting this year. Neither of the first two was conclusive. They tied for sixth in the Bing Crosby tournament. Miller was 15th and Nicklaus third in the Los Angeles Open.

Miller has won three times

S. Wayne Wins Triple Meet

PIKEVILLE — Southern Wayne rolled up 101 points yesterday in a triple meet beating both C. B. Aycock, which finished second, and D. H. Conley. It was the first meet of the season for the Vikings.

John Buck took a first place in the pole vault and Calvin Hawkins won the 100 yard dash for the Vikings at 10.1. The Vikings had one second, Hawkins in the 220 and Hawkins finished third in the high jump. Conley had a fourth, James Johnson in the shot put.

The Vikings travel to Eastern Wayne for a triple meet with Ayden-Grifton next Wednesday.

this season. Nicklaus has yet to take a title, collapsing in the stretch for a third-place finish in his last start, the Jackie Gleason Classic.

"Of course, I was disappointed," Nicklaus said. "You're always disappointed when you blow a tournament. I had that one in my hip pocket and let it get away."

"But I've had disappointments before. And I'll have more."

Should they falter, Trevino is ready to move.

And there's a strong supporting cast with the uncle-nephew duo of Sam and J.C. Snead, millionaires Tom Weiskopf and Bruce Crampton, defending titleholder Buddy Allin and such young stars as Tom Kite, Tom Watson, Forrest Fezler, Jerry Heard and Ben Crenshaw.

U.S. Open champion Hale Irwin and Arnold Palmer are not competing.

OH, JOHNNY

TUCSON, Ariz. (UPI) — Johnny Miller, winner of eight PGA tour tournaments in 1974, won the first two of 1975 with eight straight rounds at 69 or better.

Approve Study Of Arena Need

RALEIGH (AP) — The state Senate Natural and Economic Resources Committee approved a bill Wednesday authorizing a study of the need for a sizable new sports arena in North Carolina.

The resolution calling for the study was sent to the Appropriations Committee to consider the estimated \$50,000 the study would cost.

Sen. Julian Allsbrook, D-Halifax, introduced the resolution. He said he hoped the study will show the feasibility of constructing an indoor arena with at least 25,000 seats somewhere in the Triangle area around Raleigh, Durham and Chapel Hill.

The largest sports facility in the state now is the 16,000-seat Greensboro Coliseum.

Sen. McNeill Smith of Greensboro spoke against the measure Wednesday.

"We've got people who can't pay their grocery bills, and

here we're starting out on a primrose path that will cost us money," Smith said.

Allsbrook said he hoped private enterprise would finance a new arena, but said he would be willing to see the state support it if businessmen do not feel it would be profitable. He said he has no idea how much such a structure would cost.

N.C. State Athletics Director Willis Casey said recently that it would take a minimum of \$1,000 per seat, or \$25 million for an arena such as Allsbrook envisions. He said it would have to book attractions nearly every day of the year to be self supporting.

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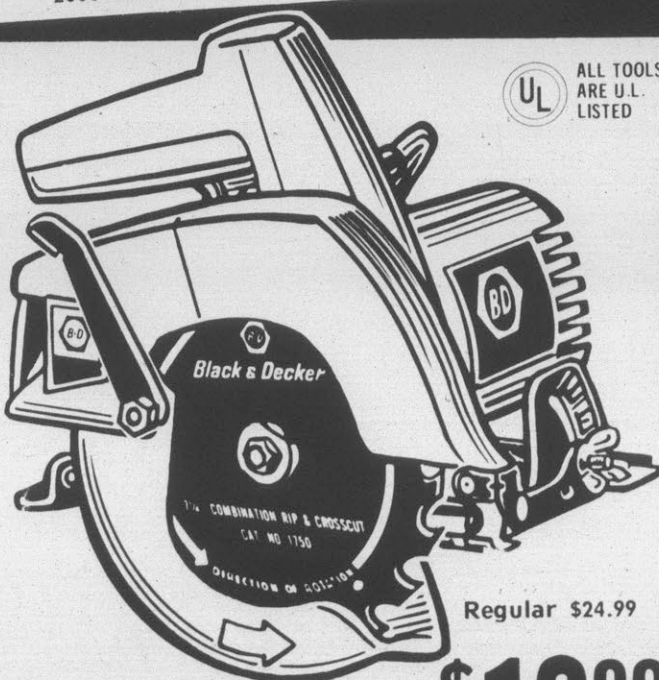
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Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

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Boston	48	20	.706	—
Buffalo	42	26	.618	6
New York	32	36	.471	16
Philadelphia	31	39	.443	18

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Washington	52	18	.743	—
Houston	37	34	.521	15½
Cleveland	33	36	.478	18½
Atlanta	28	43	.394	24½
N. Orleans	18	50	.265	33

Western Conference

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	40	28	.588	—
K.C.-Omaha	38	32	.543	3
Detroit	35	37	.486	7
Milwaukee	32	36	.471	8

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Golden St.	40	30	.571	—
Seattle	33	36	.478	6½
Portland	30	38	.441	9
Phoenix	29	39	.426	10
L. Angeles	24	44	.353	15

Wednesday's Results

Boston 88, Phoenix 82
Philadelphia 91, Portland 88
Washington 117, Houston 88

Thursday's Games

Portland at New York
Los Angeles at Cleveland
Milwaukee at Atlanta
Buffalo at Golden State

Friday's Games

Portland at Boston
Phoenix at Philadelphia
Detroit at Chicago
Washington vs. Kansas City
Omaha at Omaha
Los Angeles at Milwaukee
New York at Houston
Buffalo at Seattle

ABA

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	50	21	.704	—
Kentucky	48	22	.686	1½
St. Louis	26	48	.351	25½
Memphis	21	49	.300	28½
Virginia	14	57	.197	36

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Denver	55	18	.753	—
San Antonio	42	30	.583	12½
Indiana	37	31	.544	15½
Utah	32	38	.487	21½
San Diego	31	42	.425	24

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Track Victory For Rose Girls

Rose High's girl's track team won its first meet of the year yesterday as the Rampant ladies smashed Ayden-Grifton, 86-28.

Ayden-Grifton won only three events, the Long Jump, the mile run and the 440 run. Marietha Kilpatrick was a double winner for the Lady Chargers taking the 440 and the mile. The only double winner for Rose was Hardy who won the shot put and the discus.

The summary:
Shot: Hardy (R) 30-8½,
Register (AG) 28-10, Jackson (AG) 28-1½.

Discus: Hardy (R) 81-5,
Register (AG) 78-11, Jamieson (R) 63-5.

Long jump: C. Brown (AG) 15-5¾, F. Johnson (R) 15-½, Gardner (R) 14-½.

High jump: Walton (R) 4-6, Tavasso (R) 4-6, Griffin (AG) 4-5.

60 hurdles: Lee (R) :09.9, L. Gantt (R) :10.5, Matney (R) :10.9.

Mile relay: Rose (Walton, Garrett, J. Gantt, L. Gantt) 4:58.3.

100: F. Johnson (R) :11.9, Brown (AG) :12.0, Lee (R) :12.3.

440 relay: Rose (S. Johnson, Dawson, Powell, F. Johnson) :54.6.

Mile: Kilpatrick (AG) 6:19.5, Cox (R) 6:23.2, Tripp (R) 440: Kilpatrick (AG) 1:08.6, L. Gantt (R) 1:10.3, J. Gantt (R) 1:12.0.

220: Powell (R) :27.7, Johnson (R) :28.5, Edwards (AG) :28.7.

110 hurdles: Lee (R) :17.7, J. Gantt (R) :19.1, L. Gantt (R) :19.1.

880: Walton (R) 2:59.7, Garrett (R) 3:03.7, Williams (R) 3:13.2.

880 relay: Rose (Johnson, Dawson, Powell, Johnson) 1:58.1.

Duke U. Plans Hall Of Fame

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Duke University has announced plans for the Duke Sports Hall of Fame and the names of the first six inductees.

Former Duke football Coach Wallace Wade and two of his outstanding players, Clarence "Ace" Parker and George McAfee, are on the list of inductees announced by athletic director Carl James. They also are members of the National Football Hall of Fame.

Others named are Dick Groat and Bill Werber, basketball stars at Duke who went on to become outstanding major league infielders, and Eddie Cameron, former basketball and football coach and longtime athletic director, who retired in 1972.

Moved Up To Head Coach

CANTON, Ohio (AP) — Mark F. LaMoreaux has been appointed head basketball coach and athletic director at Walsh College.

LaMoreaux succeeds William A. Clarke Jr., who resigned. LaMoreaux, a former basketball star, had been assistant basketball coach and head cross country coach at Walsh the past three years.

Joining Tenn. As A Recruiter

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Bill Higdon, baseball coach at Volunteer State Community College, will join the Tennessee coaching staff next week as assistant football recruiter, Coach Bill Battle says.

Higdon is a Knoxville native and graduated from UT in 1970. He received a master's degree at Western Kentucky.

Higdon will work with Wayne Stiles, coordinator of recruiting for the Vols.

JOINS EAGLES
PHILADELPHIA (AP)—
Defensive end Carter Campbell has signed with the National Football League Philadelphia Eagles after playing last season with Charlotte in the World Football League.

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By KEN ALYTA
AP Sports Writer
CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) —
"We're thrilled. This team has been an excellent team to work with."

That's the enthusiastic reaction of Coach Dean Smith to his University of North Carolina basketball team's surprise victory in the Atlantic Coast Conference championship tournament last week and resulting NCAA tournament berth.

The Tar Heels meet New Mexico State in the 7:10 p.m. opener of an Eastern Regional first-round doubleheader at the sold-out 11,666-seat Charlotte Coliseum Saturday night.

Southern Conference champion Furman meets Boston College in the second game. The winners move on to next week's Eastern Regional windup at Providence, R.I., battling for a berth in the two final rounds at San Diego, Calif., March 29 and 31.

This was supposed to be a "down" year, by Smith standards, late last fall when practice was under way.

North Carolina State and Maryland were expected to battle it out for ACC and national honors. Dean's Tar Heels were rated No. 11 nationally before the season began.

Backcourt "quarterback" Ray Harrison was out due to illness and power forward Donald Washington was an academic casualty, leaving the team a bit shy on depth and experience.

When the Tar Heels lost in overtime to Duke and by 15 points to N.C. State in the annual Big Four tournament at Greensboro, N.C., early in January it looked like trouble ahead.

Then it was that "we made some changes", Smith said, and the team began to jell.

The regular season ended with close victories over N.S. State and Duke and a three-way tie for second place in the ACC at 8-4, two games back of Maryland.

But the overall mark was only 18-7 and Maryland ND N.C. State still were rated the top teams in last week's tournament at Greensboro.

North Carolina made up eight points in the last 45 seconds to tie Wake Forest, then won in overtime 101-100, in the first round. Clemson was beaten, also in overtime, 76-71. In the title game N.C. State was the victim 70-66.

Smith noted, "I'm so happy for the players. They are their own team now. We didn't win the title for two years as N.C. State dominated."

Under Kansas native Smith, North Carolina enters NCAA play ranked No. 7 nationally on a 21-7 record. His teams have five successive 20-victory or better years and have been in a national tournament nine seasons in a row.

This is Smith's 14th season as successor to Frank McGuire, now coaching at South Carolina. Smith's Tar Heel teams have a 285-103 record.

Since 1967 they have been in the NCAA event four times and won the Eastern Regional every year, including three in a row starting in 1967. They have finished second, third and twice have been fourth in the national championship.

In non-NCAA years, North Carolina has played in the National Invitational Tournament four times since 1970, winning in 1971.

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New Avenues Opened For Controlling Diabetes

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the second in a series of articles on diseases that can't yet be cured or prevented because scientists lack fundamental knowledge about them.

By ALTON BLAKESLEE

AP Science Editor
NEW YORK (AP) — Research now has opened two promising new avenues for controlling diabetes.

One is a mechanical device that in effect would be an artificial pancreas gland, secreting the precise amounts of insulin that the body needed hour by hour, day and night.

The trouble is the first model is about the size of an average TV set, and there's a long road ahead to a miniaturized version that could be planted in the body. Electronics and miniaturization techniques spurred by the space age may provide part of the answers.

The second is transplantation of the special cells, the beta cells in the pancreas, that secrete insulin. Again, these cells would do it according to bodily need, hour by hour, day and night.

Here there is still the old hurdle facing all transplants — the body's natural defensive rejection mechanism. Part of the solution may come from the latest stages of basic research on the pancreas begun 25 years ago by Dr. Arnold Lazarow of the University of Minnesota.

Diabetes results from failure of the pancreas to produce or to release the insulin needed to utilize sugars and starches, both for immediate energy needs or for storage for future needs.

It was almost an inevitable death sentence for most victims until the discovery of insulin more than 50 years ago. Insulin can be injected to supplement an inadequate pancreas gland.

Insulin has saved millions of lives, but it hasn't cured diabetes. Nor has the cause of diabetes been clarified. Besides in-

sulin injections, there are oral drugs, which may release insulin from beta cells. Controversy over widespread use of oral drugs has arisen with publication of studies linking heart disease with the drugs.

Many diabetics with a mild case can get along quite well just by careful attention to diet and to exercise.

Diabetes in some respects "is the nation's No. 1 health problem," says Dr. Max Ellenberg, president of the American Diabetes Association.

"It is the fifth leading cause of death, and it is increasing in really explosive fashion. It is the Number One cause of blindness. Five out of six amputations of limbs for gangrene are due to diabetes.

"One half of all heart attacks are related to diabetes, and so are three-fourths of all strokes. Diabetes causes complications in child-bearing and in neurological diseases.

"It is increasing as more people live to be older. Before insulin was available, any child diagnosed as having diabetes never lived to become an adult. Now they live to grow up and have children, and apparently many pass on the susceptibility, since diabetes is a genetic or hereditary disorder, tending to run in families."

There is some evidence a virus or other external cause can trigger diabetes, Dr. Ellenberg says. Diabetes often appears in children who recently had mumps or measles. Other viruses may be a cause.

Other mysteries remain, as for example just how insulin works in human tissues, how it is produced and released from the pancreas, how better to detect impending insulin shock from too much insulin, too much exercise, or not enough food.

An early warning device to tell when blood sugar is too high or too low has been tested successfully in monkeys at the Elliott P. Joslin Research Laboratory in Boston.

Implanted under the skin, the sensor detects even very tiny changes in blood sugar level, and sets off a warning buzzer so a person can correct his sugar balance by taking food, insulin or exercise.

Such a sensor is a critical

part of a larger goal, the artificial pancreas gland. Several laboratories and institutions are working to perfect one.

The sensor would continuously measure blood sugar levels, with a miniaturized computer making the calcu-

lations of how much insulin was needed under changing circumstances. A signal from the computer would activate an insulin reservoir to release the precise amount of insulin. Or the computer could order a shot of glucose from another reservoir if

blood sugar fell too low.

One system, encased in a cabinet the size of a TV, has been tested successfully in humans by a research team in Toronto, Canada. The hope is to make it small enough to place it inside the body, with perhaps

some parts of the system strapped on outside. There is no estimate yet of what the dollar cost would be.

In another approach, surgeons have transplanted whole pancreas glands, from dead donors, into diabetics and they functioned for a time — up to two years in two cases. Drugs had to be used to prevent rejection, and their long-term use may cause other problems.

Now, in several laboratories, the emphasis is on transplanting just the insulin-secreting beta cells, which are contained in the islets of Langerhans, which make up only one per cent of all cells in the pancreas.

The researchers, many supported by the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases, are experimenting with various ways of preparing beta cells, and attempting to prevent their rejection.

Much of this promise stems from the long-term research of Dr. Lazarow and associates. They've cured rats of diabetes with beta cells cultured in cer-

tain ways in the laboratory, and then transplanted into animals of an inbred strain.

"If I had set out to cure rats of diabetes, instead of starting to learn how the islets work, we would not be so far along," Dr. Lazarow says, speaking of pay-offs that frequently come from purely basic research.

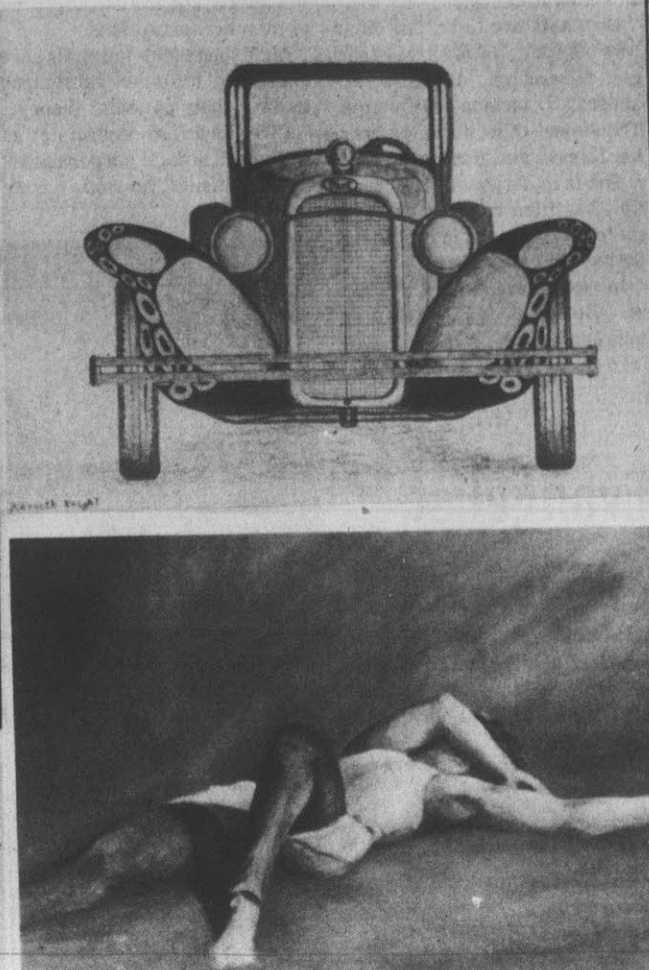
His techniques make it possible to grow large amounts of beta cells in organic culture without having to isolate the islets from the pancreas.

It is hoped that ways can be found to modify beta cells grown in organic culture so they would be less likely to stimulate the rejection mechanism in a new host.

Human trials with beta cells prepared this way are still some time off, he says.

But if it does succeed, one day there might be beta cell banks, perhaps using embryonic cells from human fetuses lost in miscarriages or taken in abortions.

And the supply might be made large enough to benefit all diabetics.



THE SENIOR SHOW . . . of ECU School of Art student Kenneth Knight, on view this week at The Mushroom Gallery, consists of about a dozen paintings and a couple of dozen drawings. Knight, who is from Lillington, will have his work on exhibit for another

couple of days. Shown above is a drawing of an imaginary "Model A", and paintings of a house and wrestler. (Reflector Staff Photos by Jerry Raynor)

Win Divisional Speech Honors

Margaret Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Cain of 206 Pineview Dr., and Mark Grossnickle, son of Dr. and Mrs. William F. Grossnickel of 1105 Oakview Dr., have each won their division of the Optimist International Oratorical Contest sponsored by the Optimist Club of Greenville.

preliminary contest held last Saturday.



MARGARET CAIN



MARK GROSSNICKLE

Judging Monday night's oratory were Chris Hay, Speaker of the SGA Legislature at ECU, Robert Muzzarelli, Assistant Professor of Speech, Language and Auditory Pathology at ECU, and Albert Pertaion, Assistant Professor of Drama and Speech at ECU.

This is the ninth year the Optimist Club has sponsored the Oratorical contest in Greenville. Almost \$40,000 in scholarship prize money is awarded annually to oratorical contest winners by Optimist International.

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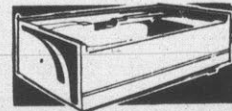
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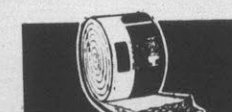
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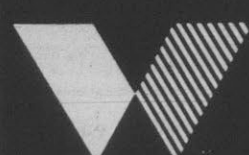
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Your Bill Is Up Because Hospitals Must Pay More

By PATRICIA Mc CORMACK
UPI Family Health Editor
Hospitals are paying more for everything from sugar packets to wash cloths, and that means Americans will be paying more for hospital services.

"Bills," Alex McMahon said in an interview, "can only go up."

McMahon, president of the American Hospital Association, speaks for some 7,000 hospitals nationwide, most of them voluntary hospitals that don't operate for profit.

Room rates, up 11.1 per cent to an average of \$114.48 per day in 1974, will go up more in 1975 despite efforts of hospitals, individually and in groups, to hold the line.

"It's inflation," McMahon said. "So many cost factors are beyond our control."

"The prices hospitals pay for

needed goods and services are rising 50 per cent faster than the over-all cost of living."

A hospital in Toledo, Ohio, took a look at its marketbasket and found the following increases in food, patient care items and utilities in just one year.

Sugar packets, up 197 per cent; coffee, up 24 per cent; jelly packets, up 114 per cent; sliced peaches, up 71 per cent; Band Aids, up 43 per cent.

Also, wash cloths, up 72 per cent; patient gowns, up 39 per cent; plastic bags, up 110 per cent; electricity, up 33 per cent; oil, up 160 per cent.

McMahon said the exact figures vary from hospital to hospital but the results are identical. The prices of many goods and services hospitals need to provide high quality

patient care are increasing at a much faster rate than hospital charges.

Another inflationary pressure is the cost of malpractice insurance. It has gone up from 100 to 275 per cent in the last year. One insurance company has given notice of intent to cancel or not renew its hospital malpractice coverage in 14 of 28 states it serves.

Hospitals are to be cut off in New Jersey, Delaware, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Ohio, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Kentucky.

The firm, Argonaut Insurance Co., has filed rate increases of up to 700 per cent in states not notified of cancellation.

In response, the AHA's House of Delegates in February approved a program to create its own insurance company that

would make malpractice general liability coverage available to hospitals.

The program is subject to final approval by the House of Delegates in May. If approved, the association will levy on member hospitals a \$4 per bed one-time dues increase to finance it. That will bring in approximately \$3.6 million on the almost 900,000 hospital beds of member institutions.

McMahon said hospitals are embarked on other campaigns to save their patients' money.

"We have an economic as well as a medical responsibility to the patient," he said.

"If we can hold down our health care costs we will hold down the premiums paid for insurance, the taxes we must pay to the government to provide its health care services. Everyone, provider as well as consumer, will benefit."

The AHA's Board of Trustees recommends an 11-point anti-inflation program to members. Included are cost-saving tips in the areas of capital construction, utilization review and internal cost.

McMahon said cost-cutting innovations already are showing up in hospitals nationwide. They include sharing ser-

vices, merging facilities, industrial engineering programs, joint purchasing arrangements, one-day surgical services.

Where results can be figured in dollars, there are impressive reports, according to McMahon. For example, the Hospital Council of Western Pennsylvania estimated that its group purchasing program, involving 80 member hospitals, last year saved nearly \$3 million.

Some specific programs by hospitals battling to contain costs:

—Tucson Medical Center in Arizona has saved about \$500,000 by joining the Coopera-

tive Purchasing Association of Arizona. Also, by combining the departments of safety, security, transportation, communication and mailroom under one director, the hospital chopped \$12,000 a year from operating costs.

—Good Samaritan Hospital and Medical Center in Portland, Ore., has opened a 14-bed day care unit where patients are admitted in the morning for minor surgical procedures and discharged the same day, cutting costs in half.

—Jackson County Hospital in Kansas City, Mo., reduced its budget by \$350,000. Among other cuts, the hospital eliminated travel for a period, halted salary hikes, and cut down on free meals and free coffee it provided its employees.

—In Denver, Swedish Medical Center and Porter Memorial Hospital combined obstetrical and pediatric facilities—raising obstetric occupancy from 65 to a more efficient 85 per cent at Swedish Center which now handles obstetrics for both

hospitals. Porter handles pediatrics for both. When pediatric was closed at Swedish it left 20 free beds which were converted to orthopedic use for both hospitals. Saved: \$700,000 in construction costs for an orthopedic unit.

—Some hospitals, such as Milton Hershey Medical Center in Hershey, Pa., Atlanta's Emory University Hospital in Georgia and Somerville Hospital in Somerville, Mass., estimate they have cut patient bills from one third to one half by offering minimal care facilities for ambulatory patients who can, for instance, eat at a meal service center instead of in bed.

They may even make their own beds to ease the inflationary pain in their pocketbooks.

Balk At Law On Facial Hair

RALEIGH (AP)—After listening to arguments in favor of strict grooming standards, the state Senate Committee on State Government killed a bill Wednesday that would allow state employees to wear mustaches, beards and long hair.

The bill, sponsored by Sen. Fred Alexander, D-Mecklenburg, would have forced the state Highway Patrol to change its policy against facial hair. Late last year a black highway patrolman was fired for growing a mustache in violation of patrol regulations.

Alexander said his bill was not aimed directly at that situation. He said he felt relaxed grooming standards "would raise morale in state agencies."

State Highway Patrol Com-

mander E.W. Jones told the committee that 80 per cent of the response he has had about the facial hair rule has been favorable. He said none of the troopers currently employed have objected to the policy.

"We want to present the best image, provide the most service and command the most respect," Jones said.

Several senators spoke against the bill, arguing that the matter should be dealt with administratively rather than through law.

Alexander noted that such policies were often dealt with in court. He said Charlotte lost a court test of its policy against mustaches on policeman. "Why must we always be forced into court to change?" he asked.

The state government committee acted favorably on a bill that would extend the campaign reporting law to some local candidates. The bill would apply to all county races and candidates in cities of at least 25,000 population.

Evangelist Speaks Here

Revival services are in progress at the Church of God, located on Skinner and Spruce St. The Rev. Millard Maynard is the evangelist.



REV. MILLARD MAYNARD

Services begin at 7:30 p.m. and feature special music and singing.

The Rev. Maynard is the superintendent of Church of God Churches in North Carolina and has traveled in the United States and several foreign countries conducting revivals and seminars in furthering the work among the Indians.

He is a Lumbee Indian and supervises the camp-ground, camp-meeting and Bible school program among the Lumbees in the state. He recently returned from New Mexico where he worked among the Navajo tribes. He will show slides of the Indian Bible schools, churches and works in New Mexico Saturday night. A special feature for the service will be the Scott Sisters singing group from Pembroke.

The public is invited to attend the services, slated to conclude Sunday.

Brothers Face Holdup Charge

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Two brothers have been quickly arrested and charged with robbing a Charlotte bank, the FBI has announced.

Jerry Reid Keaton, 39, of Belmont, was apprehended Wednesday in Salamanca, N.Y., near Buffalo.

Michael Wayne Keaton, 24, was arrested at his home in Eden Tuesday night.

They were charged in the armed robbery of the Wilkinson Boulevard branch of the First Citizens Bank & Trust Co. Tuesday. The amount of money stolen in the state's 24th bank robbery of the year was not disclosed.

Tour Taking Her To U.N.

Bette Yancey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Yancey of Greenville, is representing the Greenville District of the United Methodist Church in a tour of New York and Washington, D.C., this week.



BETTY YANCEY

In New York, she will attend lectures in the United Nations building which will look at the purposes and actions of the U.N. and will meet with some of the U.N. representatives.

In Washington, she will attend some Congressional sessions and meet with the North Carolina Congressional representatives. Upon her return, Miss Yancey will be speaking at St. James and other churches in the Greenville District on her trip. She is a senior at Rose High School and a member of the St. James United Methodist Church.

Coastal Area Hearing Set

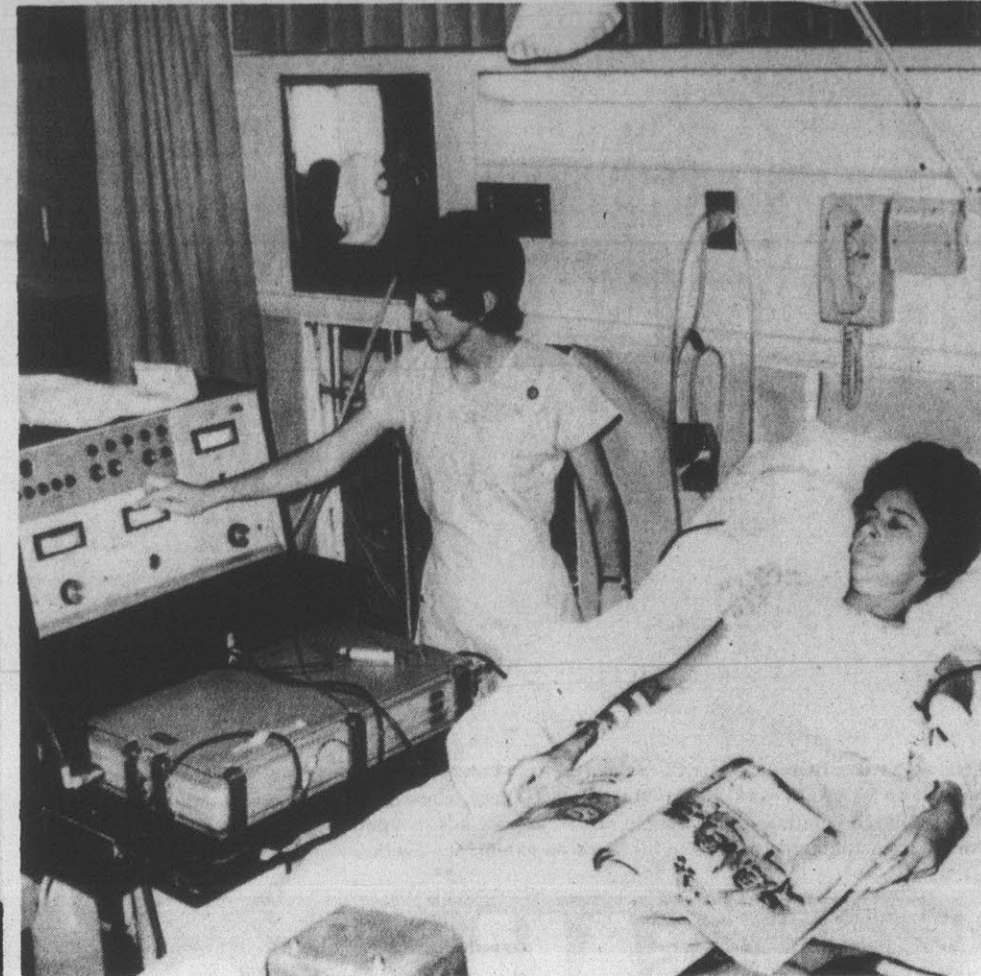
RALEIGH—Coastal area permit coordination will be the subject of a public hearing to be held in conjunction with a Coastal Resources Commission meeting in Raleigh on March 18 and 19. Both the Commission meeting and public hearing will be held in the Department of Natural and Economic Resources' hearing room at 217 West Jones Street. The hearing begins at 2 p.m. on the 18th. Commission meetings begin at 9 a.m.

The Coastal Area Management Act requires the Commission to conduct continuing studies in order to develop a better coordinated and more unified system of environmental and land use permits in the coastal area. Their recommendations then go to the General Assembly for enactment.

Permit-letting State agencies affecting the coastal area will attend the public hearing.

T. D. Eure, Commission Chairman, said the meeting was being held in Raleigh because nearly all the permit-letting agencies are headquartered in Raleigh.

In addition to hearings from the permit-letting agencies, the Commission is interested in receiving comments from the public about the current permit-letting system and if the public would like any changes, Eure said.



YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD HOSPITAL has found costs for everything, including this lifesaving kidney machine

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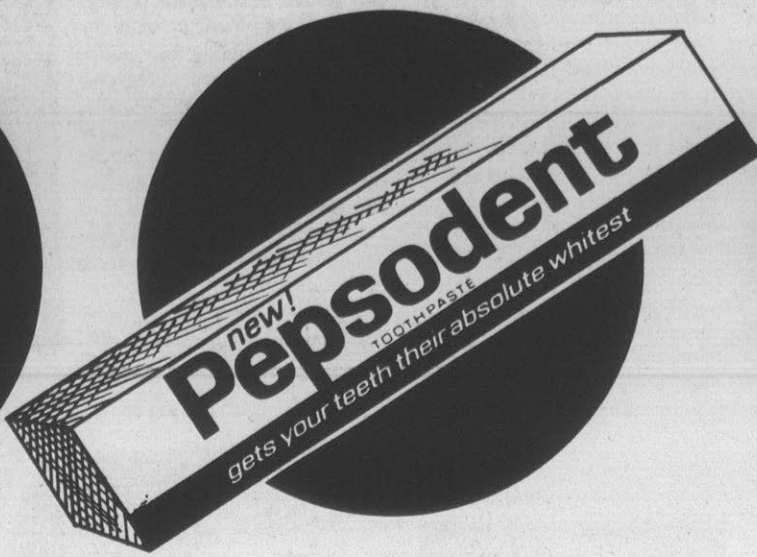
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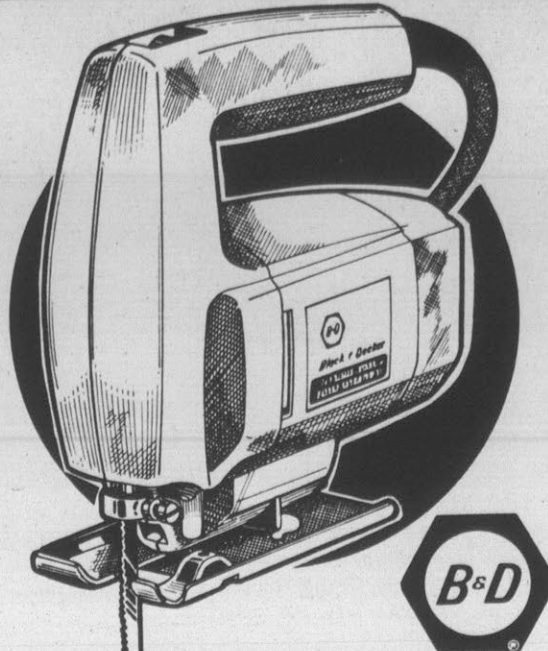
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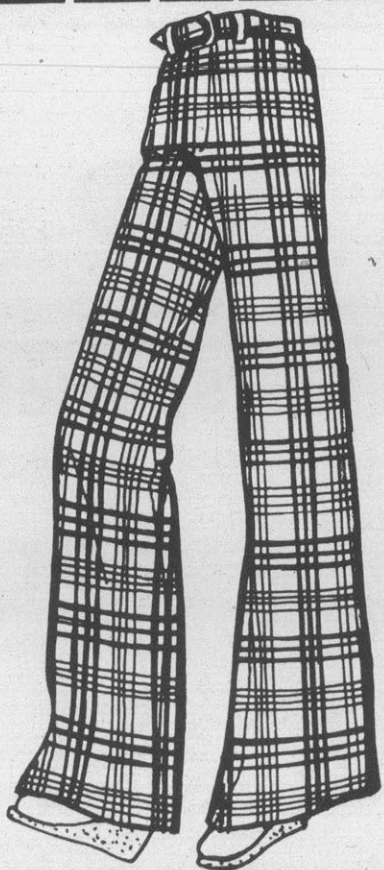
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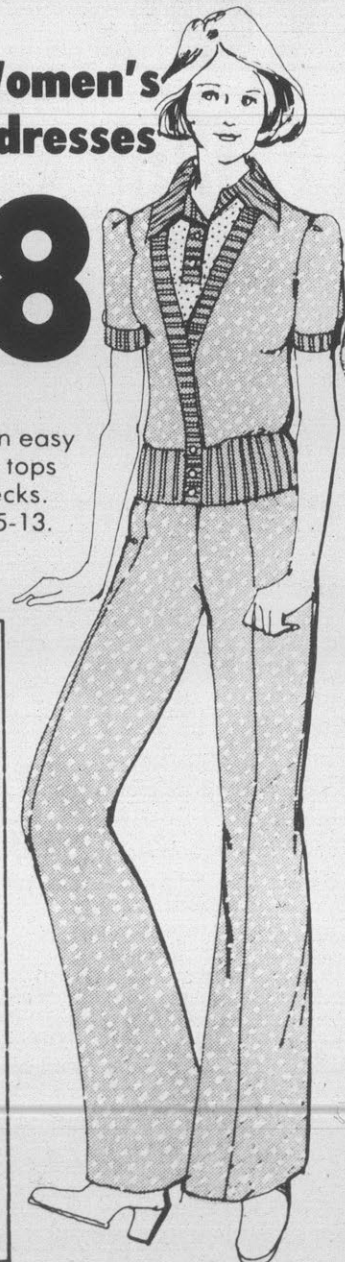
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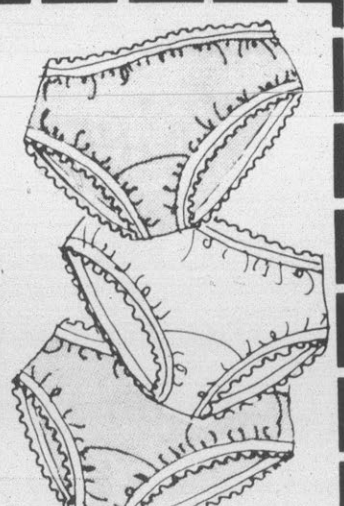


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Utilities Legislation Is Criticized



WILDERNESS QUALITY—Cornie Pauwe displays a brace of steelhead, a migratory rainbow trout, which he caught in the downtown section of the Grand River in Grand Rapids, Mich. The river at one time was the most

polluted in Michigan. Starting last fall and this winter the steelhead fishing the downtown area has been fabulous; ten-pounders not uncommon. (AP Wirephoto)

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP)—Utilities legislation before the North Carolina General Assembly ran into unexpected criticism from the attorney general's office Wednesday, but the sponsor of the bill said he would try again to explain it next week.

Deputy Atty. Gen. I. Beverly Lake sharply criticized the Senate passed omnibus utilities bill before the House Public Utilities Committee, saying it did not go far enough.

The bill, sponsored by Sen. Wesley Webster, D-Rockingham, would enlarge the State Utilities Commission from five to nine members, abolish the automatic fuel adjustment clause and repeal the forward test period for utility rate making.

Webster walked out after Lake's attack on the bill, but said he would explain it at the committee's next meeting.

The Senate Committee on State Government killed a bill Wednesday that would allow state employees to wear mustaches, beards and long hair. The measure, sponsored by Sen. Fred Alexander, D-Mecklenburg, would have forced the State Highway Patrol to change its policy against facial hair.

A black highway patrolman was dismissed late last year for refusing to shave his mustache. Patrol commander, Col. E.W. Jones, spoke against the bill before the committee.

The state government committee approved a bill to extend the campaign reporting law to county elections and candidates in cities of at least 25,000 population.

In the House, tentative approval was given to a bill that would require the state to retain operation of the alcoholic beverage warehouse. The measure would force the state to break a contract signed on Jan. 31 with Dynetaria Inc. of Dunn to operate the warehouse.

Critics of the bill said it would legislate a breach of contract by the state. The measure passed on a 59-55 roll call vote. Final approval was delayed.

The Senate Natural and Economic Resources Committee approved a bill sponsored by Sen. Julian Allsbrook, D-Halifax, to authorize a study of the

need for a sizable new sports arena in North Carolina. The study would cost approximately \$50,000 and the resolution requesting it was sent to the Appropriations Committee.

Among new bills introduced Wednesday was one by Sen. Ollie Harris, D-Cleveland, to require all public schools to close on days of statewide elections and primaries.

Rep. Fred Hutchins, R-Forsyth, introduced a bill to ban pay toilets in the state. It says "any persons making toilet facilities available to the public shall do so without receiving any remuneration therefor."

The Senate enacted a bill to provide that only uniformed members of the State Highway Patrol be allowed to serve in a supervisory capacity in the patrol. The Senate agreed to a House amendment to the bill, which was designed to oust Bruce Miller as personnel offi-

cer of the patrol.

A bill to place a \$75,000 ceiling on the state's franchise tax on holding companies gained tentative approval in the Senate. Sen. Luther Britt, D-Rob-

eson, said the measure was introduced with the blessings of the state Commerce and Industry Division in the hope of getting holding companies to locate in the state.

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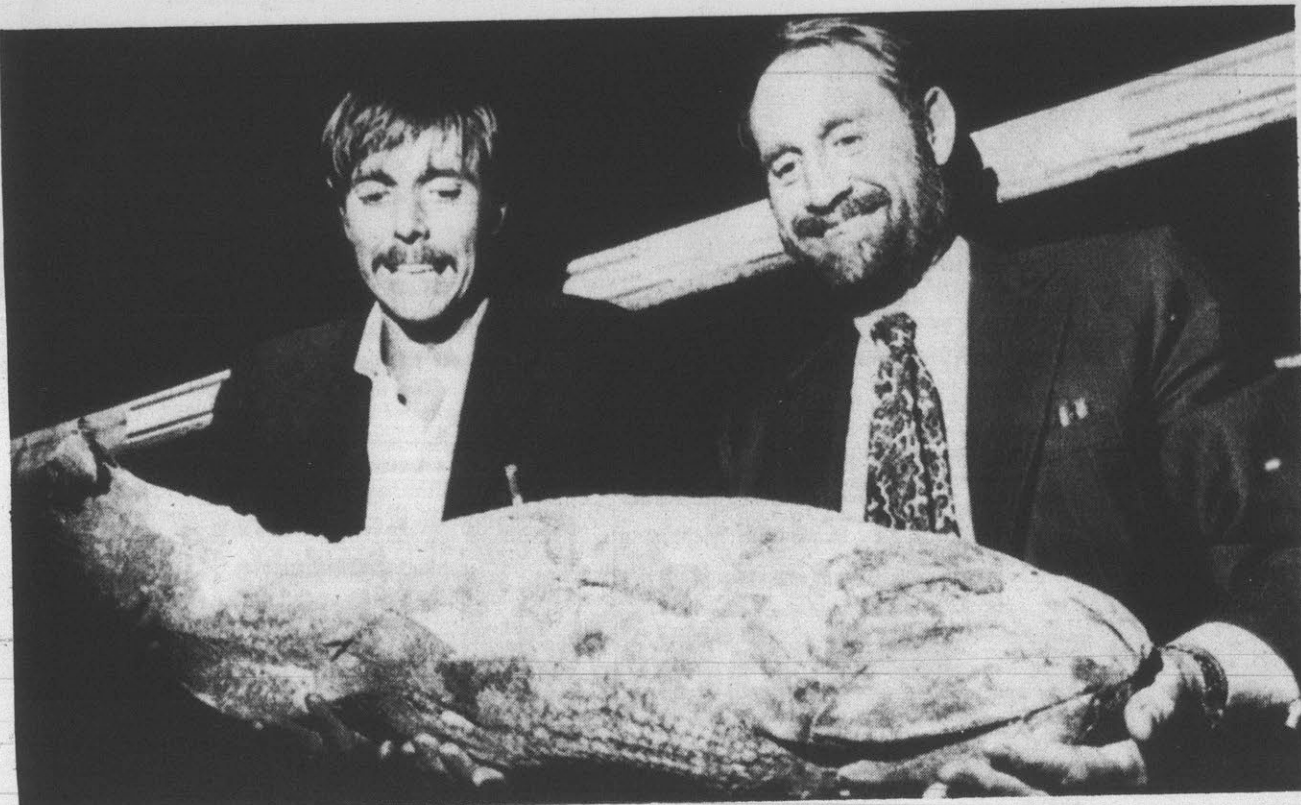
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BACK WITH A FROZEN COELACANTH—Dr. John McCosker, left, director of Steinhart Aquarium in San Francisco, and David Powell pose with a frozen coelacanth as they arrive home from the Indian Ocean with a collection of rare fish. Among the collection

were two frozen coelacanth, the first "fresh" specimens of a fish once thought to have disappeared from the planet millions of years ago. (AP Wirephoto)

SECRETS UNFOLDED — Prime Minister William Gladstone, a pillar of Britain's Victorian society, was a masochist whose welfare work with prostitutes drove him to whip himself and commit other "strange and humbling acts", according to latest volumes of his diaries. The third and fourth volumes will be published today in England. (AP Wirephoto)

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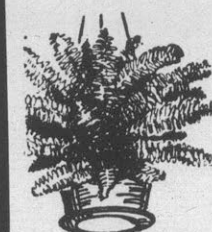
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District Court

Judge Herbert O. Phillips, III, disposed of the following cases at the February 10-13 term of District Court in Pitt County.

Owen Wilson Brown, Chiquapi, speeding, not pros.
Johnny Mitchell Bell, Jr., Washington, reckless driving, pay \$25 and cost.
Thomas Grant Bullock, 505 Main St., Farmville, shoplifting, guilty of trespass, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, probation 2 years.
Gregg Jeffery Bunting, 300 Eastbrook, improper headlamp, pay cost.
Bryan Richard Doherty, River Bluff Apts., driving under influence, (drugs), reckless driving, not guilty, (H. B. Dail, Rt. 1, Ayden, excused).

safe speed, not pros with leave.
Wayne Elms, 330 Clairmont Cir., racing, not guilty.
Carrie Mae Edmonds, Rt. 1, Fountain, shoplifting, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, probation 2 years.
Emma Cox Farmer, 1301 Fairfax Ave., stop light violation, pay \$25 and cost.
Dennis Major Hart, Rt. 2, Farmville, racing, not guilty.
James Douglas Hasty, Roanoke Rapids, driving under influence, not pros; exceed safe speed, pay cost, Calhoun, Brock, Jones, Washington, stop light violation, not pros.
Robert Will Johnson, Shady Knoll Trailer Park, speeding, pay \$15 and cost.
Preston Lee Langley, Rt. 7, Greenville, shoplifting, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, probation 2 years.

Nathan Louis Shackelford, 1414 Allen St., public drunk, 9 days jail, William Donald Silverthorne, Washington, exceed safe speed, pay cost.
David Lamont Whichard, 904 Bancroft Ave., operating bicycle without lights, case dismissed.
David Allen Weidman, New Bern, speeding, pay \$25 and cost.
Margaret Yuschak, 951 10th St., stop signal violation, prayer for judgment continued on payment of cost.
Lois Haddock, Hide Trailer Park, Winterville, assault, 30 days jail suspended pay cost.
Lois Bowkley, Hide Trailer Park, Winterville, assault, 30 days jail suspended pay cost.
William Earl Everett, Rt. 1, Bethel, larceny, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 30 days.
Larry Ray Wiggin, Rt. 1, Bethel, larceny, 12 months jail suspended pay \$250 and cost, probation 2 years.
Willie Joyce Chocwinsky, worthless check, not pros.
James Douglas Hasty, Roanoke Rapids, exceed safe speed, pay cost.
Hal Humphreys, Georgia, defraud inn keeper, pay cost and restitution.
William Henry Croom, 1117 Evans St., trespass, 30 days jail suspended pay \$50 and cost, reimburse state for counsel fees.
Wilbur Asa Garris, Rt. 3, Ayden, assault on child, probation 1 year.
Johnny Leroy Adkins, Rt. 5, Greenville, assault on female, not pros.
Ebern E. Allen, Box 820, Bethel, worthless check, not pros with leave.
James Allen Anderson, 1819-A Norcott Circle, fail see safe move, not pros.
Mrs. William Zink, Cary, worthless check, pay cost and check.
Ricky Van Boyd, Washington, fail see safe move, prayer for judgment continued, pay cost, surrender drivers license 60 days.
William Henry Croom, 1117 Evans St., shoplifting, guilty of trespass, 30 days jail suspended pay \$50 and cost.
Lillie Hobbs Carter, 1108 E. 10th St., fail see safe move, prayer for judgment continued payment of cost.
James E. Daniels, 600 Tyson St., worthless check, 30 days jail suspended pay cost and check.
Gary Green, 824 Washington St., shoplifting, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, probation 1 year.
Leroy Earl Artis, Box 208, Winterville, public drunk, fail reduce speed, not pros with leave.
The Franklin Anderson, Vanceboro, speeding, pay cost.
James William Brown, Kinston, driving while license suspended, not pros with leave.
Alfred Jasper Boswell, Jr., Grifton, driving under influence, 6 months jail suspended pay \$100 and cost, surrender drivers license 12 months.
Linwood Ronald Cannon, Rt. 2, Ayden, exceed safe speed, pay \$15 and cost.



WAITING WITHOUT—"No pets allowed", that's the sign at the Gladys Porter Zoo in Brownsville, Tex., and it sometimes disturbs visitors who travel with their dogs, but not so in

this case. The two riders of these motorcycles with North Carolina license plates simply left the dog in the basket on back of the bike and went inside. (AP Wirephoto)



PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by T. ARTHUR HOGES & REALTY, INC. to A. LOUIS SINGLETON, Trustee, dated the 4th day of January, 1974, and recorded in Book 442, page 498, Pitt County Registry; and under and by virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned as substituted trustee by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure and the holder of the indebtedness hereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof, the undersigned substituted trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder cash for the said property, the same lying and being in Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:
All of Lots 12 and 13 in Block "C", Kennedy Estates Subdivision, Section 2, as recorded in Map Book 20, Page 37, Pitt County Registry.
All of Lots 5, 7, 8 and 10 in Block "D", Kennedy Estates Subdivision, Section 2, as recorded in Map Book 20, Page 37, Pitt County Registry.
This property will be sold subject to outstanding ad valorem taxes and to any assessments.
The high bidder at the sale will be required to make a cash deposit of ten (10) percent of the bid up to and including ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS, plus five (5) percent of any excess over ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS.
The 10th day of February, 1975.
Charles L. Fulton, Substituted Trustee
February 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1975

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by T. ARTHUR HOGES & REALTY, INC. to A. LOUIS SINGLETON, Trustee, dated the 10th day of April, 1974, and recorded in Book 442, page 498, Pitt County Registry; and under and by virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned as substituted trustee by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure and the holder of the indebtedness hereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof, the undersigned substituted trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder cash for the said property, the same lying and being in Ayden Township, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:
All of Lot 10, Block "A", Strawberry Banks Subdivision, as shown on map of Book 442, page 498, Pitt County Registry.
This property will be sold subject to outstanding ad valorem taxes and to any assessments.
The high bidder at the sale will be required to make a cash deposit of ten (10) percent of the bid up to and including ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS, plus five (5) percent of any excess over ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS.
The 10th day of February, 1975.
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February 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1975

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned, having qualified as Executor of the Estate of LILLIE BELLE CARTER, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned or the Attorney, Frank M. Wooten, Jr., 113 W. Third Street, or P. O. Box 5063, Greenville, N.C. on or before the 27th day of August, 1975, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned, at the above mentioned address.
This 24th day of February, 1975.
Elizabeth Creech Gillette, Executrix
P. O. Box 177, Enfield, N.C.
Frank M. Wooten, Jr., Attorney
February 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1975

NOTICE OF SALE
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That certain lot or parcel of land in the Town of Grifton, Pitt County, North Carolina, described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company's North right-of-way line and the west line of Boyd Street, said point of intersection being 75 feet from the center line of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company's North right-of-way line; thence North 30 degrees East along the West line of Boyd Street 300 feet to a point in the North right-of-way line; thence North 30 degrees East along the North right-of-way line 50 feet to the point of beginning, containing .34 acre, more or less, and being the same conveyed to E. Leon Roebuck of the first part by Norfolk Southern Railway Company by deed of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book 218, page 568.
This sale will be made subject to all ad valorem taxes and other assessments now due or which constitute a lien on the above described lot (s) or parcel (s) of land and the highest bidder at said sale will be required to deposit with said Trustee 10 percent of the amount of his bid to show his good faith.
The 28th day of February, 1975.
LOUIS W. GAYLORD, JR., TRUSTEE
Gaylord and Singleton
Attorneys at Law
Post Office Box 545
Telephone: 758-3116
Greenville, North Carolina 27834
March 6, 13, 20, 1975

PUBLIC NOTICE
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This 20th day of February, 1975.
DONNIE RAY TAYLOR, Administrator
Owens, Haisgood & Hahn
Attorneys at Law
Greenville, N.C.
Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1975

ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDS
PARKING PROJECT
PITTS COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
Sealed proposals will be received by the Ayden-Grifton High School, Pitt County, North Carolina, in the office of the principal, until 2:00 P.M. on the 19th day of March, 1975, and immediately thereafter publicly opened by the engineer and read, for the furnishing of labor, materials, and equipment for the Parking Project at the Ayden-Grifton High School, Pitt County, North Carolina.
Complete Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents may be obtained from McDavid Associates, Inc. in Farmville, North Carolina, by those qualified and who will make bids, on deposit of twenty-five (25) dollars in cash or certified check. Fifteen dollars of deposit will be returned to those submitting a bona fide proposal provided plans and specifications are returned to the engineer in good condition within five days after the date set for receiving bids.
The Contract will consist of approximately: 6" x 12" Conc. Curb, 2" Bit. Concrete, Drop Inlets, 12" R.C. Pipe, 15" R.C. Pipe, 24" R.C. Pipe, Junction Box, Stone Base, Common Excavation.
All contractors are hereby notified that they must have proper license under the state laws governing their respective trades.
General contractors are notified that "An Act to regulate the practice of general contracting," ratified by the General Assembly of North Carolina on March 10, 1925, and subsequently amended will be observed in receiving and awarding general contracts.
Each proposal shall be accompanied by a five percent deposit. This may be in cash, certified check or bid bond. Said deposit to be returned by the Owner as Liquidated Damages in the event of the successful bidder failing to execute the contract within ten days after the award.
Performance bond will be required for one hundred percent (100 percent) of the contract price.
The school reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept the bid or bids that appear to be to the best interest of the school.
Thomas L. Craft, Assistant Superintendent
Pitt County Board of Education
Engineers: McDavid Associates, Inc., 120 N. Main Street, P. O. Drawer 49, Farmville, N.C. 27828
Phone: 913-2129
March 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 1975

CARD OF THANKS
WE WISH TO THANK our family, friends, and acquaintances for their many fine expressions of concern during our son's recent surgery. Tony is recuperating very well. Chuck and Judy Mangione.
THANK YOU, The family of the late Willie Thomas wish to thank their many friends for their kindness shown toward them during the recent death of their husband, father, and brother for food, floral design, and especially your prayers. May God's rich blessing bestow upon each of you. Mrs. Helen Thomas, Children and Family.
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Benefits For Teachers Without Summer Job

Public school teachers who can't find work this summer may be able to collect \$90 a week in unemployment compensation—even though they are under contract for the 1975-76 school year.

James E. Hannan, manager of the Greenville ESC office of the State Employment Security Commission, stated that teachers are eligible for unemployment compensation for the first time ever under a new federal law, the Special Employment Assistance Act of 1974.

Whether teachers generally will be able to collect this summer while school is out, according to Hannan, depends in part on the rate of unemployment at that time. The new law is tied to the rate of unemployment. As long as unemployment remains above either 6 per cent nationally or above 6.5 per cent locally, then the special new act will apply. If the rates drop below these percentages, then the coverage for teachers stops until unemployment goes back above either 6 per cent nationally or 6.5 per cent locally.

Most workers in North Carolina are covered by regular unemployment laws regardless of the rate of unemployment. This coverage is paid for by a special tax on employers. Teachers, state employees and some others are not covered by regular laws.

"This is a 100 per cent federally financed program," Hannan explained. "This special act is the first time unemployment coverage has been extended to teachers, and state employees. The state hasn't appropriated money to pay for

unemployment coverage for its employees.

"Although federal funds, rather than state funds, are footing the bill for the new special act, state definitions of unemployment still apply," Hannan said. "The state requires that a person be able to work, willing to work, available to work and seeking work but unable to find it."

Hannan said teachers who cannot find work during the summer are eligible for the special federal unemployment if they meet the state

qualifications.

"Unemployment benefits range from \$15 to \$90 a week depending on a person's former salary. An unemployed teacher would be eligible for the maximum of \$90 according to the current benefit formula," Hannan said.

Employees of technical institutes, community colleges, universities or other institutions of higher education are not eligible for unemployment compensation under the special act if they are under contract. Neither are full-time students

eligible for unemployment benefits. Teachers who attend summer school full-time would not be eligible. A teacher, however, who is taking only one course might be eligible. An Employment Security Commission claims deputy would need to rule on the claim, deciding whether taking that course interfered with the teacher's availability for work.

"Of course, any educator who loses his job during the school year or at the end of the school year is potentially eligible for unemployment benefits under

No Injuries As Cars Collided

Robin Causey Clark of 2006 Fairview Way was charged with failing to see her intended movement could be made in safety following investigation of a 12:45 p.m. collision here

the special act," Hannan said. "Teachers would not be eligible for any compensation next year during the Christmas layoff period under this special act. Teachers would be ineligible then because their December check would be large enough to disqualify them," he added.

yesterday of 14th Street, 87 feet South of the Spruce Street intersection.

Police reported the Clark car collided with an auto operated by Donald Ray Barnes of Route 5, Greenville, causing an estimated \$250 damage to the Clark car and \$100 damage to the Barnes vehicle.

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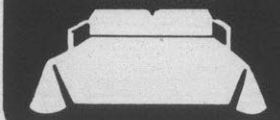
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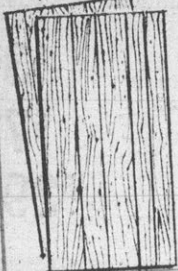
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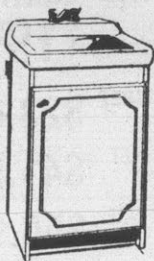


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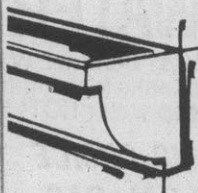


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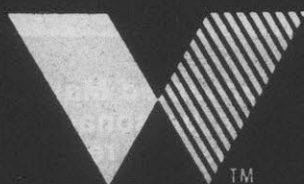
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The latest concept in bathing
comfort & convenience!
Lightweight; can't rust.

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Borg-Warner quality! White vitreous china.

Regular \$35.47 **\$31⁹⁵**
SAVE \$3.52

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TOILET SEAT \$2.99

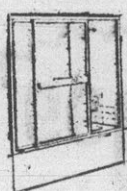
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Regular \$17.87 **\$14⁹⁵**
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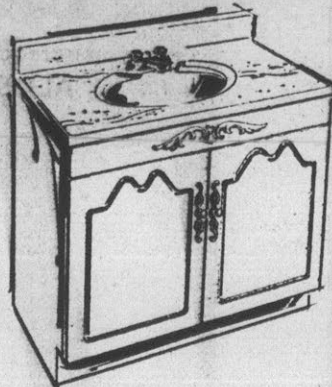
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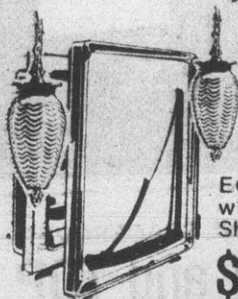
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24" BORG/WARNER
ASTRA-LAV
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SINGLE-HANDLE
FAUCET W/POP-UP
\$28.23

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RECESSED MEDICINE CABINET

ECONOMICAL! Large
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Shelves.

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White, glass globes with
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Surface mounted; glass doors!

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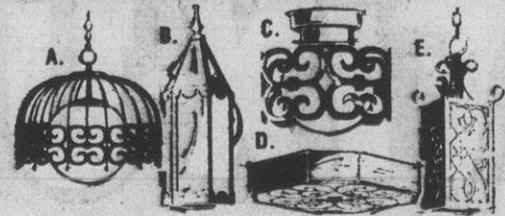
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Antique finish; side lights!

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Ivory-&-gold finish; lighted!

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A. Black Chain-Hung Chande-
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\$34.99

B. Black Outdoor Lantern
W/Textured Amber Glass **\$7⁸⁹** Reg.
\$8.99

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W/Ceramic Globe **\$6⁸⁹** Reg.
\$7.99

D. Walnut Octagonal Ceiling
Fixture W/White Glass **\$14⁸⁹** Reg.
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E. Black Chain-Hung Ceiling
Fixture W/Amber Glass **\$16⁸⁹** Reg.
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Dial down incandescent
lights to save energy &
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\$3⁹⁵

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LIGHT BULB SPECIAL!

G.E. Soft-White Bulbs in
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Choose 60, 75, or 100
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For any interior wiring job! Con-
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It's heavy-duty & SAFE! Reg. \$4.19

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DEPENDABLE WATER HEATERS

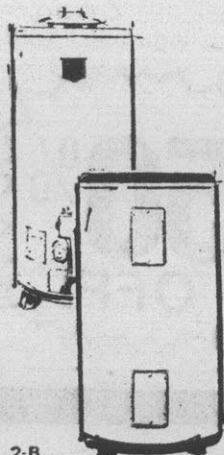
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to keep water HOT! Full line of fittings available.

YOUR CHOICE
40 GAL. GAS
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NOW SAVE \$8.00

\$81⁹⁵ Reg. \$89.95

PRICE INCLUDES TEMPERATURE-&-PRESSURE VALVE

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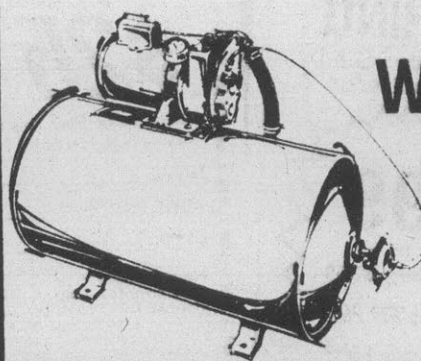


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1/2 H.P. WATER SYSTEM

A dependable, efficient System for
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gal. Tank with Pressure Gauge.

\$149⁵⁰ Reg.
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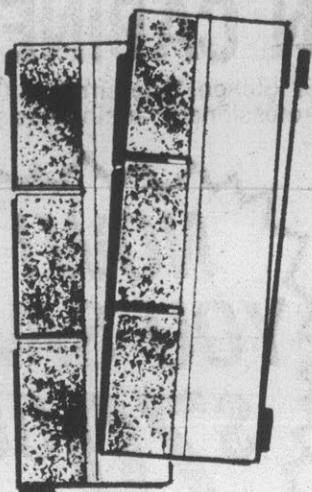
Shallow well Pump with jet and 12 gal. Tank!

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\$129.50

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Besides honoring nationally-accepted Master
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"Wickes Time Payment Plan" is also readily-
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SELF-SEAL 3-TAB SHINGLES

Sunlight activates the sealant, providing a weatherproof bond and the assortment of colors available adds lasting beauty to any home!

Top-Quality For Less At Wickes!

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Per Bundle

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ROOF LINE LOUVER ... 234053	Ea.	3.39
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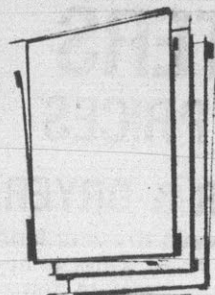


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Lower home heating & cooling costs with at least 3" of Fiberglass Insulation in the walls and 6" in the ceiling!

\$3⁹⁹	8" Sq. Ft.	\$4⁹⁹	16" Sq. Ft.
4"x15"	Reg. \$4.26 50 Sq. Ft. Roll	6 1/2"x15"	Reg. \$5.49 30 Sq. Ft. Roll
\$2.49	ATTIC INSULATION	\$2.19	Per Bag



1/2'-4'x8' GYPSUM WALLBOARD

Interior uses. The ideal base for paint or wallpaper!

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3/8'-4'x8' GYPSUM WALLBOARD \$1.79

REDI-MIX JOINT COMPOUND
Seals where gypsum sheets join!

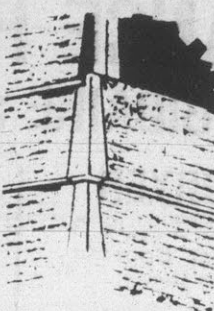
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5 Gal.

WALLBOARD JOINT TAPE
Conceals as it reinforces. Bargain!

89¢

250 Ft.



ROUGH-SAWN ALUMINUM SIDING

Embossed finish provides the look of real wood! Won't warp, crack or peel.

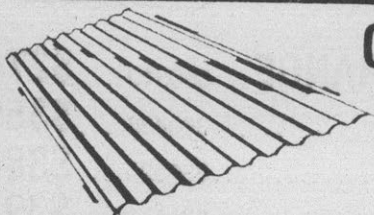
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100 Sq. Ft. Reg. \$33.95 White Only

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Shutters add a touch of charm to any home! Easy to mount; many sizes.

10% OFF STOCK SIZES



CORRUGATED FIBERGLASS PANELS

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Asphalt treated to resist weather!

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\$59.00 Per 1,000 Sq. Ft.

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Gal.

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Each

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BIGGEST PRICE REDUCTION EVER!

\$272⁰⁰

Complete

8-Ft. Kitchen
Reg. \$342.00

**NOW!
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PRICE INCLUDES:

- 2-30" Wall Cabinets
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- 1-36" Sink Front
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SPECIAL! 10% OFF ANY CABINETS IN STOCK!

POST-FORMED COUNTERTOPS
4-6-8-10 or 12 ft. lengths.

Lin. Ft.

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Durable, satin finish! Reg. \$8.75 30"x96" Sht.

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Easy to install. Fluorescent bulb included!

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STAINLESS-STEEL STRAINER

Fits snugly into any kitchen sink drain. Handy!

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SINGLE-HANDLE KIT. FAUCET

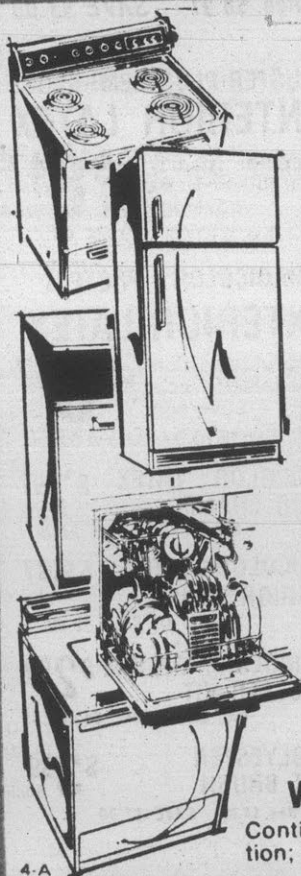
Modern, stainless-steel styling. Washerless!

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32"x21" STAINLESS-STEEL SINK

Double-bowl for kitchen use. Satin finish!

\$24.97 Reg. \$29.97



Your APPLIANCE HEADQUARTERS WHIRLPOOL & FRIGIDAIRE at WICKES' LOW PRICES

WHIRLPOOL WASHER & DRYER

Lighten your washday workload with this 3-cycle, 3-temperature Washer and this 5-cycle Dryer. Both feature Cool-Down care for permanent press items!

AUTOMATIC WASHER

ELECTRIC DRYER

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Continuous-feed action; 1/2 h.p. motor! **\$39⁰⁰** 368056

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Adjustable speeds; 'solid-state' control! **\$36⁵⁰** 345124 Reg. \$39.95

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Simulated woodgrains
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Handsome, simulated woodgrain prints
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Simulated woodgrains on 1/4" 4'x8' plywood

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Rich, distinctive simulated woodgrains on
1/4" 4'x8' hardboard.

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PANEL MOULDINGS **20% OFF!**

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Handsome & economi-
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Wickes shows you
how.

12"x12"
TILES

9 1/2 ¢

PERFORATED TILES **14¢**
Absorb excessive noise; accent any decor!

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Our best Tile! Superb noise absorption.

2'x4' CEILING PANELS

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ECONOMICAL and washable!
Easy to install using Wickes'
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WICKES' COMPLETE FLOOR COVERING CENTER!

DO-IT-YOURSELF CARPET

100% Nylon Carpeting in varieties of styles and colors.
Rubber back—no pad needed! Easy to install.

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SPARTICUS
Quality, level-loop construction!

SHAG
Plush! Long wear plus easy care.

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Multi-level—popular colors!

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Create a truly unique floor—
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100% Olefin fiber for durability. Easy to
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Self-stick Tiles. Popular colors to match
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Choose smooth or embossed designs
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CUSHION VINYL FLOORING **\$3.49**
Solid-vinyl layer that needs no waxing!
12' widths; many colors & patterns. Sq. Yd.

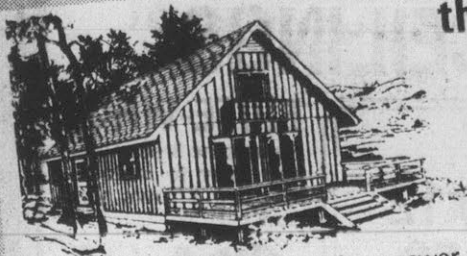
SHAG CARPET TILES **69¢**
Self-sticking rubber back—just press in
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CREDIT & INSTALLATION AVAILABLE

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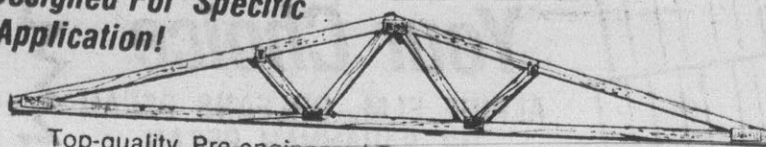
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\$4,499⁰⁰

Plus tax and delivery charge
Patio Deck optional

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*Designed For Specific
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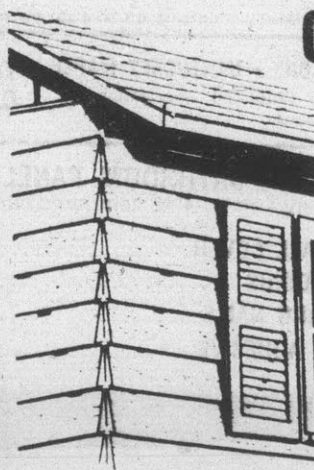
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Top-quality, straight-&-clean Studs, Joists & Rafters are the perfect start to any building project! Low prices everyday!

PLYWOOD and HARDBOARD

\$2.89 1/8"-4'x8'	STANDARD HARDBOARD	\$2.69
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4.59 1/8"-4'x8'	TEMPERED HARDBOARD	3.59
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5.29 1/8"-4'x8'	TEMPERED PEGBOARD	3.99
8.59 1/4"-4'x8'	TEMPERED PEGBOARD	6.69
1/4"-4'x8'	AC PLYWOOD	5.99
3/8"-4'x8'	AC PLYWOOD	6.99
1/2"-4'x8'	AC PLYWOOD	9.44
3/4"-4'x8'	AC PLYWOOD	11.69
MULTI-PURPOSE PLYWOOD HANDI PANELS		From .99

QUALITY SIDING



PRIMED HARDBOARD LAP

DURABLE! It's prime-painted—just add a finish coat. 7/16"-12"x16'

\$21⁵⁰

100 Sq Ft

Reg. \$24.50

ROUGH-SAWN DOUG. FIR

Whether you paint or stain it, the naturally-rustic appearance remains!

\$12⁹⁹

5/8"-4'x8'

Reg. \$14.99

Also Available in 4'x9' Shts.

20% OFF!
ALL CABINET
HARDWARE

20% OFF!
All Weiser & Harloc
LOCKSETS



WICKES' HARDWARE HEADQUARTERS

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8.49 GARAGE DOOR WEATHERSTRIP	6.39	ALL SIZES OF ADJUSTABLE CLOSET RODS	10% OFF
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WICKES HAS ALL YOUR HARDWARE NEEDS!

INSTALLATION

Wickes has Installation Service available for most of the products we sell, or Wickes will be glad to recommend a qualified Contractor.
FREE ESTIMATES!

FIX-UP VALUES!

ALUMINUM PATIO DOOR



Durable & Safety Glazed! Screen included. Other sizes available.

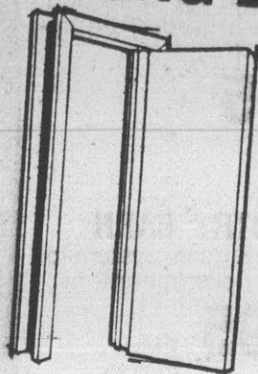
\$89⁹⁵ COMPARE AT \$109.95
6-Ft. Size

GARAGE DOORS

Wickes stocks many sizes of residential wood & fiberglass Garage Doors!

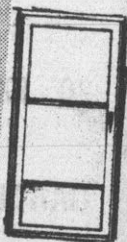
\$119.95 GARAGE DOOR OPENER \$99.00
DELUXE GARAGE DOOR OPENER \$144.95
HEAVY-DUTY DOOR OPENER \$169.95

30"x80" LAUAN PRE-HUNG DOOR



Complete unit can be installed easily in minutes! Standard sizes in stock.

WICKES' LOW PRICE... **\$22⁹⁷**

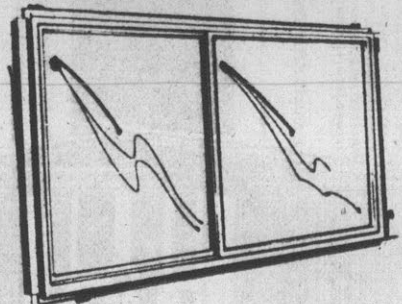


NATURAL ALUMINUM—SELF-STORING STORM/SCREEN DOOR

Prehung, predrilled; hardware & screen included. With SAFETY GLASS!

\$31⁸⁸ 32"x80" OR 36"x80" Size Compare At \$39.95

ALUMINUM WINDOWS



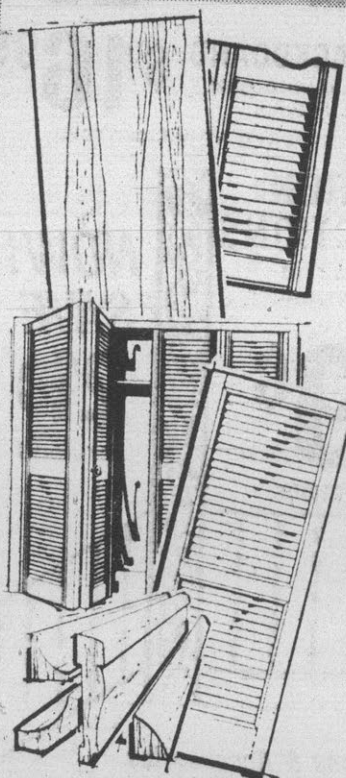
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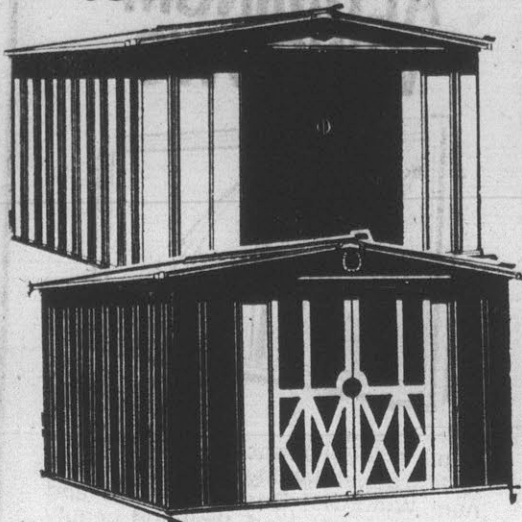
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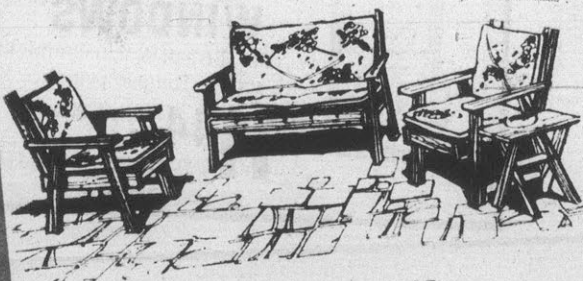
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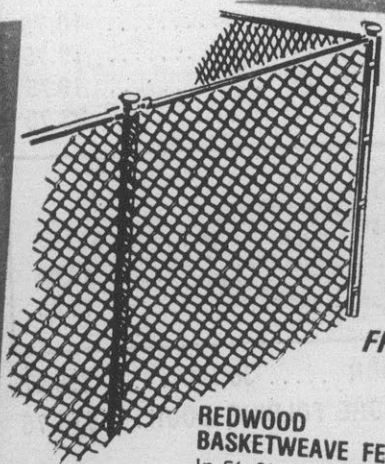
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