

OPEC Terrorists Hunting For Haven

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) — Six terrorists ended a bloody siege at the Vienna headquarters of OPEC today, flew to Algiers and released most of their 41 hostages. They bargained for three hours, then took off again still holding some of the oil ministers.

Their destination and latest

demands were not immediately known, but the Algerian press agency said they might be headed for Tripoli or Benghazi, Libya. During the takeover of the Vienna headquarters of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, the terrorists urged war against Israel, sought a share in oil

wealth for Palestinians and assailed Arab regimes who allied themselves with "American masters." The Vienna siege, which lasted 20 hours and left three dead and between two and eight wounded, reportedly was led by a South American. Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky told a news con-

ference in Vienna that the guerrilla chief laughingly told his hostages "he was the famous Carlos" being sought by international police.

But Kreisky said there was no "absolutely no reliable evidence" that the leader of the Vienna raiders, who wore a mustache, was the mysterious terrorist who escaped arrest in Paris last June by slaying two French security agents and a Lebanese informer.

The siege plane, an Austrian Airlines DC9, landed in Algiers at 11:35 a.m. Shortly afterward, Algerian Foreign Minister Abdelaziz Bouteflika began negotiating with one of the terrorists in the VIP lounge of the airport. Hours went by, apparently without progress, and a tank trunk pulled up alongside the plane and refueled it and the plane took off.

Among those on the plane when it left Algiers was

Belaid Abdesselam, Algerian minister for oil and industry. Abdesselam had been permitted to leave OPEC headquarters in Vienna Sunday to negotiate for the plane to land in Algiers. He was one of the first persons off the plane in Algiers today, and had taken part in the VIP lounge negotiations.

But as preparations were made for a new takeoff, Abdesselam went back aboard to share the fate of the other ministers. They were said to include Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani of Saudi Arabia and Jamshid Amouzgar of Iran, the two most influential members of OPEC, as well as the representatives of Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, United Arab Emirates and Qatar.

Those freed in Algiers included members of the Venezuelan, Gabon, Ecuadorean, Nigerian and Indonesian delegations. In addition, a wounded terrorist was taken off the plane, and driven away in an ambulance.

Convener Group's Closed Session Stirs Criticism

By STUART SAVAGE
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A new convener group—appointed by Gov. Jim Holshouser to establish a Health Systems Agency for the 29-county Health Service Area VI—met here Saturday and agreed to hold in abeyance action taken at the group's first meeting here December 17.

Holshouser named a new 18-member convener group after dismissing a 21-member body a month ago, saying there was "disunity of effort, mistrust of leadership and unwillingness to accept guidelines," among the old group.

The old convener group had proposed a 66-member board to oversee operations of the HSA. The state had recommended a 30 to 45 member board.

Wednesday night, the new group, at its first meeting, voted to establish a 30 member governing board, composed of

one representative from each of the 29 Eastern counties included in HSA VI and one representative from the School of Medicine at East Carolina University.

Convener Charles Gaskins, a Pitt County Commissioner, resigned December 18 because of the hasty action taken by the new conveners. He had abstained from voting on the question of board size at the meeting, saying he had inadequate information on which to base a determination. At that Wednesday session, members of the convener group urged that their meetings be publicized so that residents of the area might attend to voice their views—have input into the establishment of the HSA.

The Saturday session, however, was for all practical purposes unannounced. Then, on a vote of seven to six, the conveners chose to hold an

"executive session" excluding several persons who had heard of the meeting from the session. One of those excluded during the "executive session was

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Jim Black in the N.C. Attorney General's office said that the postal authorities have been successful in returning some money to persons who have paid finders' services by impounding funds of the post office boxes of companies. He said you should expect nothing, but there is some possibility that, if anyone can do anything, they can. He suggested that anyone else who has sent money to such a service write to Woods at the above address.

A HOTLINE APPEAL

FAMILY OF SEVEN BURNED OUT
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Keel and their five children are appealing for household goods and clothes for them. Everything the family owned was destroyed in a recent fire.

Keel works at Coghill Grain Mill. The daughters' sizes are 7 and 8; the sons, 12, 7, and 4. Mrs. Keel is expecting a baby soon. The family is living with a relative at present.

The family of Ernest Sutton, who works with Keel, will accept gifts for the Keels. Their address is 2105 S. Village Drive, Greenville; their phone number, 758-5998.



HALF A CAR—This is the rear portion of a car that collided with a bridge railing on a rural road two miles North of Bethel early this morning killing one man and injuring another. The front

portion of the car came to rest some 203 feet further down the Edgcombe County roadway. (Reflector Photo by Stuart Savage)

Man Decapitated As Car Hit Bridge Railing

BETHEL—A Baltimore, Md., man was killed—decapitated—and another injured this morning when the car in which they were traveling careened into a bridge railing on a rural road two miles North of here in Edgcombe County, tearing the vehicle into two parts.

Highway Patrolman Lyle J. Sawyers, who investigated the fatal collision, identified the dead man as Billy Ray Baker, 33. Injured in the wreck was

William Mooring, who suffered a broken arm.

Trooper Sawyers, who estimated the speed of the vehicle at the time of collision at 120 to 140 miles per hour, said the car crashed into the bridge railing. The force of the impact ripped away the right side and rear of the car, leaving it at the site of the collision with the bridge.

The front portion of the vehicle—fenders, hood, motor and wheels—with the top and left

side attached—came to rest beside the roadway 203 feet away.

Trooper Sawyers said both Baker, whose head was severed from his body, and Mooring, who was pinned under the front portion of the car, were thrown from the wreckage following the impact with the bridge.

Investigation of the collision, according to the Highway Patrolman, is continuing.

The collision occurred about 12:20 a.m.



SANTA IN EFFIGY—Despite several threats from neighbors, Allen Cutcher of just outside Longwood, Fla., will not

remove the inflatable Santa hanging in front of his residence. (AP Wirephoto)

Hanging Of Santa Angers Neighbors

LONGWOOD, Fla. (AP) — An effigy of Santa Claus is hanging with a noose around its neck on the front lawn of a home near here and the neighbors are angry.

But Brenda Cutcher, 21, and her husband, Allan, 25, say they won't take it down and may even string up the Easter Bunny and the Good Fairy.

"Whether you call them fantasies or myths, they are all lies," Mrs. Cutcher says. "Santa Claus is a lie and it's wrong to lie. How can people

relate this bunch of lies to the birth of Christ?"

The Cutchers, who have a 1½-year-old daughter, mounted a blow-up plastic Santa on a scaffold on their pickup truck, but the figure was stolen. So they stuffed another Santa and put it in the front yard.

Trouble has brewed ever since. Someone threw a flower pot through the front window. There were nasty telephone calls.

"Nobody has pulled a gun

on me," Cutcher says, "but they've driven by and shouted, 'Hey, you might get your house burned down.'"

His friend, George Auerback, also put Santa on a scaffold on the lawn but finally took the figure down when threatened with arrest by Longwood officials.

"We have an ordinance that says if eight people sign a complaint we can arrest someone for a display for disturbing the peace," says council chairman J.R. Grant. "We had 15 or 20 signatures on this one. But we couldn't get Cutcher because he lives outside town."

"I think we all know there's no Santa Claus; it's just a little game we play," Grant says. "We tried our best to talk to Cutcher, but he's almost unreasonable."

The Cutchers, members of the Ebenezer Holiness Church, say they base their action on the 22nd chapter of Revelations in the King James version of the Bible which says "whosoever loveth and maketh a lie" will be excluded from Heaven.

Mrs. Cutcher says her daughter, Jennifer, won't get any gifts for Christmas, won't get any pennies under her pillow for a tooth, and won't go on any egg hunts at Easter.

"A lie is a lie no matter how pretty you make it," she says.

Lebanese Town Is Under Attack

By FAROUK NASSAR
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BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Zahlah, a Christian town 35 miles east of Beirut, was under heavy rocket and mortar attack today, a police spokesman reported.

Fighting also was reported around Mansourieh, a mountain resort 15 miles northeast of Beirut. But the capital was quiet except for one clash during the night in which no casualties were reported.

The police said 13 persons were killed and 31 wounded in Mansourieh and Zahlah.

"Zahlah is under rocket and mortar fire from all directions," a spokesman said. "It is virtually besieged by Moslem militiamen in a string of villages that control all Zahlah's approaches."

"Army troops manning buffer zones between Zahlah and its neighbors are as hard pressed as Zahlah itself. Rockets and mortar shells rained on both army positions and the city."

Premier Rashid Karami's cease-fire committee said it would take "emergency measures" to stop the fighting.

A committee spokesman said

an overnight clash by light automatic weapons in Beirut was "an isolated incident that was quickly curbed by troops and Palestinian guerrillas."

Karami went to Damascus to talk with Syrian leaders about ways to end the eight-month-old street war between Moslem leftists and Christian right-wingers.

Colby Will Be Offered Post

NEW YORK (AP) — William Colby will be offered the post of ambassador to Norway by President Ford, according to the current issue of Newsweek magazine.

Colby, who was fired by Ford as head of the Central Intelligence Agency, has already turned down an offer to be ambassador to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. He said his spy work made him too controversial for the job.



Laupus Outlines Steps In Medical School Work

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

East Carolina University's Medical School Dean, Dr. William E. Laupus, says that progress is being made in developing the school and noted that officials are still hopeful of being able to enroll the first students in the four-year medical program by the Fall of 1976.

Laupus said an "unofficial consultation visit" by executive staff members of

the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) has been scheduled for February 23 and 24. "It's just been confirmed this week," he said.

He said the consultation visit will result in the LCME—the joint accrediting body of the American Medical Association and the Association of American Medical Colleges—"pointing out deficiencies as they see them. And in all candor,"

Laupus explained, "we will probably know them as well as they."

The dean said too, that those making the unofficial LCME inspection will "give us a recommendation as to whether we should have a full-scale LCME site visit later in the spring." If that occurs, it should come probably in April, with LCME action—either granting accreditation or denying it—following in June.

"We are not taking applications (for medical students) at this time," Laupus explained, but indicated there should be no problem in securing qualified students for the school after the June LCME meeting. In fact, Laupus said first year medical students could begin their studies anywhere from September to mid-December (1976) and still be able to complete work so they could move on into the second year

in September, 1977.

Residency training programs, according to Laupus, for the most part would not begin until after completion of the new Pitt Memorial Hospital facility. The prime exception, he noted, will be the family practice residency which should begin sometime next year.

As for the number of students that would be enrolled for the first school

year, Laupus said "that is not our decision."

Although legislation establishing the school limits the number of first year students to 40, "the number is decided by the LCME. They tell you how many you can enroll." But Laupus emphasized, "I don't see any difference between 30 and 40 students. It's a shame to deprive kids of an opportunity to go to medical (Continued on page 7)



Parents Disgusted by He-man's Gay 'Marriage'

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Our tall, handsome, athletic son served four years in the Navy, returned to civilian life and college, and "married" an undersized, effeminate male hairdresser. We have no idea how to handle this situation or our ambivalent feelings.

This "odd couple" came to visit us, and they want us to visit them. They are inseparable and act out a peculiar husband-wife relationship that is both bewildering and disturbing to us.

So far we have been polite, but what the dickens do you say to friends and relatives? We can't condone it.

We love this boy, but as his parents we feel torn and hypocritical to say the least.

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DEAR TORN: You owe friends and relatives no explanation, so don't feel obligated to offer any. Since your son's lifestyle bewilders and disturbs you, either learn to accept it or quit seeing him.

DEAR ABBY: What do you think of a 35-year-old married woman (no kids and says she doesn't want any) who wasn't satisfied with her 34B bust, had silicone implants and now is a 38C?

JUST ASKING

DEAR JUST: It's all right with me. Maybe she wants the "booby" prize.

DEAR ABBY: I've been divorced for 12 years. Men and women tell me I am very attractive. I've had several love affairs, but I was looking for that certain man. Three years ago, I met him. When he asked me out I was on cloud nine! We dated nightly for six months. He told me he loved me. It was heaven.

Suddenly everything came to a screeching halt! I didn't hear from him for two weeks. I knew where he lived and had his phone number, but I'm not one to run after a man. He finally called, saying he'd be over that night. When he arrived he acted as though he'd seen me the night before. I didn't question him, but he tried to make me believe his job kept him too busy to contact me. I knew he was lying.

Shortly after that, some friends took me to dinner, and there he was—with another woman! He stopped by our table and made small talk. I was blind with hurt and jealousy.

Now, for two and a half years this man calls me and drops in to see me, and he thinks I should jump into bed with him because he wants me. I keep telling him to stay away from me, but he pays no attention. I've moved twice, but he finds me, and it starts over. He says he MUST see me.

I'm in my 50s and so is he. I still love him, but I don't want him on his terms. What is the solution?

VAYA CON DIOS

DEAR VAYA: There must be something about the way you tell him to stay away that lacks sincerity. And your behavior after he "finds" you confirms his suspicions that he's got the upper hand. He won't believe that you mean business when you tell him to get lost until you do.

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

Still Hope For Missing Ship

MIAMI (AP) — Despite a fruitless three-day search for a Cyprus-registered freighter missing with 22 crewmen aboard, officials say they still hope the ship is safe and will make its scheduled stop in Canada this week.

"The ship is due in at Port Cartier, Canada, Dec. 24th or 25th, we'll wait until then to speculate about what happened," a U.S. Coast Guard spokesman said.

The Coast Guard late Saturday abandoned its search for the Imbros, which was last heard from when a crew member radioed a distress signal Thursday.

Officials said the search, centered about 120 to 140 miles southeast of Cape Fear, N.C., produced no sign of the vessel, a 318-foot dry cargo ship.

"It's a big ocean out there," the Coast Guard spokesman said. "We are not at all sure that the ship disappeared."

The Imbros was carrying a load of railroad ties to deliver in Canada.

"Railroad ties are covered with creosote," the spokesman

said. "And when creosote and water mix there would have to be a rather extensive sheen on the water that could be seen for miles. We never saw a sheen."

At the time of the distress call, seas in the area were six to seven feet with winds of about 30 miles an hour, officials said.

They said the crew, consisting of Greeks, Nigerians, Jordanians and Pakistanis, had a 38-man lifeboat and 20-man lifeboat aboard the Imbros.

Reports Gunshot Wound To Foot

Greenville police are continuing their investigation of a Sunday morning shooting incident at 623 Albemarle Ave.

Chief Glenn Cannon said John Junior Williams, 28, of 521 Davis St. reported he was shot in the foot just after he left a cafe, about 12:30 a.m.

The shot, Cannon said, may have come from a passing car.

Boycott Sparks Mexico Debate



SPAIN HONORS ROYAL COUPLE — Spanish postal authorities have released the design of these stamps bearing visages of King Juan Carlos and Queen Sofia. To be released for public

sale Dec. 29, the stamps are among four designed to mark ascension of the royal couple to the throne. (AP Wirephoto)

Scattered Gaps Remain In Voter Registration

ATLANTA (AP) — Millions of Southern blacks still dodge the voting booths because of registration and election procedures which discourage their participation, a Voter Education Project study shows.

"The simple process of at-

tempting to register the unregistered, to arouse the apathetic to action, to urge the voiceless to vote is obviously seen by many who hold power as a counterproductive, dangerous challenge to the status quo," the study said.

VEP said in the study released Saturday that official registration figures and U.S. Census data indicate a big gap still exists between black and white voter registration in rural and urban areas of Florida, Louisiana, North Carolina and South Carolina.

"Minority candidates were reported to have encountered in recent years the withholding of voter lists, unknown write-in candidates, threats, denial of equal access to contact voters at the polls, and restrictions in observing the voting and ballot counting processes," the agency said.

The study said black voting efforts have been stymied by lack of effort by governments to register voters, inconvenient hours and locations of registrations facilities, and the requirement of dual registration in many places.

The study also cited: —Lack of minority registrars and election board officials in most areas.

—Hostile and intransigent registrars.

—Fear of economic reprisal.

—Discriminatory voter purges.

—And the lack of deputy registrars appointed to aid minority voter registration campaigns.

John Lewis, executive director of the VEP, said minority political successes the past 15 years have given them a small grasp on Southern politics despite the roadblocks in registration.

Lewis said blacks now hold about 1,700 elective offices in the South.

VEP, based in Atlanta, is a nonprofit group that aids minority voter registration in 11 Southern states.

By KERNAN TURNER

Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The tourist boycott by American Jewish organizations because of the Mexican government's votes in the United Nations against Zionism is costing Mexico millions of dollars and has touched off a public debate over the conduct of foreign policy.

The Mexican Travel Agents Association told its members there had been 68,000 individual cancellations at hotels in Acapulco and 60,000 in Mexico City, a loss of between \$4 million and \$5 million, an industry source said.

The Mexico City Convention Bureau reported that in the first week of the boycott, hotels in the capital lost 10 to 12 conventions scheduled for January, February and March, a loss of at least \$672,000. Normally there are 200 conventions a year in Mexico City.

A canvass of Jewish organizations in New York showed wholesale cancellation because of the boycott.

The American Jewish Congress said it dropped 22 tours for 1976 that would have taken about 1,000 persons to Mexico for an average of 16 days at an average cost of \$775.

The Union of American Hebrew Congregations, the central body of reformed synagogues in the United States, said it canceled 30 tours scheduled between January and mid-August.

B'nai B'rith said it canceled nine tours scheduled for late 1975 and dropped another 24 scheduled for 1976. The tours averaged 15 days and an estimated 1,500 persons would have taken them, it said.

EGG COLOR

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UPI) — The color of egg shells is determined by the breed of hen and doesn't affect nutritive value, quality or cooking performance of the egg, says Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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Driver Charged In Auto Mishap

Michael Ray Tyndall of Route 1, Greenville was charged with following too close following investigation of a 5:25 p.m. collision on Hooker Road 200 feet South of the Glendale Court intersection yesterday.

Investigators reported the Tyndall car collided with an auto driven by Deloris Edward Thompson of Glendale Court Apts. causing an estimated \$400 damage to the Tyndall car and \$350 damage to the Thompson vehicle.

Tyndall was reported injured in the collision.

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Mills-McLawhorn Vows Exchanged On Sunday

KINSTON — The First Free Will Baptist Church was the scene of the Sunday wedding of Miss Deborah Louise McLawhorn and David Gordon Mills, both of Kinston.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bill Futch at 3:00 p.m. Music was presented by Miss Karen Register, organist, and Miss Loyd Courtney, soloist.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. McLawhorn of Kinston and the late Mr. George W. Peed Jr. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Mills of Kinston.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal candlelight gown of bridal mist and novelty lace, embroidered with caubaucon pearls. It was fashioned with a high ruffled collar and lace overlaying the princess cut bodice. All lace details were repeated on the long fitted sleeves and the bouffant skirt. A deeply flounced lace ruffle formed the hemline of the skirt and the built-in semi-cathedral length train.

Her Juliet cap was of matching lace, with pearls attached to a three-tiered veil of silk illusion. She carried a cascade of white roses interspersed with red sweetheart roses and showered with candlelight ribbon.

Miss Lorraine McLawhorn of Kinston served her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Lynne McLawhorn of Kinston, sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. Brenda Holliday of Chapel Hill, Miss Teri Avery of Greenville, cousin of the bride, and Miss Rose Harper and Miss



MRS. DAVID GORDON MILLS

Sue Norcross, both of Kinston. Serving as honorary bridesmaids were Miss Nancy

Hines, Miss Andrea Mansfield, Miss Tina Sult and Mrs. Becky Ervin, all of Kinston, and Mrs. Pegi Almond of Raleigh. Miss Stacy Hadley of Kinston and Miss Becky Reed of Greensboro, cousin of the bride, were flower girls.

The maid of honor wore a formal length gown of burgundy polyester knit which featured an empire waist. The short sleeve jacket was flounce bordered to match the bordered hemline. She carried a nosegay of white pom poms and red sweetheart roses, showered with red and white ribbon.

The bridesmaids wore gowns identical to the maid of honor's. They carried similar nosegays of white pom poms, red sweetheart roses and white ribbons.

The flower girls wore formal length gowns of burgundy polyester knit which featured long sleeves and high necklines edged in lace. They carried white baskets filled with red rose petals and showered with white ribbon.

Serving as best man was the bridegroom's father. Ushers were George Ervin McLawhorn of Kinston, brother of the bride, Mark Mills of Woodstock, Va., Jim Mills of Raleigh, and Don Mills of Kinston, all brothers of the bridegroom, and Billy Holliday of Chapel Hill. Timmy Peed, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer.

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

The bridegroom is attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and is majoring in math. The bride is employed as an optometric assistant in Chapel Hill. She attended Lenoir Community College.

A reception, followed the wedding in the church fellowship hall.

An after-rehearsal dinner was given by the bridegroom's parents at King's Restaurant.

A luncheon was given for the bridesmaids at the Kinstonian Restaurant by Mrs. Alice Mansfield and Mrs. Lynne M. McLawhorn, sister-in-law of the bride, both of Kinston.

Couple Honored On 50th Anniversary

In honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Moye of Winterville, their daughters, Mrs. Joe Lupton of Roanoke Rapids, and Mrs. Dave Woolum of Laurinburg, entertained at a reception Sunday afternoon in the Winterville Community Building.

Greeting the guests were Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Cates, the couple's pastor and his wife, who introduced them to the receiving line composed of the honored couple, their daughters and sons-in-law, Joe Lupton and Dave Woolum. The honored couple stood in front of a mantel banked in holly and Pine interspersed with magnolias and yellow candles.

Bettie Claire Lupton, granddaughter, presided at the guest register and grandsons, Joseph and Billy Lupton, and David and Steven Woolum, were floating

hosts. Also assisting in registering guests was Anita Cates.

Presiding at the refreshment table were the couples' nieces, Mrs. Dale Russell, who served the three-tiered anniversary cake and Mrs. Milton Spain who poured punch. The table was covered with a gold cloth, overlaid in lace, centered with an arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums and baby's breath amid lighted white tapers in five-branched silver candelabra.

The gift table was presided over by Mrs. Clarice Donaldson and good-byes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Fran Whelan.

Mrs. Robert Coggins III, niece, directed the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Moye were married in Pitt County by the Rev. C. J. Harris, relative of couple, Dec. 23, 1925.



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Wednesday afternoon duplicate bridge winners at Planters Bank were:

Mrs. L.D. Harris and Mrs. William Parvin, first; Mrs. Eli Bloom and Mrs. M.H. Bynum, second; Mrs. J.S. Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Roger Critcher Jr., third; Mrs. Lacy Harrell and Mrs. J.W.H. Roberts, fourth.

Saturday afternoon winners at First Federal included:

North-South: Mildred Harker and Mrs. Dorothy Ritchy, first; Mrs. William Parvin and Mrs.

Clifton Toler, second; Dr. and Mrs. Charles Duffy, third; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dudley, fourth. East-West: Mrs. Fred Sorenson and Mrs. George Martin, first; Dave Proctor and Joe Hatch, second; Mrs. L.D. Harris and Claude Goodman, third; Mrs. Beulah Eagles and Norman McCaskill, fourth.

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Prewett-Glass Vows Solemnized Saturday

The marriage of Irene Glass of Greenville and Dr. Clinton Roosevelt Prewett of Rt. 1, Ayden, was held Saturday at 3:00 p.m. in the St. James United Methodist Church. The Rev. Roderick Randolph performed the single ring ceremony.

A program of wedding music was presented by Mrs. Frances Cain, organist, and Sheila Marlowe, soloist.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe Glass of Greensboro, and the bridegroom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Zolzie Prewett of Dallas, Tex.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, James M. Glass,

wore a powder blue suit with a flared skirt and belted jacket. She carried a nosegay bouquet.

Mrs. Evelyn Linville of Cary, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a mauve dress with a matching jacket and carried a long-stemmed red rose.

David Prewett of Ayden was best man and ushers were Michael Jon Prewett of Cullowee, and Stephen Prewett of Blacksburg, Va., all sons of the bridegroom.

The couple will reside at Rt. 1, Ayden.

The bride is a clinical social worker with the Pitt County Mental Health Center and the bridegroom is a psychology professor at East Carolina University.

Department Meeting Held

The Home Life Department of the Greenville Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Holt for the December meeting Tuesday.

The home was decorated with a Christmas motif. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Milan Johnson, Mrs. J.A. Piver, Mrs. Bruce Strickland, and Mrs. Ethel Allen.

The program entitled "Christmas Customs and Legends" was given by Mrs. George Snyder. She told of customs, legends, and Christmas celebrations of many countries including the origin of several Christmas carols and hymns.

Miss Alya Ray Taylor, chairman asked the members to stand in a moment of silent prayer in memory of Mrs. Eunice Rogers, a member of the department, who died recently.

Miss Taylor announced that the next meeting will be the third Tuesday in January. She closed the meeting with a Christmas poem, "The Search" by Emily Templeton.

Chapter Gives Holiday Party

The Alpha Omega Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held a Christmas party Wednesday afternoon for the exceptional adult group which meets at the Elm Street Recreation Center.

Homemade felt Christmas stockings with candy canes were given out and refreshments were served.

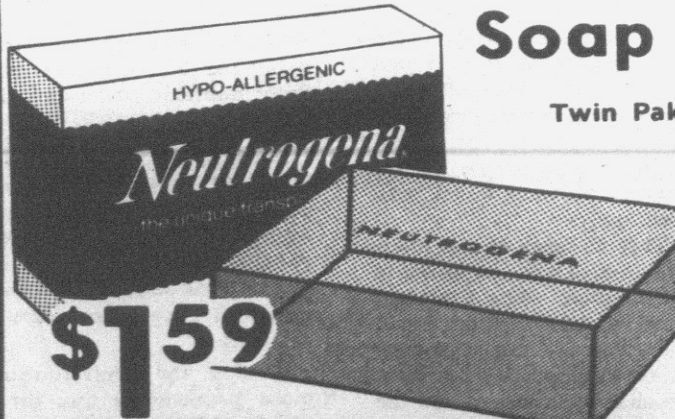
Games purchased by the sorority for the groups use were also presented to Alice Keene, coordinator of activities for special adults.

Wedding Invitation

Mr. and Mrs. James Stanley Arnold Sr. request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Kathryn Ann, to Robert Glenn Wetherington on Sunday, Dec. 28, at 4:00 p.m. in the Proctor Memorial Christian Church, Grimesland. A reception will follow the ceremony in the church fellowship hall.

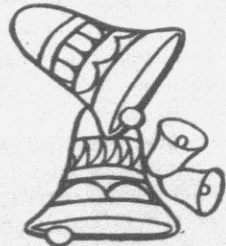
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One More For Soviet Sphere

The United States has found itself involved in Korean and Vietnam landwars since the end of World War II.

Korea possibly was a standoff and Vietnam was a disaster for our nation, with the Soviet Union coming out heavily the winner insofar as extending its influence.

Now another little country, Angola is beset by a struggle which initially pits United States' and Russian influence.

A direct military involvement by the United States in Angola, which was recently cut loose as a Portuguese colony, is unthinkable at this time. We have recently come through the agony and humiliation of Vietnam and the nation simply couldn't take another such military involvement.

However, military aid to those forces in Angola which are opposing Soviet influence might be another matter. And it is this military aid which the Senate is attempting to halt, and may have done so by the time this appears.

We would like to forget that a place like Angola even exists, and it is easy to argue that it has little importance to the United States. But once it falls into the Russian sphere of influence it will be one more nation over which the Soviets exert some control. It will be one more victory for the Soviet Union in a drive toward world domination.

Perhaps communist China understands the Soviet methods far better than the United States does. More than anything China seems to fear being surrounded by areas under Soviet control. That could happen to China and eventually it could happen to us. Regrettably the nation is in no mood to counteract Soviet expansionism and our government does not seem to understand the more subtle way that the Soviets operate in expanding their influence.

The mood in Congress seems to be to let the little nations fall to Soviet influence one-by-one. That is likely what will happen in Angola, and we may regret it.

Exhibit No. 1 On Reason For Concern

If there was any question about why the ecologists were concerned about the Alaska pipeline, the 600,000 gallon oil spill might indicate why there was a need for concern.

There is not much doubt that the pipeline should be built, given the need for oil and the vast reserves in Canada. However, federal and Alaskan

authorities should investigate this oil spill carefully and make certain that the regulations are strong enough so that future spills won't occur. We have done a pretty good job of messing up the lower 48 states and we shouldn't let something similar occur in Alaska, solely for the purpose of getting out the oil.

THIS AFTERNOON

N.C. Regional Capitals?

By BILL NOBLITT

RALEIGH — The idea of spreading state government across the state to be closer to the people is a good one.

But, did you ever try to get an answer to a problem, or guidance on how to carry out a particular program?

Whether you are a city official, a county commissioner, a school administrator, a social worker—or plain, taxpaying citizen—the problem sooner or later is likely to affect you.

Recognizing that the state was big; that coast, mountain, and Piedmont are different in a lot of ways; and that many activities of state government ought to be closer to home instead of Raleigh, various state agencies set about building regional organizations.

Just about everybody has their own boundaries for a region, and headquarters.

Many Regions
There are 17 Regional Councils of Government, 26

Judicial Districts, 14 highway districts with 34 divisions, seven Natural and Economic Resources divisions, four Human Resources regions, eight highway patrol troops, and eight school regions—each with their separate offices.

Then, several vital agencies which should be in touch with local people don't have regional offices at all: state planning, Utilities Commission, Commerce Department, for example.

What does this mean? If you're the county manager of a Tar Heel County, you have to deal with four or five regional headquarters—in as many different towns—almost on a daily basis.

If you're a builder and need some permits for a project, you may be dealing with 10 or 15 different permits (health, pollution, building, sedimentation) issued by different agencies, with differing requirements and

timetables.

The result is confusion, needless time and money spent, and numerous appearances before administrators and councils.

The problem is often compounded by regional officers who can't give an answer without checking with Raleigh, and applications which must be shuffled from one regional office to Raleigh and back to another regional office which may be just across the hall, or in a nearby town.

First Meeting

"I literally introduced water quality people to industrial development people, and they talked to each other for the first time," says James E. Harrington, secretary of Natural and Economic Resources. For the past year or so, his department has been consolidating various offices and activities into seven regional headquarters. Efforts are

also being made to iron out kinks in the complicated permit-granting operation.

Harrington terms the consolidation, "The best thing that ever happened... we have cut complaints 90 per cent because people can get an answer, and they don't get conflicting answers."

But that is just one agency. How about all the others? Considerable attention is now going to the need to make the various state regions uniform, and establish one central state office building in each region where all state activities would be housed.

At least this would assure citizens of some access to state government, even though there would be some opposition from towns who would lose particular state offices to the central location.

And a major plus: those faceless bureaucrats who don't even know one another would become people who can be dealt with face-to-face.

THE STALKER AND HIS GUN BEARER!



By ART BUCHWALD

Freedom-Loving Angola

WASHINGTON—"Mr. Secretary, Mr. Secretary."

"I'll take a question from the gentleman in the back of the room."

"Why is the United States sending \$50 million in military equipment to Angola?"

"Because we are protecting the freedom-loving people of Angola against the aggression of Communists who are being supported by Soviet and Cuban arms. The security of the United States depends on an independent and neutral Angola."

"Why is that, Mr. Secretary?"

"Well, just look at this map. Here is the United States and here is Angola. If Angola falls to the Communists, then the only thing that would separate us would be the Atlantic Ocean."

"Mr. Secretary, Mr. Secretary."

"The lady over there."

"How do we know the good Angolans from the bad Angolans?"

"By their names. The Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola, egged on by the Kremlin, is trying to force its ideology on the National Front for the Liberation of Angola and the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola. The United States cannot sit idly by and see them swallowed up by the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola."

"In all due respect, Mr. Secretary, it's going to be very hard for the media to get Americans interested in this war when the names of the good guys and the bad guys are so hard to keep straight."

"I'm aware of that and

my people are working on it now. We were thinking of calling the Communists forces the Angola-Cong and the freedom fighters the Angola-Ese."

"And what will we hope to get out of supporting the Angola-Ese?"

"We hope to win the hearts and minds of the people through Angolanization. The President expects the Angolans to do their own fighting. All we intend to do is give them support and train them to defend themselves."

"Mr. Secretary, isn't that how we got into Vietnam?"

"I see no similarity between the Vietnamese war and the police action now raging in Angola. For one thing Angola is in Africa, and for another we have no intention of sending American boys 6,000 miles to fight someone else's battles for them. All we are doing is giving the freedom-loving Angola-Ese the logistical support necessary to fight the Angola-Cong in the jungles of a former Portuguese colony."

"Would you consider using air power if the Angola-Cong refuse to stop their aggression?"

"Not before Christmas. But the President is keeping his options open. Luanda, which is now capital of the Communist forces; should realize that it is not immune to punishment if it does not respect the neutrality independence of Angola."

"Mr. Secretary, what difference does it make whether the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola or the National Front for the Liberation of Angola or the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola rules the country?"

"It didn't make any difference until the Soviets started supporting the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola. Then we had no choice but to support the other two factions to uphold the spirit of détente."

"Mr. Secretary, what is our legal justification for getting involved in Angola?"

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Major Issues Needed

By ROBERT B. CULLEN

Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH (AP) — In North Carolina's Second and Third Congressional districts, movements are afoot to unseat the state's most senior and entrenched representatives — L. H. Fountain and David Henderson.

Fountain, 62, has been in Congress since 1953. Henderson, 55, has served since 1960. Their tenures, while impressive, are not uncommon in their districts.

The Second and Third have had an historic tendency to select a Democrat and stick with him until he either dies or retires. Henderson's predecessor, Gram Barden, served for 25 years before he decided to go home. As often as not, Fountain and Henderson have been unopposed for reelection.

But two veteran state legislators think they can change that pattern because they think they see a pattern of popular discontent that might overcome the enormous advantage of incumbency.

State Sen. Russell Kirby, D-Wilson, plans to take on Fountain. "People have lost faith and confidence in their government. They want a change. I think I can provide that," said Kirby. He has hired a professional campaign manager, James Goff, and plans to announce his candidacy in January or February.

Kirby, 53, takes heart from Fountain's 1972 primary race, in which he beat the black mayor of Chapel Hill, Howard Lee, by 18,000 votes. He thinks that he can retain Lee's anti-Fountain vote and add the votes of his own supporters in the Wilson area, where Lee ran poorly.

Lee, however, had strong appeal for liberals and blacks, particularly in Orange County. Kirby is no liberal. "I'm going to offer more effective representation in Congress."

That is the same strategy planned by State Rep. Jimmy Love of Sanford, who plans to take on Henderson in the primary.

"I've decided that the time is right. The general feeling I get in going around the district is that people are fed up with what's going on in Washington. They don't think they're being represented."

Love and Kirby are probably correct in their assessment of the popular attitude toward Washington. Whether they can translate that disaffection into votes is another question.

Both districts are predominantly composed of farms and small cities. Their general political attitude is conservative, except for certain government programs such as farm price supports. Neither Henderson nor Fountain has stayed in Congress by voting liberally.

Both Kirby and Love will be hard pressed to find a major issue on which their opponents have not reflected the political thinking of their constituents. They will have policy differences, of course. But they may not be able to latch on to the type of popular, dramatic issue that can help sweep an incumbent out of office.

Both will try anyway, since they have reached a stage in their careers where they feel they must either get into politics all the way or get out entirely.

Both men were chairmen of major legislative money committees in the past session.

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INSIDE REPORT

Deeper Threat In Angola

By ROWLAND EVANS

and ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON—Behind the congressional rush to tie the Ford administration's hands on Angola lies a more ominous problem now hotly debated at highest levels: how can the United States compete against the political offensive of its rival superpower, the Soviet Union?

That political offensive is certainly not centered on rich, strategically placed Angola. The newly independent state on Africa's west coast is only one example of Moscow's offensive. The Kremlin's battle plan includes rising pressures on Yugoslavia, more complete economic domination of Eastern Europe and political-economic forays almost everywhere the world map

reaches.

Angola, in the view of high administration officials, exactly defines the agonizing problem of how the U.S. should respond. As such, it reflects a superpower in decline, still recovering from the Indochina debacle and unable even to approach the speed and unity of its reaction to Soviet pressure after World War II.

The stampede to isolationism by anti-administration Democrats such as Sen. Birch Bayh of Indiana, a leading presidential candidate, seems politically expedient, compounded by dangerous ignorance.

In a Nov. 28 statement, Bayh equated U.S. "involvement in the brutal civil war in Angola" with "intervention" by the Soviet,

Union, Cuba, Communist China and South Africa. He also equated small (up to \$50 million) U.S. aid for anti-Soviet political movements with incomparably larger U.S. involvement in the earliest stages of the Vietnam war.

In fact, the Soviets for years have financed the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola (MPLA) in the absence of any U.S. involvement at all with any other Angolan faction. Washington's policy had been to support the Portuguese whose original plan for slower Angolan independence was wrecked by the 1974 revolution in Portugal.

The congressional rampage against President Ford's comparatively modest efforts to slow the MPLA's rise to total political power carries ominous implications for the whole world, not just the "third" or uncommitted world. It symbolizes U.S. inability to respond to Soviet challenges because of the ravages of Vietnam and ten years of internal political upheaval.

Actually, it is extraordinarily difficult to

prescribe the correct U.S. reaction to the Soviet challenge in Angola, including its portentous decision to use 3,000 Cuban troops and technicians. That helps explain the decision of Nathaniel Davis, now ambassador-designate to Switzerland, to resign as Assistant Secretary of State for African affairs.

Davis objected to Secretary of State Henry Kissinger's decision to send clandestine aid through CIA channels to neighboring Zaire for use in the civil war against the Soviet-backed MPLA. He reasoned that the Soviets were too far ahead in Angola for any other political faction to win, particularly with Peking withdrawing once Angola achieved independence.

Many U.S. officials agreed with Davis. But Kissinger and the President agonized over the world political impact of the U.S. appearing impotent to challenge Soviet penetration of one of Africa's most strategically important countries. He opted for U.S. aid, not really hoping it would change the course of the civil

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(The Durham Sun)

A Tar Heel author declares the best-known person connected with North Carolina is a pirate, Capt. Edward Teach, who may be better known as Blackbeard.

That claim strikes many Tar Heels wrong. After all, Sen. Sam Ervin, Jr., of Morganton received nationwide acclaim for his role as chairman of the Senate committee investigating Watergate.

The Wright Brothers—from Dayton, Ohio, of course—also were connected with an internationally known, historic event when they successfully flew a heavier-than-air craft at Kitty Hawk on North Carolina's Outer Banks.

But while the claim that a pirate would be more widely known than either Senator Sam or the Wright Brothers could be tossed off as sensationalism in many cases, this author cannot be dismissed so easily. Making the claim is Dr. Robert E. Lee, a former dean of the Wake Forest University School of Law. Now 70, Dr. Lee still is a member of the law school faculty, and has just completed a meticulously documented biography of Blackbeard the Pirate, who was slain off Ocracoke Nov. 22, 1718, in a battle with two sloops commanded by British naval, Lt. Robert Maynard.

Blackbeard, reportedly a native of Bristol, England, made his seafaring base along the sand bars of North Carolina's coast. His piracy extended over a two-year period and reached from the Tar Heel coast into the Caribbean.

Perhaps Dr. Lee is correct in saying that Blackbeard has the most widely reaching volume of fame. It could be possible, for more than two and a half centuries have passed in which authors have taken note of Blackbeard's buccaneering days.

We, however, will still expect the Wright Brothers to top any poll taken on a worldwide basis to determine persons connected with the most famous event occurring in the Old North State.

By JOHN CUNIFF

AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — In poor nations it is said that hunger knows no politics. In the United States the issue isn't one of starvation, except in limited instances, but the general attitude might very well apply.

That at least is one interpretation of what happened in Washington, when President Ford vetoed a continuation of the 1975 tax cut, Congress failed to override it, a compromise was passed and the President agreed to sign it.

Everyone, the President included, understood the consequences of permitting taxes to rise while ordinary Americans were having such a hard time restoring their own economic equilibrium, often while having only a tenuous hold on employment.

After enduring the worst recession since the depression of the 1930s,

Americans are well aware of the penalties of overspending, but for the time being, the polls seem to show, their political philosophy is based on their pocketbooks.

Ford permitted his broad political philosophy, expressed as equal taxes for equal spending, to come into conflict with what many Americans feel are the political and economic realities.

Making the confrontation more pronounced this time was that 1976 is a critical year in both areas, with a president to be chosen and a new economic direction to be pursued.

The consumer understands without any assistance the realities of his or her own financial condition. It cannot be ignored; it isn't an intellectual abstraction — it dictates the way life can be lived.

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Richard Baxter, one of the great non-conformist divines who lived in the time of Oliver Cromwell, produced a greater volume of religious books and articles than any man in his generation. He also preached more sermons than any churchman of his day.

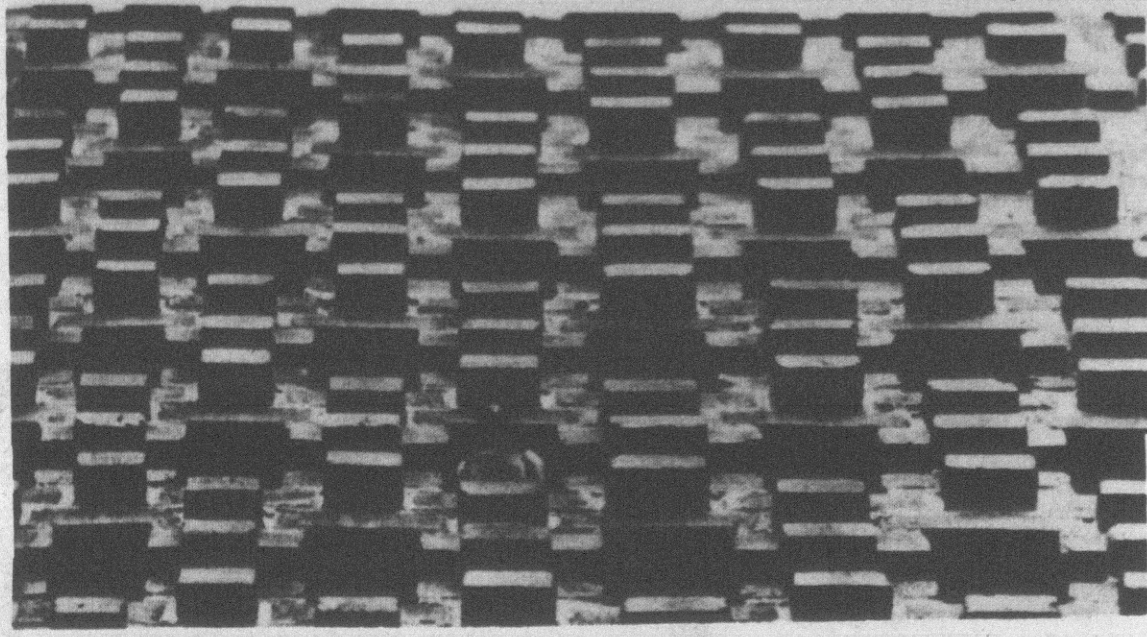
But his faith was the faith of a child. He said on one occasion, "I thank God for that word 'Whosoever' which our Lord so lovingly used. Had he said that there was

mercy for Richard Baxter I should have thought he meant another Richard Baxter. But his good word 'whosoever' includes the worst of the Baxters that ever lived."

This is the spirit of St. Paul, who in his old age referred to himself as the chief of sinners. In the case of both men, it was not an unwholesome dwelling on sin, but a realistic facing of the fact that even the best of human lives fall shockingly short of the standard of heaven.

—by Elisha Douglass

Senate Rates Good Grades On Attendance Record



PIGEON APARTMENTS—A pigeon perches on his own private balcony which he found in the brick facade of a Richmond building. The design

also offers a roof and shelter from inclement weather. (AP Wirephoto)

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although debate lingers on its legislative record, the Senate rates good grades this year on an attendance record of close to 90 per cent, an 11-year high.

An Associated Press study of attendance for Senate roll-call votes showed that 19 senators were present for all 57 recorded votes during the six weeks between the August and October recesses.

The Senate's composite attendance record for all 100 senators was 88.9 per cent with most absenteeism concentrated on two Fridays and the last day before the October recess started. Senate figures show similar high attendance throughout the session.

The AP study showed that only three senators missed more than 50 per cent of the votes during that period: ailing Philip A. Hart, D-Mich.; presidential candidate Birch E. Bayh, D-Ind.; and John J. Sparkman, D-Ala.

Hart, hospitalized with cancer for most of the period, missed 53 of 57 votes; Bayh, having decided to concentrate on his presidential bid, missed 33, and Sparkman, who had out-of-town speeches two days and was sick with a bad cold for several days, missed 29.

"You have to make a judgment whether, by making the race for president, you can do more to solve the nation's problems than you can as an individual senator," said Bill Wise, Bayh's press secretary.

"If you decide to make the race, you have to go all out," he said, adding Bayh had been here for critical votes, "when his vote could make a difference."

Bayh's absentee record is similar to that of another congressional presidential hopeful, Rep. Morris K. Udall, D-Ariz.,

who missed 65 of 88 House votes during that stretch.

"We have known that, in running from the House, Mo would have to do a lot of traveling," said his press secretary, Bob Neuman. "He doesn't have the access to the news media that senators do."

Neuman added that Udall has canceled campaign schedules "whenever he has been advised by the leadership there will be a key, close vote."

In contrast to Bayh and Udall, Sens. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., and Lloyd M. Bentsen, D-Tex., both announced presidential candidacies, made 54 of the 57 roll calls during the period. Jackson says he will begin full-time presidential campaigning on Jan. 1.

The AP study focused only on roll-call votes in the full Senate and excluded quorum calls and all committee attendance.

The figures for the period studied by the AP parallel those for the entire 1975 session, which Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield of Montana placed in the Nov. 20 Congressional Record.

Mansfield said attendance this year has averaged 89.49 per cent, the highest since a 90.25 per cent level attained in 1964 and well above the 84 per cent average for the past 10 years.

The list of 19 senators who made the 57 roll calls in September and October is headed by the Senate's all-time record-holder, Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis. He hasn't missed a vote since April 1966 and on Oct. 9 became the first senator ever to vote 4,000 times in a row.

Other senators with a perfect voting record in the Sept. 3-Oct. 9 period this year included:

Sens. Dewey F. Bartlett, R-Okla.; Joseph R. Biden Jr., D-Del.; Quentin L. Burdick, D-N.D.; Hiram L. Fong, R-Hawaii; Wendell Ford, D-Ky.; Jesse Helms, R-N.C.; Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C.; Edward M.

Kennedy, D-Mass.; Warren G. Magnuson, D-Wash.; Gaylord Nelson, D-Wis.; Sam Nunn, D-Ga.; Abraham A. Ribicoff, D-Conn.; Richard S. Schweiker, R-Pa.; William L. Scott, R-Va.; Robert T. Stafford, R-Vt.; Richard Stone, D-Fla.; Strom Thurmond, R-S.C.; and John G. Tower, R-Tex.

These 11 senators missed only one roll-call vote: Sens. James Abourezk, D-S.D.; Robert C. Byrd, D-W. Va.; John H. Glenn, D-Ohio; Gary W. Hart, D-Colo.; Bennett Johnston, D-La.; Mansfield, Edmund S. Muskie, D-Maine; John O. Pastore, D-R.I.; James B. Pearson, R-Kan.; Claiborne Pell, D-R.I.; and Lowell P. Weicker Jr., R-Conn.

These 13 senators missed two votes: Sens. J. Glenn Beall Jr., R-Md.; Henry Bellmon, R-Okla.; Harry F. Byrd Jr., Ind.-Va.; Dick Clark, D-Iowa; Alan Cranston, D-Calif.; Paul Fannin, R-Ariz.; Floyd Haskell, D-Colo.; Jennings Randolph, D-W. Va.; Adlai E. Stevenson III, D-Ill.; John V. Tunney, D-Calif.; Harrison A. Williams Jr., D-N.J.; and Milton R. Young, R-N.D.

Missing three votes were Sens. Bentsen, Jackson, Robert Dole, R-Kan.; Charles McC. Mathias Jr., R-Md.; Walter F. Mondale, D-Minn.; and Herman Talmadge, D-Ga.

Absent for just four of the 57 votes were Sens. James B. Allen, D-Ala., and Ted Stevens,

R-Alaska.

Missing five votes were Sens. Clifford P. Case, R-N.J.; Lawton Chiles, D-Fla.; Jake Garn, R-Utah; Hubert H. Humphrey, D-Minn.; Bob Packwood, R-Ore.; and Robert Taft Jr., R-Ohio.

Missing six votes were Sens. Edward W. Brooke, R-Mass.; Clifford P. Hansen, R-Wyo.; Walter D. Huddleston, D-Ky.; Russell B. Long, D-La.; Charles H. Percy, R-Ill.; William V. Roth Jr., R-Del.; and Hugh Scott, R-Pa.

The senators who missed the most votes, after Hart, Bayh and Sparkman, were Sens. Mike Gravel, D-Alaska, 24; Cannon 23; Montoya, 22; McGovern, 19; Gale McGee, 18; Buckley, Robert P. Griffin, R-Mich.; and Symington, 16 each; Baker, 14; Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz.; and Moss, 13; John Durkin, D-N.H.; and James O. Eastland, D-Miss., both 12; Paul A. Laxalt, and John L. McClellan D-Ark., both 11; Daniel K. Inouye, D-Hawaii, 10; Bill Brock R-Tenn.; Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M.; Eagleton, Mark O. Hatfield, R-Ore.; and McIntyre, 9 each; John C. Culver, D-Iowa; Javits, Lee Metcalf, D-Mont.; and Robert Morgan D-N.C.; Frank Church, D-Idaho; Carl Curtis, R-Neb.; Vance Harke, D-Ind.; William Hathaway, D-Maine; Roman L. Hruska, R-Neb.; Patrick J. Leahy, D-Vt.; and James A. McClure, R-Idaho, 7 each.

Pentagon Freeze Seen In Defense Personnel

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
AP Military Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon is starting to freeze civilian employee hiring and promotions, foreshadowing new personnel cutbacks under President Ford's defense budget for next year.

The Defense Department confirmed reports of a hiring-promotion freeze affecting more than 2,000 workers in the offices of the secretary of defense and the Joint Chiefs of Staff. It said the move was taken "in anticipation of reductions of personnel in the coming fiscal year."

It was learned that the Defense Supply Agency, which employs 51,000, has imposed a similar freeze. Other defense agencies, the Army, Navy and Air Force departments are ex-

pected to follow suit.

The White House Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has proposed cutting the Defense Department's civilian payroll by 48,000, along with a reduction of some 37,000 in military strength, next year.

That proposal was part of a package recommended by OMB to trim next year's defense program to about \$110 billion in budget authority.

Ford recently agreed to boost that total by about \$2.6 billion at the urging of Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld and the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Pentagon officials say the number of personnel cuts to be imposed under the revised budget package still is being worked out.

Defense personnel costs have been climbing significantly in recent years even while the civilian work force and military manpower strength have gone down. These costs account for more than half the total defense budget.

The upward trend has been spurred by congressionally enacted pay boosts.

Ford's new defense budget will not be in final form for perhaps a couple of weeks. It probably will be sent to Congress in late January.

Leadership Said Due To Quality Of Institutions

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) — Non-Southerners provide much of the nonpolitical leadership in the South because the area does not have enough top-quality educational institutions, says a University of Georgia sociologist.

Dr. Everett S. Lee, director of a study of changes in the population of the South, said 40 per cent of the college graduates in the south Atlantic states are from other areas.

He said quality educational institutions which provide leadership are lacking in the South "so we have had to import it. A very high proportion of positions of nonpolitical leadership is filled by non-Southerners."

The study shows a shift in growth patterns, he said. "Instead of losing migrants to other regions, we have gained. The South is now the fastest growing region in the country."

He said he expects his study of the population of the South to be completed in two years.

Buchwald . . .

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"Every President from Eisenhower on down has indicated the United States would never stand for a Communist presence in South-West Africa."

"When did Eisenhower say that, Mr. Secretary?"

"On June 12, 1956, John Foster Dulles warned President Eisenhower that if the Portuguese ever pulled out there would be trouble in Angola. And do you know what Eisenhower said?"

"What did he say, Mr. Secretary?"

"He said, and it's in the files, 'Where the hell is Angola?'"

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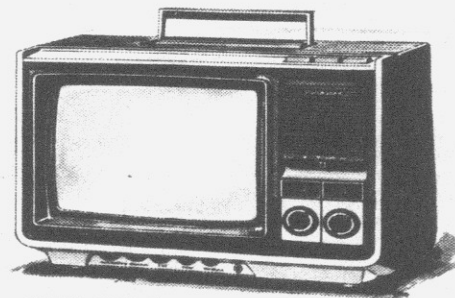
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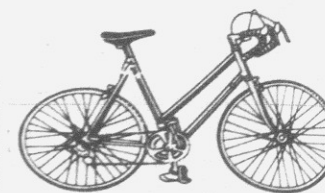
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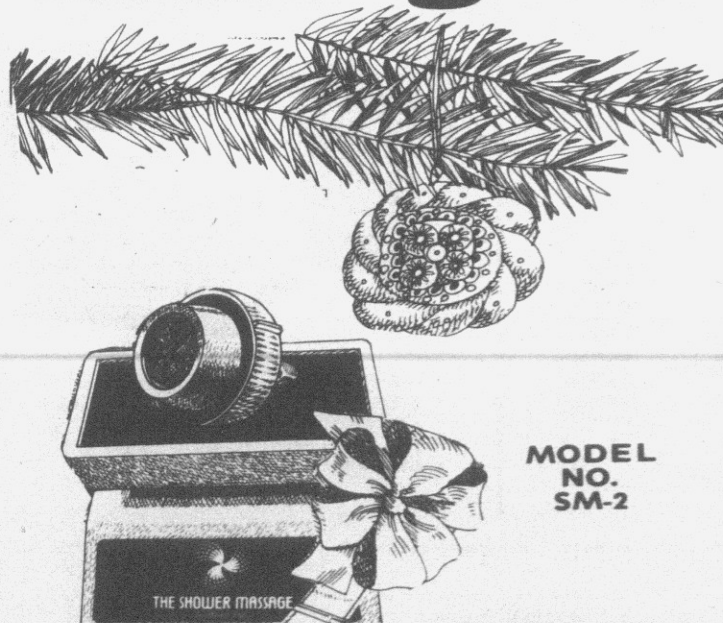
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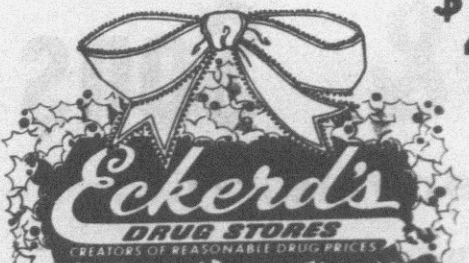
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seven-hour operation that a doctor at Washington Hospital Center said was the first successful operation of its kind in the city. (AP Wirephoto)

United Airlines Girds For Full Operations

By LINDA KRAMER
Associated Press Writer
BURLINGAME, Calif. (AP) — United Airlines mechanics have returned to work, and the nation's largest domestic air carrier said it is resuming

flights today and will be in full operation by Christmas Eve.

The mechanics ratified a three-year contract Sunday. Their two-week strike had forced United to cancel all its flights through Jan. 5, adding to a bleak picture for holiday travelers already faced with a strike now in its third month against National Airlines.

United announced it would resume 36 per cent of its flights today, 80 per cent by Tuesday and full service by Christmas Eve.

"We are anxious to start operations Monday now that the IAM membership has approved the contract," Richard J. Ferris, president of United Airlines, said in Chicago. "All of our 747 and DC8 aircraft will be operating Tuesday, as well as all schedules from the mainland to and from Hawaii."

Glenn Putman, a United spokesman here, said persons who had reservations with United up to and including Dec. 25 must rebook. He advised those with reservations starting Dec. 26 to confirm their flights.

"The machinists union has tried very hard to bring the airline back into operation for the Christmas season," said George Robinson, president and general chairman of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers.

"We have reached an equitable

settlement and we will bring those passengers home for Christmas."

Robinson said the new three-year contract, running to Oct. 31, 1978, increases the base pay of mechanics from \$7.64 to \$10 an hour over its life. He called it "the best contract in the industry and we look forward to it being the leader in the industry."

In Washington, John Peterpaul, the union's transportation secretary, said the contract provided proportionate increases for other classifications of employees.

"Improvements were won as well in pension, health insurance and a number of other areas," Peterpaul said. "The agreement will protect mechanics against the loss of their work to other employees."

United carries an average 90,000 persons on 1,400 flights daily and up to 130,000 daily during the holiday season.

The union was expected to release the final vote count today. IAM Local 141 in Burlingame — the nation's largest with about 7,500 of the union's 17,000 members — was responsible for compiling the results from 26 polling sites across the country.

Monty Chavez, secretary of Local 141, said the vote was 70 per cent in favor of the new contract.

Called FBI's Finest Hour

JONESBORO, Ark. (AP) — FBI activities in the southern United States were necessary to prevent the South from becoming as violent an area as northern Ireland, the agent in charge of the Little Rock office says.

John Kelly said the agency prevented violence from erupting in the South by "defusing" the Klu Klux Klan during the 1960s. He said defusing the Klan was the FBI's "finest hour."

Kelly was an agent in Mississippi during the early 1960s. In an interview broadcast Sunday on KAIT-TV, Kelly said informants played a crucial part in the bureau's effort to weaken the KKK's influence.

He said he disliked recent criticism of the informants' roles in the FBI's battle with the Klan.

Kelly said the informants should be commended. He added: "Some of these people are the highest types of citizens we have."

Kelly said there wasn't "a concerted effort" by the FBI to discredit civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Identify Dead Student Found In ECU Dorm

An East Carolina University student found dead Saturday in his Aycock Dorm room has been identified as Marc George Zimmerman, 21, of Fayetteville.

Greenville Police Chief Glenn Cannon said Zimmerman was found in his third floor room about 7:35 p.m. apparently the victim of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

The chief said the room was locked from the inside. Zimmerman, he explained, suffered a 22 caliber bullet wound in his head. A 22 caliber pistol was found in his hand.

ECU police found Zimmerman dead after relatives contacted university officials trying to find out why he had not returned home for the Christmas holidays.

Ayden Resident Killed In Wreck

ZELIENOPLE, Pa. (AP) — A two-car collision over the weekend near this Butler County community left a 72-year-old North Carolina woman dead and three men injured.

Lena Detwiler of Ayden, N.C., was pronounced dead on arrival at Pittsburgh's North Hills Passavant hospital following the crash late Saturday.

Her husband, Harold, and her brother-in-law, John Proud of Cranberry Township, both 70, were treated and released.

The driver of the other car, 43-year-old Chester Williams of Wexford Rd4, was reported in fair condition with rib injuries. Police said Williams' car skidded into the path of an auto driven by Proud along U.S. 19.

DA Proud Of Death Sentences

LUMBERTON, N.C. (AP)—A tiny judicial district in rural North Carolina leads the state in sending people to death row, even though many other districts have larger populations and more capital crimes.

The 16th Judicial District

composed of Scotland and Robeson counties has 12 persons awaiting execution in the gas chamber. The next largest number is 10 from populous Mecklenburg County (Charlotte). The two 16th District counties combined have less than 125,000 residents; Meck-

lenburg has three times that.

The dozen persons sentenced to death from that district is a larger number than the total awaiting execution in 24 of the 34 states that have capital punishment. With more than 100, North Carolina has about a fourth of the death row population in the United States.

Taking credit for the high number of death sentences is the 16th's Dist. Atty. Joe Freeman Britt. With less than two years on the job, he has succeeded in having 13 men sentenced to die, though one person plea bargained on retrial and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Britt says he's proud of his record, that it proves he's doing his job well. There is popular support for capital punishment, he says, "I'm convinced of one thing—people are just damn sick and tired of all the lawlessness and killing going on and they want something done about it."

He was appointed district attorney nearly two years ago to finish an unexpired term and was elected to a term of his

own a year ago.

"When I first came in, we decided we were going to blitz the first degree murder cases for a while and we blitzed them for about 18 months. You know, it's an amazing thing. Since this blitz ended, there've been no first degree murder cases and only a few of what I call juke joint killings, the kind that happen when people get liquored up," he said.

Britt said he believes capital punishment deters murder and

rape. "I think that the death penalty will become even more of a deterrent when they get around to executing some (people). I'm amazed that just the threat of going to death row has had the effect it has in this county," he said.

He said he believes the U.S. Supreme Court will rule in favor of capital punishment, a ruling expected this term on a North Carolina case. There hasn't been an execution in North Carolina since 1961.

New England's Snow Deepens

By The Associated Press
Eastern New England was under a fresh foot of snow today and expecting as much as another foot tonight. Appropriately, it's the first day of winter.

Heavy snow warnings, originally confined to southern New England, were extended northward to southern New Hampshire and southern and central Maine, the National Weather Service said.

The snow that fell Saturday and Sunday upset holiday traveling plans. Driving conditions on major highways were described as treacherous. Logan International Airport was

closed for about eight hours Sunday.

In eastern New York and northern New Jersey, freezing rain with sleet made travel hazardous early today. Two to four inches of new snow was expected during the day.

Gale warnings were in effect along the northern Atlantic coast through New Jersey. Winds were expected to reach about 45 miles per hour this morning in New Jersey. Tides were expected to run three feet above normal as the storm passes offshore, and moderate tidal flooding along the northern Atlantic coast was expected this morning.

In the Southeast, a frost or freeze warning was in effect this morning for central and south-central portions of Florida with frost scattered in the north.

Rainshowers were scattered from western portions of Kansas and Oklahoma into southwestern Texas. Rain also continued along the western portions of the Pacific coast from the Northwest to the central California coast. It was snow in the higher elevations.

There are clear skies in the extreme Southeast, the eastern Ohio valley, the upper Missouri River valley and the southwestern plateau.

Temperatures overnight ranged from 64 at Key West, Fla. to nine below zero at Lansing, Mich.

Christmas Tree Cited For Fire

Greenville firemen were called to 2003 Fairway Way about 6:18 p.m. Saturday when a fire was reported in the dwelling.

Fire Department officers reported the blaze started from a Christmas tree.

Fire damaged the tree, a window and carpet in the living room of the dwelling and heavy smoke damage resulted to the room, investigators reported, while light smoke damage resulted to the rest of the home.

Charged With Store Break-In

Darrall Drewmenn Teel, 16, of 711B Vanderbilt La. was charged Saturday by Greenville Police in connection with a break-in at the Goodyear Store at 729 Dickinson Ave. November 24.

According to Chief Glenn Cannon, the Rose High School student was charged with breaking, entering and larceny in connection with the incident in which two television sets were stolen.

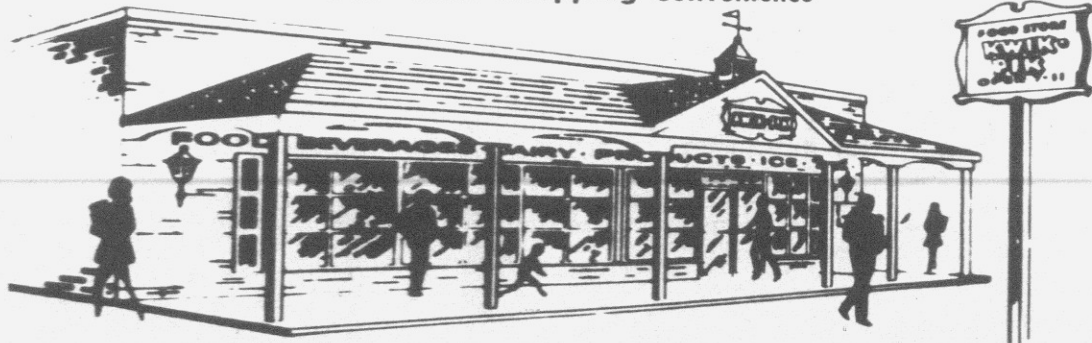


A WET-NOSED PUPPY — Six-year-old Anthony Ortiz and his very best new friend get acquainted. Scene took place in New York City where the local March of Dimes children were

given puppies. The kids symbolize the 250,000 children born with defects annually in the nation. (AP Wirephoto)

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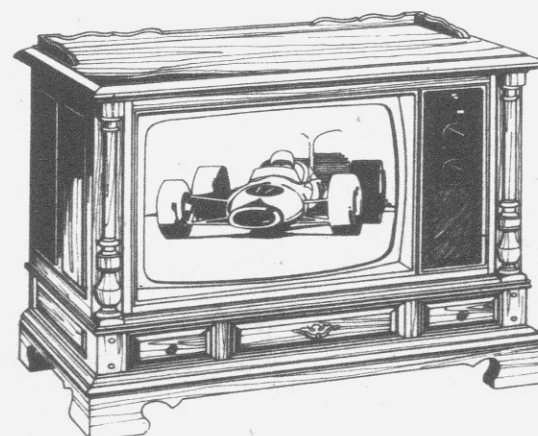
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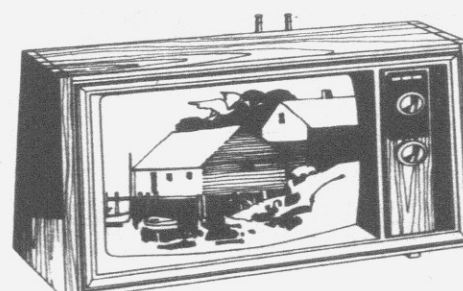
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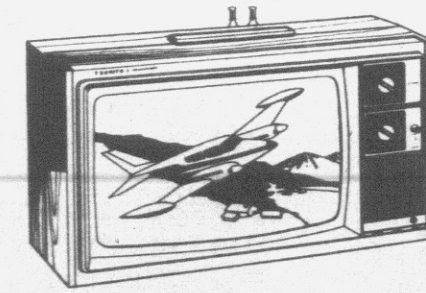
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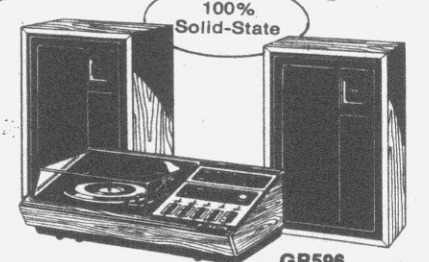
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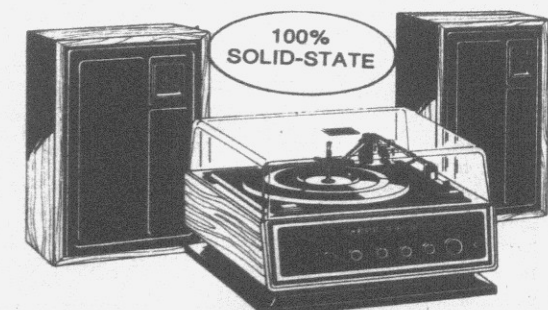


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Charging Plan For Assistance

Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Co. will begin charging for directory assistance calls, after the first five, beginning on Jan. 15, according to Don A. Collier, district commercial manager.

Collier said that the company's cost of providing directory assistance last year amounted to approximately \$1.5 million.

He explained, "The charging plan is intended to reduce excessive and unnecessary use of the service, to cause those few customers who call it most often to bear the resulting cost, and to pass the savings through to the average telephone subscriber."

Collier noted that the company

does not expect any net gain in revenue from directory assistance and the charge, "authorized as a part of our first rate case since 1957, is intended by the North Carolina Utilities Commission to benefit our customers, not us."

Under the charge plan, customers will be allowed five free direct dialed requests for assistance within their local calling area or 919 area per billing month. After the five call allowance, a charge of 20 cents will be applicable for each direct dialed call to local directory assistance or requests for

numbers within the 919 area. No charge will be made for calls to directory assistance placed from coin telephones, it was noted, or for calls to directory assistance outside the 919 area.

Med School...

(Continued from page 1) school if there is a place for them."

The Medical School dean noted that the official visit by the LCME is based on a "mutual decision...when we think we are ready and when the committee thinks we are."

A lot of things have to fall in line before then. "It is a complicated process and all parts have to match together before we will be allowed to accept students," Laupus explained.

But he is optimistic. "We have not changed our target date for opening the school."

One of the things that have to fall into line is the curriculum. "We are in the middle of revision of the curriculum"—updating the first year which was "so successful" and adding the program for the succeeding years, Laupus noted.

Recruitment of faculty members is also involved, and according to the dean, "We are going at it very actively and hope to have something to announce in several more weeks."

Immediate needs include

three basic sciences chairmen and some additional basic science teachers, Laupus explained, while five chairmen of clinical departments for the school are also needed, along with some other clinicians.

And the interim facility for the school—the renovation of Ragsdale Hall—must also be completed. Laupus noted that that should be on schedule, with medical school personnel being able to occupy the building about the end of February.

And plans for additions to the new Pitt Memorial Hospital building—which will serve as the prime clinical teaching facility for the School of Medicine—must be well along.

"We are working together with the architects...meeting with them on almost a weekly basis...to finalize additions...to the new hospital so the facility will 'meet the teaching and educational requirements.'"

He said the final schematics and working drawings for some of the

areas should be completed by mid-January.

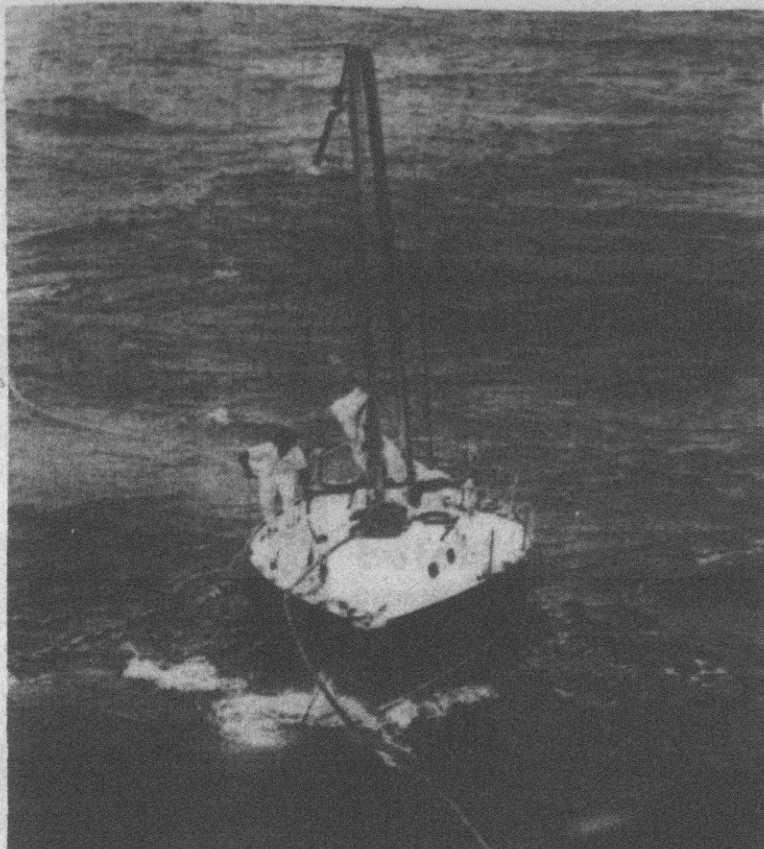
"A lot of effort has gone into being certain that the additions will fit in with the existing new hospital structure," according to Laupus.

Areas in which alterations and additions will take place include the front of the hospital, where a three-story addition will be constructed (including an auditorium, teaching offices and support facilities for students and residents), modifications with additions to surgery and in radiology (addition of rooms to have more sophisticated equipment) changes in the area of the emergency room and the addition of a "perinatal unit" for use by high-risk mothers for safer delivery, and where babies can be held in an intensive care setting after birth.

"We believe this is very timely because of the continual need for improvement...especially in light of the infant mortality rate in the eastern third of the state,

Laupus explained.

The dean, explaining that there is a \$4.8 million limit on cost of additions at Pitt Memorial, said "I would hope this (additions to the hospital) would be finished by the time occupancy (by the county) occurs. This has always been our target...avoid retarding the opening of the hospital on its appointed date...late December, 1976 or early January, 1977."



BOAT MISSING—The U.S. Coast Guard continues searching for the Red Zan, a disabled sailboat that was cut adrift Friday afternoon by a luxury cruise ship that had taken the boat in tow. Aboard were Scott Wilford of St. Petersburg, Fla. and Fred McIntyre Jr. of Tarpon Springs, Fla. This photo was taken while the boat was under tow in the Florida Straits. (AP Wirephoto)

Conveners...

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William Byrd, director of the Office of Community Health Services at ECU.

Commenting on the meeting yesterday, Byrd said in his opinion the closed meeting was illegal inasmuch as the convener group is appointed by the Governor and is thereby a public body.

Byrd said Tom Surratt, administrator of Chowan County Hospital, was allowed to attend the closed portion of the meeting because "he had been invited by the chairman," Dr. Clemet Lucas, an Edenton physician.

In addition to Byrd, Mrs. Bonnie Ray, representing the N.C. Heart Association was excluded by the "executive session" vote of the board. According to Mrs. Ray the Heart Association has been monitoring such convener meetings across the state.

Byrd, a member of the Mid-East Comprehensive Health Planning Committee and a member of the by-laws committee of a steering committee for development of HSA VI (which includes members of the original convener group and which is making an application for designation as the health service agency in the region) said "I have attended perhaps 75 meetings over the past year relating to this issue. I'm no expert, but I know the intent of the law is for the people of the areas to have all the information possible about this important issue."

Only five persons attended this meeting who were not appointees of the Governor," Byrd charged. "One was a staff person of Secretary Flaherty (David Flaherty, secretary of the Department of Human Resources), one was a staff person of the Mid-East Commission, one was an observer from the N.C. Heart Association and one a guest of Dr. Lucas."

Byrd said "Mrs. Ray and I were the only two who could be called 'public' representatives and neither of us could be classified as consumers since we're both employees of health-related agencies."

Byrd said the only reason given for calling for the executive session was there might be some discussion of personalities.

"In my opinion, Byrd said, "there has been too much discussion of personalities and too little attention to the particulars of the legislation."

Under state statute, public boards are allowed to hold "executive sessions" to discuss personnel matters, the purchase of land or equipment, or to counsel with attorneys.

In connection with the vote to hold in abeyance the action taken by the conveners Wednesday, the group agreed to meet with members of the lead regional organizations and

county commissioners in the 29-county area as soon as possible to discuss the HSA question.

Arrest Two In Motel Robbery

Two Greenville men have been arrested by local police on armed robbery charges in connection with a December 17 incident at Smith's Motel on Memorial Drive.

David Lee Evans, 20 of 408 Greenville Dr. and Clifton Earl Venable, 27 of 906A West Fifth St. were taken into custody by police Saturday, according to Chief Glenn Cannon.

The chief, who said \$130 and two shotguns were taken from the motel last Wednesday by robbers who handcuffed the owner after entering the office and produced a sawed-off shotgun, said officers have warrants for two other men in connection with the hold-up.

Pair Arrested For Break-In

Greenville Police Saturday arrested Jeffery Allen Hines, 21, of Winterville and Willie Ray Daniels, 29, of 1400 Myrtle Ave. on charges of breaking and entering following an incident at Harris Super Market on West Fifth St.

Chief Glenn Cannon said the two allegedly took merchandise from the supermarket.

Early Start On Susan's Holiday

VAIL, Colo. (AP)—Susan Ford has begun her skiing vacation three days before the President's arrival here for the Ford family's Christmas vacation.

The President's 18-year-old daughter skied Sunday on Vail Mountain with friend Brian McCartney, a Vail ski patrolman.

Steve Ford skied with a Secret Service agent in another party and another Ford son, Mike, skied in a party that included his wife, Gail.

Miss Ford is taking six weeks off from her freshman year of college to ski and vacation.

President and First Lady Betty Ford, along with their other son, Jack, are scheduled to arrive Tuesday.

ACTOR DIES
LOS ANGELES (AP)—Actor William Lundigan, who made more than 125 movies before beginning a career in television, died Saturday at age 61 after a lengthy illness.

Arrest Two On Drug Violation

Construction has begun on an addition to the ECU Allied Health complex on Charles Boulevard.

Bids for the addition, which is being constructed west of the present Carol Belk building, totaled \$115,000.

The structure will house the speech and hearing program, which is currently located on the third floor of the Belk building. The move to the new quarters is expected to be made upon completion of the addition in the spring.

Two men were arrested on charges of possession of marijuana Saturday night in a parking lot at the intersection of Fourth and Cotanche Streets.

The two were identified by Chief Glenn Cannon as Phillip Glen Strickland, 19, of Bell Arthur and Larry Moore McLawhorn, 19, of Route 1, Greenville.

Chief Glenn Cannon said the two were taken into custody while sitting in a car in the parking lot about 10 p.m.

Bond was set at \$500 each for their appearance in court on the charges.

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Stock And Market Reports

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RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA)—The trend on the North Carolina FOB dock broiler market was active with prices firm to day, supplies adequate, demand seasonally good.

The North Carolina dock weighted average price is 37.05 cents per pound this week for small purchases of sized plant grade broilers to be picked up at processing plants. Estimated slaughter today is 921,000.

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

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Heublein	46
Jeff. Pilot	27 1/2
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Marshall's Income	13 1/2
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Franklin Life	17 1/2
NCNB	9 1/2
Piedmont Air	3 1/2
Little Mint	3 1/2
Conner Homes	1/2
Guardian Corp.	2 1/2
Planters Bank	14 1/2
Daniel International Corp.	14 1/2

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market declined again today amid inflation worries and doubts about the prospective strength of the economic recovery.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was down 3.94 at 840.44 on the heels of Friday's 7.71-point drop. Losers outpaced gainers by about a 5-3 margin on the New York Stock Exchange.

Trading was moderate. Analysts noted disappointment over Friday's downturn among investors who had evidently been hoping that a yearend rally was beginning.

The market's change of direction came after the government reported that its consumer price index climbed at an 8.4 per cent annual rate last month, matching the pace of October. Wall Street had been hoping for evidence of a letup in inflationary pressures.

Another depressant in the news Friday was word of a 1.2 per cent drop in durable goods orders during November for the biggest decline in that category since last March.

This morning investors also were confronted with a congressional staff report which held that the recovery was likely to falter by 1977 if present government economic policies are continued.

Carrier Corp. was the most active issue on the Big Board, up 1/4 at 11 1/4. A 144,900-share block traded at that price.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks dipped .16 to 46.66 in the first hour.

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was off .24 at 82.19.

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks

Abbl Lab	High	Low	Last
Akzone	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4
Allis Chalmers	11 1/4	11 1/4	11 1/4
Alcoa	38 1/4	38 1/4	38 1/4
Am Air Lin	8 1/4	8 1/4	8 1/4
A Brands	38 1/4	38 1/4	38 1/4
A Can	31 1/4	31 1/4	31 1/4
A Cyan	24	23 3/4	23 3/4
Am Motors	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Am T&T	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Babcock	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Best Fds	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Beth Stl	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Boeing	24	23 3/4	23 3/4
Borden	26	25 1/2	25 1/2
Burl Ind	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Celanese	43 1/4	43	43
Champ Int	17	17	17
Chesley	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4
Chrysler	10	10	10
Coca Col	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Colg Pal	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Comw E	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Con Can	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Delta Air	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Dow Ch	90 1/4	90 1/4	90 1/4
Duk Pw	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
DuPont	124	123 1/2	124
East Air Lin	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Eas Kd	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Eaton	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Esmerk	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
Exxon	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Firestn	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Fis PwL	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Ford M	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Gen Mck	14	13 1/4	14
Gen Dynam	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Gen El	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Gn Food	28 1/2	27 1/2	28
Gn Mill	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Gn Wor	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
G. Tele	25	24 1/2	24 1/2
G. Pac	42 1/2	42	42
Goodm	17	17	17
Goodyr	22	21 1/4	21 1/4
Grace	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Greysd	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Gulf Oil	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Hercules	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Honywell	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
IBM	218	216 1/4	216 1/4
Int Harv	22 1/2	22	22

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Obituaries

Detwiler

FARMVILLE — Mrs. Lena Mae Sumrell Detwiler of 410 Snow Hill Street, Ayden, died Saturday as a result of injuries sustained in an auto accident in Pennsylvania.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 p.m. from the Church Street Chapel of the Farmville Funeral Home by the Rev. Travis Owens. Burial will be in Forest Hill Cemetery here.

Mrs. Detwiler, a Greene County native, retired after working 30 years with the U.S. government in Washington, D.C. She was a member of the Ayden United Methodist Church and the Ayden Chapter of the Eastern Star.

Surviving her are her husband, Harold M. Detwiler of the home; a sister, Miss Josephine Sumrell of Goldsboro; two brothers, Wilson and J. H. Sumrell, both of Snow Hill. The body will arrive at Farmville Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon.

Fleming

Mrs. Susie Ross Fleming, 87, widow of Benjamin Franklin Fleming, died this morning in Rex Hospital in Raleigh.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 Tuesday at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Willis Wilson, pastor of the Reedy Branch Free Will Baptist Church. Burial will be in Pinewood Memorial Park.

Mrs. Fleming, a native of Pitt County, spent most of her life in the Stokes Community and was a member of the Stokes Baptist Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Robert G. Zehfuss of Hollywood, Fla.; three sons, Harold R. Fleming and Maurice F. Fleming, both of Miami, Fla., and Gerald R. Fleming of Raleigh; eight grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7 to 9 o'clock tonight.

Greene-Evans

GRIFTON — Mr. Walter Greene and Mr. James Evans, both citizens of Piney Grove community in Craven County, died Sunday at the home of Mr. Evans when fire destroyed the house.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete at the Norcott Funeral Home in Ayden.

Hurst

Mrs. Maggie Brown Hurst, 95, widow of William Kenneth Hurst, died Sunday.

A funeral service will be conducted Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Norman Bennett and the Rev. Willis Wilson. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Hurst was born and reared in Oak City and made her home in Greenville since 1928. She was a member of the Winterville Baptist Church and a former member of the Memorial Baptist Church in Greenville.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. George D. Cox of Winterville, Mrs. Edward M. Brown of Graniteville, S.C., Mrs. Ruby H. Brown, Mrs. Stancill L. Dilda, and Mrs. Mary H. Seymour, all of Greenville; 12

grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and eight great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Ingram

AYDEN — Mrs. Belle Hawkins Ingram of Rt. 3, Ayden, died this morning at her home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Norcott Funeral Home.

Pippin

FARMVILLE — Mr. Bryan Richard Pippin, 45, died Saturday at his home.

Funeral services were conducted today at 2 p.m. from the Church Street Chapel of the Farmville Funeral Home by the Rev. Ronnie Davis and the Rev. Joseph Lehmann. Interment will be in Hollywood Cemetery.

Mr. Pippin was a lifelong resident of this community was a farmer and a Farmville policeman. He was a member of the Liberty Advent Christian Church, American Legion Post 151, the Greenville Moose Lodge, and the Farmville Rescue Squad, of which he was past president.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Betty Craft Pippin of the home; two daughters, Terri and Kim Pippin, both of the home; a sister, Mrs. Roland Wooten of Farmville; a brother, Walter Pippin of Kinston; and his mother, Mrs. Carl Jones of Farmville.

Smith

BELHAVEN — Mrs. True E. Smith died Friday. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 3 p.m. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Nora Smith and Mrs. Naomi Abels.

Sparkman

AYDEN — Mrs. Nina Gardner Sparkman, 61, died this morning. She was the widow of the late James Arthur Sparkman, Jr. Funeral arrangements at the Norcott Funeral Home.

Five Injured In Collision

Five persons were reported injured and an estimated \$14,500 property damage done when a tractor-trailer and car collided about 4 1/2 miles North of Greenville on N.C. 11 early Sunday morning.

Highway Patrolman M.B. Johnson identified the drivers involved as Donald Wayne Brown of Bethel and James Lee Rouse of Kinston.

The officer said the south-bound truck, driven by Rouse, crossed the center line and sideswiped the north-bound Brown car.

Both drivers and three persons in the Brown vehicle were reported injured.

Trooper Johnson said the truck, after colliding with the car, ran into a roadside ditch and overturned.

Damage was estimated at \$500 to the Brown car and \$14,500 to the truck.

Rouse was charged with operating left of center following investigation of the 3 a.m. mishap.

Living Nativity Scene Offered

BETHEL — A Living Nativity Scene will be presented today through Wednesday at the Bethel United Methodist Church. The scene will be presented for an hour, 8-9 for three evenings and will be on the church lawn at the corner of James and W. Washington Streets.

Presented for the first time this year by the members of the Bethel Church, the Living Nativity Scene is designed to witness to the real meaning of Christmas to the Bethel community and the surrounding area.

The public is invited. The Bethel Church is located one block west of the stoptlight in Bethel.

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Biting Driver Shot To Death

KENANSVILLE, N.C. (AP)

A motorist, who nearly bit the finger off a highway patrolman during a fight, was shot to death in the driveway of his home in northeast Duplin County Sunday night, authorities said.

Trooper Billy Ward was severely beaten and another patrolman who came to his rescue, Jerry Walton, was shot in the ankle, according to other patrol members.

The motorist was identified as Harvey Saunders, 26, of the Outlaw Bridge community of Duplin County.

Highway Patrol Maj. L.J. Lance said Walton "got out of the car and approached the two subjects. While they were fighting, the gun was fired from the direction of the persons fighting and struck Walton in the ankle."

"Walton then, in turn, returned the fire and shot and fatally wounded the subject that was on top of trooper Ward," Lance said.

Lance said that he did not know whether Saunders had a gun or whether the shot which wounded Walton came from Ward's gun.

He said Ward was attempting to arrest the motorist for driving while his license was revoked when the fight broke out. Lance said Ward had stopped the car on a rural paved road off N.C. 111.

First reports said that Ward also had been wounded, but the patrol said later that his injuries resulted from human bites. A hospital spokesman at

Wayne Memorial Hospital in Goldsboro said he was treated for severe bites on the arm, finger and leg. He was reported in good condition.

A patrolman in the emergency room said Ward's finger was nearly bitten off.

Roadside Death Autopsy Slated

An autopsy has been ordered in an effort to determine the cause of death of a black woman whose body was discovered late Sunday night just off the roadway on Highway 11.

The Pitt County Sheriff's Department reported that a passing motorist found the body some two miles south of Highway 102, between Ayden and Grifton.

The Department, which reported that investigation is continuing today, noted that discovery of the body was reported to the Sheriff's Department at 12:18 a.m. today.

The identity of the body, as well as the cause of death, is still being sought, it was reported.

LIBRARY CLOSING

The Sheppard Memorial Library will be closed December 24, 25 and 26 for Christmas holiday. It will be open Saturday December 27 as usual. It will also be closed Thursday, January 1.

Bar Honors Judge James

Judge Dink James was honored at the annual December ladies night meeting of the Pitt County Bar Association held at the Candlewick Inn.



JUDGE DINK JAMES

James T. Cheatham, on behalf of the association, presented a plaque with a gavel attached which read:

"Presented to Judge Dink James by the Pitt County Bar Association for his many years of distinguished service to the judiciary and the bar."

Following the presentation of the award, Milton Williamson, Horton Roundtree, Marvin K. Blount Sr. and Clifton Everett Sr. gave individual remembrances of Judge James' service on the bench of the County Court of Pitt County.



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Merry Christmas

MONDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 22, 1975



Colts Beat Patriots, 34-21; Take AFC East Over Miami

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

First of all ... well, that's really all there is to say about the Baltimore Colts.

Of all the teams in the American Conference East, the least likely to finish first this year was Baltimore. After all, a team that finished the previous season tied for the National Football League's worst record at 2-12 would have to go through a lot of lengthy rebuilding.

Rebuilding, yes. Lengthy, no. The Colts hammered themselves together in one big hurry. Then, with rookie Coach Ted Marchibroda at the helm, they proceeded to hammer apart everything in sight, reeling off nine straight victories to climax an incredible season that gave them the East Division title and a berth in the playoffs.

"It's a good feeling to know you can come all the way from last to first," Bert Jones, the quarterback of this remarkable crew, said after the Colts capped their Cinderella turnaround by beating New England 34-21 on Sunday.

The Colts came from behind three times to beat the stubborn Patriots, taking the lead for good on an 11-yard touchdown run by Lydell Mitchell with 8:19 to play, then adding the clincher 66 seconds later on Nelson Munsey's 30-yard touchdown run with one of Baltimore's five interceptions. Jones passed for one touchdown and ran for another.

In Sunday's other crucial game, Cincinnati stomped San Diego 47-17 to clinch the AFC wild-card as the conference's fourth playoff team. Elsewhere, St. Louis beat Detroit 24-13, Dallas downed the New York Jets 31-21, Oakland defeated Kansas City 28-20, Philadelphia upset Washington 26-3, Green Bay beat Atlanta 22-13, Houston whipped Cleveland 21-10, Chicago crushed New Orleans 42-17 and the New York Giants nosed out San Francisco 26-23.

On Saturday, Miami edged Denver 14-13, Minnesota mauled Buffalo 35-13 and Los Angeles beat Pittsburgh 10-3.

With the AFC East in the bag, the Colts head into Pittsburgh next Saturday — and

into the feared Steel Curtain that came down with the Super Bowl title a year ago.

Bengals 47, Chargers 17
Cincinnati quarterback Ken Anderson passed for three touchdowns, ran for one and got the Bengals off to an insurmountable 41-10 first-half lead against the Chargers.

The Bengals open their playoffs Sunday in Oakland against the Raiders, champions of the West Division.

John McDaniel recovered two San Diego fumbles 59 seconds apart in the opening quarter and Stan Fritts turned them both into touchdowns, a six-yard Anderson pass and a one-yard run. Anderson also hit Isaac Curtis with a 52-yard TD bomb, found Lenvil Elliott on a 14-yarder and ran two yards for a score.

Cardinals 24, Lions 13
Dwayne Crump returned a blocked field goal attempt 64 yards for a second-quarter touchdown which sparked St. Louis past Detroit. The Cards, who won the National Conference East and face NFC West champ Los Angeles next Saturday,

also got a touchdown on a 57-yard sprint by third-string running back Jerry Latin.

Cowboys 31, Jets 21
Clint Longley's 10-yard touchdown pass to Drew Pearson and Toni Fritsch's 22-yard field goal in the third quarter carried the Cowboys past the Jets. Robert Newhouse rushed for 108 yards and a touchdown as Dallas, the NFC wild-card club, prepared for its playoff opener next Sunday in Minnesota against the Vikings, champions of the Central Division.

Raiders 28, Chiefs 28
Pete Banaszak ran for touchdowns of 1, 3 and 5 yards and George Blanda raised his career scoring total to 2,002 points as the Raiders whipped Kansas City.

Eagles 26, Redskins 13
Cornerback Joe Lavender's 36-yard interception return for a touchdown and linebacker Frank LeMaster's 89-yard scoring run with another theft carried Philadelphia over the Redskins.

Packers 22, Falcons 13
Eric Torkelson's 15-yard touchdown run following a 61-yard interception return by

Perry Smith vaulted the Packers into the lead in the second period and sparked them past Atlanta.

Oilers 21, Browns 10
Dan Pastorini's 76-yard touchdown bomb to Ken Burroughs and two-yard scoring bursts by Don Hardeman and Ronnie Coleman led the Oilers, 10-4, over Cleveland for their best season since 1962.

Bears 42, Saints 17
Rookie quarterback Bob Avellini ran for one touchdown and passed to Greg Latta for three more covering 13, 5 and 20 yards as Chicago routed the Saints.

Giants 26, 49ers 23
Larry Watkins' one-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter following a pass interference call against San Francisco cornerback Nat Allen gave the Giants their victory.

Dolphins 14, Broncos 13
Earl Morrall came off the bench to lead two second-half touchdown drives that carried Miami past Denver. Despite the victory, the Dolphins fell out of the playoffs for the first time in five years.

Vikings 35, Bills 13
Fran Tarkenton threw his 290th and 291st career touchdown passes to surpass John Unitas' NFL record and Chuck Foreman scored four touchdowns — two on the passes and two on short runs — to lead Minnesota over the Bills.

Foreman's four scores gave him 22 for the year — but Buffalo's O.J. Simpson got two to make it 23 on the season, shattering Gale Sayers' NFL record.

Rams 10, Steelers 3
Reserve quarterback Ron Jaworski's five-yard run for a fourth-period touchdown gave Los Angeles its victory and snapped Pittsburgh's 11-game winning streak.

All Choked Up

Oakland Raiders running back Pete Banaszak is almost twisted out of his jersey with a necktie tackle by Kansas City's John Matuszak, with assistance from Chiefs Willie Lanier (63), and

Emmitt Thomas. Banaszak picked up 11 yards on the pass play from Ken Stabler in second quarter action at Oakland Sunday to set up Raiders second touchdown. (AP Wirephoto)

The Davis Cup: Swedes Win, US Nearing Elimination

By STEPHAN NASSTROM
AP Sports Writer

STOCKHOLM (AP) — Bjorn Borg was the toast of Sweden today after the Swedes won their first Davis Cup in history.

Borg, who led Sweden to a 3-2 victory over Czechoslovakia Sunday, is the world's most successful tennis player this year. But the 19-year-old superstar will not be ranked No. 1 in 1976.

Most experts will probably put American Arthur Ashe ahead of the greatest teen-age player the game has ever seen. Ashe won at Wimbledon and the World Championship of Tennis title in Dallas.

Borg won only one major individual event — the French Open crown in Paris for the second straight year. But he produced a record in other big tournaments that no other star could match this year.

The young Swede was runner-up at the WCT playoffs and the Masters, reached the quarters

in both the Italian Championships and Wimbledon, the semi-finals in the U.S. Open and then finally helped Sweden to become only the sixth nation to win the Davis Cup — the symbol of international team tennis supremacy.

Ilie Nastase, Romania's Masters winner and coach of the Swedish Davis Cup team, says he rates Ashe the year's top player.

So does Jan Kodes, the former Wimbledon champ and two-time U.S. Open finalist, who was crushed by Borg, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2, Sunday, giving Sweden an unbeatable 3-1 lead over the Czechs in the 63rd world final.

For Borg, it was the first major success in his former home town. He now lives in Monte Carlo.

"This was the greatest moment in my life. I have always dreamt of winning the Davis Cup since I played my first match in the tournament," said

Borg. In all, Borg has played 26 Davis Cup singles and won 23 — including an all-time record 12 straight wins this year. "But my big goals are Wimbledon and the U.S. Open. I'd like to win at least one of these tournaments next year," he said.

Other members of the winning Swedish Davis Cup team were Ove Bengtson, Birger Andersson and Rolf Norberg.

Lennart Bergelin, Sweden's nonplaying captain, picked the 30-year old veteran Bengtson instead of Andersson for the second string singles.

Bengtson, an indoor specialist, lost both his singles against Jiri Hrebec and Kodes, but teamed excellently with Borg to win the important doubles match Saturday from Kodes and Vladimir Zednik 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

After Borg's heroic performance, watched by a sellout crowd of 4,500 fans in the Royal Tennis Hall, Hrebec defeated Bengtson 1-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-4 in the closing singles match, which was meaningless.

The Swedish team's triumph was the finest sports achievement for this country since Ingemar Johansson won the world heavyweight boxing crown in 1959 by knocking out Floyd Patterson.

By ISAAC A. LEVI
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The United States was within four games of a possible elimination from the 1976 Davis Cup tennis tournament today as Jimmy Connors squared off with Mexican star Raul Ramirez in their climactic match.

The best-of-five North American Zone final competition boiled down to the Connors-Ramirez match Sunday after

Brian Gottfried got the U.S. even at 2-2 with a dramatic 3-6, 6-2, 3-6, 8-6, 6-1 triumph over Marcelo Lara in the day's first match.

Connors and Ramirez, each of whom won their opening singles matches Friday, then began their struggle but darkness forced a halt in play with the Mexican ahead 2-6, 6-3, 6-3 and Connors leading 3-2 in the fourth set.

Ramirez was to serve when the match resumed.

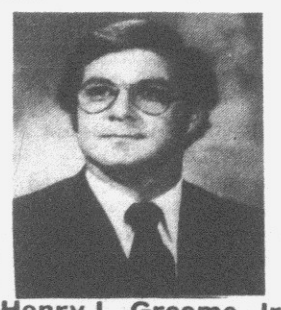
Both players switched to power tennis during the third and fourth sets. Connors slammed in seven aces and Ramirez five, three of them in the seventh game of the third set.

The Gottfried-Lara match was a marathon encounter which caught the fancy of the crowd at Rafael Osuna Stadium. The judge had to call for silence four times after spontaneous applause and loud cheers from fans distracted the players.

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NBA

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

W L Pct. GB

Boston 19 7 .731 —

Philphia 19 9 .679 1

Buffalo 16 13 .552 4½

New York 11 20 .355 10½

Central Division

Atlanta 15 12 .556 —

Cleveland 15 14 .517 1

Houston 13 13 .500 1½

Washington 13 13 .500 1½

N.Orleans 11 17 .393 4½

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Detroit 11 14 .440 —

Milwaukee 11 15 .423 ½

K.C. 10 17 .370 2

Chicago 7 20 .259 5

Pacific Division

G.State 21 6 .778 —

Phoenix 14 11 .560 6

L.A. 18 13 .581 5

Seattle 15 15 .500 7½

Portland 10 20 .333 12½

Saturday's Results

New York 96, Chicago 89

Atlanta 123, Houston 108

Boston 111, Philadelphia 97

Washington 98, Detroit 86

Buffalo 117, Kansas City 110

Golden State 124, Milwaukee 87

New Orleans 105, Portland 97

Sunday's Results

Cleveland 99, Los Angeles 98

Chicago 97, Atlanta 90, OT

New Orleans 120, Phoenix 107

Golden State 108, Portland 102

Milwaukee 103, Seattle 101

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

ABA

W L Pct. GB

Indiana 12, Kentucky 109

San Antonio 132, Denver 121

Sunday's Results

New York 118, Virginia 91

San Antonio 108, St. Louis 106

Denver 122, Indiana 117

Monday's Game

St. Louis at Kentucky

Tuesday's Games

New York at Kentucky

St. Louis vs. Virginia at Norfolk

Indiana at San Antonio

Thurmond Brings Back Sixties; Helps Cleveland Edge LA Lakers

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

For a few golden moments, it was the mid-1960s once again. Shaking off the cobwebs, the sore back, the wobbly knees, Nate Thurmond was playing like the Thurmond of old —

blocking shots, grabbing rebounds, clogging the middle on defense and setting up the attack at the other end of the court.

Once rated among the premier defensive centers in the game, Thurmond showed some of his old magic Sunday night in shattering Los Angeles superstar Kareem Abdul-Jabbar without a point in the final period as the Cleveland Cavaliers rallied for a 99-98 victory over the Lakers.

A crowd of 19,404 — second largest in Coliseum history — saw the Cavaliers set a club record with their seventh straight National Basketball Association victory.

"We didn't shoot as well today as we have been in this streak," said Cavs Coach Bill Fitch. "But our defense covered up for our bad shooting."

And leading that defense was Thurmond, the 34-year-old pivotman who was picked up from the Chicago Bulls earlier this season. While Abdul-Jabbar rolled up 34 points in the first three periods, he was shut out down the stretch as Cleveland erased a five-point deficit in the final three minutes to win.

In other NBA games, the Chicago Bulls beat the Atlanta Hawks 97-90 in overtime, the New Orleans Jazz defeated the Phoenix Suns 120-107, the Golden State Warriors topped the Portland Trail Blazers 108-102 and the Milwaukee Bucks edged the Seattle SuperSonics 103-101.

The Lakers, losers of four in a row, led 96-91 before Cleveland reeled off eight points — two baskets by Austin Carr, two free throws and a short jumper by Bobby Smith — for

a 99-96 lead with 1:12 to play. Gail Goodrich cut the margin to one on a long jumper with 37 seconds left. Abdul-Jabbar's rebound gave the Lakers the ball with 15 seconds to go, but his shot caromed off the rim and Thurmond rebounded.

The Cavs had seven men in double figures led by Jim Brewer with 18.

Bulls 97, Hawks 90, OT
Atlanta had its Central Division lead over Cleveland trimmed to one game as Bob Love scored 32 points, including the Bulls' last six in regulation play and the first two in overtime. Tom Boerwinkle and Jack Marin hit two baskets each in the extra period.

Jazz 120, Suns 107
Nate Williams scored 27

points and Aaron James 21 to lead New Orleans to its third victory in four games.

Warriors 108, Blazers 102
Rick Barry scored 32 points and helped rally the Warriors from a seven-point deficit in the fourth quarter and on to their ninth win in a row. His jumper, steal and lay-in in the final two minutes iced the victory.

Bucks 103, Sonics 101
Elmore Smith gave Milwaukee a four-point lead with a pair of free throws. Then, after Rod Derline's jumper cut the margin in half, Smith swatted away a Seattle pass to preserve the triumph.

Milwaukee's Bob Dandridge poured in 31 points — but only one in the second half.

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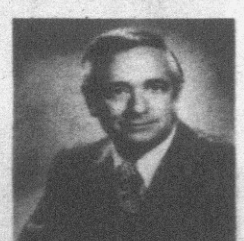
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GW Impresses Richmond, 84-77

By The Associated Press
If George Washington's Colonials wanted to make an impression on former Coach Carl Stone, they most certainly did it Saturday night.

And Stone, who earns his living as the mentor of the Richmond Spiders these days, probably wishes the two schools were worlds apart.

Unfortunately for Richmond, they were on the same court Saturday night.

The Spiders, preseason favorites for the Southern Conference basketball title along with East Carolina, allowed a 14-point lead to slip away midway through the second half and lost to the Colonials by a score of 84-77.

In other conference action Saturday night, East Carolina, which shares a 2-1 conference record with Richmond, just managed to squeeze by The Citadel's Bulldogs, resting in

the basement with a record of 0-3. The other conference clash saw Davidson's Wildcats drop to 2-5 against all opponents when it lost a lopsided 94-65 game to Ohio State.

All conference teams will be idle this week before returning to holiday tournament action a week from today.

The Colonials shot a sizzling 71.4 per cent in the second half to upend the Spiders, who fell to 2-5 over-all.

Richmond led by 47-39 at the intermission. And the Spiders increased their lead to 62-48 with 11:15 left, but from there on it was all George Washington. Richmond went nearly five minutes without scoring a basket, a predicament reminiscent of the Spiders' recent home game against Maryland, in which they fought head to head most of the way but lost by a sizable margin when the Terps went on a 26-3 spurge late in

the game.

Pat Tallent had 27 points and Les Anderson 19 for George Washington, a former league member now 3-1. Kevin Eastman led Richmond with 23 points.

East Carolina picked up its third straight win in The Citadel game.

The Pirates shot second-half shooting broke a 30-30 halftime deadlock.

A layup by All-Southern Rod McKeever with two seconds left cut the final margin to a point, but The Citadel never got the ball again.

Earl Garner led East Carolina's scoring with 20 points while McKeever scored his season high — 25 points.

With Larry Bolden scoring 30 points and Jud Wood 19, Ohio State trampled Davidson. John Gerdy led the Wildcats with 12 points.



Philadelphia Flyers' Tom Bladen (3) has his shirt pulled over his head while he grabs St. Louis Blues' Bob Gassoff during a first period fight Sunday night

in Philadelphia. Both players were dismissed from the game for not going to the penalty boxes after the fight. (AP Wirephoto)

Foster Hits Officiating After Clemson Loss To Vols

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

Bill Foster got some "home cooking" — and didn't like the taste of it.

The Clemson coach, in fact, was fed up with the officiating after his Tigers lost the Volunteer Classic to Tennessee Saturday night.

"It's hard to believe we made more fouls than they did," a boiling Foster said after his basketball team was beaten 77-66 by the Vols. "I'd like to take them on in that other 'Big Orange Country' back home. The difference on the scoreboard is about the difference playing at home makes."

Tennessee's Ray Mears didn't see any home court advantage — just the advantage of a team that played better.

"We did a super job on defense, and in the last half, we made some good offensive maneuvers," said the coach of the nation's 11th-ranked team.

Tennessee's victory set a home team trend of winners in the major holiday season tournaments over the weekend.

Top-ranked Indiana won its own Indiana Classic with a 101-74 rout of Virginia Tech; No. 16 Michigan defeated Miami of Ohio 90-76 to win the Michigan Invitational; 20th-ranked Kentucky beat Oregon State 82-74 to win the Kentucky Invitational; Kansas took the Jayhawk Classic with a 74-73 thriller over LaSalle; Texas-El Paso won the Sun Bowl Classic for the 12th time in 15 years with an 82-53 decision over Southern Methodist; Arkansas State beat Northeast Louisiana 93-90 in overtime to win the Indian Holiday Classic and No. 14 San Francisco won its Cable Car Classic with a 91-77 decision over Providence.

Elsewhere, Alabama, the nation's No. 8 club, whipped Florida State 76-72 to capture the Big Sun Tournament in St. Petersburg, Fla.; Mississippi State took the Dayton In-

vitational with a 70-57 victory over Long Beach State; Akron turned back Youngstown State 64-62 to win the Youngstown Classic and Nebraska stopped New Mexico State 79-75 to take the Roadrunner Invitational.

Elsewhere, it was No. 2 Maryland over Fordham 81-56; No. 3 Marquette over North-western 75-53; No. 4 North Carolina over East Tennessee State 104-67; No. 6 UCLA over Seattle 106-72; No. 9 North Carolina State over Michigan State 95-75; No. 10 Louisville over Manhattan 78-71; No. 12 Washington over San Jose State 88-69; No. 13 Nevada-Las Vegas over Old Dominion 116-90; No. 15 Rutgers over Temple 95-62 and No. 18 St. John's, N.Y., over American U. 78-66.

Tennessee's Bernard King, the MVP in the Vol Classic, was blanked by the Tigers until part of the game but finally got a basket with 4:38 left in the first half when goaltending was called on Tree Rollins, Clemson's 7-foot-1 pivotman.

King wound up with 24 points, one less than teammate Ernie Grunfeld. Rollins led Clemson with 23.

Scott May rifled in 27 points as Indiana's hotshot Hoosiers hit on 74 per cent of their shots in the first half and blasted out-gunned Virginia Tech. May, a

6-foot-7 All-American forward who scored 18 points Friday night in the opening game of the tourney, equalled that total in the first half against the Gobblers.

Phil Hubbard scored 21 points and John Robinson poured in 20 to lead Michigan past Miami of Ohio. The Wolverines didn't get untracked until the second half when they outscored the Redskins 22-7 to take a 59-45 lead.

Kentucky lost a 10-point lead in the first half, then came back behind Mike Phillips after intermission to beat Oregon State and win the Kentucky Invitational for the 17th time in 23 years.

In an earlier consolation game, 19th-ranked Arizona State whipped Georgia Tech 85-70 behind Rick Taylor and Gary Johnson.

Norm Cook's free throw with no time left on the clock lifted Kansas to a pulsating victory over LaSalle. Cook was fouled as time ran out by Donn Wilbur, who 50 seconds earlier had tied the game for LaSalle at 73-73.

Inflamed by the ejection of Coach Don Haskins early in the first half, Texas-El Paso ran off 17 points to beat SMU. Don Henderson scored 33 points and pulled down 16 rebounds as Arkansas State defeated North-

east Louisiana. Marlon Redmond scored nine straight points after San Francisco's lead had melted to four to help the Dons defeat Providence.

Alabama, led by Leon Douglas, withstood a torrid closing rally by Florida State; Gary Hooker poured in 28 points to power Mississippi State past Long Beach State; Jim Abrams pumped in a 30-footer with 10 seconds left to lift Akron over Youngstown State, and Larry Cox scored 23 points, leading Nebraska over New Mexico State.

Steve Sheppard scored 17 points and collected eight rebounds to lead Maryland's attack; Earl Tatum scored a game-high 18 points for Marquette; Mitch Kupchak's 24 led North Carolina; UCLA beat Seattle behind Marques Johnson's 23 points; Phil Spence contributed a career-high 33 points as North Carolina State drubbed Michigan State, and Ricky Gallon's 26 points paced Louisville past Manhattan.

Washington trimmed San Jose State as Lars Hansen scored 24 points; Eddie Owens had 33 to help Nevada-Las Vegas beat Old Dominion; Ed Jordan's 23 points led Rutgers over Temple, and St. John's beat American as Glen Williams hit for 6

McKay Shuns Emotion In Liberty Bowl Finale

By LES SEAGO
Associated Press Writer

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Coach John McKay said he's not getting emotional about tonight's Liberty Bowl game which pits his Southern California Trojans against Texas A&M, even though the game will be McKay's last as a college mentor before he becomes coach of the National Football League expansion club at Tampa.

"The last game is going to come," McKay said calmly. "When you're dead you get it or you get fired and get it or

you're moving on and you get it. The emotion is long gone."

McKay acted almost as if he hadn't come to the 17th annual Liberty Bowl classic, the Trojans' first bowl appearance outside the Rose Bowl. Southern Cal has a 14-6 Rose Bowl record — 5-3 under McKay.

"My philosophy has been that a bowl should be a reward for an outstanding job," he said at an afternoon news conference. "We didn't do an outstanding job."

Plagued by late-season injuries to key personnel, the Trojans bring a 7-4 record up against the Aggies' 10-1 mark.

But McKay made it clear he isn't worrying about the awesome Aggie defense, which has limited its foes to 80 yards rushing per game.

He'll send his junior tailback sensation, Ricky Bell, a 6-foot-2, 215-pounder who leads the nation in rushing, up against the A&M defensive squad which includes three All-Americans — linebackers Ed Simonini and Garth Ten Napel and cornerback Pat Thomas.

Bell, who injured an ankle in practice two weeks ago, is still far from full-speed, McKay said. "He's in pretty good shape, but he hasn't been cutting like he should."

That means Bell's understudy, sophomore Rod Conners, will be getting a lot of game time, McKay said.

Emory Bellard, the Aggie coach, had little sympathy for McKay's Trojans and their injury list.

"I can't bring myself to be sorry for Southern California," Bellard said after running the Aggies through a 30-minute light workout Sunday. Bell will be a problem for the Aggie defense, Bellard said, but he isn't the Trojans' only threat.

"He operates behind an outstanding line," Bellard said. "You've got to defense a lot of things in addition to Ricky Bell."

The Aggies have their own injury list, he pointed out.

But senior Mike Jay, injured in the Texas game, will return to duty at quarterback tonight. The rest of the Aggie backfield will include freshman George Woodward at fullback and Bubba Bean and Jim Hartman at half-back.

Oklahoma State, trying to regain some of the stature it once enjoyed under the legendary Henry Iba, has compiled a 3-3 mark under Coach Guy Strong, who is in his third season.

Strong's squad is led by 5-foot-11 guard Ronnie Daniel, averaging 18 points a game. South Carolina won the inaugural Carolina Classic last year, beating Princeton and Louisiana State, while Duke captured consolation honors.

Shorts

By The Associated Press
BOSTON (AP) — Two New England thoroughbred racing tracks — Suffolk Downs in Boston and Narragansett Park in Pawtucket, R.I. — were shut down today because of the weekend snowstorm.

Suffolk closed programs scheduled for Sunday and today. Narragansett called off its Monday program at the same time. Both tracks, which had planned to close Tuesday through Thursday, will re-open Friday.

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Indiana Pacers were dealt a serious blow Sunday when they learned star forward Billy Knight will be lost to the club with a broken hand for three to four weeks.

Knight, the American Basketball Association's second leading scorer with a 26.3 average, suffered the injury in the fourth quarter of Indiana's 112-109 victory over Kentucky Saturday night.

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Gamecocks Open Classic

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Forward Alex English, averaging 25.8 points and 12.3 rebounds a game, leads host South Carolina into battle against Yale in tonight's opening contest in the second annual Carolina Classic basketball tournament.

Virginia plays Oklahoma State in the second game. The two winners meet for the championship Tuesday night.

It will be something of a homecoming for Yale center Carnell Cooper, a 6-foot-4 leaper who was born and reared in Dillon. He leads the Ivy League school in rebounding with a 10.3 average and is third on the team in scoring with 11.8 points a game.

Senior Steve Switchenko, with a 17.8 average, leads the scoring for Yale, which won only one of its first four games.

South Carolina, which won three straight before losing to Michigan, has three other starters in double figures. Forward Mate Davis averages 14 points a game, while guards Mike Dunleavy and Billy Truitt average 11.3 and 10.0 respectively.

Virginia Coach Terry Holland brings a 3-1 squad into the tournament. His team, with all five starters in double figure scoring, is averaging 93 points a game.

Senior Wally Walker is hitting the nets for 17.5 points, while sophomore Marc Iavaroni follows with 17.

The Cavaliers' only loss has been an 81-79 decision at the hands of Atlantic Coast Conference foe Duke, but they bounced back after the loss to pin a 79-66 defeat on Penn State.

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College Scores

Saturday's College Basketball Results

By The Associated Press

EAST

CCNY 68, Queens 56

Delaware 100, St. Mary's, N.S. 78

Drexel 93, W. Chester 71

Hofstra 78, LIU 75

Holy Cross 86, Mass. 78

Maine 80, Dartmouth 79

Niagara 78, Iona 58

Penn St. 70, Colgate 64

Rutgers 95, Temple 62

St. Bonaventure 95, Ill. Wesleyan 84

St. John's, N.Y. 78, American U. 66

St. Joseph's, Pa. 77, Penn 71

Syracuse 59, Boston Col. 58

Villanova 67, St. Francis, Pa. 59

MIDWEST

Arkansas 84, Okla. City 63

Butler 63, Ball St. 61

Centenary 99, N. Ill. 84

C. Mich. 66, Ind. St. 61

Creighton 65, N. Dak. St. 63

Detroit 94, Ohio Xavier 64

Drake 118, NE Ill. 95

Illinois 66, Arizona 60

Iowa 67, U.S. Intl. 52

Kansas St. 99, NE Missouri 69

Marquette 75, Northwestern 53

Neb.-Omaha 84, Iowa St. 73

N. Dak. 95, Cal-Irvine 69

Ohio St. 94, Davidson 65

Ohio U. 100, Cleveland St. 69

Princeton 69, S. Ill. 58

St. Louis U. 68, Canisius 54

Toledo 87, Wayne St. 51

Wichita St. 65, Oklahoma 60

SOUTH

Austin Peay 96, Marshall 79

E. Car. 68, Citadel 67

E. Ky. 67, Morris Harvey 61

Louisville 78, Manhattan 71

Maryland 81, Fordham 56

Memphis St. 105, MWern Tex. 76

Morehead St. 76, Cal. 59

N. Car. 104, E. Tenn. 67

N. Car. St. 95, Mich. St. 75

Tulane 91, Miss. 88

UNC-Charlotte 78, Vanderbilt 61

Va. Commonwealth 102, Northeastern 81

W. Tex. St. 69, Jacksonville 59

SOUTHWEST

Abilene Christian 63, Texas Lutheran 57

Baylor 109, Lamar 79

Houston 96, La. Tech 72

Pan American 107, Rice 87

Texas 63, Fairleigh Dickinson 59

FAR WEST

Brigham Young 89, Weber St. 80

Cal-Bakersfield 105, St. Mary's 86

Cal-Davis 89, Cal Poly-Pomona 77

Gonzaga 76, Regis Col. 48

Idaho St. 88, Cal-St. Fullerton 69

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Major Cities In East, Midwest Losing Population

By JAMES E. WALTERS
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — San Diego and San Antonio, Tex., made the list of the nation's 10 largest cities for the first time on the basis of 1973 estimates, the Census Bureau said last week.

San Diego ranked 14th in the official 1970 census and ninth in the 1973 estimates. San Antonio was 15th in the census and 10th in the 1973 estimates.

Dropping out of the top 10 were Washington, which was 9th in 1970 and 12th in the 1973 estimates, and Cleveland, which went from 10th to 15th.

The 1973 estimates on a city-only basis were something new for the Census Bureau. It had done estimates previously for metropolitan areas but never within city limits, a spokesman said. The change was required by the federal revenue-sharing law, and the bureau provided estimates for about 38,000 cities.

The population estimates generally followed past trends, with older cities in the East and Midwest dropping in population. The bureau recently had reported finding the largest growth in state populations in the Southeast and West.

New York, in the 1973 estimates, had a population of 7,646,818, down from the 1970 official figure of 7,895,563, but it remained the nation's largest city.

The remainder of the top 10 list, in order, was:

2. Chicago 3,172,929, down from 3,369,357; 3. Los Angeles 2,746,854, down from 2,811,801; 4. Philadelphia 1,861,719, down from 1,949,996; 5. Detroit 1,386,817, down from 1,514,063; 6. Houston 1,320,018, up from 1,233,535; 7. Baltimore 877,838, down from 905,787; 8. Dallas 815,866, down from 844,401; 9. San Diego 757,148, up from 697,027; and 10. San Antonio 756,226, up from 707,503.

Washington had a population of 756,668 in 1970 and 733,801 in the 1973 estimates; Cleveland was 750,879 in 1970 and 678,615 in 1973.

In the ranking of metropolitan areas, which include a city's suburbs and sometimes combine parts of two states, the New York City-New Jersey metropolitan area was the nation's largest with a 1970 population of 9,973,577.

In some cases, metropolitan areas ranked among the largest included cities not on the top 10 list of individual cities. Neither San Francisco nor Oakland, Calif., for example, ranked among

the 10 largest cities in the 1973 estimates, but that metropolitan area was No. 6 in 1970 with a total of 3,109,519.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here is a list of the nation's cities with populations of 100,000 or more as prepared by the U.S. Census Bureau and ranked by population according to the 1973 estimate. After the name is the 1973 estimate followed by the actual 1970 count.

1. New York, N.Y., 7,646,818; 7,895,563.
2. Chicago, Ill., 3,172,929; 3,369,357.
3. Los Angeles, Calif., 2,746,854; 2,811,801.
4. Philadelphia, Pa., 1,861,719; 1,949,996.
5. Detroit, Mich., 1,386,817; 1,514,063.
6. Houston, Tex., 1,320,018; 1,233,535.
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8. Dallas, Tex., 815,866; 844,401.
9. San Diego, Calif., 757,148; 697,027.
10. San Antonio, Tex., 756,226; 707,503.
11. Indianapolis, Ind., 738,657; 742,925.
12. Washington, D.C., 733,801; 756,668.
13. Milwaukee, Wis., 690,685; 717,372.
14. San Francisco, Calif., 687,450; 715,674.
15. Cleveland, Ohio, 678,615; 750,879.
16. Memphis, Tenn., 658,868; 623,530.
17. Phoenix, Ariz., 637,121; 587,213.
18. Boston, Mass., 618,275; 641,071.
19. New Orleans, La., 573,479; 593,471.
20. St. Louis, Mo., 558,006; 622,236.
21. Jacksonville, Fla., 548,007; 528,865.
22. Columbus, Ohio, 540,933; 540,025.
23. San Jose, Calif., 523,116; 459,913.
24. Denver, Colo., 515,593; 514,678.
25. Seattle, Wash., 503,073; 530,831.
26. Kansas City, Mo., 487,799; 507,330.
27. Pittsburgh, Pa., 479,276; 520,089.
28. Atlanta, Ga., 451,123; 495,039.
29. Nashville, Tenn., 449,109; 447,877.
30. Cincinnati, Ohio, 426,245; 451,410.
31. Buffalo, N.Y., 425,101; 462,768.
32. Minneapolis, Minn., 382,428; 434,400.
33. Portland, Ore., 378,134; 379,967.
34. Toledo, Ohio, 377,423; 383,062.
35. Omaha, Neb., 377,292; 354,389.
36. Oklahoma City, Okla., 373,717; 368,164.
37. Newark, N.J., 367,683; 381,930.
38. Fort Worth, Tex., 359,542; 393,476.
39. Miami, Fla., 353,984; 334,859.
40. El Paso, Tex., 353,226; 322,261.
41. Long Beach, Calif., 346,793; 358,879.
42. Oakland, Calif., 345,880; 361,561.
43. Louisville, Ky., 335,696; 361,706.
44. Tulsa, Okla., 335,444; 330,350.
45. Tucson, Ariz., 307,551;

265,799.
46. Birmingham, Ala., 175,745; 135,060.
47. Austin, Tex., 291,214; 265,686; 300,910.
48. Baton Rouge, La., 289,734; 251,808.
49. St. Paul, Minn., 287,305; 271,922.
50. Charlotte, N.C., 284,738; 274,640.
51. Norfolk, Va., 283,064; 307,951.
52. Rochester, N.Y., 276,796; 295,011.
53. Tampa, Fla., 275,643; 277,714.
54. Albuquerque, N.M., 273,902; 243,751.
55. Sacramento, Calif., 267,483; 257,105.
56. Akron, Ohio, 261,520; 275,425.
57. Wichita, Kan., 261,231; 276,554.
58. Jersey City, N.J., 255,030; 260,350.
59. Richmond, Va., 238,087; 249,431.
60. St. Petersburg, Fla., 234,284; 216,159.
61. Dayton, Ohio, 214,377; 242,917.
62. Corpus Christi, Tex., 212,431; 204,525.
63. Virginia Beach, Va., 199,613; 172,106.
64. Des Moines, Iowa, 199,145; 201,404.
65. Yonkers, N.Y., 195,542; 204,297.
66. Grand Rapids, Mich., 190,696; 197,649.
67. Mobile, Ala., 188,531; 190,026.
68. Anaheim, Calif., 186,849; 166,403.
69. Fort Wayne, Ind., 185,486; 178,021.
70. Syracuse, N.Y., 184,710; 197,297.
71. Lexington, Ky., 184,603; 174,317.
72. Shreveport, La., 184,030; 182,064.
73. Knoxville, Tenn., 182,276; 174,587.
74. Flint, Mich., 181,684; 193,317.
75. Gary, Ind., 177,925; 188,398.
76. Warren, Ohio, 175,927; 179,260.

77. Colorado Springs, Colo., 175,745; 135,060.
78. Fresno, Calif., 174,882; 165,655.
79. Spokane, Wash., 173,971; 170,516.
80. Kansas City, Kan., 172,994; 178,561.
81. Worcester, Mass., 170,730; 176,572.
82. Providence, R.I., 169,931; 179,116.
83. Madison, Wis., 169,749; 171,809.
84. Salt Lake City, Utah, 152,344; 175,885.
85. Santa Ana, Calif., 167,905; 155,710.
86. Jackson, Miss., 163,924; 162,380.
87. Lincoln, Neb., 163,440; 149,518.
88. Columbus, Ga., 161,209; 167,377.
89. Springfield, Mass., 160,358; 163,905.
90. Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 155,605; 139,590.
91. Greensboro, N.C., 155,514; 144,076.
92. Riverside, Calif., 154,618; 140,089.
93. Lubbock, Tex., 153,752; 149,101.
94. Montgomery, Ala., 153,013; 140,102.
95. Tacoma, Wash., 149,420; 154,407.
96. Hartford, Conn., 148,526; 158,017.
97. Bridgeport, Conn., 148,337; 156,542.
98. Las Vegas, Nev., 144,333; 125,879.
99. Paterson, N.J., 143,372; 144,824.
100. Rockford, Ill., 142,173; 147,370.
101. Little Rock, Ark., 142,065; 132,483.
102. Huntington Beach, Calif., 140,706; 115,960.
103. Winston-Salem, N.C., 139,711; 133,683.
104. Chattanooga, Tenn., 137,957; 141,904.
105. Newport News, Va., 137,827; 138,177.
109. Huntsville, Ala., 137,750; 139,282.
107. Evansville, Ind., 136,165; 138,764.
108. Topeka, Kan., 136,059;

132,952.
109. Youngstown, Ohio, 133,452; 140,909.
110. Torrance, Calif., 133,318; 134,968.
111. Raleigh, N.C., 133,050;

123,793.
112. New Haven, Conn., 131,262; 137,707.
113. Erie, Pa., 130,084; 129,231.
114. Amarillo, Tex., 129,808; 127,010.
115. Lansing, Mich., 129,186; 131,403.
116. Glendale, Calif., 128,338; 132,664.
117. Springfield, Mo., 128,310; 120,096.
118. Hampton, Va., 128,119; 120,779.
119. Peoria, Ill., 127,898; 126,963.
120. South Bend, Ind., 122,004; 127,328.
121. Macon, Ga., 121,714; 122,423.
200. eah, Fla., 120,809; 102,452.
123. Garden Grove, Calif., 118,622; 121,155.
124. Fremont, Calif., 116,950; 100,869.
125. Hollywood, Fla., 116,864; 106,873.
126. Livonia, Mich., 114,922; 110,109.
127. Independence, Mo., 114,272; 111,630.
128. Stockton, Calif., 114,159; 109,963.
129. Beaumont, Tex., 112,620; 117,548.
130. Columbia, S.C., 112,164; 113,542.
131. Berkeley, Calif., 111,637; 114,091.
132. Albany, N.Y., 111,373; 115,781.
133. San Bernardino, Calif., 110,987; 106,869.
134. Waterbury, Conn., 110,698; 108,033.
135. Elizabeth, N.J., 110,303; 112,654.
136. Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 109,897; 110,642.
137. Orlando, Fla., 109,818; 99,006.
138. Portsmouth, Va., 109,295; 110,963.
139. Pasadena, Calif., 109,241; 112,951.
140. Alexandria, Va., 108,758; 110,927.

141. Allentown, Pa., 108,655; 104,786.
142. Canton, Ohio, 106,897; 97,774.
143. Lakewood, Colo., 106,476; 95,438.
144. Hammond, Ind., 106,383; 102,228.
145. Sunnyvale, Calif., 106,179; 95,976.
146. Savannah, Ga., 105,768; 118,349.
147. Ann Arbor, Mich., 104,791; 100,035.
148. Stamford, Conn., 104,651; 108,798.
149. Trenton, N.J., 104,156; 102,551.
150. Pueblo, Colo., 103,163; 97,774.
151. Durham, N.C., 102,328; 95,438.
152. Arlington, Tex., 102,228; 90,032.
153. Irving, Tex., 101,716; 98,961.
154. Parma, Ohio, 101,482; 100,216.
155. Garland, Tex., 101,099; 81,437.
156. Dearborn, Mich., 100,767; 104,199.
157. Camden, N.J., 100,171; 102,551.

Hardy Heads Alumni Drive

CHAPEL HILL — Dr. Ira Hardy has been named district chairman in the Advance Gifts Program for the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's Alumni Annual Giving (AAG) campaign for 1975-76.



DR. IRA HARDY

Dr. Hardy of 1709 W. 6th Street, Greenville, will direct the AAG advance gift effort in the following counties: Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Edgecombe, Gates, Halifax, Hertford, Hyde, Martin, Nash, Northampton, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Washington, Tyrell. He is a 1959 graduate of the University.

Last year, UNC alumni contributed \$322,565.25 to Alumni Annual Giving, the University's only restricted gift campaign. Advance gift solicitations resulted in \$184,753.00 of this total.

Since its beginning in the Fall of 1952, AAG has raised over \$3,888,000 for the University. AAG funds are chiefly allocated to campus programs not provided for by state appropriations. Money raised by the AAG is used by the University where most needed and in such areas as scholarships, distinguished professorships, faculty research and faculty travel.

EXTENDED WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR N.C.

Chance of showers Wednesday and Friday. Highs in the 40s ranging to low 50s along the coast. Fair on Christmas Day. Lows mostly in the 20s.

Farm Scene

By Henry C. Riddick,
Associate Agricultural
Extension Agent

This year many corn fields were infested with storage insect pests (for example, the granary weevil) prior to harvest. Grain placed into onfarm storage was frequently infested and in many instances the grain was not treated at the time of placement into the bins. Consequently, an above average number of bins will probably have to be treated or fumigated. Two possible treatments for controlling these pests are:

1) Treatment with methoxychlor or malathion — if grain can be transferred into an empty bin, treatment with one of these compounds can be accomplished during transfer of the corn from one bin to another. Use methoxychlor 50 per cent WP at the rate of 1 lb. to 3 gals. water; methoxychlor 25 per cent EC at the rate of 1 quart to 3 gals. of water, or malathion 57 per cent EC at the rate of 1 pint per 3 gals. water.

2) Treatment with fumigants — the chemical mixtures can be

purchased under various trade names (for example, Dowfume, Serafume, FCX Grain Fumigant, and others; when purchasing one of these materials be sure that they contain at least three of the following: ethylene dibromide, ethylene dichloride, carbon tetrachloride or carbon bisulfide).

Growers are urged to inspect their stored untreated corn regularly for possible infestation of insects.

Landowners should remember that applications for forest tree seedlings and wildlife cover plantings are still being accepted at the Extension Office. For further information, please contact the local office.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE GENERAL
COURT OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
North Carolina
County of PITT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF LILLIAN THOMPSON GATLIN
Having qualified as Executrix of
the Estate of LILLIAN THOMPSON
GATLIN, late of Pitt County, North
Carolina, this is to notify all persons
having claims against the estate of
said Lillian Thompson Gatlin to
present them to the undersigned
Executrix, or to the undersigned
Attorneys at Law, within six (6)
months from date of the first
publication of this notice or same will
be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate
please make immediate payment.
This 18th day of December, 1975.
QUEENIE TAFT
107 Beachwood Drive
Greenville, North Carolina 27834
Executrix of the
Estate of
Lillian Thompson Gatlin,
Deceased
GAYLORD, SINGLETON
& McNALLY
Attorneys at Law
P. O. Box 545
Greenville, N.C. 27834
Dec. 22, 29, 1975; Jan. 5, 12, 1976

NOTICE
Having qualified as Co-
Administrators CTA of the estate of
Bessie H. Edwards, late of Pitt
County, North Carolina, this is to
notify all persons having claims
against the estate of said deceased
to present them to the undersigned
Co-Administrators CTA within six (6)
months from date of the first
publication of this notice or same will
be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate
please make immediate payment.
This 4th day of December, 1975.
Robert Lee Edwards, Jr.,
Rt. 2, Box 256-H
Greenville, N.C. 27834
Martha Lee E. Buck,
Rt. 2, Box 250
Greenville, N.C. 27834
Co-Administrators CTA of the
Estate of
Bessie H. Edwards,
Deceased
Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1975; Jan. 5, 12, 1976

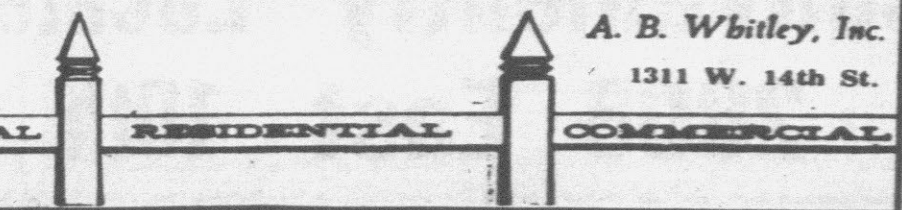
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
ENVIRONMENTAL
MANAGEMENT COMMISSION
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA
PUBLIC NOTICE
Of Receipt of an
Application for Funds
Under the Clean Water
Bond Act
Pursuant to Section 9(c) of the
North Carolina Clean Water Bond Act
of 1971, as amended, notice is given
that the Town of Farmville has
submitted an application to the
Environmental Management
Commission requesting a 25 per cent
State grant in the amount of \$4,090.
These grant funds are requested to
assist in the construction of ap-
proximately 1,200 linear feet of 8-inch
collection sewer and related ap-
purtenances to serve the Marlboro
Forest area. The total cost of the
project is estimated to be \$16,370.
Any State grant funds approved for
this project will be subtracted from
the remaining \$194,764 allocated to
Pitt County for wastewater collec-
tions systems under the Act.
Section 9(d) of the Act provides, in
essence, that any citizen who resides
in Pitt County may request a public
hearing on the application.
A request for a hearing and the
reasons for the request must be filed
with the Commission at P. O. Box
2787, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611
within fifteen (15) days of the date of
publication of this notice.
A. F. McRorie, Chief
Planning & Management Section
Dec. 22, 1975

Christmas Greetings

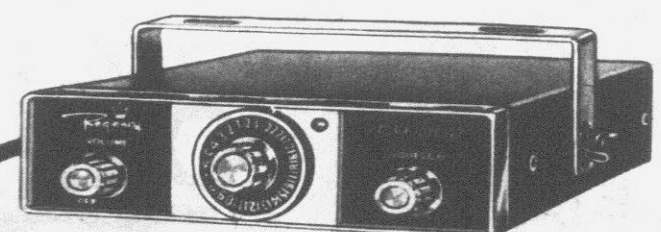


A.B. Whitley, Inc.

Will Be Closed Dec. 22 thru Dec. 27
For The Employees Annual Vacation.
Merry Christmas & Happy New Year



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Our new little radio fits in the tightest spots... the tightest budgets. But beneath that small exterior lies a lot of performance. All 23 channels are handled by advanced design solid-state circuitry. Comes complete with mounting

Announce Pitt Honor Students

The honor roll and principal's list for the second marking period in the Pitt County Schools have been released by the individual schools.

The schools and their honor students include:

Grifton School
Honor Roll—Jennifer Edwards, Roni Wilson, Lisa Chestnut, Julia Baldrée, Joey Kennedy, Diane Latham, Jay Mahoney, Gary Parisher, Nyoki Poythress;

Principal's List—Doug Coley, Andre Jones, David Lister, Wendy Shirley, Veronica Sutton, Fran Jarman, Sandra May, Quentin Warren, Pam Wheatley, Billy Wiggins;

Gail Nobles, Russell Tyndall, Jennifer Weatherman, Adrien Williams, Patricia Chamberlain, Tina Lyerly, Chuck Smithwick, Patsy Potter, Clarence Baker, Lynne Harris, Susan Howes and Kenneth Langston.

A. G. Cox
Honor Roll—Kimberly Carraway, Janet Little, Amy Gibbs, Susan Dunn, and David Miller.

Principal's List—Todd Hudson, Carolyn Pearsall, Ragan Spain, Jane Mellon, Wendy Westbrook, Bennie Grubbs, Jeff Durham, David Webb, Cindy Langley, Gene Jones, Beth Darden, Gail Evans, Lisa Allen, William Bridgett, Mary Rosetta Davis, Lonnie Smith, Kelly Moore, Amy Tyson, Sherri Waters, Stacie Hobgood, Henry Tate, Emory Vines, Gary Worthington, Elaine Barnes, Wendy Boyd, William Crowther, Kimberly Daniels, Pamela Manning, Michael Smith, Melonie Tyson and John Woodley.

Ayden-Grifton High School
Honor Roll—Richard Adams, Barbara Wright, Al Butts, Cindy Haddock, Gina Fleming, Gray Harris, Sharon Hart, Dawn Hollack, Hope Mullen, Jeannie Stocks, Lou Anne Baldrée, Lois Council, Tony Carraway, Betsy Gaskins, Linda Haddock, Patricia Garris, Peggy Harris, Mary Respass;

Principal's List—Linda Branscome, Holly Dennis, Barbie Edwards, Jeffrey Fussell, Mike Hardee, Nancy McRoy, Peggy Stocks, Patricia Tenpenny, John Theuring, Shirley Warren, Sandra Weatherman, Obe Worthington, Dee Wiggins, Jennifer Tyndall; Patience Bosley, Frieda Burch, Wanda Brady, Edna Denton, Lynne Harrison, Karen Hasely, Angela Nobles, Meneta Phillips, Sandra Worthington, Diane Taylor;

Gail Bowen, Guyla Corbett, David Creech, Kirsten Dale, Cathy Gaylor, Glenn Fleming, Larry Harris, Don Hughes, Rhonda Nobles, Teresa Jones, Pete Sparks, Paula Worthington; Mary Burton, Teresa Brown, Bruce Clements, Susan Demail, Tammy Cannon, Ned Craft, Dennis Carter, Beulah Hawkins, Connie Holland, Chris Howes, Brenda M. Roundtree, Katherine Ormond, Stanley Mitchell, Sandra McLawhorn, Robin Owens, Judy Manning, Vickie Reynolds, Chris Riggs, Celena Petty, Marge Schutte, Chris Schutte, Trudy Trip, Jo Ann Sutton, and Elmer Albritton.

Falkland Elementary
Principal's List—Gina Windham, Wade Corbett, Sarah Newton, Tammy Moore, Loras Manning, Denise Frizzelle, Melody Parker, Anita House, Jo Ann Gorham and Linda Hardy.

H.B. Suggs School
Honor Roll—Martha Ward Britt, Sara Beth Fulford, Kelly Redden Hobgood, Marc Edward Holsenback, Angela Felicia Liverman, Sandra Virginia McLawhorn;

Angela Cash, Gina Gray, Gary Hobgood, Valerie Huggins, Rhonda Walston, Melanie Kue, Scott Little, Melissa Owens, Michael Owens, Jay Tyson, Pam Vandford;

Ginger Bailey, Barry Deans, Karen Liverman, Martha McNair and Lynn Pollard.
Principal's List—Virginia Ann Joyner, Tammy Simpkins, Carmalinda Tyson, Teresa Ann Cotton, Thomas Wiley Mayo III,

Peggy Michelle Allen, Samantha Faye Baker, Bobbi Carol Corbett, Carla Dawn Edwards, Christopher Paul Edwards, Rufus Junior Everette, Nor-torsha Genezan Graham, Anita Lorraine Joyner, Robby Drake Joyner, Phil Wade Lewis, Louise McGaughey, Bobbie Dean Roebuck, Wanda Michelle Suggs, Mary Elizabeth Warren; Teretha Moye, Mary Lisa Meeks, Gerald Wilson, Dianne Parker, Lynn Allen, Timmy Barrett, James Carr, Bobby Carraway, Lisa Cayton, Vickie Ellis, Sonny Fisher, Robert Killebrew, Kim Owens, Kim Rouse, Martha Satterthwaite, Mary Stoddard, Jennifer Walston, Alan Wooten, Kim Wooten, Lydia Worthington; Eddie Jones, Angela Suggs, Hattie Joyner, Elaine Tripp, Danny Vickers, Renee Brock, Charlene Foreman, Annie Fulton, Stuart Gordon, Jeffery Joyner, Debra Padgett, Julia Smith, Sandy Tripp, George Bateman Jr., Anita Collins, Lyverne Dixon, Claude Howard and Mary A. May.

Farmville Middle
Honor Roll—Christy Tugwell, Lewis Yelverton, Debbie Cowan, Ellen Albritton and Lynn Chappellear;

Principal's List—Al Newborn, Pebbles May, Melba Corbett, Gladys Ellis, Barbara Hardison, Greg Hardison, Joni Tyson, Mully Tyson, Tommy Wheatley, Susan Holsenback, Jeffery Johnson, Kimberly Johnson, Peggy Dwyer, Kim Cotton, Jonsi Braxton, Wendy Ellis, Tammy Everette, Tommy Holloman, Janice Howard, Yvette Jefferson, Donna Johnson, Carolyn

Newton, Melinda Williams.

Stokes Elementary
Honor Roll—Tammy Beacham, Lisa Cannon, Kim Moore, Pamela Moore, Robert Briley, David Purvis and Phyllis Barnhill;

Principal's List—Melody Harrington, Dayna Parr, Climmie Strickland, Sharon Ward, Darin White, Nathaniel Harris, Olinka Little, Elyn Warren, Calvin Spruill, Roy Roebuck, Sheila Bland, Susan Kirkman, Sonya Clemons, Woody Leggett, Patty Roebuck, Paula Stillely and Mickie Ward.

G.R. Whitfield School
Honor Roll—Judy Boyd, Kim Tripp, Gena Buck, Kay Heath. Principal's List—Debbie Adams, Dawn Adler, Cheryl Cole, Angela Haddock, Alisha McLawhorn, Kevin Rodgers, Georgia Boseman, Alice Harrison, Adriann Howard, Lisa Moore, Cheryl Thompson, Martha Harding, Trudy McGowan, Lynn Stokes, Eddie Suggs, Wanda Venters, Teresa Cross;

Mark Dixon, Valerie Gatlin, Michele Knox, Jeffrey Manning, Angela Martin, Gwen Nichols, Britt Buck, Jonathan McLawhorn, and Lori Tripp.

Farmville Central
Honor Roll—Shelby Bradshaw, John Lawrence, Bill Skinner, Martha Bennett, Allison Turnage and Joan Hardison;

Principal's List—Joan Anderson, June Andrews, Libby Braxton, Wendy Ellis, Tammy Everette, Tommy Holloman, Janice Howard, Yvette Jefferson, Donna Johnson, Carolyn

Joyner, Terry Mashburn, Veronica Mayo, Eric Pierce, Gay Strickland, Christie Rogers, Rose Tyson, Beth Turnage, and Larry Williams;

Charles Davis, James Dixon, Diane Evans, Doris Jean Harris, Sellers Lawrence, Ruth Parker, Louis Peaden, Jerry Rackley, Billy Von Schrlitz, Margaret Yelverton;

Gayle Flanagan, Leroy Mercer, Barbara Tripp, Ricky Vandford, Liz Hunt, Susan Lawrence, Melody Moore, Warner Rackley, Jerry Smith, Veledia Smith and Calvin Williams.

Chicod Elementary
Honor Roll—Monica Fornes, Stacie Haddock, Monika Avery, Melinda Miller, Eleanor Avery, Sherry Coward, Karen Lloyd, Jolinda Rouse, Douglas Roberson and Amy Manning.

Principal's List—Jo Lynn Hardee, Tina Haddock, Willard Haddock, Anita Lloyd, Vonda Stokes, Phillip Evans, Michelle Kittrell, Lynn Page, Denise Wall, Jenny Williams, Timmy Smith, Todd Rouse, Kim Haddock, Patty Henderson, Brenda Adams, Helen Bunting, Denise Coward, Tina Dennis, Suzanne Wilson, Maria Jones, Terry Mills, Angela Buck, Carl Arnold, Joy Hardee, Terri Spencer, Kristy Hardee, Fran Spain, Lisa Mills, and Donna Hooks.

Stokes-Pactolus School
Honor Roll—Angeline Ward, Teresa Moore, Jane Harrison, Starla Singleton, Donna Brown;

Principal's List—Helen Hooks, Michael Drake, Pauline Hardy, Kellye Parr, Danny Smith, Tricia Tripp, Janet Leggett, Jackie Barnhill, Jackie Johnson, Cynthia Clark, Tammy Lee, Brenda Morris, Felicia Gilbert, Frances Lunsford, Donna Robinson, Marilyn Little, Patricia Midyette, Tina Briley, Louvenia Clemons, Milton Hardy, Renaye Vernelson, Jeff Jones, and Teresa Edmondson.

North Pitt

Honor Roll—Tommy Corbett, Boyce Johnson, Bentley Jones, Lenwood Chris Jones, Deborah Everette, Geneva Holder, Paul James, Rita Rowe, Mitchell Kenneth Smith, Joyce Whisenant and Deborah Wynne;

Principal's List—Donald Barker, Cynthia Barnes, Angela Bowers, Kathy Chauncey, Jason A. Garris, Gregory Keel, Paula Morris, Susan Williams, Russell Clift, Annette Cogdell, Chris Coltrain, Carolyn Doughtie, Hunter Edwards, Nancy Fuchs, Teresa Morris, Mable James; Crystal Allen, Delores Allen, Debbie Baker, Kim Dupree, Joyce Hines, Samuel Mayo, Steve Whitehurst, Linda Dixon, Joy Lynn Forbes, Maggie

Virginia Harris, Nancy Lewis, Patricia Morris, Pam Simpkins and Jimmie Sue Spain.

Pactolus Elementary

Honor Roll—Melanie Robinson, Andrea Wynne and Leslie Shackelford;

Principal's List—Danny Anderson, Kimberly Briley, Sheryl Brown, Virginia Hardy, Tammy McLawhorn, Veveca Pulliam, Lisa Ross, Phyllis Matthews, Lisa Sawyer, Gay Singleton and Teresa Whitehurst.

Bethel Elementary
Honor Roll—Angela Jones, Elwood Ayers, Keith Coltrain, Annie Ruth Gaynor, Chris Ayers, Margaret Cherry and Martha Rollins.

Principal's List—Brenda Dixon, Wendy Bristow, Angela Briley, Linda Manning, Lu Anne Keel, Phyllis Hines, Mary Tad Carson, Roy Briley, Susan Carson, Connie Dupree, David Price and Clay Clark;

Lynn Allen, Scott Staton, Terry Lynn Pritchard, Linda James, Deven Spear, Emily Smith, Sera Deans, Leslie Brown, Eddie Ballard, Scarlett Leigh Wright, William Kenneth Whitehurst, Lee Manning, Terry Louis Hines, Christine Marie Clift;

Jamie Elaine Hardy, Daniel Keel, Paige Lilley, Eric Vernelson, Janice Andrews, Johnny Ray Moore, Jessie Purvis, Clemon Earl Thomas, and Sarah Everette.

TV Log

WNCT-TV Ch. 9

MONDAY	12:30	Search For
7:30 Truth Or	1:00 Young And	
8:00 Make A Deal	1:30 World Turns	
8:30 Rhoda	2:30 Guiding Light	
9:00 Phyllis	3:00 All in Family	
9:30 In Family	3:30 Match Game	
9:30 Maude	4:00 Lucie Show	
10:00 News	4:30 Betman	
11:00 Med. Center	5:00 Gunsmoke	
11:30 Movie	6:00 News	
TUESDAY	6:30	News
6:00 Car. Today	7:00 Truth Or	
8:00 Morn. News	7:30 Hollywood Sqs.	
8:30 Kangaroo	8:00 Oral Roberts	
10:00 Price Right	9:00 MASH	
11:00 Gambit	9:30 All in Family	
11:30 Love of Life	10:00 Switch	
11:55 Graham Kerr	11:00 News	
12:00 News	11:30 Movie	

WITN-TV Ch. 7

MONDAY	12:00	News Noon
7:00 Pam Affair	12:30 Three Money	
7:30 Trees Hunt	12:55 NBC News	
8:00 Basketball	1:00 Somers	
8:30 News Spec	1:30 Days of Lives	
11:00 News	2:00 Doctors	
11:30 Tonight	3:00 Another Wid.	
TUESDAY	5:30	Cartoon
5:30 Country Car.	6:00 Switched	
6:00 Almanac	6:30 NBC News	
7:00 Today	7:00 Farm Affair	
7:30 News	7:30 Name Tune	
8:25 News	8:57 News Update	
8:30 Today	9:00 MASH	
9:00 Mike Douglas	9:30 Pol. Women	
10:00 Sweepstakes	10:00 News	
10:30 Fortune	10:30 Forrester	
11:00 High Roll	11:00 News	
11:30 Hollywood	11:30 Tonight	

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

MONDAY	1:30	Deal
7:30 Truth	2:30 Pyramid	
8:00 Coast	3:00 Rhyme	
9:00 Football	3:30 Hospital	
12:00 News	3:30 Life	
TUESDAY	6:30	News
6:30 Zoo	6:30 News	
7:00 Morning	6:30 Mavrick	
8:00 Morn. News	7:30 Truth	
9:00 Montage	8:30 News	
10:00 Girl	8:30 Days	
11:00 Concentration	9:00 Rookies	
11:00 Night	10:00 Welby	
11:30 Days	11:00 News	
12:00 Showoffs	11:30 Wide World	
12:30 Children	1:00 News	
1:00 Ryan's		

WUNK-TV Ch. 25

MONDAY	5:30	Elec. Co
7:00 Piano	6:00 Carre	
7:30 Cooking	6:30 Your Future	
8:00 Firing	7:00 Guitar III	
9:00 Jazz	7:30 Christmas	
10:00 Oneida	8:00 Cendie. Carol	
TUESDAY	9:00	Big Band
4:00 Mls Rogers	10:00 Woman Alive	
4:30 Sesame St	10:30 Women	

FORECAST FOR TUESDAY, DEC. 23, 1975

Your Daily HOROSCOPE

from the CARROLL RIGTER INSTITUTE

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Only through the unexpected will you be able to accomplish important matters at this time. It is best to hold off making any important decisions until tomorrow.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Schedule your time wisely so you can do the things you had planned. Stop talking so much and get more done.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Make the right plans for enjoying the coming holidays. Try to please mate by being helpful. Strive for happiness.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Any problems at home can be solved in the minimum of time by acting wisely. Take the risk out of any new project ahead.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Use extreme care in motion while you are shopping. Handling any communications will require precision now.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Be sure to spend your money wisely so you won't come up short later on. Discuss the coming new year with an expert.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Study yourself well and get rid of any flaws you may have. You can easily become a more popular and happy person.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) There are many small jobs for you to do, so stop procrastinating. Be ready to make a fine impression on others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) You could be in a scrappy mood which could only lead to trouble, so forget any errand impulses. Express happiness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Make sure you keep promises where credit affairs are concerned. A higher-up may be irate, so tread gently.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Make sure you study every phase of a new project before putting it in operation. Show others you have common sense.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Use good judgment instead of relying so much on your intuition, which could be erroneous today. Sidestep an argument.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Get busy doing the work you promised to an associate. Steer clear of one who has been acting in a most unfriendly way.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be able to figure out many problems, so be sure to give the finest education you can so that there can be real success in this chart. Don't neglect ethical training. There could be a leader in this chart.

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GOREN BRIDGE

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Q.1—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K8 ♥K10762 ♦Q54 ♠832

The bidding has proceeded:

West North East South

1 ♠ Dble. Pass 1 ♥

Pass 2 ♣ Pass ?

What action do you take?

A.—Bid four hearts. You were almost worth a jump to two hearts at your first turn, so now you must make up for your initial conservative action. Partner must have a very good hand since he is prepared to play at the two-level opposite a bust. With three working cards, a ruffing value and a good five-card suit, you have ample values to proceed to game.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠9 ♥AQ76 ♦AKJ652 ♠83

Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with one spade. What action do you take?

A.—Double. A mere overcall of two diamonds does not do your hand justice, and could easily result in missing a good four heart contract. If partner responds in clubs, you can correct to diamonds, implying that either you have a strong diamond one-suiter, or that your take-out double was based on a red-two-suiter.

Q.3—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠AQ76 ♥AQ95 ♦62 ♠K74

The bidding has proceeded:

East South West North

1 ♠ Dble. Pass 1 ♥

Pass ?

What action do you take?

A.—Pass. Don't be carried away by your excellent trump support. Remember, you have forced partner to bid and he might have next to nothing. You have a fine 16-point hand, but that wouldn't be enough for game opposite a partner who could not jump the bidding. After all, partner might have the hand in question 1, which would give you very little play for game.

Q.4—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K87 ♥AKJ65 ♦A84 ♠72

The bidding has proceeded:

East South West North

1 ♠ Dble. Pass 1 ♥

Pass ?

What action do you take?

A.—Bid two hearts. While your heart support is most impressive, don't let it dazzle you. Your hand is worth 17 points at hearts, and therefore justifies a move toward game. However, a jump to three hearts shows a much stronger hand. If partner can't act over a simple raise, you won't miss game.

Q.5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K87 ♥AKJ65 ♦A84 ♠72

The bidding has proceeded:

East South West North

1 ♠ Dble. Pass 1 ♥

Pass ?

What action do you take?

A.—Your hand is a better than minimum opening bid but not enough to make you wax enthusiastic. You have a choice between rebidding your diamond suit or bidding one no trump. It is our opinion that it is more important to show partner your heart stopper than to convince him that you have a good five-card minor suit.

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1. Isaac —, violinist
6. Oculitism
12. Grandma's brooch
13. Counting frame
14. Land held in fee simple
15. Safekeeping of goods
16. Tennis
17. Live
18. Twitching
19. Muse of poetry
22. Community
25. Italian river
27. Merry-andrew

DOWN
2. Piece of gossip
3. Behave
4. Color
5. Refusal
6. Anchor tackle
7. Section of the Mishna
9. Mimosa
10. Square sail
11. Enzyme
15. Hunting dog
17. Foreleg
20. Sun god
21. Tankers
22. Cue
24. Time units: abbr.
25. Wash for gold
26. Crude metal
28. Mention
31. Mounted gun
33. Twice: prefix
36. Velvet with flattened pile
38. Stroll
40. Wharf
43. Name for Athens
44. Office furniture
45. Pretentious
46. Bolivian Indian
47. Fodder plant
48. River island
50. College degree: abbr.

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Young Thieves Get Christmas 'Penalty'

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—Children at two juvenile facilities will have a better Christmas party this year because of Judge Richard Jenkins' sentence against two youths charged with robbing a market.

Earlier this year, the juvenile court judge ordered the two youths to find jobs and contribute \$250 each to a party for children at the Tennessee Preparatory School and the Clover Bottom Development Center, a mental health facility for children.

The two boys, now 17 and 18, had been charged with using a toy pistol in holding up the market. They could have been bound over to an adult criminal court on armed robbery charges or sent to a corrections facility for youths.

"I sort of sized them up as kids who made foolish mistakes and put them on probation," Jenkins said. "They agreed that by December they would have earned \$250 each and that they would bring it to court to be used for Christmas parties for the underprivileged."

He said both of the youths came from stable homes and had good attitudes. "They said they were very sorry for the robbery and they wrote letters of apology to those involved."

The success of the sentence has prompted Jenkins into considering similar action more often in the future.

"A lot of people may say they should have been locked up," the judge said. "But you have to look at their records and backgrounds and see if they made a mistake or if they are hardened criminals."

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Raleigh, N.C.
Executor of the Estate of Elizabeth S. Walker, Deceased.
Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1975; January 5, 1976

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JOHN R. JENKINS, JR.
ADMINISTRATOR C.T.A.
ESTATE OF
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DECEASED
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Aulander, NC 27805
Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1975; Jan. 5, 1976

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County of Pitt
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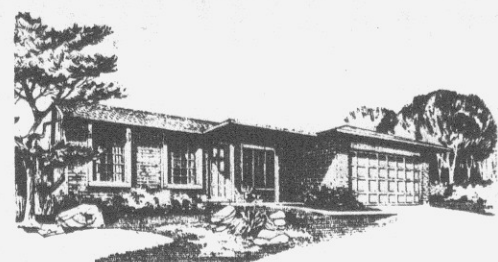
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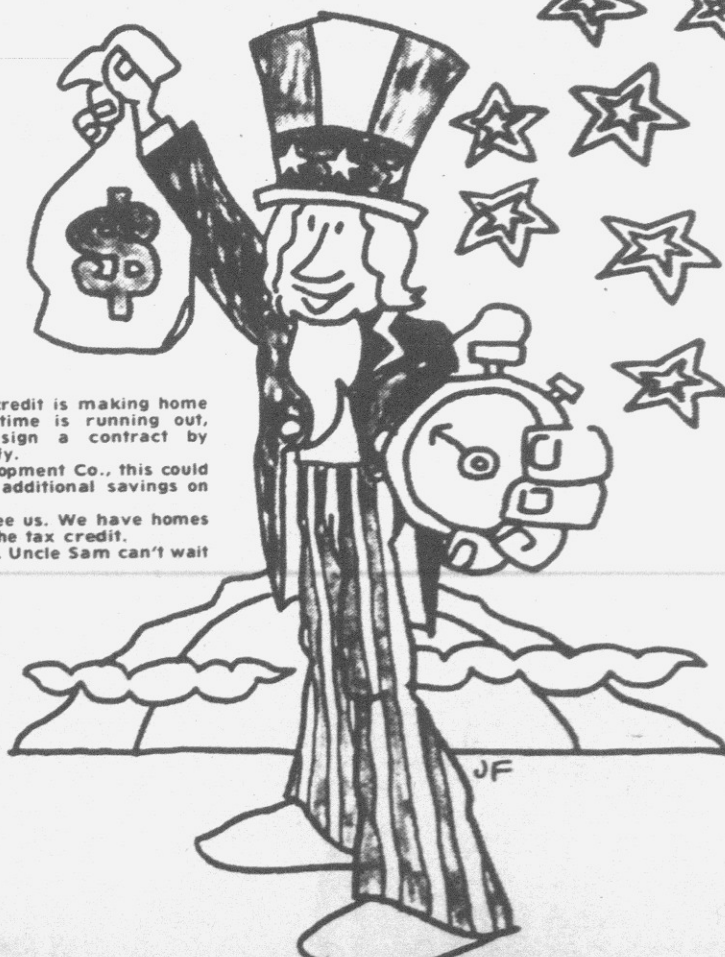


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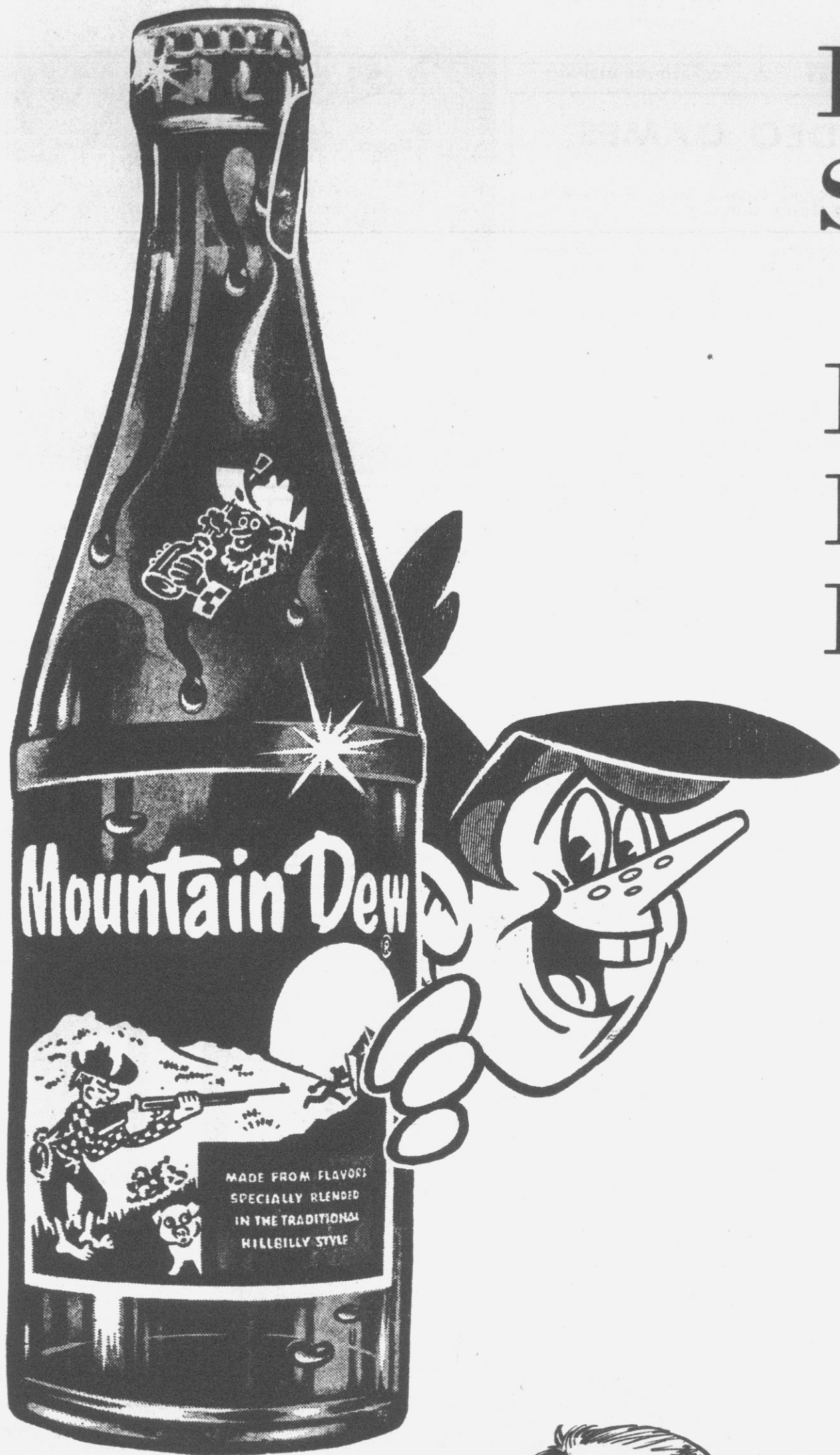
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