

New Budget \$19.4 Billion Higher

President Carter's Budget Revisions

DEPARTMENT	COST	CHANGE
Legislative Branch	\$1.1 Billion	NC
The Judiciary	\$400 Million	NC
Executive Office of the President	\$100 Million	NC
Funds Appropriated to the President	\$5.3 Billion	+\$1.3 Billion
Dept. of Agriculture	\$14.6 Billion	+\$2.2 Billion
Dept. of Commerce	\$4.2 Billion	+\$2.3 Billion
Dept. of Defense - Military	\$118.9 Billion	-\$2.8 Billion
Dept. of Defense - Civil	\$2.6 Billion	MC
Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare	\$162.2 Billion	+\$1.1 Billion
Dept. of Housing and Urban Development	\$39.2 Billion	+\$9.5 Billion
Dept. of Interior	\$3.6 Billion	-\$100 Million
Dept. of Justice	\$2.3 Billion	MC
Dept. of Labor	\$26.6 Billion	+\$6 Billion
Dept. of State	\$1.4 Billion	MC
Dept. of Transportation	\$13.3 Billion	+\$300 Million
Dept. of Treasury	\$55.7 Billion	+\$4.7 Billion
Energy Research and Development Administration	\$7.8 Billion	-\$100 Million
Environmental Protection Agency	\$5.3 Billion	MC
General Services Administration	\$300 Million	MC
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	\$4 Billion	MC
Veterans Administration	\$19 Billion	+\$900 Million
Other Independent Agencies	\$32.9 Billion	+\$1.8 Billion
Total	\$507.3 Billion	+\$26.8 Billion

NC—No Change MC—Minor Change

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter today asked Congress to increase 1978 spending by \$19.4 billion above what former President Gerald R. Ford proposed, saying the money will pay for "important first steps" toward fulfilling his promises to the voters.

But Carter said the proposed 1978 federal budget "is essentially still President Ford's budget" because he has not had sufficient time to change it completely.

But he said that in changing Ford's budget, "Proposals have been rejected that would have needlessly added to the burden on the elderly and those who depend upon Medicare, Medicaid and food programs."

Carter proposed increasing spending to \$459.4 billion in fiscal 1978, compared with the \$440 billion Ford recommended. There would be a budget deficit of \$57.7 billion, which is \$10.8 billion more than Ford recommended.

Spending in fiscal 1977, the current year, is now estimated at \$417.4 billion, with the deficit at a record \$68 billion.

Most of the changes to the Ford budget were expected. Carter scrapped Ford's plans to cut food stamps, child nutrition programs, Medicare and Medicaid, public works programs and unemployment benefits.

He also rejected Ford's proposals for a \$10-billion tax cut, replacing it with his own tax cut and jobs program that would total an estimated \$31 billion over two years.

He trimmed defense spending by about \$350 million from Ford's request for fiscal 1978 and proposed cutting back on authority for defense spending after 1978 by about \$2.7 billion.

Outlays for defense under Carter's plans would total \$111.8 billion, compared with Ford's \$112.3-billion proposal. Carter would increase spending for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare to \$161.7 billion, compared to the \$159.4 billion recommended by Ford.

There would be a cutback in production of the controversial B1 bomber to five planes, instead of eight, and development of the Air Force's new M-X super-missile would be slowed as would development of the Army's advanced attack helicopter.

Production of the F15 aircraft would be reduced from 108 to 78 planes.

But Carter's budget document said, "Despite these reductions, the revised request permits real growth in the resources devoted to strategic programs, although at a slower rate than proposed in January" by Ford.

Carter deleted \$268 million in proposed spending for 18 water resources development projects for 1978, a proposal that already has raised a storm in Congress. Although the projects were not listed, they are known to include the massive Central Arizona Project.

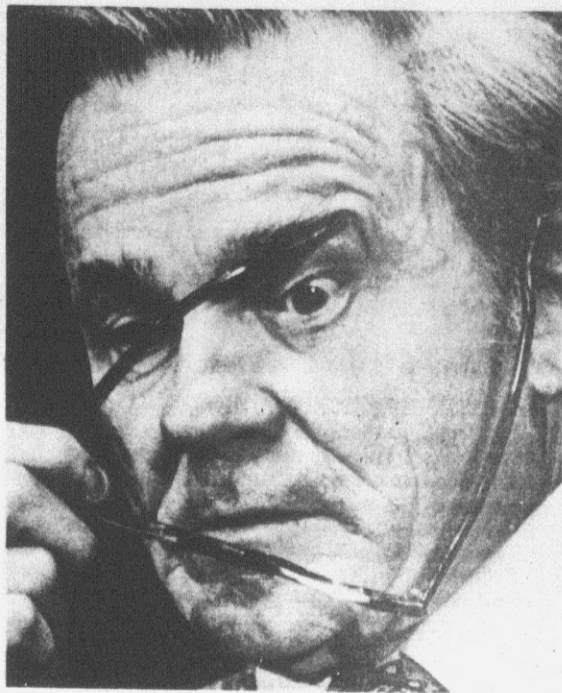
But Carter indicated spending for some of the projects could be restored later. The budget said the administration is "reviewing projects that may be

environmentally or economically unsound or potentially dangerous." New recommendations will be made when the review is completed, the document said.

Carter proposed extending the 26-week supplemental unemployment insurance program through the end of the year so that unemployed work-

ers can continue to qualify for up to 52 weeks of jobless benefits. Beginning in 1978, the program would gradually be reduced to its original 26 weeks by March of that year. The extended program is now scheduled to expire in March of this year.

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EYING THE BUDGET — Charles L. Schultze, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, rubs his brow with frame of his eye glasses as he briefs reporters on Pres. Carter's budget proposals. (AP Wirephoto)

School Board Acts Open Facilities To Public Use

The Greenville City School Board passed a resolution Monday night that endorsed the idea of making the recreational and meeting facilities of the Greenville City School System available to the citizens of Greenville and Pitt County.

The resolution is an action that might be worked out by the Greenville City Schools

and the Governing Boards and Recreational Departments of Pitt County and Greenville.

The board received a report from Superintendent of Greenville City Schools, Glenn Cox, about a meeting that was held with Pitt County School Superintendent Ott Alford concerning the school bond issue. According to

Supt. Cox Supt. Alford said that a consensus of the County Board of Education is that it is willing to consider entering a joint bond issue with the city schools. The superintendents agreed that

the amount of money that was given to the Greenville City Schools last year above the pro rata share will not be included in the amount of the bond issue. Supt. Cox, Greenville

School Board Chairman, Henry Dunn, Supt. Alford and Pitt Board of Education chairman Mark Owens will meet to agree upon an amount to request for a bond issue after Supt. Alford sup-

plies the city school board with a list of the county schools' needs.

The board received a copy of House Bill 201 which has been introduced to the N.C. General Assembly by

representatives Horton Rountree and Sam Bundy concerning the election of Greenville City School Board members.

A published evaluation of the enrichment classes in the city schools was presented to

the board. The publication which was written by Joyce Huguélet, Susan Lanier, Joyce Costne, Ann Davis and Sara Den, was sponsored by Parents for the Advancement (Continued on page 2)

Urges Business Play Role In Gom't

By SUSAN QUINN
Reflector Staff Writer

Congressman Walter B. Jones challenged business leaders and members of the chambers of commerce in the first Congressional District to get involved with government at a First Congressional Preview Conference hosted by the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce in Greenville Monday.

"I challenge you business leaders to get involved with the government. Look into the programs and make good use of your resources. Don't sit idly by until the effects of the programs meet you. We need your input," Congressman Jones said.

"I am delighted to see a group that has so much influence with the community to become acquainted with the problems of government. I see the business leaders with much at stake. Too often I see people who say I can't afford to get mixed up with politics. If we aren't going to get involved then who is?" the congressman added.

Congressman Jones was one of the guest speakers at the conference which was held to initiate plans of forming a Congressional Action Committee among the 12 chambers of commerce in the First Congressional District. Sponsoring chambers included the following: Behlaven Community, Carteret County, Edenton, Elizabeth City, Farmville, Kinston-Lenoir County, Murfreesboro, New Bern-Craven County, Outer Banks, Greater Washington, and Williamston Chamber of Com-

merce.

Congressman Jones told the chamber members that he is pleased at the efforts of the chambers of commerce to form a congressional action committee so that he can depend on their recommendations to reflect the views of the businessmen in the district which he represents.

"If you will have members of each chamber organize a committee with one district chairman. He can notify me about your position and I can assume that you represent the region," Congressman Jones said.

Asked about the relationship that the Congress is having with the new President, Congressman Jones said that President Jimmy Carter allows the Democratic Congress an area of compromise.

"We won't rubber stamp everything that he suggests, but there will be an area of compromise that we did not have with our previous President. There have been a few minor slip-ups that Carter has made but this just shows that he is not completely familiar with the Washington level yet. I do believe that the honeymoon will last at least eight to 10 months and then we may be faced with more disagreements," Congressman Jones said.

Congressman Jones said that he would like to see progress in the 95th Congress toward better health growth, better farm programs, the attraction of industries which are good corporate citizens and the elimina-

tion of much of the red tape involved in the government.

Other guest speakers at the conference included the following: James A. Morrissey, Secretary of the Energy policy Committee of the American Textile Manufacturers Institute; J. Marcus Leger, Legislative/Political Affairs Manager for the Southeastern Division of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Frank Melton, Legislative/Political Affairs Manager of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce for Virginia, Maryland and North Carolina.

Morrissey told the business leaders that it is necessary to keep the energy conservation methods voluntary.

"We must keep the energy conservation methods voluntary. Businesses and industries must do a better job of conserving and letting the government and others know what they are doing," Morrissey said.

"The government's comprehensive energy plan that should be presented by April 20 will consider deregulation of gas prices and give a special emphasis to the conservation of energy. It is necessary for us to sell the government on the fact that we have an economic incentive in energy conservation and that we mean business," he added.

A video tape on the major issues concerning the chambers of commerce which will be presented in the 95th Congress was shown. The film listed the following as major issues to be considered: (1) the national

economy with an emphasis on more jobs, a permanent or temporary tax cut, additional public service jobs and special youth conservation programs; (2) in business regulations the consideration of federal corporate charters, lobbying regulations, consumer class actions, and

energy conservation; (3) election laws that would allow for federal subsidies for congressional elections, increase federal subsidies for presidential elections, and post card voter registration; (4) energy and environmental legislation that allow for a comprehensive con-

servation of energy plan, a comprehensive clean air bill, and the consideration of forming the Department of Energy and Natural Resources, and land use control legislation.

Leger commended the area (Continued on page 2)



DISCUSS CHAMBER INVOLVEMENT — Following the dinner meeting of the First Congressional Preview Conference, Congressman Walter B. Jones, right; Frank Melton of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, left; and Malcolm Howard, Chairman

of the Congressional Action Committee of the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce, center discussed the chamber's involvement with upcoming legislation. (Reflector photo by Susan Quinn)

Supreme Court To Study Reverse Discrimination

By RICHARD CARELLI
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today agreed to decide whether a school's special admissions program benefiting blacks and other minorities discriminates against whites.

The court's eventual decision could affect the future of all such affirmative action programs undertaken by schools and businesses throughout the nation in the last decade.

These programs have been hailed by some civil libertarians as means of overcoming past

discrimination.

The justices agreed to hear the appeal of the University of California at Davis Medical School from a ruling that its special admissions policy is a kind of reverse racial discrimination.

The California Supreme Court ruled last October that the medical school's policy of admitting 16 "special students" — blacks, Mexican-Americans and American Indians — over higher qualified white students was unconstitutional.

"The question is perhaps the most important

equal protection issue of the decade," attorneys for the U-C regents told the court. "It lies at the core of the country's commitment to real equality of opportunity for all of its citizens."

Allan Bakke, a 36-year-old white civil engineer who twice was turned down for admission to the med school, sued the regents. He claimed, and was never challenged by the university, that he would have been included in the school's 100-student entering class in 1973 or 1974 if the special admissions policy was not maintained for the minority students.

The policy, begun in 1969, was established to

"increase opportunities in medical education for disadvantaged citizens." But the university never offered an explanation of "disadvantaged" and never admitted a white student under its special policy.

Bakke charged that the admissions policy was nothing more than a racial quota.

The Supreme Court postponed the effect of the state court's order dismantling the admissions program pending appeal by the university. Now the policy will remain in effect until the high court's decision.

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Hotline gets things done for you. Call 752-1336 and tell your problem or your sound-off or mail it to Hotline, The Daily Reflector, Box 1967, Greenville, N.C. 27834.

Because of the large numbers received, Hotline can answer and publish only those items considered most pertinent to our readers. Names must be given, but only initials will be used. Transcribing is done once a day.

NO ANSWER

My grandmother was a member of the Oneida Council No. 47 of Pocahontas in Ayden. She kept her dues paid and had always believed that she had death benefits of \$500 that would be paid for her burial. She died in August. We have been told since then that she did not qualify for these benefits, that she was too old when she joined to have participated in this program. Among her papers is a little book given her when she joined, dated 1934, explaining the rules of Pocahontas. This book states that a person cannot be more than 50 years old to be covered by the death benefits. We understand she joined in 1938 when she was 48 years old. They now say a person cannot be over 45 to participate. We'd like to know why they took my grandmother's money all those years if she was not qualified. A. B.

Hotline first talked to a local officer of the Improved Order of Redmen, of which Pocahontas is an auxiliary. He advised that we contact Mrs. Pauline Hurd of Cramerton, secretary of the Death Benefits Department, and he gave us her address and phone number. We wrote to her in early January. When our letter had not been answered more than a month later, we called her. She told us then that she had been instructed by the Board of the Death Benefits Department of the Improved Order of Redmen not to answer Hotline's letter. She would say only that the Death Benefits Department deals only with the Councils of the Order, never with an individual and that all your answers must come from the Keeper of the Records of your late grandmother's Council. You say you have talked with this person already and that while your family is not satisfied, you have decided to give up on collecting the amount you feel your grandmother was promised.

Field Day For Trivia Lovers In The U.S. Senate

C-of-C Membership Drive Is Begun At Morning Meeting



MEMBERSHIP KICKOFF HELD — Chamber of Commerce Members and guests held a Membership Drive Kickoff Tuesday morning. Douglas Starr, left and Janice Buck, second from right, will serve as co-chairmen of the membership drive. Also pictured at

the Kickoff ceremonies are Frank Melton of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, right and Dr. Ray Minges, membership volunteer, second from left. (Reflector photo by Susan Quinn)

By **SUSAN QUINN**
Reflector Staff Writer

Approximately 50 volunteers and special guests met Tuesday morning to kickoff the membership drive of the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce.

Frank Melton, of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce told the volunteers that the key to the membership drive is to sell an investment.

"The Chamber of Commerce is not a charitable organization.

We want the members to invest in the program of work. Millions of dollars of manpower hours will be put into the program of work outlined by the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce. Historically this has not been a good area showing good effort for the Chamber of Commerce. This group's effort is the first in this area. You must show what the chamber is doing reflects the business interest in the area," Melton said.

The slogan of the Chamber's

Membership Drive is "The Greencoats Are Coming". Volunteer members will obtain a green blazer and other prizes for attaining new memberships in the Greenville Area Chamber.

Tuesday, volunteers will dedicate their entire day of work toward the goal of attaining new memberships for the chamber. The goal set for 350 new members. The membership drive will continue until March 22. Tuesday night volunteers will meet again to tabulate new

memberships received during the day.

Volunteer members will be visiting area businesses who are not presently members and past members during the next month. The 1977 Program of Work will be presented to prospective members and further information about the chamber's activities will be presented.

For further information contact the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce at 752-4101.

By **DONALD M. ROTHBERG**
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States Senate, often labeled the world's greatest deliberative body, starts late in the day, quits after less than seven hours and prefers not to work weekends — or Mondays or Friday either, for that matter.

A taxpayer-funded Commission on the Operation of the Senate spent 15 months and \$500,000 delving into the work habits of the Senate and recommending changes. It published its findings in a 49-page booklet with a ponderous name unlikely to make anyone's best seller list.

But the "Legislative Activity Sourcebook: United States Senate," may emerge as prime reading for trivia lovers.

Some glimpses:

—The Senate was in session 1,180 hours and 45 minutes in 1975, an average of 6 hours and 38 minutes for each day it met.

—Most sessions were on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and the fewest were on Friday.

—Only a dozen times all year were senators called on to meet

before 9 a.m. On 54 occasions, the Senate convened at noon, or later.

—On 15 occasions, the Senate day ended before 2 p.m. But more often sessions lasted until between 4 p.m. and 7 p.m., and 26 times, the Senate didn't finish for the day until after 8 p.m.

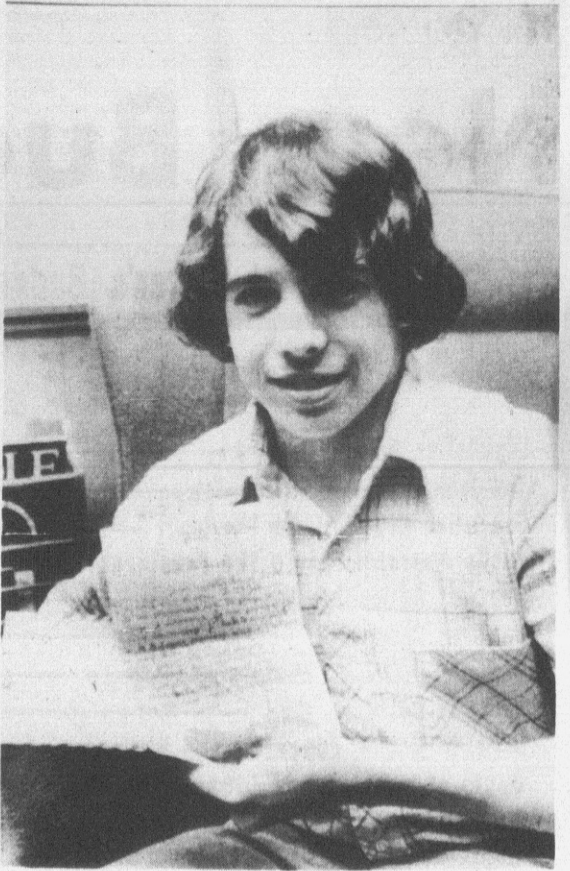
The report also studied the operation of Senate committees, where legislation is hatched. It found that not all committees are equal.

For example:

—The Appropriations Committee, which considers budgets for all government departments and agencies, met 318 times, the most of any panel.

—The Joint Committee on the Library, scarcely a workhorse, chose a Friday in November for its only session of the year. Report writers omitted what business was transacted.

—Ditto the Joint Committee on Printing, which got together on a Monday in February, and the Joint Committee on Congressional Bicentennial Arrangements, which found time for its only meeting on a Thursday in September.



TRANSATLANTIC CORRESPONDENCE — Philip Brown, 15, of Erie, Pa., displays letter he received from two nine-year-old girls on the Ile de Groix, France, on the coast of Brittany. The letter was in answer to a message in a bottle that he launched on April 1, 1975 while on vacation in the Cayman Islands in the Caribbean. (AP Wirephoto)

Justices Won't Ban Using Funds

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today refused for the second time to ban the use of federal money for abortions not necessary to save the life of the mother.

The justices refused to interfere, for the time being, with a federal court's ruling that the government must continue paying Medicaid funds for elective abortions.

The court's action means a law recently passed by Congress prohibiting the use of such funds cannot be enforced pending review by the justices of one of several appeals stemming from the lower court's decision that the new law is unconstitutional.

The Supreme Court last Nov. 8 refused to block the payment of Medicaid funds on the same basis as reimbursements are made for costs of pregnancy and childbirth-related services.

Two senators and a congressman who unsuccessfully tried to have the funding temporarily blocked back in November, in essence, tried again.

Former Sen. James Buckley, C.N.Y., and Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., and Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., sought the temporary cutoff of federal funds.

U.S. District Judge John F. Dooling in Brooklyn, N.Y., struck down as unconstitutional the funding ban passed by Congress, and ordered the Department of Health, Education and Welfare last October to continue paying such benefits.

Dooling ruled that such a law denied poor women equal protection under the law, effectively taking away from them abortion as an alternative to childbearing while wealthier women continue to enjoy the options.

In appealing Dooling's ruling, the legislators said he had usurped the constitutional power of Congress.

Earlier this month, the Carter administration's new HEW secretary, Joseph Califano, filed an appeal with the Supreme Court asking it to overturn Dooling's decision.

The law was successfully challenged before Dooling by New York City's Health and Hospitals Corporation, Planned Parenthood of New York City, a physician who performs abortions and a 24-year-old pregnant woman.

The Supreme Court in 1973 ruled that women have the right during their first three months of pregnancy to decide whether to continue their pregnancy or have an abortion performed.

Warm Welcome Given Trudeau

By **FRANCES LEWINE**
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau is finding friendly informality and backing for the Canadian confederacy during his two-day visit with President Carter.

Carter welcomed Trudeau on the Washington's Birthday holiday and after ceremonies and private talks the Carters honored the Canadian leader and his wife at a formal state dinner.

Carter's 9-year-old daughter, Amy, attended the state dinner and read two books at the

table.

Trudeau and Carter conclude their official White House talks today on topics ranging from fishing rights and trade to cooperation on energy resources.

The separatist movement in Quebec has been a topic of conversation, and the prime minister was expected to discuss that issue in a speech to a joint session of Congress late today.

Carter, meanwhile, expressed his personal preference "that the confederation continue" in Canada.

"The stability there in Canada is obviously of importance to us," Carter said in an interview with a Canadian journalist just before Monday's state dinner. "If I were making my own preference, it would be that confederation continue."

In a champagne toast, Carter thanked the Canadian people for helping out during the U.S. shortage of natural gas. He joked that "they exported some of their cold weather, but they followed it up with natural gas."

Tanzania Says Amin Personally Shot, Killed Captive Churchman

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (AP) — The Tanzanian government's newspaper claims that Ugandan President Idi Amin personally shot and killed Anglican Archbishop Janani Lumum during an interrogation.

In a report attributed to a special correspondent in Kampala, the Ugandan capital, the Daily News said Amin killed the prelate after he repeatedly refused to sign a confession admitting he plotted with former President Milton Obote to overthrow the Ugandan dictator.

The newspaper said Lumum's body was dumped in Lake Victoria along with those of cabinet ministers Erinayo Oryema and Charles Oboth-Otumbi, who were also accused of taking part in the plot.

Amin claims that the archbishop and the two cabinet ministers died in an automobile crash last Wednesday after their arrest. The widespread belief abroad that the three men were murdered prompted an announcement by Radio Uganda on Monday that Amin would welcome an investigating delegation from any foreign government.

The Tanzanian newspaper's report said after Archbishop Lumum was arrested in Kam-

pala, he was taken to Nakasero Lodge where Amin and several officials were waiting for him. It said after the archbishop repeatedly refused to sign the confession, he was stripped and pinned to the floor.

"Two soldiers in turn whipped the archbishop," the account continued. "While they did so the archbishop uttered prayers, but the prayers seem to have incensed Amin for he angrily shouted wildly in extremely obscene language and struck the archbishop."

Shortly after 8 p.m., the newspaper continued, there were "very bizarre, sacrilegious and obscene activities during which Amin pulled out his pistol and shot the archbishop twice on the left side of the chest."

Lumum's predecessor in Kampala, the Rt. Rev. Leslie Brown, said in London that he had been told by someone in Uganda who saw the archbishop's body that there was a bullet hole on each side of the chest and "he also had been shot in the mouth."

Relations between Tanzania and Uganda have been bad since Tanzanian President Julius Nyerere gave Obote refuge after Amin ousted him in

January 1971 while Obote was on a visit to China. About 1,000 supporters of Obote invaded Uganda the following year, and

Amin's forces, after driving them out, struck back with air raids on two towns in Tanzania.

Many Want A Four-Day Week

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — A four-day work week for state government employees was ordered by Gov. James B. Hunt as an austere answer to the energy shortage, but a move is afoot to keep it beyond this month.

Many employees are disgruntled about the 10-hour work days and 30-minute lunch "hours," but the reaction of other employees has been a far cry from weeping, wailing and gnashing of teeth.

"I'm more eager to go back to work after three days off," said Peggy Ball, a library technical assistant in the Department of Community Colleges, who joined two other married women in drafting the petition.

"I can do more things and don't feel like my work days are so broken up with family errands," she said.

The petition began circulating

Wednesday, but only about 100 signatures had been collected Monday, Mrs. Ball said.

"It doesn't call for any specific day off," she said. "It just says we're appreciative of the governor's efforts to save energy and we would like to see it continued through the summer."

Hunt said Monday he had not thought seriously about making the schedule change permanent and some employees hope he never will.

One man said he wakes his children in the morning to say goodbye because they already are asleep when he comes home.

But Mrs. Ball said she would gladly keep the longer working days.

"I'd trade that for having the whole day off on Monday," she said.

C-of-C Meeting

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chambers for their efforts in forming a congressional action committee and noted that it is one of the best ways to express the views of the business leaders of an area.

"Business leaders' positions can be made effective through your Chamber Congressional Action Committee. Committee objectives should be to be informed, aware, meet regularly and develop credibility to represent points of view," Leger said.

Melton told the chamber members that their representative's views can make a difference in legislation and cited U.S. Chamber's record of involvement with Congress.

"In the 94th Congress the U.S. Chamber of Commerce was able to help pass 66 per cent pro-business legislation, failed on 18 per cent and partially won and lost 16 per cent. Many of the tools needed by a district Congressional Action Committee are available through the U.S. Chamber office," Melton said.

He listed numerous directories and publications through which

area chamber members may secure from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

"The members of the chambers of commerce have the right to manage and the right to profit and with these ideas we should pursue legislation," Melton said.

Approximately 125 Chamber of Commerce members from the 12 chambers of commerce in the first Congressional District attended the afternoon discussions and the dinner meeting. Special guests included mayors and city officials from each of the towns.

Pet Cat Said 30 Years Old

PLYMOUTH, Ind. (AP) — Cats may have nine lives, but a specimen here is taking her time with the first one.

Katherine Garn says her pet, Christie Bell, is 30 years old, and Plymouth veterinarian Robert Lindsey backs up the story.

For a cat to live to be 30 is like a human living to 180, Dr. Lindsey said. Understandably, Christie Bell has begun slowing down.

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Penny-Pinching Marks British Food Shopping

By GAIL GREGG
LONDON (UPI) — Thirteen London housewives, muffled against the early morning chill, waited patiently in line at an outdoor market to buy eggs at 40 pence (68 cents) a dozen, a saving of 12 to 15 pence (20-25 cents) over the price in stores.

"I don't mind standing out in the cold for a little bit of saving," said May Smith. "When you're a pensioner you practically live on eggs."

At a supermarket around the corner, other women grimly studied prices, picked through cuts of meat and searched shelves for the cheapest canned foods.

One found inflation's latest evidence at the dairy counter: "Twenty-seven pence (50 cents)," she fumed, examining a small package of cheese spread. "I paid 21 pence (35 cents) last Saturday."

"It's absolutely shocking," said Angela Owen, choosing store-brand marmalade instead of an advertised brand. "Every time I come in the prices have gone up."

A note of desperation is creeping into British housewives' voices. Once they viewed food price increases as irksome but not insurmountable. Now many are plainly worried.

"I just don't think many women can really keep up," said Celia Burt, a London housewife and mother of two. "Now we can't have fresh meat much."

"Fresh vegetables — I buy the cheapest I can find. And puddings are a thing of the past."

Lord Trenchard, president of the Institute of Grocery Distribution, looks to the future with horror: "Feeding the nation at a price it can afford is more doubtful than it has ever been in my lifetime. It is going to be very, very difficult."

A government-imposed wage freeze on the nation's already low salaries makes coping even harder.

Financial experts estimated that in 1976 the average housewife needed a five-pound-a-week (\$8.50) increase in her budget to keep pace with inflation. She didn't get it.

Last year looked good compared with the forecast for 1977. Food subsidies by the government, sometimes in conjunction with the Common Market, are nearing an end for commodities that every Briton purchases.

Tea and butter subsidies already have been phased out. Those on cheese, milk, flour and bread are due to lapse this year, adding one pence (1.7 cents) each to the price of a loaf of bread, a pound of flour and a pint of milk and three pence (5 cents) each per pound of cheese.

Margaret Green, 76, said she and her husband have coped with food price increases by eating "little but good."

"The likes of us working people have got to look around to save money," she said. "I always try to have some meat, but it's less than before, pork chops one day, bacon or sausages the next."

Mrs. Burt said she's "cooking a lot more casseroles and things."

A Kilburn housewife said she did the same: but "... my kids complain about casseroles and stews and want the convenience foods they're used to."

Linda Zanrev, an Aberdeen housewife with two children, said:

"You sort of think before you go out and buy things these days. You write a list and keep to it."

One York housewife said she saves "by only buying loss leaders (specials) at a variety of shops, and that changes all the time. But it seriously runs into a lot of money: four pence here (6.8 cents) two pence (3.4 cents) there."

British housewives lack the newspaper grocery advertisements with specials and money-saving coupons to which Ameri-

can consumers are accustomed. Bulk packaging that helps large American families make ends meet is practically nonexistent.

Inflation-beating stockpiling is an alternative available only to families with large enough incomes. Most can afford an extra jar of instant coffee or granulated sugar only when a few extra pence turn up in their weekly budgets.

Filling freezers with bulk-purchased meat and vegetables is becoming more popular. But like stockpiling, it is far from common. Most home freezers are small.

And many British housewives still insist that frozen food isn't healthful. They prefer to buy fresh meat and produce daily.

British love of tradition also keeps one increasingly expensive commodity on Sunday dinner tables:

"We still eat our big roast (beef) on Sunday," Mrs. Green said. "When you've always been used to it, you just have to have it."

Gardening Skills Featured At Club Meet

The Greenville Garden Club met Friday morning at Aycock Junior High School.

The program was planned by the local Garden Therapy Committee. Club members shared their gardening knowledge and skill with the handicapped persons by helping them actively participate in gardening activities.

Mrs. H. C. Klingenschmitt, chairman, taught the class on potting house plants and how to care for them.

Teachers assisting were Miss Diana Pearson and Ben Harrington, and student teacher, Miss Ellen Wagner, and teacher aides, Mrs. Nan Smith and Miss Merle Jenkins.

Future plans with this group of students and teachers include working with them in landscaping the court by their classrooms.

Luncheon was served by several club members. Mrs. Thelma Harris gave the invocation and Mrs. Paul Davenport, president, conducted a business session.

Mrs. Klingenschmitt, chairman, announced the officers for the new year:

Mrs. J. C. Galloway, president; Mrs. John Coughlan, first vice president; Mrs. J. A. Carrington, second vice president; Mrs. Marshall Helms, third vice president; Mrs. Richard Forrest, treasurer; Miss Eunice McGee, parliamentarian; Miss Maud Moore, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. R. E. Corbett, recording secretary and reporter.

Course Offers Meat Expertise

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — "A piece of meat doesn't just appear on the shelves of a supermarket," says Dr. Roger Locandro, who teaches Rutgers University students about how it gets there in a course, "Interesting and Edible Meats."

"There's a whole process to it that few people have ever seen."

"We take a hog, for example, from pen to plate in this course," says Dr. Locandro, the associate dean of instruction at Cook College, the state university's agricultural and environmental oriented undergraduate unit.

A live hog is purchased from the Cook College farm, slaughtered and prepared in various ways.

"We make our own Italian sausage, kielbasa, smoked ham, bacon and other foods and consume all we produce. Every time we meet, we eat," Locandro said.

The one-credit minicourse also covers poultry, wild game, lamb and fish, and instruction is given in skinning, boning, carving and filleting, as well as care of cutlery.

If you keep some fruit sherbets on hand in the freezer and some liqueurs in a cupboard, you'll have fine desserts for guests. Lemon sherbet is delicious with a topping of creme de menthe; orange sherbet with an orange-flavor liqueur; and pineapple sherbet takes to either the creme de menthe or the orange liqueur.



Separates Know No Time Limit

FROM LATE DAY through evening, simplicity of silhouette and vibrantly colored silk fabrics make these separates dramatic at any time. At left, turquoise silk blouse with Peter

Pan collar tucked into matching drawstring pants that focus on a neat center bow. At right, generously cut tunic is worn over classic pleated trousers. (Fashions by Alice Blaine.)

Arabella Churchill: 'She's Giving Squatting A Bad Name'

By ROBERT MUSEL

LONDON (UPI) — It takes a lot to beat a Churchill as Sir Winston proved in World War II. But then he was only fighting the Axis nations.

Sir Winston's granddaughter, Arabella, is battling a more enduring opponent, the palate of the British working class.

Arabella, most unconventional of the Churchills, recently took over an empty restaurant in a decaying street called Bristol Gardens, whose residents are largely squatters in derelict buildings. She reopened it with a vegetarian menu.

Took over is the right phrase for she is herself simply squatting in the building, both as restaurateur and as occupant of a couple of grubby rooms above it. The Greater London Council has announced it will evict her — someday.

Arabella's original idea was to supply wholesome food, mostly fruit, vegetables, eggs and dairy products, and give the profits, if any, towards an adventure playground.

The residents, longtime strangers to folding money, liked the prices — 30 to 70 cents — but they tended to jab suspicious fingers at, say, quiche lorraine, on the blackboard menu and demand: "What's that?"

"What they really want," confided a bearded, French kitchen hand named Doudu, "is fish and chips and shepherd's pie (chopped meat and mashed potatoes)."

The other day Arabella was struggling with the problem of how to keep open without constantly tapping her mother, June, who put up the original 200 pounds (\$340), for additional finance.

"I have only a small income from a private trust," she said,

looking a little older than her years and a lot older than the handsome blonde she was 10 years ago when she was Debutante of the Year and her name was linked with Prince (now King) Carl Gustav of Sweden and others in the social or financial stratospheres.

She stunned her friends then by giving it all up to go on a "spiritual journey" to Thailand to study eastern philosophies and to visit leper colonies in Africa whose cause she promoted for a while. She shocked them again by marrying schoolteacher James Barton and moving with him to a small remote farm with few modern conveniences.

They are separated and she has custody of their three-year-old son, Jason.

Arabella learned to cook while working with a firm that sets up stages for rock concerts. She toured with a Rolling Stones show cooking for the stage hands. She is a director of the company and if anything happens to the restaurant, she will go as cook on a tour of the United States with another pop group later in the year.

Tears fill her eyes when she talks of her fight against the threat of eviction and how revelation of the background of Mrs. Barton has kept her from being completely accepted by her customers.

"The people in the street are no longer trusting me," she said. "They are calling me Churchill."

One of those who makes a point of calling her by her

family name is Piers Corbynn of the Camden Squatters Association.

"She's giving squatting a bad name," he complained. "It's hardly necessary for a member of a family which owns Blenheim Palace, among many other properties, to be squatting."

Arabella, barefoot at the moment, looked mistily through the plate glass window to the peeling houses across the street.

"I just wish the squatters would accept me as one of their own," said the granddaughter of one of Britain's immortals, the cousin of the Duke of Marlborough, the half-sister of one of the country's brighter political hopes, Winston Churchill, M.P.

Sorority Members Hear Guest Speaker

Members were urged to volunteer to help with the Special Olympics, when Rose Marie Priestley spoke to the Alpha Omega Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority on the Pitt County Association for Retarded Citizens.

Members were also reminded of the special services offered by ARC, such as the Adult Developmental Activity Program, speech therapy, trainable classes and the testing programs for various problems at the Developmental Evaluation Clinic.

The meeting was held Thursday night at the home of Barbara Woods. Louise Spain, president, presided.

Hazel Lovett reported on a Valentine party given by ESA at the ADAP Center Monday.

It was announced that a bowling and pizza party will be held Feb. 26. Plans were discussed for a Rock-a-Thon and bake sale to be held in April.

ESA's State Council meeting will be held March 5 in Reidsville and several members of Alpha Omega plan to attend.

Lucille Moore was welcomed as a guest.

At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck



At midnight on New Year's eve, my friend and I put our left hand over the phonebook, raised our right hand and solemnly swore that from this day forward we would no longer gossip about our friends, so help us Rona Barrett.

We have not carried on a conversation longer than a minute and a half since.

The other day I couldn't stand it. "You know what's wrong with

you?" I snapped. "You're a boring, shallow, uninteresting person."

"I hope you said that with love," she smiled wryly.

"I am sick of being good. Thanks to you I have lost all of my friends. How do you think I feel, sitting there around viciousness and not being able to join in? I feel like someone clipped my tongue."

"Look," she said, "we agreed if we couldn't say anything nice about anyone, we'd say nothing."

"Exactly. Do you know what it's like to sit around and talk about static electricity from your pantyhose for three months?"

"We didn't agree not to discuss anyone. We just said we'd have to present them in a good light. Now, let's try to carry on a conversation. Did you hear they gave a surprise birthday-party for Kay last week?"

I thought for a moment. "Did she show up for it?"

"Yes, why?"

"I'm glad. The poor dear hasn't shown up for her last eight birthdays. But she is a good mother. We saw her in church last Sunday with her children."

My friend measured her words carefully. "For that she should be canonized. If the Good Lord had meant for Kay to take her children to church, He would have put a job at the end of every pew."

"True. I hear she's very happy about her pregnancy."

"Who wouldn't be? She's almost assured of a PTA presidency with her 27 years experience."

"Yes, wonderful, wonderful Kay. She could find fun laundering dust balls."

"Speaking of dust, have you heard from wonderful Ethel lately? I do admire anyone who can sort the priorities in her life and put them in perspective. Is she still playing the ponies?"

"I think so. You know we've been talking for 10 minutes or so and not once have we been vicious. You see how easy it is not to talk about our friends?"

"Yeah, but next year it's going to be harder. We're going to include the word, 'whisper.'"

Cooking Is Fun

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor
LIGHT SUPPER
Steak Sandwiches
Deep-fried Eggplant

Fruit Salad Beverage
DEEP-FRIED EGGPLANT
Good, too, as a party snack.
Medium eggplant, about 1 pound

1/2 teaspoon salt
1 egg white
1 cup flour
1/2 cup milk
Peanut oil

1 teaspoon ground cumin
1 teaspoon onion salt
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper

Pare eggplant; cut in half lengthwise and then into 1/2-inch wide slices; sprinkle with salt; set aside for 15 minutes; pat dry with paper towels. Beat egg white until stiff. Without washing beater, thoroughly beat together the flour, milk, 1-3rd cup water, 2 tablespoons peanut oil, cumin, onion salt and cayenne; fold in egg white.

Dip eggplant into batter; shake off excess. Fry a few slices at a time in deep, hot (375 degrees) peanut oil, turning over, until golden-brown — 2 to 3 minutes. Drain on brown paper. Keep hot in a warm oven until all slices are fried. Serve at once. Makes 6 servings as an accompaniment to a main dish, 12 servings as a snack.

THE PURPLE TULIP
Nuts
It's non-alcoholic.
2 cups grape juice
1 cup cranberry juice
1 pint raspberry sherbet

In an electric blender whirl together until smooth the grape juice, cranberry juice and sherbet. Pour into glasses and garnish, if you like, with twists of lemon. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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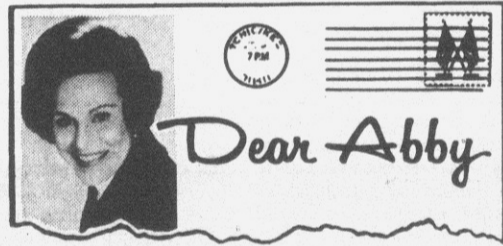
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Tiny Earring Causes Dispute In Family

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: A rather unique problem has risen in our family. My sister is marrying a fellow who wears a tiny gold earring in one ear lobe. He was wearing it when Sis met him, and she claims it has never bothered her.

The problem is our mother. She wants Sis to ask her fiancé to take the earring off for the wedding. Sis has refused.

Abby, that one little earring, no larger than a pinhead, has split our family in two. Half the family thinks Sis should ask her fiancé to leave the earring off for the wedding, and half say she shouldn't. How would you vote?

PERPLEXED IN ONTARIO

DEAR PERPLEXED: I personally think he has the right to wear whatever he wishes.

For Abby's new booklet, "What Teen-agers Want to Know," send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (24¢) envelope.

DEAR ABBY: You seem to come up with some pretty good answers for people. Now try me. I'm dating a nice guy and we're planning on getting married soon. The problem is that he comes up with what some people might call kinky ideas on sex. Some I like, and some I don't.

Now he says he would love to see me bald! And he wants to cut my hair and shave my head himself. He thinks it would be very sexy, and would really turn him on.

I don't like the idea. To me it sounds repulsive, and I think I'd look ugly. He says if I go along with the idea, he will buy me lots of wigs, and if I don't like being bald I can let my hair grow back. But what will I do if he likes me that way permanently?

Have you or anyone else ever heard of this? Or have I got a weirdo?

MS. NO NAME

DEAR NO NAME: I'd say you've got a weirdo. Don't go along with any idea you find repulsive.

DEAR ABBY: Please don't throw this away, thinking it's too dumb to answer, because I need some advice. I'm a 22-year-old guy who is about to become engaged. What do I do first?

Should I ask the girl, and if she says yes, do I ask her father? Or should I ask her father first, and if he says yes, ask the girl? What if the girl says yes and her father says no?

Should I wait to see if the girl says yes and then ask her father before I buy the ring? Or should I buy the ring first and have it in my pocket when I ask the girl? What if I buy the ring, and the girl says no?

BILLY VERN: NASHVILLE

DEAR BILLY VERN: Don't buy a ring until you ask the girl. If the girl says no, you won't need a ring, and you won't have to ask her father. If she says yes, ask her father. If he says no, and the girl is legal age, you don't need her father's consent. If the girl is under age, you have a problem. If the father says yes, ask the girl to help you pick out the ring. And good luck!

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Ayden Personals

Mrs. Burris Pierce has returned from visiting relatives in Florida.

Mrs. Lola Basden has been a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Edwards are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards in Monroe.

Heber Vandifore is a patient in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Lulu Tripp celebrated her 90th birthday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tripp spent the weekend in Ramseur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gwynne left during the weekend to make their home in Wilmington, Del.

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Carter's Federal Budget Is \$19.4 Billion Higher

(Continued from page 1)

Carter proposed holding down the rising cost of health care by putting a ceiling on the annual increases in hospital bills. The budget said a 9 per cent ceiling, for example, could save the government \$695 million in

medicare payments and \$134 million in Medicaid, plus \$1.6 billion for insurance companies and individuals.

"The Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare would

establish the precise limits after consultation with the states, health and insurance industries, purchasers and consumers of health services," the budget said.

There would be significant changes in outlays for housing assistance. The number of additional subsidized housing units to be assisted in 1977 would be increased from 235,800 to 400,000, which would increase outlays by \$70 million in 1978.

The change would require an additional \$9.6 billion in budget authority for 1977, with the money to be spent in future years.

Carter also proposed an increase of \$27 million in public housing operating subsidies for 1977 and 1978 to offset higher utility costs from the severe winter this year.

The President eliminated \$650 million in proposed start-up spending for former Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller's project for an Energy Independence Authority that would help finance energy projects. The plan was dead in Congress anyway.

But Carter did propose increased funding for environmental and energy conservation programs and a shift in energy research and development costs, totaling \$304 million, away from nuclear research to other energy sources.

Total spending for natural resources, environment and energy would increase to \$20.5 billion in 1978, up \$1.4 billion over Ford's request.

Carter's budget proposals are still subject to change by Congress, which will begin holding hearings almost immediately. But many of the changes he proposed, such as in restoring spending levels for food stamps and child care, were changes Congress probably would have made anyway.

The budget predicts unemployment will average 7.1 per cent this year and 6.3 per cent in 1978, compared with Ford's projections for a jobless rate of 7.3 per cent this year and 6.6 per cent next.

Carter's target for economic growth is for average growth in the nation's Gross National Product of 5.4 per cent both this year and next, compared with Ford's target of 5.2 this year, and 5.1 per cent in 1978.

Actual GNP growth this year should be about 6 per cent, the budget said.

But the budget said that the over-all adverse impact on the economy from the severe winter should be "relatively moderate and temporary" and that the economy should regain later in the year most of the ground lost during the winter months.

Local Businesses Operating On Their Normal Schedules

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

A survey of most large retail and food stores in the Greenville area indicates that businesses are resuming their normal operating schedules but are following Gov. Jim Hunt's order by heating the businesses to 62 degrees for 48 hours a week and turning back the thermostats to 55 or lower at other times.

The A&P, Overton's, Winn-Dixie, Harris' and Big Star are

all back to their normal operating schedule. But officials of those firms indicate that the heat in the buildings is set at 62 degrees for 48 hours and lower the remainder of the time.

Penney's, Belk-Tyler's, Nichols, Kings and Clarks are also back to their normal hours. And the heat in those businesses has also been cut back.

In fact, officials at Nichols' Discount Center said rather than their heat being cut back, they

have cut their heat off completely, noting that the heat generated by interior lighting and by the sun forces the temperature up to 75 degrees at mid-day.

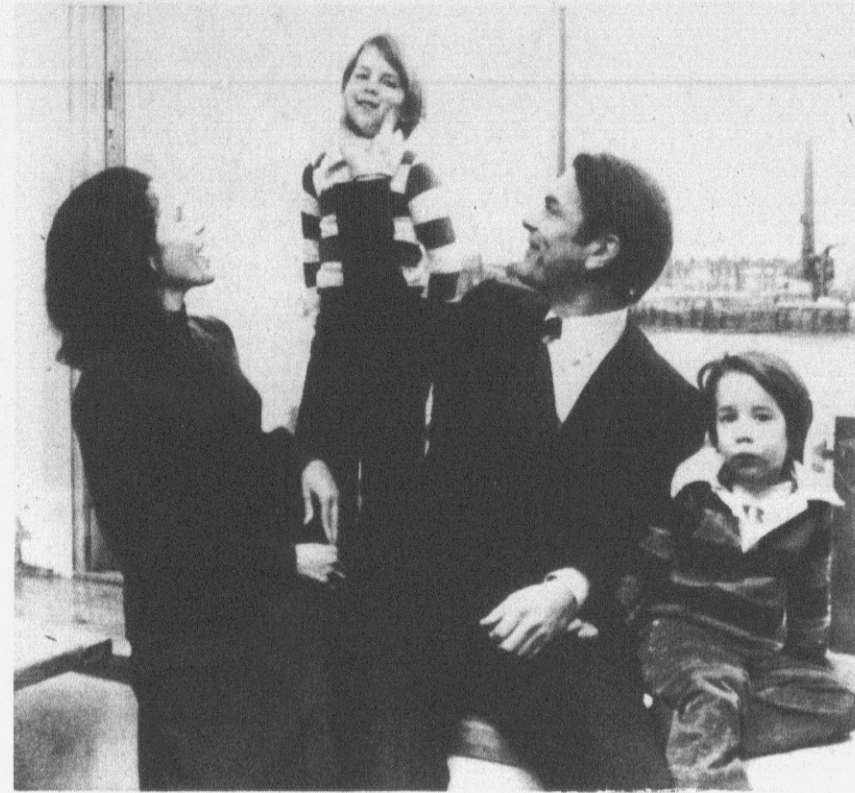
It's cool in the mornings and cool at night, but during the day, workers and customers are comfortably warm, they noted.

Brody's, both at Pitt Plaza and Downtown was the only retail store contacted which had not

returned to the regular hours. The Downtown Brody's still opens a half-hour later — at 10 a.m. rather than at 9:30, while the Plaza store is opening at 12 noon and closing at 8 p.m. to help conserve energy.

Both Brody's store maintain 62 degree temperatures during their 48 hour work week and lower the temperature at other times.

Young Physician Given Foreign Secretary Job



FOREIGN SECRETARY — Dr. David Owen, 38, who last night became the youngest British Foreign Secretary since Anthony Eden in a Cabinet shuffle, playfully encourages his eldest son, Tristan, 6, to smile for the cameras when he met the press with his wife, Debbie, and youngest son, Gareth, 4, at their London Home this morning. (AP Wirephoto)

By DEREK HEATHCOTE
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — David Owen, a 38-year-old physician turned politician, is Britain's new foreign secretary and the youngest man named to the job since Anthony Eden in 1935.

Prime Minister James Callaghan promoted Owen, the No. 2 man at the Foreign Office, on Monday, a few hours after the funeral of his predecessor and former chief, Anthony Crosland. Crosland, who was foreign secretary for only 10 months, died Saturday, and Owen had been acting as for-

eign secretary since Crosland suffered a stroke six days before.

Callaghan chose Owen instead of giving the post to Chancellor of the Exchequer Denis Healey, who had planned to exchange with Crosland during the summer. The prime minister apparently decided that he needed the experienced Healey to remain at the Treasury, the second-ranking post in the cabinet, because of Britain's grave economic condition.

The general press reaction was that the appointment of the handsome, energetic, outspoken Owen gave a needed fresh touch to the cabinet. The appointment was called "a stroke of boldness" by the Daily Mail and "daring" by the Daily Telegraph, both supporters of the opposition Conservative party.

Like Crosland, Owen has an American wife. She is the former Deborah Schabert, a 34-year-old literary agent whom he met in 1968 when he came to the United States to observe the

New Hampshire presidential primary. Her father is New York publisher Kyrill Schabert, one of the founders of Pantheon Books. She and Owen have two sons.

The son of a Welsh physician, David Anthony Llewellyn Owen was educated at Cambridge University and at St. Thomas's Hospital in London, where he later was on the neurological and psychiatric staff.

He quit medicine for the House of Commons in 1966, winning a seat from his native Plymouth, in Devonshire, southwest England, after an unsuccessful try in 1964.

Joint Planning Meet Is Planned Wednesday

The Joint City-County and Greenville Planning and Zoning Commissions will consider a total of 13 items when they meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. at city hall.

Joint Commission agenda items include: consideration of an amendment to the Zoning Or-

dinance to require tree and vegetation islands in parking lots; preliminary plat of Pinewood Forest, Tract II, located south of the WNCT-TV station on Tar Road;

Preliminary and final plats of Jack Mitchell and Robert W. Tyndall property located in the southwestern quadrant of the intersection of Red Banks Road and NC 43; final plat of Westhaven Subdivision, Section III, located east of Lynddale and south of Belvedere Subdivision;

Final plat of Tucker Industrial Park, Section I; proposed addition to the Zoning Ordinance; and rezoning request of H. G. Stocks for 32.6 acres on the south side of US 264 Bypass from Highway Commercial and RA-20 to Highway Commercial and Office and Institutional.

City board business includes: preliminary plat of Jessie Roundtree Moye heirs property located at the northeastern section of Stantonsburg Road and State Road 1267; final plat of Section III of Windy Ridge, revised;

Preliminary plat of Bond-King Subdivision on Fornes Road; rezoning request of the Housing Authority for 8.78 acres on the west side of Evans Street Extension from Highway Commercial to R-6;

Rezoning request of Malcolm C. Williams Sr. for 41,500 square feet located at 200 E. Greenville

Boulevard from Shopping Center to Highway Commercial; and

Rezoning request of Lacy Streeter for 18,600 square feet on the northwest corner of W. Fifth and Cadillac Streets from R-6 to Downtown Commercial Fringe.

Returns Check For \$60 Million

MARYVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A check apparently sent in error gave a Maryville woman a flashing glimpse of \$60 million over the weekend.

Mrs. Gloria Medlin, 35, Maryville, received a check for \$60,000,000 from Blue Cross-Blue Shield's office in Chattanooga. She said she reported the error Monday to company officials, who assured her that it would be impossible for a computer to authorize such a check.

Nevertheless, the company said it would like the check returned, and, in turn, would give Mrs. Medlin another check for the correct amount — \$8.

NATIONAL FLOWER?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republican Leader Howard Baker introduced a resolution on Monday to have the marigold declared the national flower.

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Weighing Rule

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — The state Board of Agriculture ruled Monday that tobacco must be weighed within 48 hours of sale at auction instead of any time before sale as current rules allow.

But the board took no action on controversial proposals to reduce the non-refundable weight loss after sale from 2.2 per cent to 1.1 per cent and to require use of automatic scales.

The changes had been proposed by a panel of industry and farm representatives who studied the problems last year.

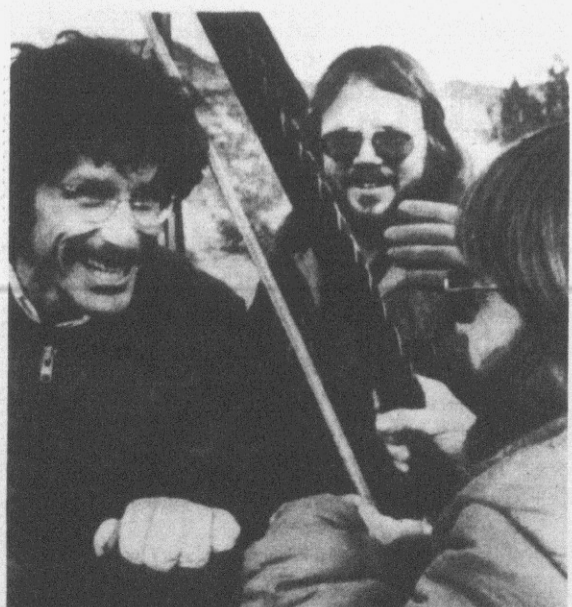
Opponents of the last two proposals said the automatic scales were too costly for warehousemen to install and weight losses after sale were caused by drying out of tobacco and should not be charged to the seller.

Stabbing Death Is Investigated

Chief Glenn Cannon said investigation is continuing into the stabbing death of Lindsey Earl Smith, 52, 410A Greenview Dr. early Monday.

Cannon said the incident was reported at 1:40 a.m. He said Smith was stabbed in the left chest, apparently by a large butcher knife.

The chief quoted Lillian Hooks, a resident of the Greenview Drive home as saying Smith came in and sat on the couch and she saw blood from the wound.



HAPPY LANDING — David Levine, left, talks to a member of his ground crew after successfully piloting his hot air balloon over Pike's Peak Monday. The Boston lawyer took the balloon to an altitude of 17,200 feet during the two-hour, 60-mile flight. Man in center is Tim Cahill, who rode along with Levine. (AP Wirephoto)

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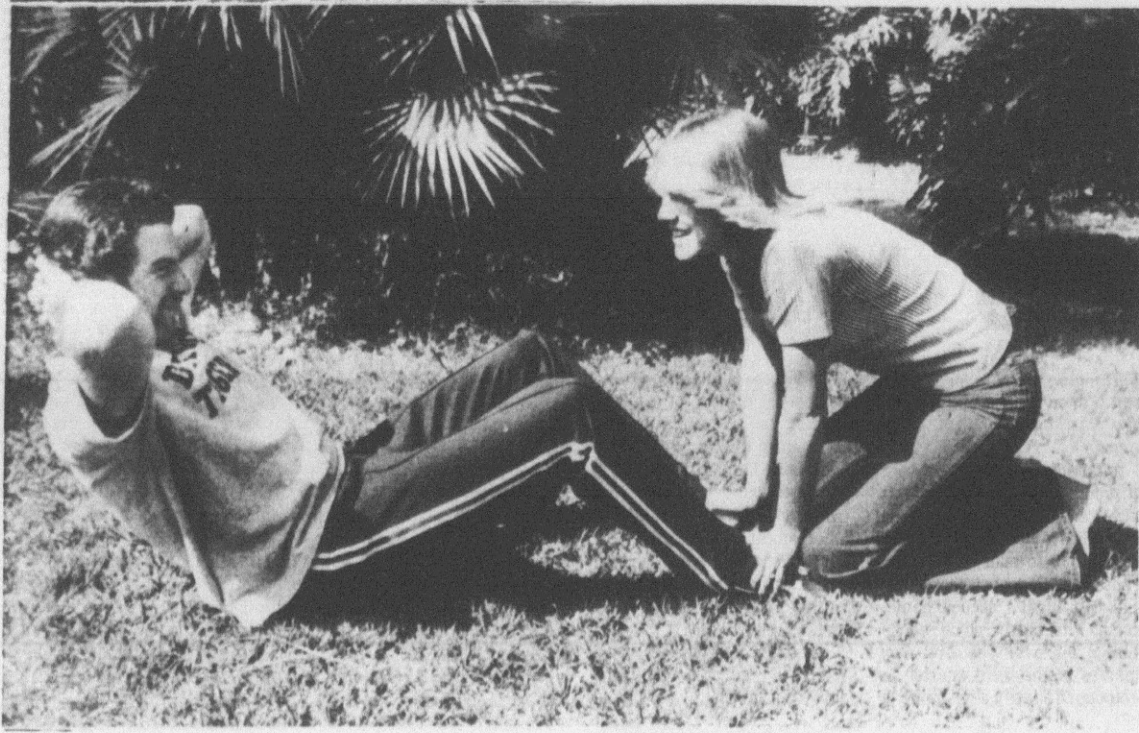
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TRAINING MATE — Detroit Tigers' Steve Kemp does situps as his wife, Leanne, holds his feet down. Kemp, who was married in December, is preparing for the opening of spring training on Feb. 24 at Lakeland, Fla. Kemp is getting back into training after being down with the flu for several days. (AP Wirephoto)

Charlie O. May Finally Have Some Help In Kuhn Squabble

By HOWARD ULMAN
AP Sports Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — Charles O. Finley, baseball's maverick owner, thinks he finally has the other club owners on his side in his latest clash with Commissioner Bowie Kuhn over a big money deal.

The Oakland A's boss, who has one lawsuit pending against Kuhn, has threatened to sue him again if he blocks the sale of relief pitcher Paul Lindblad to Texas for \$400,000.

And this time, Finley says, his fellow owners would let the commissioner stand alone and

not vote to indemnify him if Finley sues and wins.

"He hasn't got the courage or guts to cancel this deal," Finley said Monday. "He knows that the owners in baseball will not vote to indemnify him this time."

Finley still is seething over Kuhn's decision June 18 voiding the sales of three Oakland stars for \$3.5 million. He sued Kuhn for that amount, but the owners voted to share the losses if Finley wins.

"Enough league owners realize they made a mistake in voting to indemnify him," Finley

said Monday. "He knows he's in the wrong ... Don't be concerned about Bowie Kuhn canceling this deal."

He said Lindblad also might sue if Kuhn blocks the sale.

Kuhn had no comment on Finley's statements.

The commissioner is planning a hearing on the sale of the 35-year-old Lindblad, a Texas resident, to the Rangers. But Finley has set a condition for his attendance.

"My attorney has made a request to the commissioner to outline in writing what the purpose of the meeting is before we agree to come in," said Finley.

has been set, and Finley said the earliest he and his attorney could attend a hearing would be next week.

He said Neil Papiano, his Los Angeles lawyer, was busy preparing final arguments in Finley's suit against Kuhn. Those are due next Monday.

U.S. District Court Judge Frank McGarr, who presided at the trial, said the key issue was whether Kuhn had the power to void the sales of pitcher Vida Blue to the New York Yankees for \$1.5 million and outfielder Joe Rudi and pitcher Rolfe Fingers to Boston for \$1 million each.

Kuhn claims he acted within his power to look after the best interests of baseball. Finley, in that case and in the Lindblad sale, contends Kuhn has no authority to cancel the deals.

Finley sold Lindblad Saturday, one day after Kuhn told all club owners not to sell any star player for a substantial amount of money before notifying his office.

Braves Dump Pacers, 117-106

BUFFALO (AP) — It was "Lucky 13" night for rookie Adrian Dantley, and the Buffalo Braves were glad to have some of that luck rub off on them.

For the first time since mid-November, the Braves put together three victories in a row, overwhelming the Indiana Pacers 117-106 Monday night in the only action in the National Basketball Association.

Dantley opened with a 15-point first-quarter, and when his 45-minute show was over, he had hit 13 of 14 free throws, 13 of 22 field goal attempts and grabbed 13 rebounds.

Joe Mullaney, now 3-1 as the Braves' coach, said a new offense was key to the victory. "I've never used this 1-3-1 of-

NBA Roundup

fense before," the 51-year-old Mullaney said, "but I've gone with it because of the special talents on this team."

"Ernie DiGregorio is the point man, Randy Smith is getting screens for his jump shots instead of going one-on-one, and Adrian finishes off the offense well."

The Braves never trailed, but the Pacers came close several times.

John Shumate added 22 points for Buffalo and Smith had 19.

For the Pacers, Billy Knight scored 31 points, including 13 in the fourth period, John Williamson had 30 and Wil Jones 23.

Recreation Basketball

Adult League

Piazza Gulf 55 29-84
Stars 49 33-82

Leading scorers: Piazza Gulf, Lenmy Blackley, 25; Hank Wylie, 17; Dennis Jeffus, 16; Steve Harris, 14; Jack Dillon, 10; Stars, Linwood Staton, 22; Hubert Auther, 19; Donnie Shields, 19; Bobby Crandall, 10.

Newby's 33 40-73
Azalea 28 31-59

Leading scorers: Newby's, Mike Umphrett, 30; Glenn Russel, 12; Ed Hobby, 10; Azalea, Steve White, 17; Mike Board, 12.

Crow's Nest 38 42-80
Happy Store 24 33-57

Leading scorers: Crow's Nest, John Lutz, 22; Albert Holloman, 14; Greg Ashorn, 12; Tom Marsh, 11; Happy Store, Bobby Parker, 20; Charles Tarr, 14.

Rockets 29 38-67
Wildcats 36 23-59

Leading scorers: Rockets, Jessie Harris, 28; Wayne Brown, 20; Phillip Bowen, 15; Wildcats, Bobby Fleming, 17; Cleveland Johnson, 10.

Po-Boys won by forfeit over ECSW.

Union Carbide 33 37-70
Big Value 23 45-68

Leading scorers: Union Carbide, Garland Warren, 20; Earl Garner, 17; Tommy Roach, 15; Jimmy Sutton, 12; Big Value, Cotton Nicholson, 25; Larry Graham, 20.

Pee Wee

Pirates 3 8 2 9-22
Tar Heels 2 6 7 6-21

win, 13; Tar Heels, Bill Michel, 9; Trave Fuqua, 5.

Blue Devils 5 8 12 11-36
Pirates 7 10 11 6-27

Leading scorers: Blue Devils, Gordon Douglas, 26; Carl Woodworth, 10; Pirates, Jim Whitehurst, 11; Billy Stallings, 9.

Bowling

Shirts & Skirts	W	T
T & E's	61 1/2	24 1/2
Po-Boys Auto Parts	60	36
Mixed Nuts	55 1/2	40 1/2
Team One	55	41
B & P's	49	47
Team Four	48	48
Ups & Downs	46	50
Spinners	45	51
Hang Ten	41	55
C & S Fence Co.	40	56
Team Seven	39	57
Nuts & Bolts	36	60

Women's high game and series, Nancy Tripp, 201, 529; men's high game, Earl Tripp, 222; men's high series, Van Brock, 587.

Hillcrest Ladies	W	T
Big Value Discount	61 1/2	26 1/2
Sports World	60 1/2	27 1/2
Team Two	55	33
Dall Music Co.	50	38
Peppis-Washington	50	38
Sam & Dave's	48	40
Candlewick Inn	45	43
Convenient World	44 1/2	43 1/2
Peet Kingdom	43 1/2	43 1/2
Team Ten	33 1/2	54 1/2
Haddock Chrysler	33	55
N.C.B.—Washington	32	56
Bob Farish	31 1/2	56 1/2
Teete's Insurance	25 1/2	62 1/2

High game and series, Bonnie Adams, 202, 576.

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SCOREBOARD

Monday's College Basketball Results
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EAST

Army 74, Colgate 56
Buffalo 78, Canisius 77
Niagara 85, St. Francis, Pa. 81
Pittsburgh 76, Indiana, Pa. 59
Rhode Island 61, Hampshire 60
St. Bonaventure 98, Siena 76
St. John's, N.Y. 92, Howard 69

SOUTH

Alabama 79, Georgia 68
Auburn 80, Jacksonville 66
Citadel 79, Madison 72
Drexel 92, Marshall 74
Furman 88, S. Carolina 80
Kentucky 81, Mississippi 69
Kentucky St. 86, Lincoln, Mo. 85

LSU 95, Vanderbilt 74
Old Dominion 82, William & Mary 68
S. Carolina St. 116, Baptist, S.C. 80
Tennessee 76, Mississippi St. 68
Tennessee St. 67, Knox Col. 61
W. Virginia 107, Cleveland State 69

MIDWEST

Cincinnati 77, Ohio State 60
Indiana St. 77, St. Louis 72
Marquette 73, Wisconsin 58
S. Illinois 72, Evansville 60

SOUTHWEST

McNeese St. 55, Arkansas St. 50
St. Mary's, Tex. 82, St. Edward's 55
Tex. A&M 92, Louisiana Tech 90, OT

FAR WEST

Colorado St. 75, Utah St. 67
Seattle Pacific 75, Idaho 24

Pro Basketball At A Glance
By The Associated Press

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

Philadelphia 35 21 .625
Boston 29 28 .509 6 1/2
NY Knicks 26 31 .456 9 1/2
Buffalo 22 35 .386 13 1/2
NY Nets 18 40 .310 18

Central Division

Washington 33 24 .579
Houston 31 24 .564 1
S. Anton 31 26 .544 2
Cleveland 30 26 .536 2 1/2
N. Orins 24 32 .429 8 1/2
Atlanta 23 38 .375 11

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

Denver 37 24 .607
Detroit 35 25 .583 4
Portland 36 24 .600 2
Golden State 32 26 .552 5
Chicago 24 34 .414 14
Milwaukee 20 42 .320 20

Pacific Division

Los Ang 36 20 .643
Portland 36 24 .600 2
Golden St 32 26 .552 5
Seattle 30 30 .500 8
Phoenix 26 31 .456 10 1/2

Monday's Results

Buffalo 117, Indiana 106
Phoenix at Portland

Tuesday's Games

New Orleans at New York Knicks
Los Angeles at San Antonio Golden State at Chicago Houston at Denver Cincinnati at Birmingham

World Hockey Association

Eastern Division

Quebec 34 22 1 69 247 207
St. Louis 32 22 2 62 264 216
Indy 26 27 7 59 203 223
Buffalo 22 35 6 66 265 206
Birm 23 35 2 48 204 221
x-Minn 19 18 5 43 136 129

Western Division

Houston 34 17 6 74 217 165
S. Diego 33 25 6 68 205 202
Winnipeg 32 23 2 66 265 206
Edmonton 24 33 2 50 164 218
Calgary 22 30 5 49 178 199
Phoenix 23 34 4 68 206 271

x-franchise disbanded

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Houston at Winnipeg
New England at Edmonton
Indianapolis at Quebec
Cincinnati at Birmingham

Wednesday's Games

Houston at Calgary
Winnipeg at Phoenix

Arkansas Becoming Power In Cage World; Shuffle Behind Top Two

BY TOM CANAVAN
AP Sports Writer

When Eddie Sutton arrived in 1974, Arkansas basketball teams had seven losing seasons in the previous nine years and a terrible inferiority complex.

But that trend has changed quickly, thanks to one person — Eddie Sutton.

In Sutton's first season as coach, Arkansas finished with a 17-9 record and runner-up behind Houston in the Southwest Conference. The second year the record improved to 19-9.

And this season, how does No. 6 in the nation sound? Well, that is the where Arkansas ranks in the latest Associated Press poll, behind San Francisco, 27-0, which main-

tained its hold on the No. 1 position, receiving 50 of 52 first-place ballots and 1,036 points in voting by a national panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Meanwhile, Kentucky, 20-2, received the other two first-place votes and a total of 844 points and retained the No. 2 ranking.

But the remainder of the top 10 underwent a big shuffle. Michigan, with victories over Iowa and Minnesota, moved up to the No. 3 spot vacated by UCLA. The Bruins fell to No. 5 after being upset by Oregon.

Nevada-Las Vegas acquired the No. 4 spot with impressive victories over Pan American 135-106 and Portland 112-96.

Tennessee upset Alabama 92-89 last week and took over the No. 7 position. The Tide fell to No. 8, while North Carolina moved from 13th to ninth and Louisville dropped from eighth to 10th.

Wake Forest, 20-4, beat Davidson but then lost to Virginia Tech in overtime and dropped from seventh to 11th.

Providence moved up four notches to No. 12, while Minnesota, which beat Indiana and Michigan State but lost to Michigan, dropped one place to 13th. Cincinnati lost to Rutgers and fell to 14th, while Syracuse routed both Rhode Island and St. John's and moved up from 20th to No. 15.

Detroit, Oregon, Marquette — which was upset three times last week — Clemson and Utah rounded out the Top 20.

VMI and Arizona both tumbled from the Top 20 this week.

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points based on 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1:

1. San Fran (50)	27-0	1,036
2. Kentucky (2)	20-2	884
3. Michigan	20-3	702
4. Nev-LV	22-2	602
5. UCLA	20-4	526
6. Arkansas	24-1	461
7. Tennessee	19-4	460
8. Alabama	19-3	319
9. N. Carolina	19-4	312
10. Louisville	19-4	263
11. Wake Forest	20-4	257
12. Providence	21-3	201
13. Minnesota	20-3	169
14. Cincinnati	19-4	127
15. Syracuse	21-3	108
16. Detroit	22-2	89
17. Oregon	17-7	66
18. Marquette	16-6	57
19. Clemson	19-5	48
20. Utah	19-5	42

Yarborough In Command Lead Wake, Maryland In Key Clash

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Cale Yarborough's victory in the Daytona 500 has given him a commanding lead in the 1977 Grand National driving title chase of the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing.

Yarborough, in a Chevrolet, held off Benny Parsons at Daytona International Speedway Sunday to win the second of 30 races this year.

Yarborough, who won his first Grand National driving title last year, also won the 1968 Daytona 500. The only other driver who has won more than one Daytona 500 is five-time champion Richard Petty.

Yarborough's winning purse was \$47,200. Various lap cash awards and contingency payments resulted in a total take reportedly over \$60,000.

The top finishing rookie Sunday was Janet Guthrie, who came in 12th among 42 starters. Her total purse was \$6,890.

Yarborough leads in 1977 points with 365. Buddy Baker has 297, Darrell Waltrip 289, David Pearson 285, Parsons 275, Petty 255, James Hylton 255, Dave Marcis 244, Richard Childress 244 and Cecil Gordon 242.

Behind Yarborough's leading earnings total of \$61,045 come Parsons with \$34,770, Baker \$28,890, Waltrip \$21,285, Petty \$19,195, Dick Brooks \$17,625, Pearson \$16,985, Coo Coo Marlin \$16,875, Marcis \$14,395 and Hylton \$14,190.

The Richmond 400 will be Sunday at Richmond, Va., Fairgrounds Raceway.

Nolan Joins New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Dick Nolan, head coach of the San Francisco 49ers for eight years before being fired last season, has joined the New Orleans Saints as linebackers coach.

Nolan had a 54-53-5 record with the 49ers. His teams won National Football Conference West Division championships for three consecutive years, 1970-72. He was the NFC Coach of the Year in the 1970 season and handled the NFC squad in the 1971-72 Pro Bowl games.

ACC Roundup

Wake Forest meets Maryland in Greensboro tonight in a game that could decide the final standings of four Atlantic Coast Conference basketball teams.

If Wake wins, the Deacons would be assured a final record of at least 9-3. The only team then with a chance of tying them for first would be North Carolina, now 7-3.

The Tar Heels would have to beat N.C. State Wednesday and Duke Saturday on the last day of the regular season.

At the same time, both Maryland, now 6-4, and Clemson, 7-4, would be eliminated as first place contenders.

But if the Terps win tonight, all four teams would still be in the running.

The Deacons' season is turning out to be a cliffhanger, just as many of their games have been, and they haven't always been able to pull out the victory in the clutch.

In their last four games, Wake Forest lost by four points to Clemson, rallied to beat N.C.

State by seven, edged Davidson by only two and lost to Virginia Tech last Saturday in an overtime upset.

All the other league action is Saturday, when in addition to the UNC-Duke game, Wake Forest plays the Wolfpack and Maryland visits Virginia.

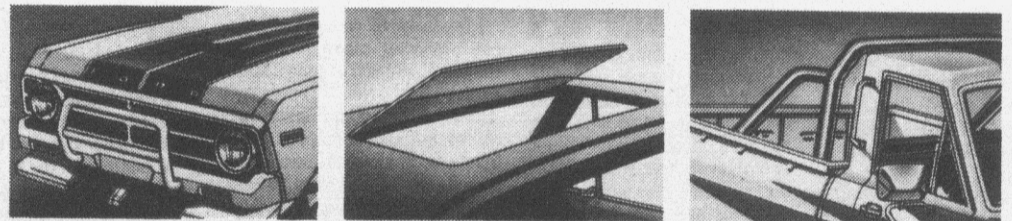
A panel of conference sports writers named Kenny Carr of N.C. State as ACC player of the week.

Carr was cited for his 27-point performance in the Wolfpack's 92-74 victory over Duke and for scoring 31 points Saturday as the Pack lost to Clemson at the buzzer, 68-66.

The panel earlier named Maryland guard Jo Jo Hunter rookie of the week.

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from the CARROLL RICHTER INSTITUTE

GENERAL TENDENCIES: A day and evening to use the utmost care where money matters and any commitments of a financial nature are concerned for later explosive conditions could occur which could lose you a considerable amount. However, this should not keep you from looking into various opportunities which are available to you.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Analyze well any commitments you have made and know better how to handle them. That financial expert is not dependable now, so do not contact. Avoid a troublemaker.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) A personal affair could make you unhappy if you dwell on it, so get out and do something constructive and cheer up. Don't get into group affairs where there could be arguments.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You want to renege on promises, but this would only get you in trouble, so be conscientious. Tackle dull work ahead and persevere until it is finished. Pay bills on time.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) You are not feeling well and should avoid seeing friends or there could be unfortunate arguments. Take no chances with your reputation, either. Think along more constructive lines.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Make sure you think wisely and act conscientiously for best results today. Make sure you handle credit affairs wisely, too.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Not a good day to put those new ideas in motion since they would not meet with success. Wait for a better time for such. A new friend gives you suggestions that should not be followed.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Handle annoying responsibilities that need to be taken care of without further ado. Don't be so demanding with your mate and try to do what pleases most. Get your facts and figures straight.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Don't make those changes in arrangements or you could easily sever connections with partners. Some worldly condition could be disturbing, but take it in your stride.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Although the work situation may not be good, other matters can be very favorable. Make needed changes in wardrobe. Try not to be picky with associates.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Not a good day for enjoying outside recreations, but fine for hobbies that need perfecting. Try to please a loved one more. Don't forget to pay bills and make collections as well.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) The situation at home is not good but take care you do not argue and make it worse. Do what is necessary to improve it. It's not advisable to start on a new project now. Wait for a better time.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Not a good day to take trips of any length but fine for getting much indoor work done. One you contact could make an irritating remark, but be quiet and avoid an argument.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY . . . he or she will be a natural born troubleshooter, so slant the education along such type of profession and see to it that activities early in life are well regulated. Ideal chart for governmental work also and solving problems in a precise way. Teach early not to be so critical of others or there is trouble here. Religious training is important. "The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to YOU!
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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF
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Neither vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ 10 6
♥ 8 3
♦ K Q 8 7 4
♣ J 7 6 2

WEST ♠ 4 3
♥ K 7 4
♦ J 9 5 3 2
♣ 10 8 3

EAST ♠ K 7 5
♥ Q 10 9 6 2
♦ Void
♣ A Q 9 5 4

SOUTH ♠ A Q J 9 8 2
♥ A J 5
♦ A 10 6
♣ K

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 NT 2 ♣
4 ♠ Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead: Four of ♣.

Murphy's Law assures us that if something bad can happen, it will. However, we can oftentimes take a simple step that will reduce the possibilities of disaster befalling us.

North had just enough to respond to South's opening bid. After East interposed a bid of two hearts, South elected to take the strain off his partner by bidding what he thought he could make.

West led a low heart and declarer won the queen with the ace. He was eager to take a trump finesse, so he led a diamond to dummy. Unfortunately, East ruffed, returned a heart to West's king and scored a second diamond ruff. Then he cashed the ace of clubs to insure a one-trick defeat.

To be sure, declarer suffered a fate most cruel when the diamonds broke 5-0.

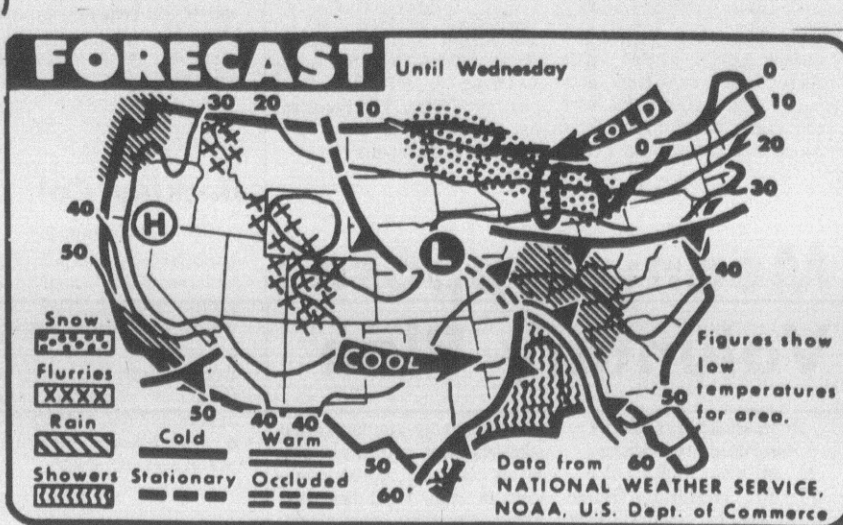
However, his line of play courted disaster.

From the bidding, it was possible for East to be void in diamonds since he didn't have much in the way of high cards. Also, East almost surely had the ace of clubs for his two-level overall. Since declarer could afford to lose a trick in each suit except for diamonds, he should have planned his play to keep West, the potential danger hand, off play as long as possible without ever touching diamonds.

This could have been accomplished quite simply—declarer should have allowed East's queen of hearts to hold the first trick. Assume East continues a heart. Declarer wins and ruffs his remaining heart in dummy—a safe step since West led a low heart and followed with a higher heart to the second trick. Next, declarer plays a trump to the ace and continues with the queen of trumps. That protects against the possibility that West has the king of trumps and East only a doubleton. There is no way the defenders can get more than three tricks.

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How's The Weather?



WEATHER FORECAST—Showers and rain are due today from the central Gulf to the Midwest. Snow is expected for Minnesota and the upper Great Lakes. Rain is forecast for coastal regions of Washington and southern California. Snow flurries are forecast for the northern Rockies and western Plains. Mild weather is in store for the Rockies and West but most areas will be seasonably cool. (AP Wirephoto)

By The Associated Press
Warmer weather is on its way to North Carolina, but accompanying it will be the chance of rain over much of the state by late Wednesday.

Charge Driver In Collision

Robert Michael Kupecki of 120 Chipaway Dr. was charged with failing to see his intended movement could be made in safety following investigation of an 8:30 a.m. mishap yesterday at the intersection of Memorial Drive and Ione Street.

Police said the Kupecki vehicle collided with a car driven by Norris Woodruff Smith of 117 Clubway Dr., causing an estimated \$300 damage to the Smith auto.
No damage was reported to the Kupecki auto.

TV Log

WNCT-TV Ch. 9	
TUESDAY	12:00 NewsWatch 1:00 Search For 7:30 Hollywood 8:00 Morn. News 9:00 MASH 9:30 One Day 10:00 Today 11:00 NewsWatch 11:30 Movie
WEDNESDAY	6:30 News 7:00 Tru Or 8:00 Morn. News 9:00 Kangaroo 10:00 Price Right 11:00 Doo. Dare 11:30 Love of 11:55 Paul Harvey

WITN-TV Ch. 7	
TUESDAY	11:30 Shoot Works 7:00 Adam 12 7:30 That Tune 8:00 Blacksheep 9:00 Police Woman 10:00 Police Story 11:30 Tonight 11:55 News
WEDNESDAY	5:00 Bonanza 6:00 Almanac 7:00 Today 7:25 News 7:30 Today 8:25 News 8:30 Today 9:00 Mike Douglas 10:00 Sanford 10:30 Hollywood 11:00 News 11:30 Tonight Show

WCTI-TV Ch. 12	
TUESDAY	6:30 Emergency 7:30 Tell Truth 8:00 Happy 8:30 Laverne 9:00 Rich Man 10:00 Family 11:00 Hartman 11:30 Movie 1:00 Early News 1:10 Sign Off 6:30 Emergency 7:30 Tell Truth 8:00 Woman 8:30 Flintstones 9:00 Morn. 10:00 Douglas 11:00 Dinah 11:30 Edge Night 11:30 Happy
WEDNESDAY	6:30 Emergency 7:30 Tell Truth 8:00 Woman 8:30 Flintstones 9:00 Morn. 10:00 Douglas 11:00 Dinah 11:30 Edge Night 11:30 Happy

WUNK-TV Ch. 25	
TUESDAY	12:30 Liberty 6:30 It Count 7:00 Gen. Assem. 7:30 People 8:00 By Faith 9:00 M. Russell 9:30 Woman 10:00 Onedin Line 11:00 Onedin Line 12:00 Sign Off WEDNESDAY 6:35 Safety 8:40 Sounds 9:00 Sesame Street 10:00 Elect. Co. 10:30 Ready? 10:50 Metric System 11:10 Ready? 11:30 Animals 11:45 Word Shop 12:00 Lillias
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Arrest Of 3 Climaxes Investigating Breakins

The investigation of a rash of break-ins in recent months in the area near Greenfield Terrace has led to the arrest of three persons in connection with the incidents.

Pitt Sheriff Ralph Tyson reported that deputies charged Frank J. Palmer, 18, of 116 Oak Grove Avenue, Greenville, and Joe Terry Brown, 16, of Rt. 7, Box 26, Greenville, with ten counts of breaking, entering and larceny, while Jimmy Person, 17, of Rt. 1, Bethel, was charged on two counts.

The ten incidents charged to

Brown and Palmer include: Dec. 21 break-in at the residence of H. H. Atkinson, 510 Greenfield Boulevard; Dec. 28 at residence of Ida Porter, 321 Oak Grove Avenue; Jan. 3 at home of George Brown, 302 Oak Grove Avenue;
Jan. 6, residence of Elijah Clay, 319 Oak Grove Avenue; Jan. 21, home of George Brown, 302 Oak Grove Avenue; Jan. 21, home of James Harris, Rt. 4, Box 15-B, Greenville;
Feb. 4, residence of George Nelson, 203 Oak Grove Avenue; Feb. 13, residence of Elijah Clay, 319 Oak Grove Avenue; Feb. 16, home of Wayne Nelson, Rt. 4, Box 21-C, Greenville; and Feb. 18 at home of Lester Howard, 311 Oak Grove Avenue.
Person is charged in connection with the Lester Howard and George Nelson break-ins, the sheriff reported.

Bond for Brown and Palmer is set at \$3,500 each while Person is in Pitt County Jail under \$2,500 bond.

Sheriff Tyson said that an estimated \$2,700 to \$2,800 in property was reported taken from the homes during the incidents. He noted that approximately half of the property, which included television sets, stereos, cameras, beer and wine, watches, tape players, jewelry, weapons and some money, was recovered.

Arrested Couple On Drug Count
A Rt. 1, Ayden couple was arrested by Pitt County deputies on drug possession charges, according to Sheriff Ralph Tyson.

The sheriff said that Daniel Earl McLawhorn, 22, and his wife, Vickie Reynolds McLawhorn, 19, of Lot 12, Norris Trailer Court, were arrested Friday night and charged with felonious possession of marijuana and felonious possession of quaalude pills.

Sheriff Tyson reported that deputies confiscated a quantity of quaalude pills, marijuana and marijuana seed, in addition to several pipes.

Bond was set at \$1,200 each, he noted, with a hearing scheduled for March 1.

Income Up For Cannon Mills

KANNAPOLIS, N.C. (AP) — Net sales and other operating income for Cannon Mills Co. for the fiscal year ended Dec. 30, 1976 totaled \$453,415,172, the company announced Monday.

That compared with \$395,198,473 for the previous year.

Cannon officials said the net income per share for the period was \$1.78, a decrease of 25 cents from 1975. Net income for the company was \$15,975,109 as compared with \$18,733,014 for 1975.

The annual report included the consolidated financial statements of its wholly owned subsidiaries, Cannon Mills, Inc., Maiden Knitting Mills, Inc., and Roberta Manufacturing Co.

Would Trim Salary Check

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — If the ERA becomes the law of the land, top state officials, including Gov. Jim Hunt, should have their salaries cut in half, according to a bill introduced in the state House of Representatives Monday night.

The bill, which is given little chance of serious consideration, let alone passage, was about all there was to the evening legislative session. "We didn't do a damn thing but waste time," one legislator gumbled.

Rep. R.D. Beard, D-Cumberland, sponsor of the anti-ERA measure, contended the proposed amendment would strip states of much of their power, presumably leaving only half as much work to be done.

Salaries of the governor, lieutenant governor, judges and legislators would all be cut under Beard's measure.

The ERA, the bill says, would "result in a transfer from the states to the federal government of authority, duties, responsibilities and jurisdiction, including but not limited to matters of family law, divorce, child custody, alimony, inheritance, insurance rates, prison regulation and protective labor legislation."

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Seismologists at the University of California at Berkeley said the quake registered 5 on the Richter scale and was centered on a point 60 miles southeast of Lake Tahoe.

The Richter scale is a measure of ground motion as recorded on seismographs. Every increase of one number means a tenfold increase in magnitude. Thus a reading of 7.5 reflects an earthquake 10 times stronger than one of 6.5.

An earthquake of 5 can cause considerable damage. A 7 reading is a "major" earthquake, capable of widespread heavy damage; 8 is a "great" quake, capable of tremendous damage.

The San Francisco earthquake of 1906 has been estimated at 7.9 under the recently revised Richter scale.

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14. Miss Le Gallienne
15. Lizard genus
16. Man's name
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30. Astern

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10. Footlike part
11. Coffee-maker
12. Choose
22. Block
24. Historical epoch
25. New Zealand bird
26. Blue
27. Cornered
28. Skate
29. Nettle
31. Qualified
34. Consult
35. Turmeric
37. Preclude
39. Public
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Last-Gasp Effort In Senate To Kill ERA In N.C.

Seattle Police Unprepared For Unruly 'Fat Tuesday' Festivity



FAT TUESDAY An estimated 50,000 people crowded into Seattle's Pioneer Square district to celebrate the local version of the Mardi Gras. All was not fun

SEATTLE (AP) — The city's first Fat Tuesday celebration — meant to be a week of frivolity patterned on New Orleans' Mardi Gras — got out of control and ended instead in mass drunkenness and one death.

The festivities, favored by sunshine and as many as 50,000 jovial participants, erupted into a nightmare for the 20 policemen assigned to patrol the historic Pioneer Square area in the oldest section of town.

"I can tell you this, if there's a Fat Tuesday celebration next year, I'm going to make sure that I'm sick, or that I'm on furlough or that I'm assigned elsewhere. I will not suffer

these indignities again," said Police Sgt. Howard Johnson.

A 22-year-old man, Craig Millar of Seattle, was found dead early Sunday as the celebration was breaking up. Authorities said Millar died of a brain hemorrhage but witnesses told police Millar had been sitting on a corner, apparently unconscious, when four men tried to rouse him. One person kicked him in the head, then fled, police said they were told.

A crowd of about 100 gathered Friday night to watch and

and games, however, as one man died, at least one was stabbed, and police complained they could not control unruly drunks. (AP Wirephoto)

cheer a couple making love on the pavement, police said, and managed to get the couple away when officers tried to break through to arrest them.

One of two men who quarreled Saturday night at a fashionable Pioneer Square restaurant was stabbed three times in the back. Witnesses said a third youth who jumped into the fight, then ran from the building with blood on his hands, was arrested on suspicion of assault. The victim, Ricky Allen

Vise, 25, was in serious condition.

Marijuana was openly smoked, but it was possibly the least of police problems. Caught unprepared for either the size of the crowds or their behavior, officers said they threw out the rule book.

"In one hour, I watched no less than 20 people urinate on the street," a police sergeant said.

RALEIGH (AP) — While ERA supporters were laying out their case for approval of the measure, opponents made plans for their last-gasp effort to kill it in North Carolina.

Backers of the Equal Rights Amendment spotlighted their appeal for the measure Monday with an appearance by Dr. Juanita Kreps, the Duke University economist who was named secretary of commerce by President Carter.

The Senate Constitutional Amendments Committee opened two days of public hearings on the Equal Rights Amendment Monday by hearing from supporters of the measure. This afternoon was devoted to hearing from opponents.

But opponents decided to make what is apparently their last chance at blocking ERA in the state a big affair by staging a rally at the State Fairgrounds prior to the hearing.

The main attractions for the rally were former Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr., a longtime ERA foe, and Phyllis Schlafly of Alton, Ill., who has become the national spokesman for the anti-ERA effort. Rally organizers said Anita Bryant of Miami, the singer known for orange juice commercials, was also invited but her appearance remained in doubt this morning.

ERA passed the House two

weeks ago on a 61-55 vote. If it wins Senate approval, North Carolina will become the 36th of the needed 38 states to ratify ERA.

At the opening of the hearing Monday, Sen. Julian Allbrook, D-Halifax, a staunch ERA foe, announced that he would seek additional hearing times because there were others who wished to be heard. His action is expected to come when the panel meets Thursday morning.

After the hearing, Allbrook was surrounded by a group of his constituents from Greenville who said they wanted him to reconsider his stand and vote for ERA. Allbrook, who first was elected to the 1937 legislature, thanked the women for coming then finally gave in to their pleadings that he have dinner with them. His opposition remained firm, however.

During Monday's hearing, Mrs. Kreps told the senators that Carter had asked her to tell them he "hopes that your deliberations will lead you to conclude, as he has, that now is the time to take this action."

Mrs. Kreps talked mainly about the economic impact ERA would have. She is a scholar on labor economics and has written extensively on women in the workforce.

She noted, for example, that "two-thirds of all the women in the labor force are unmarried, divorced, widowed, separated or they have husbands who earn less than \$7,000 a year."

A former senator admonished the committee to judge the issue on more than the mail. "Look at the content of the letter and not the volume. More letters can be generated against an issue than for one," said Charles B. Deane Jr. of Rockingham.

Noting that he was in the Senate in 1971 when the 18-year-old vote was being considered, he said, "We were told that if the proposed 26th Amendment passed, the youth of America would take over the city councils and the state leg-

islatures and that there would be a grave political imbalance in this country. These fears never came to pass."

That year, North Carolina became the 36th state to ratify the amendment and the remaining two states that were needed ratified within 24 hours, he said.

Betty McCain, chairman of the state Democratic party, reminded the committee that North Carolina did not ratify the 19th Amendment giving women the vote until 51 years after it became part of the U.S. Constitution.

"That, however, represented real progress because the first bill introduced in 1897 to give the vote to women was referred to the committee on insane asylums," she said.

Charles V. Petty of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina told the panel that ERA would not violate religious

principles and would not destroy marriage.

Nine of 11 Southern states have rejected ERA, he said, adding, "Could it be that we Southern men take pride in taking care of our women, perhaps just as we took care of our blacks? Paternalism is alive and well."

Dr. William B. Aycock, a law professor and former chancellor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, told the panel. "The ERA offers us an opportunity to join a national commitment to rights between the sexes."

Noting that North Carolina claims it was first in declaring independence more than 200 years ago, Aycock said, "North Carolina could not lay claim to first in freedom if our forefathers had not chosen faith over fear." He had said earlier that opponents are relying on fear to defeat the issue.

Privette Asks For Referendum

RALEIGH (AP) — Calling the Equal Rights Amendment "far more important than even the liquor-by-the-drink question," the Rev. Coy Privette today said legislators should hold a statewide referendum before voting on the measure.

Privette is president of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, but said he was not speaking for the convention.

Soil-Water Meet Held

Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisors discussed 208 Planning and cuts in the appropriations for the USDA Soil Conservation Service at the Area Five Spring Meeting held Thursday in Williamston.

Grady Lane and Steve McEvoy of the N.C. Soil and Water Conservation Commission discussed ways in which the Pitt Soil and Water District Supervisors can assist in 208 planning. McEvoy said that the Environmental Protection Agency has approved the 208 planning for North Carolina.

Lynn A. Brown, Deputy State Conservationist told the District Supervisors that the cuts in the Soil Conservation Service's appropriations will not permit funding of any new Resource Conservation and Development projects and watershed projects in North Carolina during 1977.

William B. Sullivan, Council member representing the N.C. State Association of Soil and Water Conservation District talked to the group concerning the structure of the National Association of Conservation Districts and presented the highlights of the association's meeting held recently in Atlanta, Ga.

Robert G. Little, Chairman of the Area Five District Supervisors Association presided at the meeting.

Rule Death Unavoidable

MONTREAL (AP) — Coroner Maurice Laniel has ruled that a 62-year-old derelict was "unavoidably killed" when he was hit by a car driven by Quebec Premier Rene Levesque and that Levesque was not criminally responsible.

Laniel said Monday he did not plan to convene a public inquest into the accident. He said Justice Minister Marc-Andre Bedard may order an inquiry of his own if he chooses. Bedard had said he was waiting for the coroner's report before deciding what he would do.

Edgar Trotter, known to authorities as an alcoholic and epileptic who frequently passed out in the street, was lying on the icy, hilly street about 4:15 a.m. on Feb. 6 when he was hit by a car that Levesque was driving.

Levesque reported having had two glasses of wine during the evening, the coroner said. Police said following the accident that the premier was not given a breath test because there was no indication that he had been drinking.



SOUVENIRS OF WATERLOO — Arthur V. Wellesley, the eighth Duke of Wellington, holds the coats of victor and vanquished from the Battle of Waterloo. The coat on the left belonged to the first Duke of Wellington and the one on the right to Napoleon. Napoleon's coat will be presented to the Duke in New York Today, and both will hang in the Wellington Museum near Reading, England. (AP Wirephoto)

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