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Clear and cold tonight with a freeze in the mountains. Sunny, windy and cool Tuesday.

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Threat By Panama In Pact Talk

By KENNETH J. FREED
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Panama Canal talks today resume following sharp Panamanian threats and accusations that the United States is delaying a final accord.

Chief Panamanian negotiator Romulo Escobar Betancourt and his team arrived here Sunday for talks with U.S. negotiators Sol Linowitz and Ellsworth Barker.

The new round of meetings will be held following threatening talk from Panamanian strongman Gen. Omar Torrijos.

In a Mexican news conference over the weekend, Torrijos was quoted as warning that if a new accord to replace the original canal treaty of 1903 is not completed, Americans in Panama will be "without water, without lights, without a canal and without gringos."

significant comment on any aspect of the treaty talks.

The new round of talks is the 15th extension of discussions stretching back to 1968.

Since the last round of talks ended in February, Torrijos and Escobar have made several angry statements about U.S. tactics.

Escobar, for instance, has said the U.S. negotiators quibble over every house and street to be given up, even though Panama has surrendered to several American demands.

Torrijos' major complaint deals with what he sees as President Carter's lack of commitment to completing the talks. "We have to have a definition from the government of Mr. Carter during this new round of negotiations," he said in Mexico.

When asked what he expects from the new talks, Torrijos expressed hope, but then voiced his threat about isolating the Canal Zone.

Torrijos was in Mexico to meet with Mexican President Jose Lopez Portillo, who said completion of the talks "will condition future relations between the United States and Latin America."



FOUR-POWER SUMMIT — President Carter waves as he arrives at Ten Downing Street with Britain's Prime Minister James Callaghan this morning to attend a four-power summit conference. Also attending were West German Chancellor Schmidt and French President d'Estaing. (AP Wirephoto)

Ebullient Over Talk In London

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — President Carter's first venture into international diplomacy has been a smashing success.

Carter was ebullient after the conclusion Sunday of his conference with the heads of government of West Germany, France, Britain, Japan, Italy and Canada.

The president was especially pleased over the decision to undertake a detailed study — which Carter said he proposed — of ways to expand the use of nuclear power around the world without also putting the raw materials for nuclear weapons in the hands of more nations.

"It was the most divisive and the most difficult question that we addressed," he said.

The president added that he is aware that agreements are one thing and carrying them out is another. He said the experts who will make the study "will follow up to be sure that our conference has not been an idle discussion."

The nuclear study was just one of the results of the summit that the Americans could claim as a success. Carter said there were no disappointments for the United States, and it appeared that he was right.

Carter wanted a commitment to progress in world trade negotiations, and he got that.

Carter also wanted a declaration against corruption in international trade. He got a statement calling for elimination of "irregular trade practices and improper conduct in international trade," which U.S. officials said could help put teeth in anti-bribery legislation currently before the U.S. Congress.

American officials also praised the decision of the seven key industrial nations to commit themselves to economic growth rates that will "provide a basis for sustained non-inflationary growth, in our countries and worldwide."

There also was Carter's personal success in putting his personal imprint on the summit and in apparently winning the respect of two leaders he had not met before, President Valery Giscard d'Estaing of France and Chancellor Helmut Schmidt of West Germany.

Giscard d'Estaing said he liked Carter because "he is a simple man, open, and I think a very determined person."

Schmidt, who supported President Ford in the election and was reported miffed because Carter had not invited him to Washington, had a long breakfast session with the president and pronounced their first meeting "excellent." Later it was disclosed the chancellor will visit Washington July 13-14.

And everywhere Carter went he was applauded by crowds of Britons who appeared to find his ever-present smile infectious.

Pres. Carter Arrives In Geneva For Syria Talks

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) — President Carter arrived here today to meet with Syrian President Hafez Assad in talks that the Syrian leader said he hoped would become a "turning point" in

the search for a Middle East peace.

Before leaving London, site of a seven-nation weekend summit conference, Carter conferred with the leaders of Britain, France and West Germany and the four issued a warning on the status of Berlin.

They said that East-West detente would be seriously threatened if the Communists continue efforts to make East Berlin an integral part of East Germany, rather than a sector of a four-power city under the United States, Britain, France and the Soviet Union.

Upon arriving here Carter said "we hope to be back" later this year for renewed Geneva talks between Israel and her Arab neighbors.

It was not immediately clear whether Carter meant he personally would return to Switzerland for a Geneva peace conference or was simply referring to the fact that the United States and the Soviet Union are cochairman of the stalled conference.

A senior official aboard the President's jet disclosed on the flight from London that Carter would meet in Washington with Shimon Peres if, as expected, Peres becomes prime minister of Israel as a result of the May 17 Israeli elections. Peres, now defense minister, is serving as acting prime minister.

The official said such a

meeting probably would take place very soon after the elections.

Carter was scheduled to fly back to London tonight and to attend a North Atlantic Treaty Organization meeting here Tuesday before returning to the United States Tuesday night.

At their weekend summit conference here, Carter and the leaders of six other major industrial nations agreed to maintain the momentum of economic growth, try to keep trade free and make a joint study of ways to produce cheaper nuclear energy without producing raw materials for nuclear weapons.

Carter said his meeting with Assad and other Arab and Israeli leaders would put him "in a better condition to judge the areas of agreement ... and disagreement."

In Geneva today, the Syrian leader said he hoped his meeting with Carter would be a "turning point in the history" of Arab-Israeli peace efforts.

Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance said Assad's views "are going to be exceedingly important" in the formulation of the Carter administration's "final views" about what it can do to promote a settlement in the long-troubled region.

Geneva was chosen as neutral ground for the meeting after the 47-year-old Syrian refused to go to

Washington to outline his views on how peace with Israel could be achieved. Carter has already met in Washington with Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and King Hussein of Jordan, and meets there later this month with Crown Prince Fahd of Saudi Arabia.

Assad has repeatedly insisted that Israel must give up all the Arab territory it occupied in the 1967 war, and Israel is just as determined to hold on to some of the Golan Heights territory it seized from Syria, along with other strategic territory.

In what was regarded as a concession, however, Assad announced last week he was willing to discuss demilitarized zones between Israel and its Arab neighbors.

Senior Israeli officials in Tel Aviv today expressed concern about Carter's intentions. "The specter of a forced solution is floating around," said one. "Until now we regarded the Carter administration as an unknown quantity, but we are starting to worry."

Earlier today, Carter met with French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing and then discussed Berlin at a gathering of the occupation powers — Carter, Giscard d'Estaing and British Prime Minister James Callaghan — and West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt.

Hunt Plans Enlist 5 Million Citizens

By DAVID R. NELSEN
Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH (AP) — After the legislative session, Gov. Jim Hunt will strive to get North Carolina's 5 1/2 million citizens involved in their communities for at least a couple of hours a week.

To encourage others, Hunt says he will sign up as a volunteer himself, possibly helping schoolchildren learn to read.

"After the legislature's over, I'm going to get involved with what you might call my first love, the thing that I think has a real chance to make this na-

tion the kind of great place it can be and North Carolina the kind of great state it can be. That's the matter of citizen involvement in making communities better," Hunt said in an interview with The Associated Press last week.

"I intend to have a regular, continued involvement in some volunteer services as governor that I hope will be an example to encourage other people to do the same thing," he said.

The interview covered a variety of topics, but Hunt wanted most to talk about volunteers.

"I am really convinced that North Carolina is the model place in which this kind of new people involvement, rather than just big government doing everything, can be brought about in a massive way," he said, his hands punctuating the statement.

Hunt kicked off volunteer week two weeks ago by working with schoolchildren in a Raleigh reading class. His wife, Carolyn, worked all week in the schools.

"When I set out in my state of the state address my aim to double the value of contributed services by volunteers to \$4 billion a year, in the course of this administration, I wasn't kidding. I really mean that it can be done," he said.

To stimulate interest, Hunt said he will work with volunteer groups across the state, such as groups involved in education, crime control, mental hospitals, prisons, aid to senior citizens and helping young people in trouble.

His efforts now are limited because his legislative programs demand so much attention, he said.

"The important thing for me at this particular time is to keep the confidence of the people of the state with regard to the issues."

Spectators Searched In Wilmington 10 Hearing

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP) —

Court officials cleared the courtroom and subjected more than 100 spectators to a weapons search before a post-conviction hearing got underway today for the Rev. Ben Chavis and nine other civil rights activists known as the Wilmington 10.

The spectators filed out of the half-full Pender County Superior Court room and walked back in through an electronic metal detector.

Just minutes before, two busloads of Wilmington 10 supporters from Chapel Hill and Char-

lotte pulled up to the aging three-story brick courthouse, which fills a tree-shaded block at the center of this small town.

Only one of the 10 defendants, Ann Sheppard Turner, a white anti-poverty worker, was present in the courtroom. She is free on parole.

Chavis, director of the United Church of Christ's Commission for Racial Justice when arrested in 1971, eight other black men and Mrs. Turner are appealing their 1972 conviction on charges of conspiracy and arson stemming from racial vio-

lence in the port city of Wilmington, N.C.

James Wall of Wilmington, attorney for Allen R. Hall, the star prosecution witness who since has recanted his testimony, said he expects Hall to be called to the stand today or Tuesday.

The Wilmington 10 case has been a cause celebre for six years, and the defendants have attracted support from across the nation and outside the United States. The hearing today opened with supporters saying theirs is a struggle to overcome North Carolina's "rotten" judicial system.

More Social Security Tax Aid Sought

By MICHAEL PUTZEL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter proposed an eight-point program today to shore up the financially troubled Social Security system by raising the Social Security taxes paid by employers and many middle and upper income Americans.

The President asked Congress in a message to divert some general tax revenues into the Social Security trust funds when unemployment rises above 6 per cent. The jobless rate is now 7 per cent.

The plan also would require employers to pay their share of Social Security taxes on all of an employee's income, rather than just on a portion as they do now.

The maximum income on which employees pay Social Security taxes, now set at \$16,500, would rise \$2,400 by 1985 in addition to expected automatic increases between now and then.

Increasing the wage-base ceiling, as the \$16,500 figure is called, would mean that employees who make more than the present maximum would pay higher taxes.

Taxes for all Social Security taxpayers would go up slightly in 1985 and somewhat more in 1990 in addition to automatic rate increases that are pegged to increases in the cost of living.

Other provisions of the Carter plan would shift some revenues from the Hospital Insurance Trust Fund, the relatively healthy fund now used to pay the hospitalization portion of Medicare, into the Old Age, Survivors and Disability Trust Funds that are running out of money.

Social Security tax rates for the self-employed would rise from 7 per cent to 7.5 per cent. New rules setting a person's eligibility for benefits would eliminate a provision that now allows men to collect dependent's benefits even if they were not dependent on their wives.

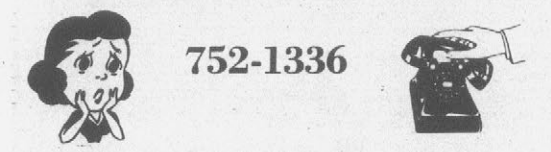
As expected, a provision was proposed to correct an error in a 1972 law that resulted in over-compensating future retirees for increases in the cost of living.

The Carter proposal was necessary because the high unemployment of recent years, coupled with the 1972 law requiring automatic cost-of-living benefit increases for the nation's 33 million Social Security recipients, threatened to bankrupt the trust funds.

Declining birth and mortality rates further complicated the problem, because in the future there will be more people receiving benefits than are paying into the system to keep it going.

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\$60 GIVEN BACK

I canceled an auto insurance policy with Hanover Insurance Company through Page-Barbre Insurance here Aug. 20, 1976. On Aug. 23 a credit memo return premium for \$60 was issued. I have not received the \$60 yet. I have visited the agency and also been referred to someone in New Bern, but with no results. W. D.

Hotline first called the Page-Barbre Company and found that it is now Morris Brothers and has nothing to do with old Page-Barbre accounts. We then wrote to W. D. Barbre Jr. at his home. He called us and said that he would send you the money immediately, that he had been waiting to be sent a check by the company, but would go ahead and give you the money, that he was confident he would eventually be reimbursed.

HOTLINE FEEDBACK

TERMINALLY ILL INVITED

Dan Kelly of the Pitt County Mental Health Center responded some time ago to Hotline's appeal for someone to start a Make Today Count chapter here. The National Make Today Count organization is made up of terminally ill persons and their families seeking to help one another face what's happening to them.

Kelly, who has recently faced the death of his daughter, said he has already had some calls from persons interested in being part of the group and, of course, welcomes others. He also is available for individual counseling for terminally ill persons and the people close to them. His phone number at the Center is 752-7151.

Pitt School Bd. Hears Budget Message Tuesday

Pitt County School Superintendent Ott Alford will deliver his budget message at the Tuesday meeting of the Pitt County Board of Education. The board will meet at 2 p.m. in the conference room of the Board of Education office.

The board will consider two resolutions at the meeting. The first resolution will be submitted to the Pitt County Commissioners requesting the commissioners to call for a bond issue in the

amount of \$8 million with the funds to be prorated according to the per capita percentage of pupil population.

The second resolution requests the board to adopt a schedule which would discontinue allowing students living in the county school districts to attend city schools. The resolution also calls for continuing to allow city school students to attend the county schools as long as they are per-

mitted to by the Greenville City Schools and space is available.

The board will also discuss the 2:30 p.m. dismissal for elementary schools as proposed by the Pitt County Association of Classroom Teachers.

Assistant Superintendent Leck Keeter will present a survey of Title I students being serviced this year as well as a general review of preplanning which has been done with regard to the ESEA

Title I Program for the 1977-78 school year.

Assistant Superintendent Jack Edwards will present a schedule for final examinations, a listing of persons to be approved as substitute teachers, and a request that the board proclaim the month of May as "Better Speech and Hearing Month".

The board will consider a list of recommended personnel to be granted tenure.

Widow Slain, Intruders Overlooked \$5 Million

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — One of three men being investigated in the shooting death of a wealthy widow told police he and two companions stole \$817,000 from the millionaire recluse in January, according to published reports today.

The Indianapolis Star also quoted detectives as saying that one other member of the trio moved his entire family "lock, stock and barrel" Saturday without leaving a forwarding address.

The pajama-clad body of 66-year-old Marjorie V. Jackson, reportedly the last immediate survivor of a family that traced its lineage back to President Andrew Jackson, was found early Saturday by firemen who fought a blaze at her home. Authorities believe the suspects might have started the fire. She

had been shot once in the abdomen with a .22-caliber pistol, Marion County police said.

Authorities also discovered more than \$5 million in cash, mostly in \$100 bills, in the cluttered, ranch-style estate — \$2 million of it in a garbage can in the bedroom, the rest in toolboxes, closets and a vacuum cleaner bag.

According to the Star, Lt. Robert W. Kirkman emphasized that the theft admission was made orally, during an interview on Sunday. No formal confession was signed, he said.

The newspaper said Kirkman withheld the names of all three suspects, and that he would confer with Marion County Prosecutor James F. Kelley before deciding whether to seek charges against any of them.

Deputy Coroner Charles

Green said Mrs. Jackson died between Thursday and Friday night. Investigators declared the fire at her home arson. They speculated that the suspects might have returned to the home early Saturday to burn it.

Detectives still considered robbery the motive despite the hidden fortune that the killers left untouched. They noted that the victim's purse and a suitcase she was known to transport large sums of money in were missing.

Mrs. Jackson was the widow of Chester H. Jackson, son of the founder of the Standard Grocery chain, which was sold in 1947 to the National Tea Co.

When Jackson died in 1970, he left his widow an estate estimated at between \$20 million and \$25 million.

Summer Jobs Tought To Find

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Youngsters looking for summer jobs this year will find the labor market tougher than ever and their chances of success perhaps hinging on a combination of planning and old-fashioned luck.

The U.S. Department of Labor estimates that two and a half million young people between the ages of 16 and 24 went hunting for summer jobs last year. The department hasn't issued a firm estimate for 1977, but a spokesman said he expects the number of job seekers to match last year's total.

Herman Fishman of the Youth Services Bureau of the New York State Department of Labor said the summer job situation has gotten progressively worse every year and added that 1977 probably would be "a little more difficult than last year."

He said his office alone had requests from 20,000 youngsters looking for summer jobs last

year and was able to help less than 10 per cent of them. This year, he said, he expects more job seekers and fewer positions. Fishman said there is no area where the demand for summer workers is bigger than the supply. "Getting a summer job is largely a luck situation," he said.

Both he and a federal spokesman agreed, however, that advance planning can increase your chance of success. "If you're just starting now, it's probably too late," said a spokesman at the U.S. Department of Labor.

One of the first things you should know is what you can — and can't — do. Federal law limits employment for youngsters and state laws may require work permits below a certain age level. When state and federal laws conflict, the one that provides the most protection applies.

Here are some of the high-

lights of the federal regulations as they apply to nonfarm jobs:

—Over 18: There are no limits on the kind of job you can take or the number of hours you can work.

—Sixteen to 18: There are no limits on the number of hours you can work, but you are barred from any job which the secretary of labor considers hazardous. (For details, contact the local office of the U.S. Department of Labor.)

—Fourteen and 15: You are barred from hazardous jobs and may work no more than three hours on a school day and eight hours on a nonschool day, and no more than 18 hours in a school week and 40 hours in a nonschool week. You are not allowed to work before 7 a.m. or after 7 p.m., except from June 1 to Labor Day when the evening hours are extended to 9 p.m.

—Under 14: Formal employment is severely restricted.

You can deliver newspapers, perform in television, movies, radio and theatrical productions or work for your parents in a nonfarm business owned solely by them.

Further details are available in a free, Department of Labor leaflet, "The Young Worker." Write to: Consumer Information Center, Dept. 534E, Pueblo, Colo., 81009.

Death Penalty Marked Week

By SAM D. BUNDY
N.C. House of Representatives

The big item on the House agenda this week was the Death Penalty. On Tuesday, HB 174 was discussed and debated for four hours (2:30 to 6:30) before the vote was taken. This bill did not carry the death penalty, but called for life imprisonment with the provision that, under no circumstance, could a person be eligible for any kind of release before having served 25 years. Speeches were delivered. Motions were made to table the bill, to adjourn and to postpone action.

and, so far as the House is concerned, the Death Penalty in North Carolina has been restored. It is now up to the Senate to sustain or reject this position. I predict it will pass in the Senate.

A second item of interest was the Governor's Supplemental Budget Message. The estimates now are for General Fund tax collections of \$1.8 billion in 1976-77, 2.0 billion in 1977-78, and \$2.2 billion in 1978-79. On the basis of these estimated incomes, based on improving economic conditions, the Governor is recommending an increased budget for 1977-79 of \$60 million. \$8.1 million for prisons, \$2 million for increased industrial promotion, \$2.75 million to increase primary health care in local health departments, \$4.8 million for our mental hospitals, \$6.7 million for our community college system, \$1 million for the testing program, \$1.5 million for extra textbook allotment, \$3.2 million for "extended day" programs for school dropouts, and \$20 million for salary increments for educators and state employees. Finally, the Succession Bill will be on the House agenda Tuesday, May 12. It will pass.

Wednesday HB513 and HB 5 (both carrying the death penalty) were up for consideration. From 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. the debate waged on and on for another four hours. HB513, a restrictive bill, was voted on and defeated by a vote of 67 to 49. I voted against this one. A vote was then taken on HB 5, a stricter and more comprehensive bill, and it passed by a 77 to 38 vote. I voted aye on this one, See you next week.

All of them failed and the debate carried on. Finally, after all who wanted to speak had had their say, the vote was taken and the life imprisonment bill was defeated 74 to 33. I voted against it.

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Protestors' Suit For 'Mistreatment' Begins

By H. JOSEF HEBERT
Associated Press Writer

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — While Gov. Meldrim Thomson claimed to be winning "the battle of Seabrook," attorneys for the anti-nuclear protesters were taking Thomson and other state officials to court on charges of mistreatment.

U.S. District Court Judge Hugh Bownes was scheduled to hear arguments today in a civil suit against Thomson and five other state officials. The suit claims the demonstrators' constitutional rights have not been protected while they have been in custody.

Trials for some of the protesters also were to resume today in Hampton District Court. Seventeen persons were convicted last week and were fined \$100 and sentenced to 15 days in jail. All but one of those appealed.

Thomson, who has vowed to push for convictions of the 1,414 demonstrators who were arrested on trespass charges at the construction site of the \$2 billion Seabrook nuclear power plant, said Sunday that 562 of the protesters had accepted bail, most of them in the last three days.

"The demonstrators are weakening their resolve to clog the state's incarceration facilities and the courts," Thomson said.

A spokesman for the Clamshell Alliance, which organized the May 1 protest, said the group expected the number being held to drop at the end of the week because many of the demonstrators had to return to college examinations or work.

The civil suit claims the protesters have been detained in inadequate facilities. The prisoners charged that the armor-

ies were overcrowded and lacked health care and sanitary facilities and that the conditions prevented adequate opportunities for demonstrators to meet with their lawyers.

During the weekend, Judge Bownes toured several of the five armories where the demonstrators have been held.

The protesters asked the federal court to grant them freedom on personal recognizance, a request the state supreme court denied last week. The federal lawsuit also asked \$5,000 damages for each person arrested and another \$5,000 each for every day of confinement.

Holding the demonstrators, according to state estimates, has cost the state \$50,000 a day. Thomson has issued a nationwide appeal to businessmen, labor leaders and others to help pay the costs.

Honor Lists Announced

The following students made the honor roll or principal's list for the fifth grading period at A. G. Cox Grammar School:

Honor roll: Amy Tyson, Denise Cappello, Hope Clark, Stephanie Creech, Beth Darden, Alan Dickens, Susan Dunn, Amy Gibbs, Michelle Maxon, David Miller, Kelly Moore, Sherrie Ruby, Carla Snow, Ragan Spain, Albert Tien and David Webb.

Principal's list: Pam Joyner, Greg Tolar, Sheila Tripp, Sherri Waters, Lisa Allen, Donna Avery, Mark Bailey, Renee Barrett, Dallas Braxton, Thomas Brookshire, Darlene Cannon, Kim Carraway, Wendy Creasy, Susan Creech, Mindy Fisher, Janet Tripp, Angie Johnson; Sharon Harris, Lynn Shepard, Lisa Flanagan, Lisa Evans, Iris Phillips, Sheila Spain, Connie Evans, Scott Garris, Susie Hudson, Todd Hudson, Angela Hardy, Napoleon Elbert, Kenny Goodwin, Rodney Speight, Janet Worthington, Billy Jones, Janet Little, Leon Daniels;

Tim Faulkner, DeAnne Gaylord, Kim DeAnne Gaylord, Kim Joyner, Linda Hoover, Chris McDaniels, Larry Green, Henry Tate, Sammy Tucker, Gary Worthington, Kevin Pound and Ellen Riggs.

Nixon 'Criminally Culpable': Jaworski

HOUSTON (AP) — Former Watergate special prosecutor Leon Jaworski says he told President Nixon's chief of staff, Gen. Alexander Haig, as early as December 1973 that Nixon was "criminally culpable" for involvement in the Watergate coverup.

Jaworski told KPRC-TV in an taped interview on Sunday that Nixon should have admitted to the American people during last week's television interview with David Frost that he was guilty of criminal conduct.

Jaworski also says in the current issue of Newsweek that Nixon's admission that he "let the country down" isn't enough to right his wrongs.

In an article written for the magazine, Jaworski denounces Nixon's claim that "technically I did not commit a crime."

"Why," he asked, "if Mr. Nixon only made mistakes and was not criminally culpable, did he seek a pardon and embrace it? This is not the course of innocent people ..."

Newsweek also reported that in the second Nixon-Frost interview to be broadcast Thursday night, Nixon says that Henry A. Kissinger, then his adviser on national security, developed misgivings over the American invasion of Cambodia once it had started.

The magazine quotes Nixon as saying that after the fatal shooting of four students (Nixon says three) at Kent State, "Henry came in one day and said, 'You know, I'm not sure that we should have gone into this Cambodian thing, and perhaps now has come the time when we should ... get out a little sooner.'"

According to Newsweek's version of the interview, Nixon added his own guess that Kissinger had not really meant this but had voiced concern over student unrest. "And I said, 'Nixon is quoted as saying, 'Henry ... we've done it,' I said, 'Remember Lot's wife. Never look back.'"

Sixteen Vie For 'Mother Of Year'

Some 16 contestants for the Pitt County NAACP Mother of the Year contest have been picked.

The contest will be held Sunday, May 15 at 6 p. m. at Philippi Christian Church in Greenville.

If any other churches wish to participate, they may contact the contest chairperson, Mrs. Willie Mae Carney at 825-5371 or Miss Carrie Williams at 752-0066.

Competing so far are Mrs. Mary Phillips of Cherry Lane, Mrs. Rosa Barnes of Riddick Chapel in Bethel, Mrs. Viola Boyd of Philippi in Simpson, Mrs. Helen Thomas of Holy Trinity in Greenville, Mrs.

Naomi Staton of Wynn Chapel in Bethel, Mrs. Vivian Taft of York Memorial in Greenville, Mrs. Peggy Witherspoon of Mount Zion in Bethel, Mrs. Viola Wooten of St. John's in Falkland, Mrs. Martha Edwards of Macedonia in Farmville, Mrs. Lucille Sharpe of Holly Hill in Belvoir, Mrs. Mollie Fleming of Selvia Chapel in Greenville, Mrs. Queenie Taft of White Oak in Grimesland, Mrs. Irene Daniels of Philippi in Greenville, Mrs. Leora Johnson of St. Elizabeth's Catholic in Farmville, and unidentified contestants from Mount Calvary and Wells Chapel, both in Greenville.

Navy Could See Return Of Bell Bottom Style

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
AP Military Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Adm. James Holloway, chief of naval operations, has just about decided to recommend a return to the sailor's traditional uniform of bell bottom trousers, jumpers and little white hats.

A recent Navy poll heavily influenced Holloway's thinking on how to resolve one of the most fractious internal issues in the fleet.

That official poll confirmed less scientific but clear indications that the new uniform of coats, white shirts, black ties and peaked caps is massively unpopular in the enlisted ranks.

The new uniform became compulsory nearly two years ago.

The Navy's sampling of opinion among more than 8,500 sailors produced a vote of about 86 per cent or 87 per cent in favor of restoring the old-style uniform.

Navy officials said sailors of all ratings were polled at major bases in San Diego, Calif.; Norfolk, Va.; Charleston, S.C.; Yokosuka, Japan; Rota, Spain, and Subic Bay, the Philippines.

Detailed results are not yet available, officials said, because experts are still analyzing replies to 36 questions asked each sailor. The questions sought reasons for opinions on uniform style, as well as views on personal appearance, uniform cleaning problems and related matters.

According to present indications, Holloway may approve the old-style uniform for the five lowest enlisted ranks.

That would leave senior petty officers with the coat and tie

uniform, which was a cherished badge of distinction for them before Adm. Elmo Zumwalt ordered all enlisted men to wear it.

Holloway's recommendation will go to the new Navy secretary, W. Graham Claytor Jr., who normally can be expected to ratify the admiral's judgment on a matter involving morale.

Holloway has told visitors he is not yet sure when the change back to the old style uniforms should start, although he indicated it could come as early as next year. Following a decision, the Navy would have to arrange for production of new supplies of uniforms.

Critics of the new style uniform say it is a bother to keep neat, especially aboard ship. Sailors also say they don't have room to hang the new uniforms. The old style uniforms could be rolled up and kept in a sea bag.

Honor Family Doctor Program

A television special exploring the comeback of the family doctor has received an award of merit from the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP).

The program is part of Medix, a weekly series on medicine and health sponsored by the Burroughs Wellcome Co.

The program, "The Return of the Family Doctor," examines how and why the family physician has regained prominence after the emphasis on specialization of recent years.

The award was presented during the AAFP's State Officers' Conference in Kansas City.

Boat Overturns, Youth Drowns

ATLANTIC, N.C. (AP) — Robert E. Smith, 18, a high school senior, drowned Saturday when the boat he and three companions were in overturned in the sound between Core Banks and Atlantic, the Carteret County Sheriff's Department reported.

Smith apparently was struck in the head and knocked unconscious as the vessel overturned, authorities said.

The body was recovered by fishermen early Sunday.

Utilities Meet

The Greenville Utilities Commission will consider a 16-item agenda at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The commissioners will consider a proposed organizational structure for the Office of Energy Conservation and Management approved at the April meeting.

Also on the agenda are the presentation of the Safety Award to the Water and Sewer Department, presentation of status reports on the electric fuel adjustment account and gas surcharge account and review of bids for electrical material and equipment and water line material.

Area Grads At Duke U.

Approximately 2,000 persons were awarded degrees during Duke University's 125th graduation exercises Sunday.

Dr. Juanita Kreps, U.S. Secretary of Commerce, delivered the commencement address. Sunday's ceremonies climaxed a Commencement Weekend that included baccalaureate services by Bishop James Armstrong, leader of the United Methodists in the Dakotas area, and Dr. Harmon L. Smith, professor of moral theology in Duke Divinity School.

The following students from the Pitt County and Martin County areas received degrees at the graduation: Robert O'Neal Fleming, Jr., J.D. son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Fleming; Nancy C. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Martin; and Stephen Lamont Wooten, son of Dr. John Wooten and Dr. Harriet Wooten, of Greenville; Lucy Chatham Everett, J.D. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh G. Chatham, of Williamston.

Redevelopment Meet Tonight

The Redevelopment Commission will hold its regular May meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. at its 316 E. Roundtree Drive central offices.

Commissioners will consider progress reports concerning finance, land acquisition, disposition, demolition and relocation in the various urban renewal and Community Development areas.

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Lassiter-Foust Vows Said Saturday Evening

The First Presbyterian Church here was the scene of the wedding ceremony Saturday at 7:00 p.m. of Wendy Jane Foust of Winterville, and Lanny Ray Lassiter of Rt. 1, Winterville.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Richard Gammon. A program of wedding music was presented by Dr. Robert Irwin, organist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Foust of Murrysville, Pa. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Thomas Edward Lassiter of Rt. 1, Winterville, and the late Mr. Lassiter.

The bride wore a formal gown of white maracaine knit fashioned with a portrait neckline edged in Venise lace and bridal pearls. A knit belt encircled the empire waistline and the long bishop sleeves of chiffon were cuffed at the wrist with Venise lace. The chapel length A-line skirt was edged in lace. She carried three long-stemmed white roses and baby's breath. She wore baby's breath in her hair.

The matron of honor was Becky Walden of Greenville. She wore a sleeveless green and white gingham chiffon pinafore edged with ruffles at the hemline. She carried a long-stemmed white rose with baby's breath.

The best man was Gary Lewis of Greenville.

The bride attended Franklin Regional High School, Murrysville, Pa., and is now employed at Union Carbide. The bridegroom attended D. H. Conley High School and is co-owner of Plant and See Nursery, Greenville.

The couple will reside in Winterville.

A reception, held at the home of the bridegroom's brother in Greenville, followed the ceremony.



MRS. LANNY RAY LASSITER

Business Meet Held By Women

President Lud Sherwood presided at the May meeting of the St. Peter's Woman's Club. She thanked the women for their efforts on the following projects, Special Olympics, Joint Seder Meal, preparation of Easter candy for the children, and Walk For Humanity.

A donation will be given to the Catholic Social Services to be used for the blood pressure clinic to be held at St. Gabriel's auditorium May 14. The first clinic was held Saturday, Mary Ann Ryan, Fanny Flower and May Franklin have volunteered assistance for the clinic.

The group will serve a luncheon for Bishop Joseph Gossman and nine priests from the local deanery Wednesday, May 25. Projects for the coming year were approved.

Sister Chris Gelling, prayer chairman, prepared a Prayer of Celebration for Father J. Paul Byron's birthday, led by Sister Jane Paris. Mrs. Sherwood presented Father Byron with a gift from the women and refreshments were served in his honor.

Guests for the evening were Sister Mary John, Sister Cecilia, Sister Marie Goretti, Sister Nancy visiting from Burlington, and Bonnie Parsons.

Sandy Helms and Bobby Parsons were hostesses for the evening.

Adoption Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway Cross Jr. of Roanoke Rapids announce the adoption of a daughter, Laura Elizabeth, on May 3, 1977.

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Women's Club Officers Installed

Installation of officers for the 1977-78 year of St. Gabriel's Women's Club took place Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Camille Archie.

New officers are: Mrs. Shirley Barnes, president; Mrs. Betty Villano, vice president; Mrs. Lois Reddick, secretary; and Mrs. Joanne Newton, treasurer.

Mrs. Barnes appointed the following committee chairladies: Membership, Mrs. Anne Lichtefeld; Social, Mrs. Lisa Kannen; Sunshine, Mrs. Rose Richards; Hospitality, Mrs. Irene Carroll; Publicity, Mrs. Miriam Lyder; Special Projects, Mrs. Diane Stampe; Crafts, Mrs. Ann Allen; Flowers, Mrs. Archie; Scrapbook, Mrs. Ann Halevy; Newsletter, Mrs. Villano; Altar, Mrs. Agnes Jones; Altar Linens, Ms. Rose Scarcello and Mrs. Irene Carroll; Altar Housekeeping, Mrs. Elaine Tschetter; Banners, Sister Lawrence Marie and Mrs. Barnes.

Mrs. Archie presented a gift from the club to outgoing president, Mrs. Kannen. Outgoing board members were presented roses.

Members voted to change the meeting night to the second Monday of each month and the craft group to the first and third Monday evenings.

The sisters of St. Gabriel's School and from the Ninth Street Convent were guests for the meeting.

Ms. Cynthia Saleeby, a volunteer with the Cancer Society, will be the guest speaker at the meeting to be held at the school hall June 13 at 8 p.m.

Birth

Curtis Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Curtis, Bridgeport, Conn., a daughter, Kiana, on May 8, 1977. Mrs. Curtis is the former Deloris Dail of Ayden.



Ethel Wants Nose Job, Not Character

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: My daughter (whom I shall call Ethel) is graduating from high school in June, so my rich sister sent her a check for \$1,500 with a note, "To get your nose fixed, honey."

Now, Abby, Ethel's nose isn't that bad. She resembles my father, and his nose goes with his face. Some of Ethel's friends have had their noses fixed, and she's been after us ever since to get hers done. We kept saying we couldn't afford it. Now what can we say?

I am so burned up at my sister I can hardly see to write this. She had HER nose bobbed a few years ago and now she looks like Marlo Thomas, but I think her old nose had more character.

Abby, do you think my sister had the right to send our daughter a check for a nose job knowing how we fought against it? And should we let Ethel do it, even though we don't think she really needs it?

FAMILY NOSE FIGHT

DEAR NOSE FIGHT: Your sister should have kept her bobbed nose out of your family fight. But consider your daughter. HER nose doesn't have to go with her grandfather's face. And if a girl's character is in her nose, heaven help her.

If Ethel thinks she needs to have her nose bobbed, she needs it. Take her to a certified plastic surgeon for a consultation. He won't chisel needlessly.

DEAR ABBY: Whatever became of the old-fashioned, red-blooded virile male who could get excited about a lovable, feminine woman?

Lately, all the men I meet are either interested in other men, or practically impotent because the Women's Libbers have made them feel they're not needed for anything!

The last few men I dated sounded like they were all playing the same recording: It started with the alimony blues and ended with, "I don't want to get serious with another woman as long as I live!"

Abby, please tell me where to find a good old-fashioned man who's all man, and I'll go there tomorrow.

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DEAR STATEN: Staten Island is loaded with them. Stand still, and one will catch up with you. They're all looking for a lovable feminine woman they can get excited about.

DEAR ABBY: Please say a word in your column about these extravagant weddings people put on. I understand such catered affairs run from \$25 per person on up.

If the bride's parents spend \$25 per guest, the invitee is obligated to buy a gift of the same value.

In our case, the wedding invitation our family just received will cost us \$150 to accept.

At those prices, we would have considered it a kindness not to have been invited.

C.

DEAR C: Where is it written that a guest must match the cost of being entertained by presenting a gift of equal value? A gift is always voluntary—never obligatory.

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

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Pitt County Youth Hold Practice Day

The Pitt County Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) youth participated in a county wide practice day recently.

The day's activities included food demonstrations, dairy posters and talent. The blue ribbon youth will represent the county in a Regional Activity Day Saturday in Williamston.

Demonstrations and program participants were as follows: dairy foods, Deloris Edwards, Calico; Pamela Baker, Bell Arthur; Veronica Roach and Keecha Roach, Ayden; egg cookery, Shirley Randolph and Shirli Jones, Farmville; fruits and vegetables, Kim Johnson and Ree Johnson, Ayden; Sherri Randolph, Farmville;

Open class, Virginia Hardy, Greenville; Janice Barrett, Chicod; Eric Blount, Winterville; talent, Jimmy Jones, Pactolus; Tonya Hardison and Gwendolyn Hardison, Whichard; Dorothy Clark and Mary Clark and Carolyn Edwards, Calico; Ella Blount and Tim Simpson, Winterville;

Dairy food posters were made

Kitchen arithmetic: count on a pound of raw dried beans yielding a little over two cups and from four to six cups after cooking.

and displayed by Clifton Barnhill, Stokes; Gwendolyn Taylor, Whichard; Rufus Mayberry, James Howard and Juanita Howard, Ayden; Linda Mercer and Mark Simms, Farmville.

Mrs. Vonnelle Boyd, Mrs. Alice Joyner, Mrs. Betty Robinson and Mrs. Leo Sneed, Pitt County program aides, work with the EFNEP and youth throughout the county and were the coaches for the youths' work.

Serving as judges for the day were Miss Addie R. Gore, Mrs. Evelyn Spangler, Mrs. Autrey Jenkins, home economics extension agents, Leroy James,

agricultural extension agent, and Michael Davis, 4-H extension agent.

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Development Needs Controls

Howard Lee, secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development, feels that repeal of the Coastal Area Management Act must be defeated. "The repeal of the Coastal Area Management Act would be one of the worst things that could happen to the East," he said at the annual meeting of the Mid-East Commission in Williamston last week.

There has been too much bad development in North Carolina's coastal areas, even though our state is more fortunate in this respect than most. There will have to be some controls on development if we are not to see beaches and wetlands destroyed.

Visit To Closest Ally Is Appropriate

President Carter made his first overseas visit since becoming president last week. Significantly the first presidential visit was to England, the United States mother country, and probably our closest world ally.

England is nowhere near the powerful nation it once was, but its friendship is still very important to the United States. The presidential visit was appropriate.

THIS AFTERNOON

Open Govm't Frustrating

By BILL NOBLITT
RALEIGH — One of the chief frustrations with this session of the general Assembly and with the early days of the administration of Gov. James B. Hunt, Jr. is the early flirtation in this state with a more open, consensus-reaching, public-serving form of government.

Faculty in reaching the right people and less assurance of success. For special-interest groups, it means less certainty in gaining support. And for veteran newsmen, it means a harder time finding out what is happening; and less certainty that information will last longer than overnight. Once it was possible to touch based with a mere handful of key people and predict accurately what was going to happen to a given measure, and when.

tioner of the 'new style' of leadership. His attitude is helping create an atmosphere of participation and involvement among legislators — even freshmen — heretofore not witnessed.



BILL NOBLITT

which puts together the state budget. Holmes does not meet regularly with Steward, but waits for a few minutes talk along with other House leaders. And that generally results in instructions to 'do what you all think you should,' Holmes said.

What is the result of such a developing system? A few brief examples help to understand. A freshman legislator (State Rep. James F. Morgan, D—Guilford) managed to frustrate a veteran committee chairman (John Ed Davenport, D—Nash) and get to the floor in full-fledged debate measures which reduce the impact and chance of imposing a death penalty in North Carolina.

Another legislator (Rep. Ruth E. Cook, D—Wake) got a minority report out of a committee, away from control of the chairman, got it to the floor, and approved without finding all committee chairmen working against her. Traditionally, all chairmen stood together and fought hard any such end run as a test of their authority.

To the public, the process has caused the Legislature to appear less active and it is so in terms of major items considered and adopted thus far. But those who favor open government are hopeful that in the long run the process will produce better results.

Floor Fights

Even pet projects of the speaker run into change and opposition; witness the response to his proposed revision of the state's Open Meeting Law. Key aides to Steward say privately that he does not attempt to impose his will, but urges legislators to reach their own decisions.

In the past, speakers met frequently with committee chairmen. This year there has been one meeting, and that to set meeting times for the various committees — and that turned into a lengthy battle session because the speaker did not tell the chairmen what to do.

'I almost wish he would start issuing orders...things would be more predictable, and move more quickly,' a Steward colleague admitted.

State Rep. Edward S. Holmes, D—Chatham, is chairman of the powerful Appropriations Committee

To numerous observers, this year marks a transition period from the traditional way of doing business in state government—decision-making in private by a handful of power brokers and imposition of the direction from above.

Instead, positions of power are in the hands of people both publicly and privately committed to a more democratic process.

Will the flirtation lead to marriage? Or even to a long-running engagement? That must wait a while to be seen.

Early returns show that despite the desirability of more public involvement in government, the process has its shortcomings: it is slower, less productive, unwieldy, and uncertain.

Problems For those in positions of leadership, it means their decisions are not always followed. For lobbying groups seeking to influence government, it means dif-



"Howdy, y'all! I'm jus' plain, simple, uncomplicated ol' Jimmy Carter."

By ART BUCHWALD

The Lethargic America

WASHINGTON — There's something going on in America now that not many people can put their finger on. There is a malaise and a feeling that nothing is happening. I felt the same way and discussed it with Rademacher.

He has a theory and it's worth exploring. "It's the television reruns that are doing it to all of us." I listened attentively.

"Most people in this coun-

try are so TV-oriented that they don't know how much it affects their lives. When the networks start rerunning their shows, people feel their lives have been stopped and won't start again until the fall when the fresh segments begin again."

"It's frightening but it's true," I agreed. "When I see a rerun of a MASH program, I get the feeling I've been there before. It's a real downer."

"We all get that feeling," Rademacher said. "For tens of thousands of years people have lived their lives by the seasons. There was spring, summer, fall and winter. You got new hope and spirit as the weather changed. It kept your juices flowing. But now that people live their lives through the tube and there are only two seasons — the regular TV period and the rerun season — no one has much to look forward to during the reruns."



ART BUCHWALD

Other Editors Say Dangerous Plan

(Henderson Dispatch)

Enactment of the proposed plan for universal registration of voters is dangerous and actually is not needed, either at the national or State level. It has the earmarks of a political contraption that could admit of fraud, confusion and even delay at election time.

There would be no opportunity to check on residence or eligibility of voter applicants. At the polling place, it would be necessary to assign names to proper precincts and political subdivisions, such as cities, wards, school districts and others. Confusion would result in that the voter would show up at the wrong polling place on election day.

Claim is made, and with apparent good reason, that this plan would allow felons, ghosts and aliens, including both those in this country legally and illegally, to vote. Added expense would be involved, due to difficulty in arranging an adequate number of polling officials, all of whom would have to be paid. It is argued that the system would, in effect, repeal, if not cancel, voter registration.

The political aspect is simply to obtain a larger vote participation for benefit of the party in power. In all likelihood, there would be less concern about the integrity of the ballot than the number allowed to vote.

It is, or at least should not be, a political gimmick. Honest voting is the basis of obtaining an honest expression of the will of the people on vital issues and candidates. Soundness of the present regulations would largely be lost under the program.

There ought to be enough statesmanship and national loyalty on Capitol Hill to defeat this monstrosity of holding elections. Surely the honorables are capable of sensing at all levels. No party needs to sponsor an arrangement which could result in fraud at the polls and other impediments. It is not needed, it is dangerous, and is a threat to the government in the final analysis.

THE INSIDE REPORT

Reality Of Reds In Italy

By ROWLANE EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

ROME — The spic-and-span Communist headquarters of Western Europe's richest Communist party, in both votes and money, would make an American politician drool. But the illusion that here is a Communist party with "a human face" vanishes the instant party operatives reveal their doctrine on life-and-death questions of world politics.

Indeed, the decision of the Carter administration — though unquestionably backed by Italy's democratic parties — to issue its manifesto of non-involvement in the political "processes" of Western allies harboring Communist parties, may have come with undue haste and exaggerated emphasis.

Party leaders here make preposterous claims out of it ("Carter is looking at Italian reality in a new way," one told us).

More important, the party's real view of the U.S.—Soviet struggle, offered with refreshing candor, is chillingly anti-American, yet the Carter "non-involvement" policy issued April 7 now makes it difficult for the U.S. to advertise that fact without violating its own edict.

Thus, Sergio Segre, a leading party specialist in foreign affairs and member of the ruling central committee, found himself unable to say whether the U.S. or the Soviet Union gives the "higher expression" to human rights. Calling it a "senseless comparison," Segre told us in a rebuke to

Mr. Carter that "to be avoided at all costs" was any U.S.—Soviet "confrontation" on the human rights question — for example, pitting the condition of American blacks against the plight of Soviet dissidents.

How about imperialism, a much-favored slander against the U.S.? We asked Segre to consider not just Soviet military control of Eastern Europe but also current Soviet activities in southern Africa and elsewhere, compared to last year's flat refusal by the U.S. to get involved in Angola.

The response was quick and confident: "Even your own officials like (UN Ambassador Andrew) Young and President Carter himself have said that Communist troops in Angola created stability, and that is not imperialism."

As for Eastern Europe, Segre told us, Moscow has troops there as part of the Warsaw Pact, just as the U.S. has troops in Western Europe as part of NATO. But, he was asked, is not the purpose of Soviet troops in East Ger-

many, Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia to guarantee Moscow's military control and economic domination of those countries?

"There is a question about what function Soviet troops have in Eastern Europe," Segre said. He added the party's routine disclaimer on the Soviets' 1968 occupation of Prague.

Embroidering that curious perception of imperialism, Ugo Pecchioli, an articulate, 52-year-old executive committee member with growing influence in the party's foreign policy apparatus, came close to equating U.S. membership in NATO with "imperialism."

"Certainly the American presence has conditioned the political development of the countries of Western Europe," he told us. "The prevalence of American interests' American armaments — NATO uses American arms, not European. And we have learned about the CIA operations from hearings in your Congress" (an obvious reference

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Strength For Today

AN INFAMOUS IMMORTALITY

Some men have the misfortune of gaining for themselves an infamous immortality. In our own country Benedict Arnold and Aaron Burr were of this variety. In Biblical times we find Judas Iscariot and Jereboam, the latter of whom is always referred to in these words: "Jereboam, the son of Nebat, who made Israel to sin."

This Jereboam was a crafty, energetic usurper who weaned the ten northern tribes away from their allegiance to Solomon's son

and set himself up as ruler. No one denied his ability, but everything he did indicated a lack of conscience and character.

He regarded religious faith with amusement and led his people into idolatry. He put his own ambition first and the religious welfare of his people last.

Jereboam reappears continually in the stream of modern life. He is always unscrupulous. You can pick him out today in political life, in industry, in business — and sometimes even in the church.

—by Elisha Douglass

Welcome Productivity News

By JOHN CUNIFF AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The fact that output per manhour of Americans is rising again won't create the headlines that might come from the economic summit meeting in London, but it is probably more significant.

A rise in output per manhour, or productivity, undercuts inflation. And is there any economic news that is more welcome and meaningful than that? Hardly.

The summit is made up of good intentions, negotiations, agreements and goals. Productivity is what already has been accomplished. And based on the latest figures those accomplishments have been great.

Whereas the long-term growth in productivity, based on measurements since World War II, has been about 2.3 per cent a year, the in-

crease during the first quarter of 1977 was at a 3.2 per cent annual rate.

Equally encouraging, this measurement of the efficiency with which we utilize our labor, resources, plant, equipment and capital surged over the rate achieved in the previous quarter, the final one of 1976.

Many economists would like to see the first-quarter rate exceeded in subsequent quarters, because then it would demonstrate conclusively that there is vitality left in the American system. But 3.2 really isn't bad.

It most certainly will be the most important counterforce to the inflationary thrust of economic activity, because rising productivity means we are getting our products onto the market at a lower cost.

It doesn't mean we are slaving all the harder to turn out more widgets per worker.

It does mean that we are working smarter — we are employing our skills, our factory space, our technology, our brains, our money.

Seldom do we see any figures on the inflationary impact of using these ingredients inefficiently, but it is in that inefficiency that inflation is born and nourished.

Unfortunately, we have never quite learned to maintain peak efficiency for very long. Sooner or later we become sloppy in the employment of our various resources. Up go prices, down goes economic activity.

It is at the low points in economic activity that we manage to get ourselves together and once again utilize our resources in a more efficient manner.

Employment is pared, frills are eliminated, expense accounts are scrutinized,

Stormy Seas In Offing

By DAVID R. NELSEN Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH (AP) — When Gov. Jim Hunt came upon some rough seas in his dealings with the legislature recently after two months of smooth sailing, it was widely interpreted as the General Assembly refusing to be a "rubber stamp."

Considering the political egos, there is almost certainly some truth in that. But, the major factors seem to be timing and issues.

In an interview last week, Hunt commented on the issue when referring to a bill he considers one of his most important. "Some of you (reporters) have been talking about how easy my bills have been getting through, well I don't think that one's going to get through so easy."

In another recent interview, House Speaker Carl Stewart said he doesn't think the legislature ever was a rubber stamp for Hunt.

"I think the reverse of that. The less controversial and simple bills went through with relative ease because of their simplicity," he said. The complex issues have just required more careful deliberation, he said.

Rep. J.P. Huskins, D-Iredell, generally agreed but said he sensed a shift in the legislative mood. "I got the feeling that there is some resentment built up in the legislature because of the governor's many reorganization proposals."

When the session began in mid-January, Hunt promised to submit a number of proposals ranging from restructuring some of the state bureaucracy to a statewide reading program for the first three grades.

A governor and his advisors must map out a strategy. They must strike a balance between the favorable reception his first proposals will receive and the effect of momentum by putting the easy proposals in first.

Hunt chose to put most of his emphasis on momentum. His early bills were fairly non-controversial. They were on restructuring the state bureaucracy and most legislators agreed some changes were needed.

Then came the heaviest such as restructuring the state Utilities Commission, the reading program and succession. It was about two months into the session when those issues — controversial under any circumstances — started coming up.

Most of Hunt's major proposals are still pending. Because he had promised during his campaign to seek those changes and because of his overwhelming victory, the legislature is expected to accept the notion that the people want those changes. The details, however are what's controversial.

Sen. William G. Smith, D-New Hanover, says he thinks the people have been misled by the media on the "rubber stamp" issue. "I see it as a very simple thing. The legislature is made up of 170 different views, personalities and individuals. I don't think the governor's tried to ram anything down the throat of the legislature."

In general, he said, the lawmakers tend to agree with Hunt's goals and now are just making sure his proposals are the best way of reaching them.

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Compromise At Hand On Defense Budget's Share

By JOHN CHADWICK
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A House and Senate conference committee, divided on the issue of defense spending, may be near agreement on a compromise resolution that will establish a congressional target for federal spending for the 1978 fiscal year.

The Senate plans debate this week on proposals to make its anti-filibuster rule more effective. And President Carter's energy program and economic stimulus measures are among other matters on which Congress will be focusing its attention this week.

The Senate-House conference committee hoped to reach agreement later today on the compromise budget resolution, which will set spending and revenue targets for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1.

One key difference between House and Senate spending plans is over defense. The Senate approved spending \$111.6 billion, which is \$300 million less than Carter asked, but the House cut its defense figure to \$109.9 billion.

Over-all, the Senate resolution projects a \$63.5 billion deficit for 1978, while the House figure is \$66.3 billion.

Meanwhile, the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee appeared to be ready to approve President Carter's proposal to create a Cabinet-level Department of Energy. The committee's proposal is expected to provide for a sharing of power over natural gas and oil prices between the depart-

ment secretary and a three-member regulatory board. Under this compromise plan, worked out by senior committee members and the White House, the President would have the final say over price decisions if the energy secretary and the board disagree.

The House commerce energy and power subcommittee will devote the week to hearings on Carter's energy program. Opening testimony will be on plans to give tax breaks to people who insulate their homes.

The Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee scheduled a mid-week hearing on the over-all energy program.

A housing bill on which the House began debate last week is slated for a final vote before the House moves on to a foreign aid measure. The housing bill includes authorization of \$12.5 billion for community development bloc grants.

On Thursday the House is to take up a compromise version of the tax stimulus bill, on which agreement was reached with Senate conferees last week. The bill includes an average tax cut of \$111 for some 46 million taxpayers who use the standard deduction.

The filibuster rules changes being brought up in the Senate

would leave intact the present requirement for a three-fifths majority, or 60 votes, to put the debate-limiting cloture rule into effect. But it would curb the use of dilatory tactics after that.

In recommending the revisions, the Senate Rules Committee said that even after cloture has been voted it is possible through various delaying procedures to stave off final ac-

tion on a measure for weeks. However, a Republican minority report called the proposed revisions "window-dressing to camouflage the real effect of this resolution — providing the majority with more power."

Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., who took the lead in shaping the proposals, said they might occupy the Senate all week.

Fayetteville Police Reported Unhappy Over Ticket-Fixing

LUMBERTON, N.C. (AP) — Fixing traffic tickets has become commonplace here and some Lumberton police officers say they are bitter about the situation. The Fayetteville Times reported Monday in a copyrighted story.

In 13 statements and sworn affidavits, present and former officers said some city council members constantly pressure police officers and Chief H.C. Britt to get traffic tickets fixed. "It's a scary situation," one officer told the Times. "On one hand, you've got some super-

visors pressing you to go out and work traffic in problem areas. So you do it and then find out you've given a ticket to a friend of a councilman and he's raising hell, wanting your job. You come back to the station and the same guy that told you to go out and write tickets tells you the word has come from higher up to void them. It's a mess."

The Times audited ticket books issued to the Lumberton Police Department in 1975 and 1976, which showed that 197 of 3,375 tickets issued had been

voided or were missing. Audits of ticket books issued the Fayetteville and New Bern police departments in the same period showed rates of 1.5 per cent and 1.9 per cent, respectively.

Uniform traffic tickets used by all local police agencies and the state Highway Patrol are printed by the administrative office of the courts in Raleigh.

Traffic violators are given a pink copy of the ticket. The Times said many of the Lumberton tickets had the pink copy stapled or taped back into the ticket books and marked "Void."

Officers told the Times the pink copy often is handed over to a council member, who either passes it on to Britt or moves directly to have the ticket fixed.

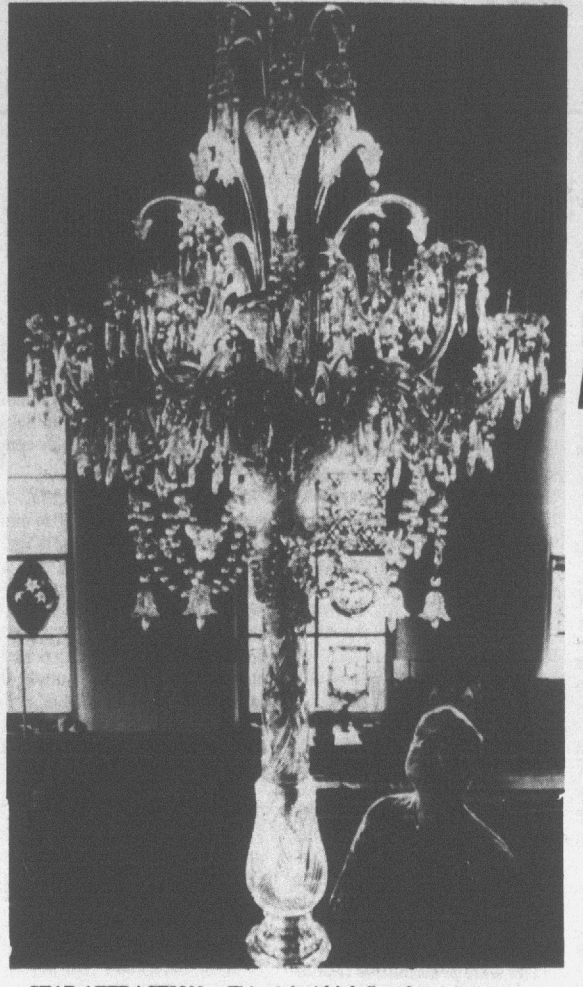
"I have not been asked directly to void a ticket, but only to 'help someone out,'" said one officer. "All the time they're asking you to help this guy out, they're holding that pink slip at you. The explicit implication was always that the ticket was to be voided."

According to affidavits, the most common method of ticket-fixing is for officers to be called back to the station before tickets are turned over the

the magistrate. Britt or another police supervisor then tells the officer that "someone higher up" wants a certain ticket "taken care of." The ticket is then voided and not given to the magistrate, the affidavits said.

When tickets already have been turned in to the magistrate, Britt often moves to have the case dismissed through the attorney general's office, the Times said.

"I've heard the chief tell other officers he had to keep the city council and the men happy," one officer said. "That really gets to me because it seems to me the chief's job is to work for the men all he can and try to keep the politics out of the department."



STAR ATTRACTION — This 12-foot-high floor lamp that belonged to chocolate magnate Milton Hershey is the star attraction at a display of American cut glass that has gone on view at the Corning Glass Museum in Corning, N.Y. Hershey bought it at the Chicago World's Fair in 1893 and had to cut a hole in the living room of his Pennsylvania home to make room for it. (AP Wirephoto)

Moved Church As A Mother's Day Gift

BOONE, N.C. (AP) — Because Mrs. Nora South Eggers had a wealth of memories invested in the church her family founded 113 years ago, her son and grandson had the structure dismantled and moved here from Tennessee for Mother's Day.

"I was very pleased to find out what they did. It brings back a lot of memories," said Mrs. Eggers, 87, who moved here in 1924. Stacy C. Eggers Jr. and Stacy C. Eggers III knew how Mrs. Eggers felt about Timothy Chapel Methodist Church. When they found it had been abandoned, they decided to save it.

Like many other small, wooden country churches, declining membership forced it to close. "It all started when the lady who owned the building (Mrs. Myrtle Mock of Trade, Tenn.) came into my office one day

and asked if I wanted to buy the bell in the church tower," said the elder Eggers.

Eggers agreed to buy the bell and sent his son and another man to get it. When the younger Eggers asked Mrs. Mock about buying the entire building, she refused.

After a second visit, Mrs. Mock agreed to sell for \$475 and Eggers began disassembling the church.

"We might have been able to bring it out on a truck except it was up a narrow road with high banks on both sides," the elder Eggers said. "So, we had to take it apart, piece by piece, bring it to Boone and have it rebuilt."

A local contractor rebuilt the church beside a small creek behind Mrs. Eggers' house.

"It looks like it belongs there — like it was always sitting back there," said the elder Eggers.

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to undercover U.S. help for democratic parties in past Italian elections).

And Soviet imperialism? "There is no element of Soviet imperialism in Eastern Europe," he said. "Imperialism totally suffocates the life of a country." He repeated Segre's line about Soviet-Cuban intervention in Angola. "Even the U.S. has admitted in the last few weeks that Cuban troops in Angola brought an element of stability and democratization."

Given these convictions, to swallow the Communist party's new doctrine on NATO — that, should they ever attain power here, the Communists would continue Italy's NATO membership but press hard-

for the "obsolescence" of both pacts — requires a staggering act of faith. If much else is unclear about Italy's second largest party, this fact emerged from our discussions in the well-appointed party headquarters: the new doctrine on NATO, which was not developed until just before the March 1975 party-congress and was widely advertised in last summer's election campaign, seems to rest on a foundation of hot air.

Considering the party's contorted view of the U.S.-Soviet struggle, its pledge to tolerate continued membership in NATO is not principled. Rather, it is another tactic to appear more acceptable to the Western-oriented Italian middle class in its appeal for votes — tactics which, in other political areas, appear to have damaged the party's working class base, triggered a potentially serious inner-party debate over future strategy and at least for the moment slowed its drive toward power.

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networks start their rerun season people tend to repeat themselves at home and in the office, and they say the same things to each other that they said during the regular TV season.

"My wife and I do that," I agreed.

"Everyone does it. Even the President of the United States. No one thinks of anything new to say until the middle of September."

"The TV networks have sure put this country in a rut," I said. "Of course, the news reports aren't reruns, are they?"

"We're not certain of that," Rademacher said. "Most of the news in the spring and summer sounds like you've heard it before. I think that's why Walter Cronkite goes off the air for three months. He doesn't want people to think he's a rerun."

Rademacher said that historically spring was always the season when everyone came alive. "But since TV it is now the fall that everyone looks forward to, when the new network shows blossom on the air bringing hope and joy to advertisers all over the land. The fact that 90 percent of the new shows will die by January is not important. They will be replaced by an even 'newer season' which will last until April.

"Then comes May and the longer the rerun season the more lethargic people get," he continued. "You can see it everywhere."

"There's always baseball on TV," I said.

"The trouble with baseball on television is that even if it's a new game it looks like a repeat."

"I guess you could say the same for golf. Wait a minute. I know of one show going on this month — it's David Frost's interviews with Richard Nixon. That isn't a rerun."

Rademacher said, "I wouldn't be too sure about that."

Wreck Damaged Three Cars

An estimated \$1,260 property damage resulted from a collision on Oak Street, 40 feet South of the Willow Street intersection about midnight, Saturday.

Investigators reported a car driven by Mary Jo Beck of 2000 Evans St. collided with a parked car owned by Thomas Anthony Tyson of Route 3, Ayden, forcing the Tyson car into another parked car owned by Trudy Tripp of Ayden.

Damage was estimated at \$800 to the Beck auto, \$400 to the Tyson car and \$60 to the Tripp auto.

Congratulated On Voting Age

Rose High School students having reached their 18th birthdays recently have been receiving congratulations from the League of Women Voters.

League Pres. Margaret Wirth is sending a Happy Birthday Card to each of these young persons as they reach voting age. In addition to conveying good wishes, the card seeks to acquaint the recipient with the procedure for registering to vote and urges him or her to do so as soon as possible.

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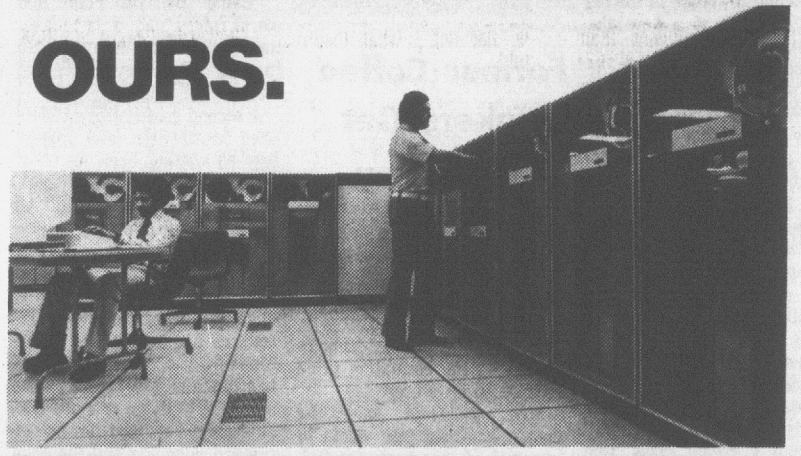
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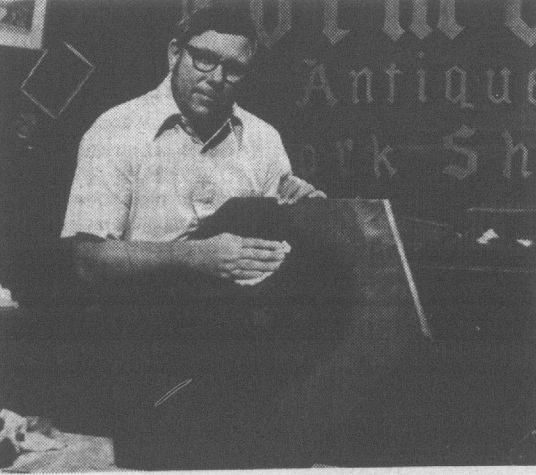
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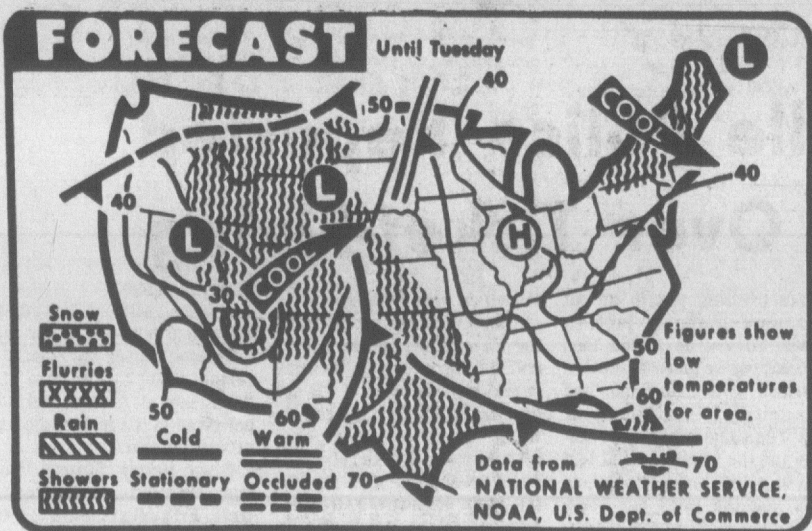
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How's The Weather?



WEATHER FORECAST — A broad band of showers is due today from Texas to the northern Plains. An area of showers is also indicated for

New England. Cool weather is expected for most of the country. (AP Wirephoto Map)

By The Associated Press
A strong cold front moving across North Carolina this morning brought windy and cooler conditions to the state along with freezing temperatures for the northwest mountains.

The cold front extends from a low over Long Island, N.Y., curves to northern sections of North Carolina then into Kentucky to Minnesota. Wind gusts of up to 50 m.p.h. were recorded as the front passed through Virginia earlier this morning. Small craft advisories were in effect on the North Carolina coast and sounds because of the winds.

The front is dry, bringing no precipitation.

Very cold air is pushing in behind the front. Temperatures today will range from upper 50s to low 60s in the northwest

mountains to mid to upper 70s for the south coast. The cold air will be felt tonight when temperatures are expected to dip into the upper 20s for the northwest mountains to 40s for the coast. It could freeze tender vegetation in the northwest mountains.

Tonights lows are expected to dip into the low to mid 30s for the southern and central mountains. Since the air moving into the state is very dry and winds should remain fairly strong into the night, widespread frost is not expected but there still remains a risk of scattered frost for the southern and central mountains.

A few heavy thundershowers developed over the southern coastal plain around midnight and moved offshore well before daybreak. Most reports of rainfall in those areas was around

a quarter of an inch.

After high temperatures yesterday that ranged from 70 at Cape Hatteras and Elizabeth City to 85 at Fayetteville. Temperatures this morning were mostly in the 50s with some 60s near the coast. Except for the thundershowers, skies were mostly clear through the night.

The recreational weather outlook was for a cold front moving through the state this morning bringing cooler and windy weather to the state. Skies should remain mostly sunny. A cold area of high pressure pushing into Wisconsin from Canada will keep skies clear tonight and Tuesday.

Temperatures will be on the cool side for the next few days and the winds will only add to the chill. Small craft advisories are in effect for the North Carolina coast and sounds.

No-Tillage Planting Is Being Applied In County

Several hundred acres of row-crops, mostly corn, are currently being no-tillage planted on Pitt County farms according to the Pitt Soil Conservation Service.

Joseph Rasberry, who owned a farm near Grifton planted 81

acres of corn by using no-till cropping system. Rasberry also plans to plant approximately 100 acres of soybeans by using the no-till cropping system.

According to Jacob Crandall, Soil Conservationist, although much remains to be learned

about the practice of no-till cropping, farmer experience, and experiment station results have provided information from which some general recommendations may be made.

Crandall said that the total control of unwanted weeds is essential to development of high-yielding no-till cropping system.

A no-till cropping system may require from six to 11 different herbicides for success today. However, the best way to control weeds is through an integrated weed management system, Crandall said. The system should not only include chemicals but also pathogen, water control, and cultural control, he added.

Soil conservationists are interested in the no-till system because it reduces the erosion rate on many soils from five, 10, or even 20 tons per acre to less than a ton.

"If no-till can be continued on many hard to manage soils, it will mean that the life of the topsoil can be measured in millenniums instead of decades or centuries," Crandall said.

Crandall also noted that a reduction in energy use also can be achieved by reducing tillage. He pointed out however, that a number of adverse impacts have been attributed to no-till including, higher insect and rodent populations, higher incidence of plant disease more runoff of soluble phosphorus; higher herbicide runoff; and delayed germination of seed during cool wet springs.

The FARM SCENE

By EDWIN L. YANCEY
County Extension Chairman

The preliminary report of the 1974 Census of Agriculture is finally out. The figures reveal an interesting picture of changes that have occurred since the previous Census in 1969.

Fewer farms and farmers isn't really news to those of us who know the Countys farm scene. But now it's official. There were 498 newer farms in Pitt County in 1974 than the 1969 total of 2,174. Areal surprise is the small increase in size of an average farm. It's up from 114 to 138 acres.

Fewer farmers resulted mainly from a drastic reduction in tenants. In 1969 there were 986 tenant operators. By 1974 a 45 percent reduction had dropped the number to 545. Seven Hundred Eighteen farms were still operated by full owners and 413 by part owners (a farmer who owns a farm but leases or sharecrops additional land.)

The Census showed 1319 persons still listed farming as their principal occupation in 1974. There were 343 part time farmers.

In spite of the fact that Census information showed an increase in the average size of most Pitt County farms there was a decrease in the number of big farms with the exception of farms in the 500 to 999 acre

category. There was an increase of 32 farms (from 30 to 62) in this size group. In the range of 50 to 179 acres farm numbers declined from 951 to 722. A significant reduction also occurred in the 180 to 499 acre category.

A surprise to many was the decrease, by two, of the 1000 to 1999 acre size farm. There were 13 in 1974. The group of farms above 2000 acres had not changed since 1969. It still remained at 3.

It is almost a certainty that very significant changes have occurred since 1974. Changes that would reduce the number of farmers and increase the size of farm units. The 74 Census is the only official figures we have however. They do indicate a trend for Pitt County Agriculture.

For a more complete look at what is happening to Pitt County Agriculture contact us at Agricultural Extension Service—203 W. Third Street, Greenville, N.C., 758-1196.

Animal Waste Lagoon Built

Robert K. Wilson of Grimesland recently constructed an animal waste lagoon. Wastes for the swine farrowing and nursing building empty into the lagoon through an underground pipe. Wilson plans to utilize the wastes by spraying the liquid onto cropland. He will use irrigation equipment to pump the waste out of the lagoon when it becomes nearly full.

Robert G. Little, chairman of the Pitt Soil and Water Conservation District, recently commented on the technical help available from the Soil Conservation Service in planning for animal waste disposal systems. Little said the District does not enforce any regulations but farmers should familiarize themselves with the new local and state laws which are designed to protect the environment.

Lagoons should be located at least 1,000 feet from any residence other than that of the owner or his tenant. An anaerobic lagoon should have a minimum

of six feet of water depth at all times. For hogs it should have 25 square feet of surface area for each animal unit.

The lagoon should be constructed at a site that is not subject to flooding and that has a soil suitable for holding liquids, according to the SCS. The surface area requirements for lagoons vary for different kinds of animals.

Little said farmers should make firm plans for emptying surplus fluid from a lagoon each time it fills. A holding pond may be needed to hold surplus liquids until the weather and season are right for disposing of the liquid onto the land.

SCS Slides Available

A slide presentation entitled, "Soil Basics for Builders", is available through the Soil Conservation Service offices in North Carolina, according to state Conservationist, Jesse L. Hicks of Raleigh.

The slide presentation is planned to help builders avoid the dangers of flooding, uncertain soils, or disfunctioning septic tanks. The slide set can be scheduled by calling the SCS office in Greenville.

Corrosive soils or sliding soils are other problems affecting North Carolina home sites that can be identified by scientific soil data.

"The use of soil survey data to avoid building problems is not experimental," Jacob Crandall said. "In some areas, millions in public and private money has been saved just by avoiding problems."

SCS people who serve each of North Carolina's counties can give scientific assistance to anyone planning to build, whether a single dwelling or houses by the hundreds, according to Crandall.

See Alternative As 'Best Way'

PINEHURST, N.C. (AP) — The best way to oppose the Kennedy-Corman National Health Insurance bill is to offer an alternative, the president-elect of the American Medical Association said here Sunday.

Speaking at the North Carolina Medical Society's annual meeting, Dr. John H. Budd of Cleveland, Ohio, said the national health insurance issue is tarnishing the AMA's image.

The Kennedy-Corman bill calls for full federal funding of the national health care program, which the AMA contends is socialized medicine.

Budd said 64 per cent of the population favors some mix of public and private financing of national health insurance.

'Doomsday Course' At The Air Force Academy

AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo. (AP) — The people shout for "more food," "more heat," "World leaders watch as nuclear waste destroys the environment and supplies of fossil fuels run out.

A pessimist's vision of the future? The plot of a new disaster movie? No, it's all part of a computerized course at the Air Force Academy to teach students what could happen if energy and other resources aren't used wisely.

In the course, students play world leaders deciding uses of energy and other resources and then feeding the decisions into a computer.

The computer, which has information about fuel supplies, energy use, population increases and other factors, then tells the students what effects their decisions would have over periods of hundreds of years.

During a recent class, five students chosen to "rule" the world decided to maintain current standards of living. The computer told them their actions would exhaust world supplies of fossil fuels such as coal and oil in 145 years, while piling up huge amounts of atomic

wastes. Their classmates pretended to be the world's population, shouting "more food," "more heat" and "more cars," while red lights indicating shortages

Former Coffee Drinkers Get Their Barley

HELENA, Mont. (AP) — Don and Nancy Burnham used to sell most of the malting barley they raise on their ranch just outside of town to breweries.

Now, a good portion of it is sold to former coffee drinkers miffed by the escalating price of their favorite brew.

Mrs. Burnham said the couple has sold \$350 worth of raw and roasted barley to Helena-area residents since January.

Roasted barley is going for \$1.50 a pound, raw barley for just 15 cents a pound.

Mrs. Burnham said the barley can be used either as a coffee substitute or a coffee extender.

Many persons use half coffee and half barley in the percolators, she said, with the result looking and tasting like coffee.

Nancy uses 1½ measures of coffee and an equal amount of ground, roasted barley to make an eight-cup pot of "boffee or carley," whichever you prefer to call it.

began to appear on a computer terminal.

"It is a psychological thing," said Capt. Bill Noll, the chemistry instructor who helped develop the computer program for the class.

"Being good politicians and world rulers, they want to keep the people from screaming. So the last thing they cut is the standard of living."

A second group of five cadets tried to maintain food production by cutting back on other areas but had little better luck. After 145 years, Noll said, "All we are doing is eating; everything else is gone."

A third group of students began an accelerated program to develop alternative energy resources and made cuts in automobile use, air conditioning, heating and other areas. The standard of living dropped considerably but food levels remained adequate and the environment stayed healthy.

Then, the computer told the students, as new sources of energy came into use the standard of living began to rise again. At 550 years, where Noll stopped the computer clock, the world's fossil fuel supplies had run out but new energy sources were able to take their place.

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Charge Man In Skyjacking Try

TOKYO (AP) — A 25-year-old American was charged with attempted hijacking today after trying to force the pilot of a Northwest Airlines jumbo jet with 261 persons aboard to fly him to Moscow.

The hijacker, Bruce Trayer, held a razor to the throat of a Japanese stewardess until cabin attendant William Vanheven hit him on the head with the butt of a fire axe. The hijacking attempt lasted about 10 minutes.

Trayer told Japanese police he was from Prairie du Chien, Wis., and decided to go to Moscow on the spur of the moment. He said he had heard about the Soviet capital from his father, a police spokesman said.

The hijacking occurred Sunday about an hour after the jetliner took off from Tokyo for Honolulu. The pilot, Capt. Homer Sutter of Minneapolis, radioed a hijacking was under way and requested directions for a flight to Moscow.

About 10 minutes later, the pilot reported the hijacker had been subdued and the plane was returning to Tokyo because the hijacker was injured.

Trayer was conscious and shouting, with a bandage on his head, when the Japanese police removed him from the plane. He was treated at a hospital, and the doctors said his injuries should be healed in about two weeks. The police took him away for investigation.

The flight took off again for Honolulu early Monday with all but three of the original passengers and a new crew on board. Capt. Sutter and his crew remained in Tokyo to assist in the police investigation.

Trayer told police he was drafted by the U.S. Army in 1971, discharged in 1973 and worked for a cement company until he quit last December, a police spokesman said.

When the plane landed in Honolulu, one of the passengers who witnessed the incident said Trayer was subdued after the captain told him to take his hands off a stewardess.

After Trayer lowered his hands, Vanheven struck him with the butt of the fire axe, said U.S. Army Col. Roland Sevigny.

The hijacker was then tied up with seat belts by air force military police who were passengers, Sevigny said.

"He screamed and hollered the entire way back to Japan," Sevigny said.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PUBLIC: IF YOU BUY A USED CAR WOULD YOU BE BUYING SOMEONE ELSE'S TROUBLES?

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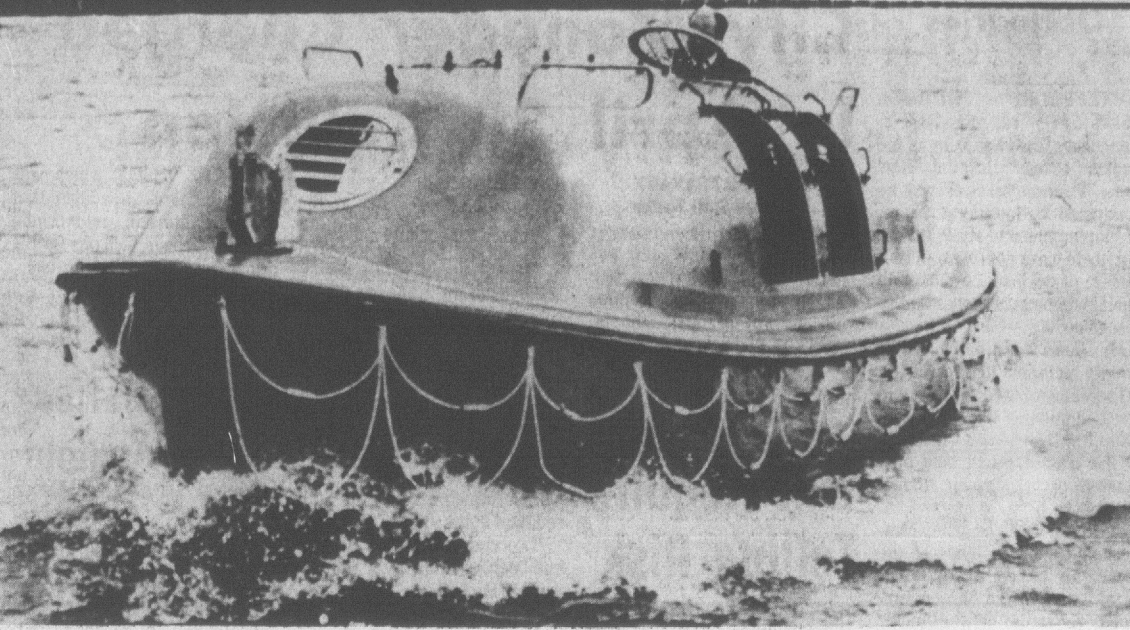
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NEW STYLE LIFEBOAT — This new style lifeboat has gone into the production stage in Florida as well as in England. The boat is designed to protect survivors from burning fuel on the water, towering seas and bitter cold weather. The U.S. Navy has ordered four of the craft for testing. (AP Wirephoto)

On Any Week Night, A Ringside View Of Problem To Be Solved

By **WALTER R. MEARS**, AP Special Correspondent
WASHINGTON (AP) — At five o'clock on any week night, President Carter's energy planners can look out of their office windows at part of the problem they're trying to solve. It's right there. Bumper to bumper, home-bound commuters inch along at peak efficiency, burning much of their gasoline at a standstill. That happens twice a day in every major city. Yet there is nothing in the Carter energy conservation program that seeks to entice people out of their automobiles and onto a bus or a subway.

Admirers Plan Ford Tribute

By **HARRY F. ROSENTHAL**, Associated Press Writer
KANSAS CITY (AP) — While he was President, Gerald R. Ford bowed to no one in his admiration of Harry S. Truman. Other admirers of the 33rd President planned to return the favor.

Ford was in Kansas City to receive the 5th annual Harry S. Truman Good Neighbor Award today for stepping in against a "background of presidential collapse and the disarray it had wrought" and putting the nation back on course.

The occasion was the 25th annual Truman birthday luncheon, held this year one day late. Truman was born May 8, 1884.

Ford was here a year ago, passing through in the midst of an early campaign swing to help dedicate a Truman statue in nearby Independence, Mo., and to visit the former president's aged widow at her home a few blocks away.

And, of course, he was in Kansas City in August, to win the Republican party's nomination.

"By word, deed and example he brought the people back into the government and the government back to the people," said the award presented by the Eddie Jacobson Memorial Foundation. "For all he has done, history will accord him the honor due him."

In a quarter century, the Truman luncheon has grown from a small gathering of friends to a prestigious affair attended by more than 400 people. Until his health began failing at his 80th birthday, Truman was a regular guest. Truman died in 1972, but the luncheons continued.

The first Good Neighbor Award, in 1973, was presented to the late Chief Justice Earl Warren, who had taken an active part in the board of trustees of the Truman Library. Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, Mo., was the 1974 honoree, followed by Lt. Gen. Louis W. Truman in 1975 and FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley, formerly Kansas City's police chief, in 1976.



NEW DAUGHTER ARRIVES — Lorri Kellogg, a 35-year-old divorcee, hugs her newly adopted Korean daughter, Hee Jin Jung, 23-months-old, who she will name Tarabeth, upon her arrival Sunday at Miami International Airport. Kellogg became the first American single parent to adopt a foreign child when she adopted five-year-old Jaime (above), also a Korean, last July. (AP Wirephoto)

there is no proposal to go with it.

In his energy address, Carter said the nation must not continue to drift along, with three-quarters of its cars carrying only the driver "while our public transportation system continues to decline."

Carter said later that he thinks "there will be a substantial shift toward increasing use of the public transportation systems, rapid transit, as the price of the gas for automobiles goes up and as the price of fuel goes up."

But increasing prices is the punitive side of the program; what is lacking is an effort to promote more efficient mass transportation by making it an attractive alternative to the automobile.

Transportation Secretary Brock Adams is beginning work now on a mass transportation proposal to be presented to Congress next year, but it will have to be far more ambitious than anything the government has done so far if it is to gain willing volunteers for bus lines instead of grumbling conscripts, forced from their cars by higher prices.

Energy adviser James R. Schlesinger said the government already is providing all the mass transit aid that can be used in the short term. He's right. Out of some \$2.6 billion available during the fiscal year that will end Sept. 30, only about \$750 million had been spent or committed as of March 31.

But the figures are based on business pretty much as usual, without a major push toward alternatives to the automobile. It will take money for better service, more comfortable facilities and lower fares.

The Republican National Committee has criticized Carter's silence on mass transportation, saying the national energy program "must include vigorous support for mass transit."

But the Republicans don't have that much to boast about. In his amended budget, Carter endorsed the mass transportation spending recommended by the outgoing Republican administration. There are more ambitious programs taking shape in Congress.

New Look At Care Of Dying Advocated

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (AP) — Contrary to Western society's concepts, death does not have to be lonely or painful, according to a group advocating a new look at care of the dying.

The group, North Carolina Hospice Inc., is an offshoot of an idea promoted in England during the past 10 years.

Terminal patients are afforded relief from pain in an atmosphere that allows liberal visitation from family and friends.

The North Carolina hospice group held a weekend conference here, which attracted educators, physicians, nurses, clergy and other interested persons from across the state.

"Death is considered a failure by the health care regime," said Ruel Tyson, religion department chairman at the University of North Carolina and member of the N.C. Hospice board of directors. "The basic premise of hospice is that that is not the case."

"We want to make some kind of impact on the way health care professionals are trained, to give them constant exposure to the dying so their view of how to care for them changes," he said.

'Fly-Up' Is Set For Thursday

The Girl Scout Brownie and Junior fly-up ceremony will be held Thursday at 6 p.m. at Green Springs Park.

Three hundred girls are expected to participate. In event of rain, the ceremony will be cancelled.

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Satellite System For Ship Safety

NEW YORK (UPI) — Marisat, the world's first satellite communications system for ships is expected to usher in a new age of ship safety according to The Compass, a publication of MOAC, the nation's largest commercial marine insurer.

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In heavily congested waterways, Marisat's static-free ship-to-shore transmissions could efficiently control traffic and thus help prevent collisions.

Stock And Market Reports

Hogs
RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — The trend on the North Carolina hog market was mostly \$1 to \$1.50 higher today. Wilson, 39.50-40.50; Rocky Mount, 38.50-39.00; Kinston, 39.00-40.00; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Chadbourn, Ayden, Pine Level, Laurinburg and Benson, 40.50; Tarboro and Bethel, 36.00-36.50; Salisbury, 38.00.

Poultry
RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — The trend on the North Carolina f.o.b. dock broiler market was steady today, with supplies adequate, demand good, weights desirable.

The dock weighted average price is 42.88 cents per pound for small purchases of sized plant grade broilers picked up at processing plant. Estimated slaughter today 1,384,000.

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

Burroughs	57
United Telecommunications Pfd.	24 1/2
Heublein	23 1/2
Jeff-Pilot	27 1/2
Tri-South	1 1/4
Wicks	14 1/4
Wachovia Realty	27 1/2
Eckerd's	22 1/2
Central Soya	13 1/2
Hardee's	8 1/4
Integon	9 1/2
Fieldcrest	20 1/2
Hatters Income	17 1/2
Vesco	15
OVER THE COUNTER	
Combined Insurance	16 1/2-16 3/4
Franklin Life	23 1/2-23 3/4
NCNB	12-12 1/2
Little Mint	3 1/2-3 3/4
Conner Homes	2 1/2-2 3/4
Guardian Corporation	2 1/2-2 3/4
Planters Bank	16 1/2-17
Daniel International Corporation	30 1/2-31 1/4
Piedmont Air	4 1/2-4 3/4

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock market prices drifted lower today amid continuing expectations of higher interest rates.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks was down 3.48 at 933.26, after a 6.70-point drop on Friday.

Losers held a 6-5 advantage over gainers among New York Stock Exchange-listed issues.

Trading was light. Big Board volume totalled 3.55 billion shares in the first hour.

The market's retreat began after last week's report from the Federal Reserve that showed the money supply continuing to grow a good deal faster than the Fed wants it to.

The data raised fears that the central bank, which began to tighten credit the week before last, would soon take further steps to encourage short term interest rates to rise.

In today's economic news, a trade association survey found corporate purchasing executives optimistic about the business outlook but concerned about inflation.

Atlas Corp. climbed 2 1/2 to 27 1/2. Barron's magazine discussed potential profits from the company's investment in uranium.

S.S. Kresge topped the active list, down 1/4 at 29 1/2.

The 11 a.m. NYSE composite index was off .13 at 54.18.

On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index managed a .04 gain to 113.98.

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks:

	High	Low	Last
Abbott Labs	42	41 1/2	41 3/4
Alkoma	18	17 1/2	18
Allis Chalm	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Alcoa	58 1/4	57 3/4	57 3/4
Am Airline	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am Baker	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Am Brands	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
Amer Can	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Am Cyan	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Am Motors	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/2
Am Stand	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
AmT-T	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/2
Babcock Wil	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2
Beal Food	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Beth Steel	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/2
Boeing	52 1/2	51 3/4	51 3/4
Borden	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/2
Burl Ind	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Carroll	24	23 3/4	23 3/4
Celanese	52	51 3/4	51 3/4
Cent Soya	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
Champ Int	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Chessie Sys	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/2
Chrysler	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Coca Cola	73 1/2	73 1/4	73 1/2
Colg Palm	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Comw Edis	29	28 3/4	28 3/4
ConAgra	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/2
Conti Group	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
Delta AirL	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Dow Ch	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
duPont	127 1/2	127	127

MASONIC NOTICE
 Bright Star Lodge No. 385 will meet at the lodge hall at Galloway's Crossroad Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present for the business meeting.

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The Meeting Place

MONDAY
 6:30 p.m. — Rotary Club meets
 6:30 p.m. — Greenville TOPS Club meets at Planners Bank
 6:45 p.m. — Optimist Club meets at Tom's Restaurant
 7:00 p.m. — Pitt County REACT Team will meet at the U. S. Army Reserve Center
 7:00 p.m. — Lions Club meets at Moose Lodge
 7:30 p.m. — Greenville Barber Shop Chorus meets at St. James United Methodist Church
 7:30 p.m. — Order of the Rainbow for Girls meets at Masonic Temple
 8:00 p.m. — Lodge No. 885 Loyal Order of the Moose
 8:00 p.m. — The Pitt County Republican Party monthly meeting will take place at Home Savings and Loan Association Bldg.

TUESDAY
 7:00 p.m. — Greenville Breakfast Lions Club meets at Three Steers
 10:00 a.m. — Kiwanis Golden K Club meets at Holiday Inn
 12 Noon — Luncheon for the Round Table with Mrs. E. E. Rawls, Mrs. R. B. Lee and Mrs. H. G. Porter as hostesses
 8:00 p.m. — Witha Council, Degree of Pochontas meets at Rotary Club
 8:00 p.m. — Pitt County Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Bldg. on Fannyville Hwy.

Summer Jobs Allotted Pitt

Summer jobs for 320 youth have been allotted to Pitt County through the Martin County Community Action, Inc. manpower program.

The program provides eight weeks of work and study for a total of 36 hours per week, and pay will be \$2.30 an hour. Four hours per week will be devoted to basic education with remedial training in English (reading, composition and grammar) and mathematics.

The program will begin June 13. Four hours each week will be devoted to career education classes, which will offer instruction on how to apply for a job, how to fill out applications, office etiquette, personal appearance and various job re-

quirements. Job placements will be with non-profit organizations and agencies such as recreation departments, towns, counties, state highway department, hospitals, schools, social services, agricultural extension agencies, and fire departments.

Applications are being taken and the Pitt County Manpower office in the Masonic Hall on Fifth Street. All applicants must meet poverty guidelines and parents must sign statements indicating earnings of the last 12 months.

Applicants from the neediest families will be selected.

Plan Discussion Of Environment

The status of the environment of Pitt County will be discussed at a meeting of the League of Women Voters tomorrow at 8 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.

Members of the Natural Resources and Environmental Quality Committees of the League have been working for more than a year researching information concerning energy, waste disposal, recycling, clean air and water, land use and related topics. The results of their findings, as well as suggestions for coping with and solving these problems will be told at this meeting.

The public is invited.

L&M Offer Is Rejected

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — A communication gap between union and company officials appeared to widen Sunday as a strike against Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. entered its fourth week.

About 1,000 Tobacco Workers International Union Local 176 members voted overwhelmingly Saturday night to reject L&M's contract proposal and continue their walkout.

In response, the company said any strikers failing to report for work today would be fired, including Machinist and Teamsters union members honoring the picket line.

At issue is the company's offer of a 15-cent per hour cost of living allowance in the new contract. The union is demanding that no ceiling be placed on the allowance.

The company proposed the unlimited allowance be offset by a three-year freeze on profit sharing, but union negotiators rejected the proposal, said Local president J.T. Carthen Jr.

Carthen said the union offered to keep hospitalization benefits at the same level, instead of accepting the company's offer of increase. The union also offered give up a five-year vesting pension plan offered by the company and keep sick pay at \$140 per week instead of \$155, Carthen said.

L&M officials declined comment Sunday night on the union's offers. The company reportedly will go ahead with its plan to hire new workers today to replace the strikers.

Obituaries

Jones
VANCEBORO — Mr. Austin Jones Jr., 62, of Rt. 2, Vanceboro, died Saturday in the Craven County Hospital, New Bern. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Warren Chapel Free Will Baptist near Greenville, Bishop A. L. Miller, pastor, will officiate and burial will be in the Jones family cemetery, Vanceboro.

Mr. Jones was a native of Pitt County and spent most of his life in the Vanceboro community. He was a member of Warren Chapel Church, where he was a member of the trustee board, and past master of a Masonic lodge, Vanceboro.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Verona Galloway Jones of the home; his father, Austin Jones Sr. of Vanceboro; a stepson, Linwood Edwards of Baltimore, Md.; four sisters, Mrs. Lendora Brooks of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. Erle Lee Bowles of Virginia, Mrs. Josephine Johnson and Mrs. Maereatha Johnson, both of Vanceboro; eight brothers, Willie James Jones, Lloyd Clinton Jones, and Matthew Lee Jones, all of Norfolk, Va., Jasper Jones of Washington, D. C., Andrew Jones, Johnny Jones and Moses Wakefield Jones, all of Vanceboro, and Edmond Jones of New York; two step grand-children.

The body will be at Flanagan and Hardee Funeral Home, Greenville, and taken to the church one hour prior to the service.

Moore

ROBERSONVILLE — Mr. Roosevelt Moore died Sunday of accidental drowning.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Moore of Rt. 2, Robersonville. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Flanagan and Hardee Funeral Home.

Will Advertise Unpaid Taxes

Floyd E. Little, city tax collector, announced that all unpaid real taxes will be advertised by the city as required by law in the listing person's name as of Jan. 1, 1976.

According to Little, the first advertisement of taxes is scheduled for May 16.

The tax collector said that if citizens have transferred real property and have any doubt of the taxes being outstanding, they may call the tax collector's office at city hall at 752-4137. Inquiries should be made prior to Thursday, May 12, he added.

City Manager Charged In April 30 Collision

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer
GREENVILLE City Manager James E. Caldwell Jr. was charged by police Friday with following too close in connection with a collision near the intersection of Dickinson Avenue and Hooker Road about 2:15

a.m. April 30. According to records at the Police Department, Caldwell was charged with the violation at 7 p.m. Friday.

Driver of the other vehicle involved in the mishap was identified as Albert Thomas Perrin of 2600 1/2 Dunn St.

According to the report of the accident on file in the records section of the Police Department, the city manager's car struck the rear of the Perrin vehicle, which was stopped for a red light at the intersection.

The report indicates Caldwell had been drinking at the time he was questioned by officers.

Mayor Percy Cox said late this morning that he was attempting to contact members of the City Council to schedule a meeting and would "have a statement after the meeting with the council members and city manager."

Cox said "after due investigation by the Police Department of this incident, the city manager has been charged. I'm trying to reach all the members of the city council to inform them of what has gone on and taken place."

The mayor said Caldwell's liability insurance "has already paid the claim," for repairs to

the Perrin vehicle, which was estimated at \$765, adding that Caldwell himself, in keeping with city policy, "will pay for the minor damage to the city car," which was estimated at \$50.

Will Require Telling Risk

WASHINGTON (AP) — Seven years after the federal government said women must be informed of the risks of using birth control pills, it is requiring that similar information be given to those who use intrauterine birth-control devices.

Citing possible harmful side effects of IUD use, the Food and Drug Administration announced Sunday a new regulation which is to take effect Nov. 7.

The purpose of the regulation, which will affect manufacturers of IUDs and doctors who prescribe them, is to make sure women are well-informed about IUDs before choosing this form of contraception.

The new regulation also will establish uniform labeling for all types of IUDs, which are used by an estimated three million women in the United States.

"Our goal is to make sure that each woman and her physician have enough information to select the most suitable method of contraception," said FDA Commissioner Donald Kennedy.

Kennedy noted that several different types of contraception are available. Making detailed information available, he said, will help women determine which type is best for them.

The IUDs, often referred to as coils, are inserted into the uterus to inhibit conception. The IUD has proved relatively effective as a birth control device. But there have been cases where women have become pregnant while an IUD is in place and, unless a doctor can remove the device, this can lead to miscarriage and blood poisoning.

Revival Series Begins Tonight

Revival services will begin tonight at Best Chapel Free Will Baptist Church. The pastor, Matthew Best, will be the speaker for the week.

Choirs scheduled to be present are: tonight, St. Matthew F.W.B. Church No. 2 Choir; Tuesday, Cherry Lane Choir No. 2; Wednesday, Haddock Chapel Junior Choir; Thursday, Christ Temple Holiness Church; and Friday, Bishop Phillip Gospel Chorus.

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Blazers, 76ers Claim Playoff Victories

Portland 2-0 Over Lakers

By JACK STEVENSON
AP Sports Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Portland Trail Blazers, with a different hero in the first two games, proved a team can beat a man as they return home with a 2-0 lead over the Los Angeles Lakers in the National Basketball Association semi-final playoffs.

Reserve guard Herm Gilliam pumped in 14 points in the final

quarter, including the go-ahead basket with less than two minutes to go, as Portland edged the Lakers 99-97 in the second game at the Forum Sunday.

Gilliam had averaged just 4.8 points in this season's playoffs, but scored 24 in Game Two. In the opening game of the semi-finals, Maurice Lucas scored 28 points, pacing a 121-109 victory. Sunday, Lucas was held to 16 points.

The teams travel to Portland for the next two games in the best-of-seven series. Game Three will be Tuesday night and Game Four Friday night.

"It was a hard, hard game to

win, but a great effort," said Portland Coach Jack Ramsay. "We are going to enjoy both our wins in Los Angeles."

"We call Herm 'Little Trickster.' He is typical of the players on this team who can stay on the bench for games at a time and then come in and do a super job."

Also doing a super job before the 15,192 at the Forum was Lionel Hollins, who scored 22 points in the first half, helping Portland to a 54-51 lead. He wound up with 31 points, seven assists and eight steals.

Hollins scored the final point of the game with 11 seconds left on a free throw.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Lakers' leading scorer with 40 points — his fifth playoff game with 40 or more — took a 14-foot jumper with five seconds left. But harassed by three Trail Blazers' defenders, his shot hit the rim, bounced high and back onto the court toward the sidelines as time ran out.

Trail Blazers center Bill Walton scored 14 points, grabbed 17 rebounds and had two assists in the battle of former UCLA centers. Abdul-Jabbar had 17 rebounds with one assist.

Coach Jerry West of the Lakers said, "Kareem simply cannot do everything for this club. It is too much of a burden for anyone to shoulder."

Cazzie Russell was the Lakers' second-leading scorer with 21 points, but he was scoreless in the fourth quarter.

Abdul-Jabbar hit 17 of 23 field goal attempts, but the rest of the team shot poorly.

Portland had a balanced, quick attack and the Trail Blazers were even able to make up for a dismal third quarter performance when they scored just 16 points and went behind by 11 toward the end of the period.

Then, trailing 77-66, Gilliam hit two field goals just before the buzzer and another shortly after the fourth period started. His spree continued as the Lakers failed to keep up with Portland's speed.

Philadelphia In 2-0 Lead

By RALPH BERNSTEIN
AP Sports Writer
PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Philadelphia 76ers Coach Gene Shue almost choked on a soft drink when he heard that Doug Collins was still shooting in the dressing room — with his mouth, not the ball.

"Right now our thoughts are on a sweep," said Collins, who shoots quick and talks in machine-gun style.

"We're trying to do it in four," he added.

Shue gulped at what coaches consider heresy — feeding the opposition propaganda. He could just see the Houston Rockets reacting to Collins' remark.

"Sweep?" asked Shue. "I'm

worried only about the third game. You all know the respect I have for Houston. When they get hot, I haven't seen any team like them."

Three times Sunday the Rockets crawled back from deficits to look the Sixers in the eye. And three times Philadelphia left them running on a treadmill. Philadelphia won 106-97 and took a 2-0 lead in their best-of-seven National Basketball Association semi-final series.

Collins, who scored 20 points, labeled the 76ers a team of spurts, both good and bad. On the good side they scored 14 straight points in the first period and went on to build a 57-45 halftime lead. When the Rockets tied it 73-73 in the third, the Sixers ran off seven in a row for some breathing room. And when the Rockets battled back to within three, Shue's troops outscored them 14-6 early in the fourth quarter to wrap it up.

"But then there are the bad spurts," Collins lamented. "We go through streaks where we just don't do the things we're supposed to do. That's what happened in the third quarter."

The Rockets trailed by 12 starting the third, and with Rudy Tomjanovich scoring 14 and Calvin Murphy — the game's high scorer with 32 points, 12 in the period — scrapped back to tie at 71-71. They trailed by just three at the third-quarter mark, 83-80. But the Sixers spurted again

and it was all over.

Houston Coach Tom Nissalke couldn't find anything to be happy about, even the thought of going home for the next two games.

"I can't see much difference at home," said Nissalke, whose team has lost five of six to Philadelphia this season, including one in Houston.

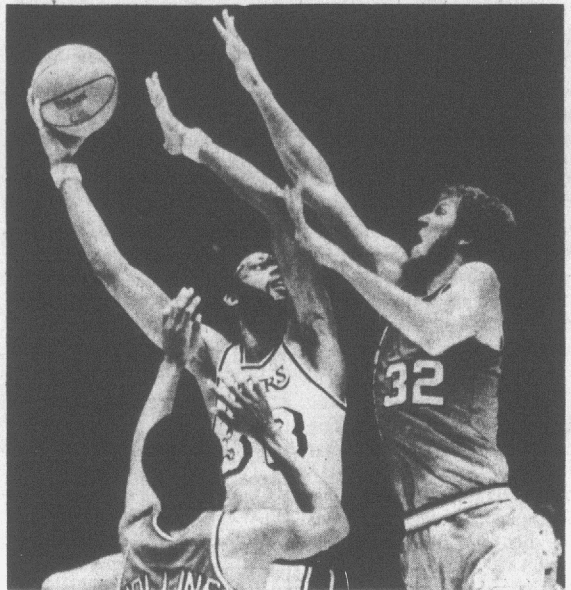
"I guess if we had either George McGinnis or Dr. J. (Julius Erving), there would be no question of who would win," Nissalke said.

"You know, Philadelphia hasn't seen the true Dr. J.," Nissalke said. "He's playing at 75 per cent of his capability. I

know. I watched him four years in the ABA."

McGinnis scored 21 points, 18 in the first half. Erving collected 18, including 10 in the final period, and handed out 10 assists. Lloyd Free contributed 16 and Darryl Dawkins 13.

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Jabbar vs. Walton

Los Angeles' Kareem Abdul-Jabbar starts to loft a hook over the arms of Portland's Bill Walton in the teams' NBA playoff game in Los Angeles Sunday. (AP Wirephoto)

NCCU Track On Probation

KANSAS CITY (AP) — The NCAA announced today a two-year probation has been placed on the intercollegiate track program of North Carolina Central University of Durham, N.C.

North Carolina-Central's indoor and outdoor track teams will be prohibited from post-season competition for the next two years and the university's athletic program will be required to sever all relations with two former track coaches.

The school was cited for providing improper extra benefits and financial aid to athletes and violations of rules in connection with the recruiting of prospective athletes.

The NCAA also found that in several instances institutional financial aid was not administered by the university in accordance with NCAA legislation.

Petty: Parsons Is Too Polite

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Richard Petty says Benny Parsons is too much of a gentleman, and Parsons agrees.

But Parsons says his polite manner on the race track shouldn't prevent him from winning his share of races.

Last week, Petty sized up all his opponents for a Nashville newspaper, and said Parsons might not win all of the races he should because "on the race track he's just like he is in person—a nice guy." The inference was that nice guys don't always finish first.

"Aggression is the key," Petty added.

Parsons conceded he is occasionally too cautious, and won't keep an opponent on the ropes or "give him only two choices"—back off or crash.

Parsons led Cale Yarborough from the third lap to the 107th, but then Parsons conceded the position when Yarborough gave him "two choices."

But with quick reaction to a short caution period late in the race, Parsons was able to take on new tires while Yarborough elected to stay on the track and protect his position.

The added traction gave Parsons the advantage he needed to take the lead on the 382nd lap and hold Yarborough off for a two car length victory. Third place went to Darrell Waltrip, followed by Dave Marcis.

Sports Calendar

- Today's Sports**
Softball
Jamesville at Matanuskeet
North Edgcombe at Roanoke (4 p.m.)
City League
Rathskeller vs. Whitley
Newby's vs. Surtions
Chargers vs. Moore-King-Sullivan
Johnny's Mobile Homes vs. Apple Records
Open League
Baggett's vs. Bailey Vending
Depot Restaurant vs. Sunnyside Eggs
Industrial League
Union Carbide vs. Recreation and Parks
Firefighters vs. Greenville Utilities
Jaycees vs. Empire Brush
Vermont-American vs. Eaton
Moose vs. Tarheel Toyota
Public Works vs. Daily Reflector
Baseball
Jaycees vs. Optimists
First Federal vs. Graniteers
Tuesday's Sports
Baseball
North Lenoir at North Pitt (4 p.m.)
C. B. Aycock at Farmville Central (4 p.m.)
Ayden-Grifton at Greene Central (8 p.m.)
Bertie at Rose (4 p.m.)
Kinston at E. B. Aycock
Jamesville at Chocowinity
Williamston "B" at Bertie
Williamston at Plymouth (8 p.m.)
North Pitt "B" at Roanoke (4 p.m.)
Roanoke at North Edgcombe (4 p.m.)
Bear Grass at Aurora
D. H. Conley at Southern Nash
Martin at Rocky Mount (4 p.m.)
Little League
Big Value Drugs vs. Moose
Lions vs. Coca-Cola
Softball
Rose at Bertie
Plymouth at Williamston (7 p.m.)
Southern Nash at Greene Central (4 p.m.)
C. B. Aycock at Ayden-Grifton
North Pitt at North Lenoir

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Floyd Captures Nelson Classic

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer
DALLAS (AP) — Ray Floyd showed why he will soon become professional golf's next millionaire. He wouldn't let himself surrender at the Byron Nelson Golf Classic Sunday when it appeared young Ben Crenshaw had bagged the \$40,000 first prize with a spectacular eagle.

"I heard the crowd reaction when Ben made eagle at No. 15, but I just gave myself a subconscious kick in the rear," the 35-year-old Floyd said. "I could have quit but I didn't allow myself to quit. Then I made one hell of an eagle."

Floyd made up five strokes in the final four holes with a cross-country 40-foot putt for an eagle on No. 15 and an eight-foot birdie putt on 17 for a final-round two-under-par 69 over

the Preston Trail Golf Club. Crenshaw, 25, folded on the final two holes, finishing bogeybogeys for par 71 with such miserable shot-making that he commented: "I could hit better irons and tee shots when I was 15."

The victory for Floyd, his first of the year, put him in the World Series of Golf and on the U.S. Ryder Cup team. It also brought his lifetime earnings to \$955,256 and "gave me and my wife a good start on paying for the home we're building in Miami."

Floyd's 276 total was eight under par over the toughened up 6,983-yard, par-71 layout which featured briar patch roughs and slick greens. Crenshaw, who earned \$22,800, was two shots back at 278.

Andy Bean and Lyn Lott finished one shot behind Crenshaw with 279s to earn a payday of \$11,800 each.

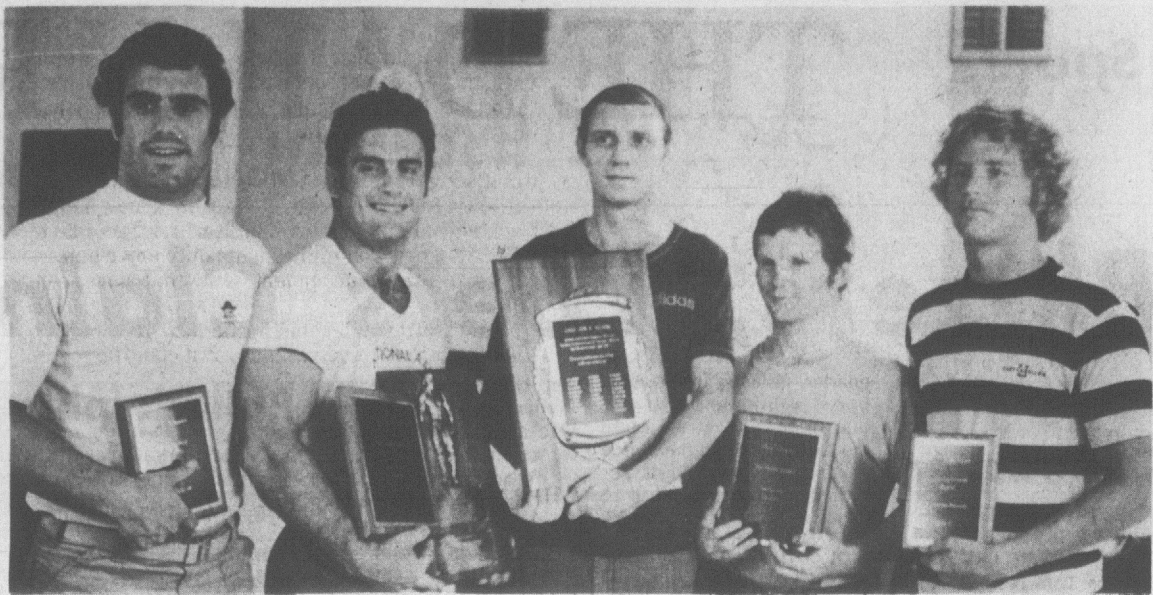
Floyd, who came off a two-week vacation, said, "That eagle putt I made was the prettiest thing I've ever seen. I just told myself to keep hitting good shots and I might have a chance."

Crenshaw was crestfallen when he came off the final green, saying, "I let my fans down and it hurts a lot."

He perked up somewhat by the time he made his way to the press tent.

"After looking over the way I played," he said, "I can't feel too bad with second place."

Both Floyd and Crenshaw started the day leading the tournament at six under par.

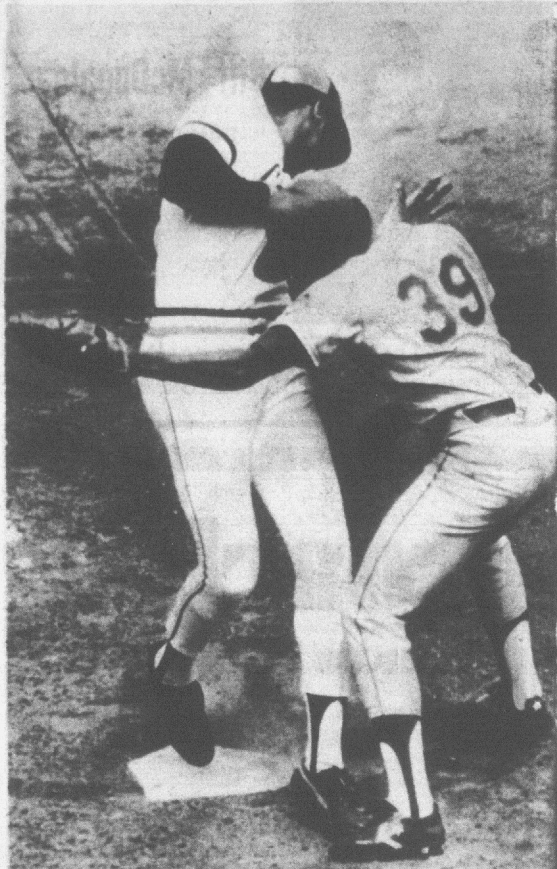


Wrestlers Honored

East Carolina University's top wrestlers from the past season were honored with trophy presentations at a party for the team Saturday night. In addition, Coach John Welborn, who has given up his coaching

duties for full-time administration work as assistant athletic director was honored. From left to right are: Jay Dever, Most Improved Wrestler; Phil Mueller, co-Most Valuable Wrestler; Coach Welborn; Paul Osman, co-Most Valuable Wrestler; and Frank Schaefer, Outstanding Freshman. (Reflector Photo)

Braves Can Do Worse



Willie McCovey Scores

San Francisco Giant Willie McCovey scores a run as New York Met pitcher Nino Espinosa takes a late throw from catcher John Stearns. McCovey scored from third on a passed ball. (AP Wire-photo)

By HERSHEL NISSENSON
AP Sports Writer
You think things can't get any worse for the Atlanta Braves? Check the schedule.

Saddled with a 14-game losing streak — second longest in the National League since 1963 — following Sunday's 6-3 loss to the Chicago Cubs, the injury-riddled Braves invade Pittsburgh tonight for a four-game series with the Pirates. The Pirates are merely the hottest team in baseball — hotter than the Los Angeles Dodgers — with eight victories in a row and 13 in their last 14 outings.

"One pitcher giving us a good game and we can snap it," says Braves Manager Dave Bristol, who suffered through a 13-game skid right around this time a year ago.

Unfortunately, Bristol's pitching rotation in Pittsburgh starts off with Chopper Collins, making his first major league start, then lists Buzz Capra, Phil Niekro and Max Leon. The four have a combined record of 0-9.

"What am I supposed to do, shock them?" said Bristol. "Gimmicks and tricks are not the answer to it. We are going up against teams who are using their best players. We'd like to use our best, but unfortunately we can't. We have too many injuries. The guys who are playing are giving their best, so what more can you ask?"

The Braves hung in there for two innings Sunday behind Leon, who was making his first start since 1975, before Bobby Murcer's two-run triple keyed a four-run Chicago third inning. It marks the longest losing streak for the Braves since they moved from Milwaukee to Atlanta in 1966.

Diego while the Philadelphia Phillies had a single game with the Dodgers in LA put off by an unusual spring shower.

Pirates 6, Reds 4
Dave Parker, leading the majors with a .421 batting average, rapped a tie-breaking two-run double in the seventh inning to cap a three-run rally. Trailing 4-3, the Pirates tied the game against Fred Norman on Rennie Stennett's single, Norman's wild throw on Phil Garner's bunt, a walk to Frank Taveras and pinch hitter Fernando Gonzalez' infield hit.

Cardinals 2, Astros 1
RBI singles by Bake McBride and Keith Hernandez gave St. Louis two runs in the third inning and that was enough behind the pitching of John D'Acquisto, winner Buddy Schultz and Clay Carroll. The run-scoring hits followed Jerry Mumphrey's leadoff triple and propelled the Cards from behind after Houston scored in the opening inning on doubles by Enos Cabell and Willie Crawford.

Giants 4-10, Mets 2-0
John Curtis, making his first start of the season, pitched two-hit baseball in a rain-shortened second game. Curtis also contributed three hits to a 12-hit attack against Jon Matlack.

In the opener, San Francisco backed Jim Barr with 12 hits, including three by Willie McCovey and run-scoring hits by Marc Hill and Terry Whitfield in a tie-breaking fourth inning.

LOVE EQUALS MARK
SEATTLE (AP) — Big Bob Love tied a National Basketball Association record when he made his debut for the Seattle Super Sonics against the New Orleans Jazz on Feb. 1.

Love was playing for his third NBA team in the 1976-77 campaign.

Kelly's Prayer Answered

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer
Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn won't like this, but there seems to be a higher authority at work in the American League these days.

A week ago, after batting .087 for the month of April, Pat Kelly said a little prayer. Since then, he's had 10 hits in 20 swings, five of them home runs including a grand slam Sunday that carried the Baltimore Orioles to a 6-4 victory over the Seattle Mariners.

Dan Thomas sat out Milwaukee losses Friday night and Saturday, observing the sabbath as usual according to the rules of his faith, the Worldwide Church of God. He returned to action Sunday and smacked a two-run homer, helping the Brewers defeat Detroit 7-4.

Praise the Lord and pass the bat.

Kelly, acquired from the White Sox over the winter, suffered through a dreadful first month in Baltimore, managing only two singles in his first 23 at bats.

But when Ken Singleton suffered an eye infection, he got a chance to get back in the lineup last Sunday. In the 10th inning of that game against California Kelly asked for a little help from above.

"I said, 'Lord, it would be nice if I could win it with a dinger,'" recalled Kelly. And he did just that.

That started a red-hot, 11-RBI week for Kelly and he capped it with Sunday's slam against the Mariners.

Thomas, whose playing appearances are arranged around the requirements of his religion, believes the schedule has helped his production.

Robin Yount contributed two singles and a double to the Milwaukee attack and drove in three runs.

Elsewhere Sunday, Minnesota nipped Toronto 5-4, Boston edged California 4-3, New York

AL Roundup

battered Oakland 10-5, Chicago ripped Cleveland 8-3 and Texas downed Kansas City 5-2.

Twins 5, Blue Jays 4
Rod Carew drilled two triples, a double and a single, leading Minnesota past Toronto. Carew drove in one run and scored two others.

Dave Goltz earned the victory with late-inning relief help from Tom Burgmeier and Tom Johnson.

Yankees 10, A's 5
Thurman Munson ripped four hits including a triple and a homer, and Graig Nettles walloped a three-run homer as New York rapped Oakland. Nettles' homer capped a five-run first inning against ex-teammate Dock Ellis.

Mike Torrez, the man the

Yankees obtained in the Ellis trade, went the distance for his fifth victory of the season.

Rangers 5, Royals 2
Willie Horton smashed a pair of two-run homers, helping Texas past Kansas City.

Bert Blyleven, 4-2, earned the victory, his sixth straight over Kansas City since September, 1975.

Red Sox 4, Angels 3
Dwight Evans tagged a tie-breaking, sixth inning home run that carried Boston past California.

Rick Burleson and Bernie Carbo had two hits apiece for the Red Sox, who won their ninth game in the last 12 starts.

White Sox 8, Indians 3
Chet Lemon ripped five hits and Oscar Gamble contributed a two-run homer as Chicago de-

feated Cleveland. Steve Stone, 2-3, earned the victory, scattering nine hits and lowering his earned run average to 1.98.

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Panthers Upset C.B. Aycock, 6-2

PIKEVILLE — Last-place North Pitt knocked off Eastern Carolina Conference leader C. B. Aycock in a baseball game Saturday night, 6-2.

The Panthers scored four runs in the seventh inning to break out of a 2-2 deadlock and take the win.

The game throws new light on the ECC race as Aycock now has two losses in the league. The Falcon record is now 16-4 overall and 10-2 in the league. They are now tied with Greene Central for first place.

North Pitt raised its season mark to 5-13 overall and 2-9 in the ECC.

In the seventh inning, pitcher Jay Bedsworth walked for the Panthers and was sacrificed to second by Tim Corey. Bentley Jones then got on by an error and Ken Perry singled to load the bases.

Courtesy runner Cedric Bunn, running for Bedsworth, and Jones were knocked in by Jeff Hines and Hines and Perry scored when Roy Briley got a base hit.

Hines was the leading hitter for the Panthers going 2-4, while Harold Best was 2-3 for Aycock.

North Pitt plays again tomorrow, entertaining North Lenoir.

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Bedsworth and Wilson;
Jackson, Pace (6), Jones (7) and Howard.

In other NL action, the Pirates rallied to beat the Cincinnati Reds 6-4, the St. Louis Cardinals edged the Houston Astros 2-1 and the San Francisco Giants swept a doubleheader from the New York Mets 4-2 and 10-0. The Montreal Expos were rained out of a doubleheader with the Padres in San

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'Playboy' House Party Coming Thursday Night

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — It's rumored Hugh Hefner fools around with women, stays up late and parties a bit here at his 30-room, \$1 million mansion that sports a swimming pool with a heated "woo grotto."

Inasmuch as he's now 51, it seemed appropriate to ask when he'll stop all this high living and settle down.

"Ahhh, when I die, I guess," grinned the man who in 1954 took \$3,600, started a magazine called Playboy and turned it into an entertainment empire worth, by his estimate, around \$200 million.

The purpose of his powwow with a reporter was his coming late-night TV show, "Playboy's Playmate" party, coming Thursday on ABC. It's a 90-minute house party of sorts taped at his digs last month.

Among other things, it will tell the nation which one of 12 centerfold ladies — the damsels with staples in their navels — of the past year will get the ultimate accolade, "Playmate of the Year."

Hefner, a lean, trim man who speaks quickly, laughs often, said the show's music-comedy-beauties format is akin to that

of two syndicated series he did years ago, "Playboy's Penthouse" of 1959-60, and a 1968-69 version, "Playboy After Dark." — When asked if another series along those lines is afoot, he said no, but that he's giving serious consideration to doing a show with a magazine format of various features — as in his magazine.

"We're intrigued with the notion of doing a series that would try to bring Playboy or some aspects to TV, somewhere between '60 Minutes' and 'Saturday Night Live,'" he said.

When he said aspects, I of course thought of one — the lassies who display their bodies somewhere between the first and last page of the magazine. So Hefner was asked what aspects he meant.

"Well, the materials we'd deal with would be Playboy-oriented — primarily the pop and cultural areas of society comedy, music and sex, but also there'd be the opportunity to do things on new sports cars, fashion, and interviews with various key people," he said.

As it would be adult fare, he added, he'd aim it at the 11:30 p.m. trade, an hour earlier in the Midwest, and "try and do

in the electronic medium what we did in the '50s in print."

He also talked about a non-TV idea he's kicking around — a women's magazine that would be the distaff counterpart of Playboy. He was asked about Viva, a magazine that seems to be trying that.

Hefner said he thought that publication's original notion "as it was expressed, is a very interesting one.

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GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Study new ventures that interest you and pick out those that are most suited to your talents. Take needed health treatments.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Figure out a better way to handle your most pressing obligations. Show more enthusiasm for your work.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Although annoying, be sure to handle an important civic matter today. Be careful of one who is very hypocritical.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) If you do more work than is expected of you by associates, you find that you will gain more benefits. Not a good day for pleasure.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Good day to make arrangements for a vacation in the days ahead. Get together with congenials in spare time.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Eliminate small problems at home and establish a more constructive way of living. A new venture needs more study.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Become more efficient at your daily work and put new ideas in operation quickly. Be careful of a troublemaker.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Ideal time to engage in monetary affairs that are important to your future welfare. Avoid a tendency to exaggerate.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Be as self-engrossed as you wish now and make your personal life much better. Know exactly where you are headed.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Attend to those accumulated tasks without delay. A clever adviser can give fine ideas. Follow them and get good results.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be one of those gregarious persons who should be encouraged to have as many friends as possible, but of the right kind. Teach to complete whatever has once been started. The field of research is fine here.

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8:00	Jeffersons	1:30	Adrian's	2:30	Guiding Light
9:00	Jr. America	3:00	All In		
10:00	Andros Tar.	3:30	March Game		
11:00	TodayWatch	4:00	Marcus Welby		
11:30	Movie	6:00	NewsWatch		
TUESDAY	7:00	Truth Or			
8:00	Car. Today	7:30	Hollywood		
8:30	Morn. News	8:00	Who's Who		
9:00	Kangaroo	9:00	MASH		
10:00	Dou. Dare	9:30	One Day		
10:30	TodayWatch	10:00	Kojak		
11:30	Love Of	11:00	NewsWatch		
11:55	Paul Harvey	11:30	Movie		

WITN-TV Ch. 7

MONDAY	11:00	Wheel	
7:00	Adam 12	11:30	Shoot Works
7:30	Wild King	12:00	News
8:00	Little House	12:30	Friends
9:00	Movie	1:30	Days of
11:30	Tonight	2:30	Doctors
TUESDAY	7:00	Another World	
4:00	Lone Ranger	4:30	Virginia
5:00	Bonanza	5:30	Ironside
6:00	Almanac	6:00	News
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7:25	News	7:00	Adam 12
7:30	Today	7:30	That Tune
8:30	Today	8:00	Blacksheep
9:00	Mike Douglas	9:00	Pol. Woman
10:00	Santoro & Son	10:00	Pol. Story
10:30	Hollywood	11:00	News
		11:30	Tonight

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

MONDAY	12:00	12 At Noon	
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7:30	Tell Truth	1:30	Children
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11:00	Hartman	3:00	Hospital
11:30	Streets Of	4:00	Archies
1:45	News	4:30	Star Trek
TUESDAY	6:00	News	
6:30	Costello	6:30	Emergency
6:30	Stooges	7:30	Tell Truth
6:55	Tridings	8:00	Happy
7:00	Morning	8:30	Laverne
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11:00	Happy Days	11:30	Movie
11:30	Family	1:00	Early News

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MONDAY	1:15	Animals	
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TUESDAY	3:00	Woman	
8:30	Self	3:30	Consumer
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Q.1—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♦KQJ7 ♠AQ ♦K10962 ♦83
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ 2 ♦

Q.2—As South, vulnerable with 40 on score, you hold:
♦K95 ♥KQJ106 ♦AK76 ♠8
Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?

Q.3—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♦KJ763 ♥94 ♦K5 ♠KQ72
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
Pass Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♦74 ♥965 ♦AJ6 ♠AK873
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♣ Pass ?

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♦84 ♥AJ754 ♦J83 ♠K95
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠ 2 ♣ Pass ?

for the moment we can do no more than simply give preference to his first suit. Unless partner can act again, we doubt whether our side can make game.

Q.6—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♦93 ♥AQ762 ♦6 ♠K9874
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1 ♥ Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♠ ?

Q.7—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♦AQJ8 ♥J1062 ♦7 ♠AKQ8
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South
1 ♥ 4 ♦ ?

Q.8—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♦K10763 ♥863 ♦93 ♠Q87
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
Pass 1 ♥ 2 ♠ 3 ♠

Q.9—Partner's bid is the strongest takeout he can make. While your hand would not rate a free bid had he made a takeout double, over a cue-bid you should act—partner realizes that you can't have much and that the opponents are trying to keep you out of the auction. You must bid three spades—indeed, we would not fault you for jumping to four spades were it not for the possibility that partner could have a heart-club two-suiter.

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Waited His Homecoming

FT. LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — When Richard Farrell returned to his \$900-a-month rented house here, his dog Diablo was there and so were the police.

Police said that a businessman — not identified — found Diablo, a Siberian husky, on the beach where he had wandered Sunday morning. The man saw Farrell's address on the dog tag and took it home.

When no one answered the door bell, the man walked to the rear, saw a broken window, and alerted police to a possible burglary.

Police found 80 bales of marijuana — about two tons — and other drugs including cocaine and hashish in a bedroom and utility room.

Farrell, arrested when he returned several hours later, said he had been out of town and had no idea how the drugs got inside his house.

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Consultants' Role For Business School Students

By STEPHEN FOX
AP Business Writer
MENLO PARK, Calif. (AP) — For Roman Meal Co., the question was whether or not to step up promotion of its hot breakfast cereal in a market long dominated by Quaker Oats' venerable Cream of Wheat. But instead of turning to a high-powered consulting firm, the Tacoma, Wash., company asked a group of Stanford Business School students here for advice.

"The students told them to forget it," recalls Robert Davis, a professor of marketing. "Hot cereal is a small segment of the (breakfast cereal) market and it's dominated by Quaker Oats. It costs a lot of money to get an increase in market share and even if you do, it isn't worth much."

Roman Meal, which manufactures natural grain mixes, took the advice, thus joining such firms as TRW, Corning Glass, General Electric, IBM and Texas Instruments in using business school students as corporate consultants, at less cost

than professional consulting firms.

"It's a good way to go," says Ray Scafe, Roman Meal's vice president for marketing. "It's a project the company has to perform, so you kill two birds with one stone. We need the work done and they get the experience. We don't always follow their recommendations but they add more depth to our research and sometimes we get some real insights."

Almost every major business school now has student consulting programs as part of the curriculum. Corporate clients generally pay for the costs of the programs, which count as course credits, but the students don't get paid. Unlike the older "case study" method, in which students dissected a corporate problem in class, consulting programs, usually called "field studies," offer the opportunity to deal with real business problems.

"These assignments are for keeps," says Davis, 56. "The real management is going to listen. The students learn that

you can't just write the honest truth — that there are all sorts of company politics that go on. It's useful for them to realize the world is tough."

Students are enthusiastic about field study programs for the same reason. Claudia Burnett, a second-year Master of Business Administration candidate at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y., says developing a computerized marketing information system for Corning Glass allowed her "to test the theory I learned at Cornell with the practical world at Corning and allowed me to sort out what is useful in the academic curriculum and what I believe is not so useful."

At the University of Dallas, which has about 100 field study projects each year, there is a waiting list of companies seeking student consultants.

"The project must have intellectual content and the challenge must be there. If not, we won't accept the client," says Dr. David Gordon, a management professor who supervises Dallas's field study program. "It is important that we don't lose our identity as an educa-

tional institution. We're not a job shop."

Says Charles M. Leighton, head of CML Inc. in Concord, Mass.: "The lovely thing about students is that they say exactly what they think. They have no emotional ties and no politics in the company." CML, which sells outdoor leisure items, has utilized six Harvard Business School teams over the years.

One student team came across a problem at CML's Carroll Reed subsidiary, which sells outdoor supplies by mail order and through six stores located in ski areas.

"They came in here with pictures of the stores, each with a different sign," Leighton said. "Now the stores ought to have the same sign, but we simply hadn't noticed."

Student candor can cause friction with some corporate executives, says Prof. Benjamin Shapiro, who supervises Harvard's "Creative Marketing Strategy" consulting teams.

A California corporation using a UCLA team for a real estate study got more than it bargained for when the group dis-

covered what it considered fraudulent activities in one division, recalled team leader Bob Bolen.

"One student got on a plane and went to the company's San Francisco headquarters and said, 'Your such and such division is doing something fraudulent.'" Bolen recalled. "It was a gross over-response and I think could be said to be damaging."

Some firms use the consulting period as a chance to look over students for possible future employment, says Dr. Arlene Chait, director of management field studies for the Graduate School of Management at the University of California at Los Angeles.

"Some companies will call and be up front about it," says Chait, who supervises about 100 student teams a year. "They'll say, 'We'd like to have a field study but we'll also be watching the students.'"

Nonetheless, she says, most companies are more interested in the immediate problem and many have found that listening to the students saves consulting fees and pays off.



COULD BE LOSING STRUGGLE — American Motors Corp. Chairman Roy D. Chapin Jr. sits in the rear of AMC's latest entry into the market, the 1977 Pacer wagon. Industry insiders and analysts believe that AMC will abandon the

American car market before the decade is out. The energy crisis and federal fuel economy laws have made the Big Three small-car specialists, once AMC's territory. Chapin, however, plans to be in the car market for a long time.

Impact Of Price Trend Felt By Budget Adviser

By KRISTIN GOFF
AP Business Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — After talking about the need to stimulate capital investment, increase business productivity and maintain an open worldwide trade policy, President Carter's top budget adviser turned his attention to a small and familiar complaint this past week.

"I went to the store a couple of days ago and paid \$1.08 for three tomatoes. And they weren't even very good," Bert Lance grumbled.

"I asked myself, 'What's going on here?' It was a first-hand experience with inflation," the director of the Office of Management and Budget said near the end of a news conference in New York.

There are plenty of Americans who can relate to that experience.

They got less than cheery news about food prices this past week.

The Labor Department's report on wholesale prices for April pointed to higher farm prices as a leading culprit in boosting the monthly increase to 1.1 per cent, or 13.2 per cent on an annual basis.

Farm prices jumped 3.4 per cent, the biggest increase in a

year and the fifth consecutive month that the category exceeded one per cent. They climbed 2.5 per cent in March.

Since farm prices often vary greatly from month to month, government economists tended to look to other components of the wholesale prices as indicators of what over-all price increases might be passed on to consumers in the months ahead.

The rise in industrial prices slowed to six tenths of a per cent from eight tenths of a per cent in March, a figure that some economists found somewhat encouraging. Courtenay Slater, the Commerce Department's chief economist, said the figures didn't change the administration's conviction that the underlying rate of inflation is about 6 per cent.

To some extent, the higher wholesale food prices are certain to be passed on to consumers at the retail level. But an Agriculture Department economist says it is difficult to draw a fixed relationship partly because of the volatility of wholesale farm prices.

Over-all, the Agriculture Department is predicting an aver-

age 4 to 6 per cent year-to-year increase in retail food prices this year, compared with a 3 per cent hike last year.

More specifically, the wholesale farm price jumps for April imply, in the months ahead, a moderate increase in the retail cost of dairy products, steeper increases in the price of coffee and somewhat higher prices in products like margarine and salad oil which are made from soybeans, the economist said.

In other business developments this past week:

—Unemployment fell for the second straight month in April, with the nation's jobless rate dropping from 7.3 to 7 per cent.

—Republic Steel Corp., the fourth largest steelmaker, led the way in announcing long-expected price hikes on steel used in a wide range of consumer goods.

—Volvo and Saab, the two giant Swedish carmakers, agreed on tentative plans for a merger.

—President Carter approved sugar subsidies of 2 cents a pound to help the ailing domestic industry, but he vetoed a lower import quota that the industry sought.

Kreps Pushes Conservation

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — The goal of conservation "is at least as important as growth," said Secretary of Commerce Juanita Kreps in Sunday's commencement address to 1,670 Duke University graduates here.

Dr. Kreps, who took a leave of absence from her post as a Duke vice president to join President Carter's cabinet, said diminishing resources will slow the country's economic growth rate.

But increased attention will be focused on other human values, such as "greater scientific knowledge, better health and more equitable treatment for all persons," she said.

"We have to develop different tastes, different attitudes. We have to admire economy and criticize waste," she said.

Dr. Kreps said she would not try to assess the first three months of the Carter administration because "100 days is too brief a time to judge either an administration or a student. Both need their four years to set the record."

Although she avoided direct reference to Carter's recently announced energy conservation program, Dr. Kreps stressed the conservation theme in her address.

"Past forecasts have had one thing in common," she said.

"All have predicted that things would get easier, safer, bigger, faster."

As a result, she added, "We have taken material welfare so seriously that we have developed ways to measure every inch of progress. Yet we have not thought it necessary to find an index of human welfare that takes into account more significant but nonmaterial changes in the quality of life."

Eye Exams For Elderly Advised

MINNEAPOLIS, (AP) — Persons over 65 should get their eyes examined every year, advises Dr. Burt Skuza, chairman of the Aging Vision Committee of the American Optometric Association.

"New lenses may not be needed every year, but the examination gives the optometrist a chance to check for the symptoms of eye diseases, such as glaucoma," Skuza said. "At the same time, he might spot the symptoms of some general health problems, like diabetes, long before other symptoms appear."

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Wood Fuel Meeting Set

A meeting has been scheduled for the Moose Lodge in Greenville, on Monday, May 16, to acquaint area residents with the possibility of using wood as a source of fuel for some industries, institutions and commercial establishments.

Ed Yancey, Pitt County extension chairman, said the meeting will be conducted by the extension forestry staff at North Carolina State University and the N. C. Forestry Association.

Recent studies by the specialists indicate that wood is becoming more feasible as an industrial fuel because of the rising cost of other fuels.

The specialists also say that North Carolina is now producing more than 10 million tons of non-marketable timber annually which might be used for this purpose.

The Greenville meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. and adjourn at 4 p.m. Persons interested in attending should contact the Pitt County Agricultural Extension office — Phone 758-1196.

Oil Drilling Costs Soared

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The bill for drilling by oil companies rose drastically in the year from 1974 to 1975, the American Petroleum Institute says.

The institute says total costs in 1975 for drilling and equipment came to approximately \$6.6 billion, a jump of more than 50 per cent from the year before.

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This the 29th day of April, 1977.
Helen G. Brooks,
Administratrix of the Estate of Mary M. Brooks
Route 9, Box 321
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J. H. Harrell, Attorney
P. O. Box 159
Greenville, N.C. 27834
May 2, 9, 16 and May 23, 1977

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IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KARL EDWARD FASER, DECEASED
Having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Karl Edward Faser, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Karl Edward Faser to present them to the undersigned Executrix, or her attorneys, within six (6) months from date of the first publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.
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Executrix of the Estate of KARL EDWARD FASER, Deceased
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Attorneys at Law
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April 25; May 2, 9, 16, 1977

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37 Trucks For Sale

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A Dinner In Shellfish Diving

By JERRY HARKAVY
Associated Press Writer
PORTLAND, Maine (AP) — Hungry for a scallop dinner, Tom Gallant donned a wetsuit, strapped on his scuba gear and dived to the bottom of Casco Bay, where the tasty shellfish live.

It was a blustery day a couple of weeks before the end of the scallop season, and Gallant had tried two other spots without success.

This time he was luckier. Wedged between the rocks, 25 feet below the surface, were a couple of dozen scallops. One by one he plucked them from the bottom and placed them inside his net gunny sack.

Minutes later he bobbed to the surface, his black rubber suit and yellow tank of compressed air cutting through the choppy waters off Great Diamond Island.

For Gallant and scores of

other scuba divers along the Maine coast, shellfish diving has become a favorite pastime.

Maine's Department of Marine Resources says the growing popularity of skin diving has led to an increase in the number of persons who dive for scallops.

While a handful of commercial divers hold licenses that permit an unlimited catch, Wayne Smith, who supervises

wardens along the coast, says the vast majority dive for scallops to feed friends and families.

The daily limit of two bushels in the shell or four quarts shucked can provide the makings of a sumptuous dinner.

In Maine, the scallop season begins Nov. 1 and runs through the winter, but cold weather doesn't prevent Gallant, 27, or his diving companion, Phil Berry, 40, from stalking scallops.

Wearing a quarter-inch wetsuit, they've been at the bottom of the icy bay when the water temperature dropped into the 30s and the air temperature hovered at zero or below.

With Gallant back underwater, Berry piloted their 17-foot outboard-powered boat while explaining where to seek the richest scallop beds. The key, he said, is to discover a spot where commercial fishing boats are unable to lay out their huge steel nets.

"A diver has to get in between the rocks where the draggers can't drag," he said. "In some places there's nothing but drag marks, and the bottom is clean."

On this outing, pickings were slim, but Gallant pointed to his net sack and recalled better days when the scallops were more plentiful.

"I've had this filled on one dive," he said. "You just have to hit the right spot at the right time."

Back in the boat, Gallant took out his knife and began shucking the scallops, tossing the shells overboard and saving only the rich adductor muscle — the edible portion which he planned to broil in lemon and butter later that night.

One advantage of catching your own, he noted, is that "you know they're always fresh."

"You buy some in the market, and then you taste the fresh ones, and there's quite a difference."



SHUCKING SCALLOPS — Scuba diver Tom Gallant shucks the scallops he picked from the bottom of Casco Bay. (AP Wirephoto)

Land Of Solomon And Sheba Seen Regressing Back Into Dark Ages

By WILLIAM CAMPBELL
ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (UPI) — At the time of his fall, his people joked that Emperor Haile Selassie's greatest achievement was to move Ethiopia from the 12th into the 14th century.

Now, two and a half years later, the land of Solomon and Sheba is slowly slipping back into the Dark Ages.

The Marxist regime of strongman Lt. Col. Mengistu Haile Mariam faces eight different insurrections, including the 15-year-old Eritrean secession war which diplomats say is making major gains against government troops. A major conventional war also looms against Somalia.

The capital of Addis Ababa has been turned into a city of terror with an around-the-block war of assassination and murder between government forces and their opponents in which several thousand persons have been killed since the start of the year.

Last week government troops shot and killed between 300 and 500 students in Addis Ababa, signalling an ominous new escalation of the internal conflict pulling apart this fragile nation of 30 million people on the northeast Horn of Africa.

Also, at a single stroke, Mengistu severed its two decades old "special relationship" with the United States and lined up squarely in the Kremlin's camp.

And all diplomats agree that things promise to get much worse before they get better.

Mengistu began to switch sides last week by closing down five U.S. agencies and expelling 362 Americans from the country. He then promptly packed his bags and paid an official visit to the Soviet Union where he was received as a fully paid up member of the Communist camp for the first time.

Now, with fresh shipments of

Soviet weapons on the way, Mengistu is expected to launch a "holy war" against all of his various and numerous opponents.

The final result will be unpredictable, but the intervening conflict is expected to be bloody.

For the past few weeks, Mengistu, an ascetic and ruthless 39-year-old career army officer, has been assembling a "peoples army" north of the capital to prosecute the forthcoming conflict.

Ill-trained and ill-equipped with a motley collection of American-made M1 rifles, carbines and lesser weapons, the peasant army eventually is expected to number up to 200,000 persons.

Diplomats said Saturday that a cadre of Cuban soldiers has been quietly training the "peoples army" and that Cuban President Fidel Castro promised more men when he visited Ethiopia earlier this year.

Mengistu is expected to unleash this ragtag army both against the Eritreans and other internal opponents shortly, but the payoff is unpredictable.

In a similar maneuver last year, the government sent some 50,000 peasants on a march to Eritrea, but they were routed with heavy losses by the guerrillas on the Eritrean border.

Since then the Eritreans appear to have gone from success to success in first isolating and then wiping out government outposts in the Eritrean scrub.

The government apparently is counting on sheer volume of numbers in overcoming the battle hardened 10,000 Eritrean troops who are supported by several Arab nations. The Moslem Eritreans want independence from Ethiopia, which converted to the Coptic Christian faith in 330 A.D.

When the military seized power in Ethiopia in September, 1974, its welcome was enthusiastic, especially in the cities. But it faced formidable problems.

Its population was 80 per cent illiterate, there were few roads and hospitals, most of the population lived at least a days walk from any road and the country was devastated by a famine in which up to a quarter of a million persons died.

The military government, the Dergue, has made modest gains in land reform and, surprisingly, the country's foreign reserves are healthy, principally because of strong world

demand for Ethiopia's prime export — coffee.

But they have been bought at a staggering cost to the government itself and the country as a whole.

The military government is quickly being classed as one of the most brutal on the continent, rivalling the regime of President Idi Amin of Uganda.

Insurrections have multiplied and the Eritrea conflict has become even more critical with many foreign observers for the first time giving the secessionists a better than even chance to pull off an outright military victory.

Skin Problems In Summer Fun

DURHAM, N.C. (UPI) — The outdoor activities longed for all winter are now possible, but along with the fun comes the perennial itchy poison ivy infections, uncomfortable prickly heat and painful sunburn, warns a Duke University dermatologist.

Dr. J. Lamar Callaway, a professor of dermatology at Duke, gave some tips Saturday to make it a little easier for summer sufferers.

Cool water and calamine lotion can help stop the itching of poison ivy, Callaway said. And, despite what mothers have told their children, scratching is harmless unless it is done hard enough to break the skin.

Callaway said once the oil from poison ivy is washed from the body, the infection will not spread beyond the points of contact.

Loose clothing and powders can ease the discomfort of prickly heat, Callaway said.

"Prickly heat is caused first of all by heat that increases sweating," he said. "When the skin is wet from perspiration, sweat gland pores close up, and little red blisters form on the stopped up pores."

"The object is to keep as dry as possible so that the skin doesn't stay soggy," he said.

Fungal infections under arms, in the groin, under breasts and between toes also are encouraged by perspiration, Callaway said. Over-the-counter medication are sometimes effective in combating them, and keeping dry with dusting powder should help prevent their return.

Callaway sees nothing but grief for sunbathers.

"There is absolutely no question that in susceptible persons, overexposure to the sun causes skin cancer,"

Callaway said. "Fair-skinned people, blondes and redheads are even more susceptible to it than those with darker skin."

"Even people who don't develop skin cancer are going to age prematurely, get more wrinkles and be more prone to skin keratoses, which are scaly dark spots in the sun-exposed areas," Callaway warned.

Callaway, who has trained dermatology residents at Duke for 40 years, said the same people who sunbathe constantly "to make themselves look pretty" wish they hadn't 1 or two years later.

"The sun never forgets," he said.

Taxes Brought Revolt, Death

CHICAGO (UPI) — That national rite of spring — income tax time — brings loud groans from every wage earner. But everyone is resigned to the ordeal. In the past, however, taxes caused revolutions and executions, not just groans, in this country and others, according to The World Book Encyclopedia.

The French Revolution was ignited in part by unfair taxation, which led to the storming of the Bastille, the "Reign of Terror," and the executions of Marie Antoinette and King Louis XVI.

The American Revolution grew partly out of colonial protests when colonists rebelled against the Sugar Act of 1764, the Stamp Act of 1765, and the Townshend Acts of 1767, which placed duties on tea and other products. All this provoked a boycott of British goods and the Boston Tea Party. Soon after, the war was on.

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