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# Wholesale Price Index Continues Rapid Advance

WASHINGTON (AP) — The prices manufacturers receive for their products rose by the largest amount in three years last month as food prices showed unusually large gains, the Labor Department said today.

Consumer foods rose 2.9 percent in February, leading the increase of 1.1 percent for all finished goods.

These prices, charged at the last stage of production, usually show up at the consumer level within a few months.

Consumer prices have already begun to rise rapidly, going up 0.8 percent in January, about double the increases of last year.

The 1.1 percent increase in finished goods prices for January was the largest since a 1.9 percent increase in November 1974. It followed rises of 0.6 percent in November, 0.5 percent in

December and 0.6 percent in January. Unlike the January report, most of the increases were among foods, some of them in short supply because of the severe winter weather.

Wholesale prices turned up sharply for pork, eggs and dairy products in February after declining in the previous month. Beef and veal prices rose much more than in January. However, prices declined for roasted coffee. Prices rose less than in January for fresh and dried fruits and vegetables and processed poultry.

The 2.9 percent price increase for consumer foods followed rises of 1.1 percent in January and 0.5 percent in December.

If food is removed, wholesale prices were up 0.4 percent, about the same level as the last half of 1977.

Prices declined for jewelry, gasoline and home heating oil.

Prices rose less in February than in January for automobiles, household furniture and mobile homes. However, prices rose more rapidly for beverages, soap and synthetic detergents, footwear and tobacco products.

The Labor Department's Finished Goods Price Index is intended to replace the Wholesale Price Index, to make the monthly report coincide more with consumer prices.

The old Wholesale Price Index rose 1 percent in February, the largest increase since a 1 percent rise last April.

Price increases continued at the early stages of production, particularly among food products.

Raw farm materials rose 4.7 percent, contributing to a 3.2 percent rise in all crude goods. That was the largest increase since a 4.2 percent rise in February 1977.

Goods at the middle stage of processing, particularly steel, showed a 0.9 percent gain.

The finished goods index stood at 188.3, meaning these prices were 88.3 percent higher than they were in the 1967 period.

Officials said two weeks ago that the January increase of 0.8 percent in consumer prices was caused mainly by one-month factors not expected to be repeated throughout the year.

# Strike-Stopping Order Sought 'Clone Baby' Reaffirmed

By OWEN ULLMANN  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carter administration, trying to end the 94-day coal strike, is set to ask a federal judge to order 160,000 miners back to work.

Justice Department lawyers planned to seek an immediate order in U.S. District Court today under the strike-stopping provisions of the Taft-Hartley Act.

One official said the government is prepared to seek contempt citations and fines against any union locals, leaders or coal companies that defy the order. "There's not much point in getting the order if you're not ready to enforce it," the official said.

Leaders of the United Mine Workers union and government officials expect widespread defiance of the

expected court order.

A fact-finding panel appointed by Carter under the Taft-Hartley law sent its report to the White House today. The law requires that Carter receive the report before the government can seek a back-to-work order.

The government's move for a court order came as the Labor Department reported that 25,500 factory workers were laid off last week as a result of the strike.

presumably would remain in force until the judge could hear arguments on a request

for an 80-day injunction. Under Hartley, the government must prove that

continuation of a walkout would "imperil the national health or safety."

# Guerrilla Chiefs Meet With Vance

By BARRY SCHWEID  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two guerrilla leaders who have vowed to take over Rhodesia by force are meeting with Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance as part of an Anglo-American drive to bring all black elements into any settlement.

Joshua Nkomo and Robert Mugabe of the Patriotic Front have dismissed the current plan for black rule in Rhodesia as "the biggest sellout in African history."

Their meeting with Vance today represents an intensified effort by the administration to bring them into the negotiations and thereby halt the raids conducted by the guerrillas from bases in Zambia and Mozambique.

Vance said Wednesday that the plan completed last week by Prime Minister Ian Smith and three black nationalist leaders was no more than "a proposal" that would have to

be measured against the yardstick of a more comprehensive Anglo-American approach.

Vance rejected with a terse "no" Smith's appeal for help in ending international economic sanctions against Rhodesia and said the Patriotic Front must be brought into the settlement.

At the same time, he and British Foreign Secretary David Owen issued a joint statement promising to work together for free and fair elections in Rhodesia and "respect for individual rights" of all its citizens.

The joint stance was considered significant since Britain had seemed to be tilting toward approving the internal settlement.

But Owen refused to be pinned down on whether the two Western allies would vote together if the plan were placed

before the United Nations Security Council.

"Let's jump our hurdles one by one," Owen said as he emerged from a lengthy session with Vance Wednesday night before flying to London.

Bishop Abel Muzorewa, one of the three nationalist leaders who saw Vance earlier in the day, said of the Patriotic Front threats: "I don't pray for civil war. I don't like that there should be a war."

"But if they refuse to come and accept what the people of Zimbabwe (the African name for Rhodesia) will have popularly accepted, then the people of Zimbabwe must have guts enough to defend themselves and fight as hard as they can against those who are self-seeking."

Past Anglo-American efforts to bring Smith together with Nkomo and Mugabe have ended in sharp disagreement. But out of concern over the continuing conflict, which could provide an opening for Soviet and Cuban intervention, the Carter administration has decided to keep insisting on participation by the guerrilla group.

# Approve Housing Loans

Congressman Walter B. Jones yesterday announced the approval by the Farmers Home Administration of three loans to the Mid-East Regional Housing Authority, to be used for rural rental housing for senior citizens as described below:

Each loan is to be repaid in 50 years at eight percent interest.

— To Winterville, \$767,890: 30 apartments to be built, consisting of 10 one-bedroom, 17 two-bedroom and four three-bedroom rental units. Rents will be subsidized through HUD Section Eight Rental Assistance Program.

— Windsor, \$1,314,430: 50 apartments for low income families, as well as the elderly, to consist of 16 one-bedroom, 24 two-bedroom and 10 three-bedroom rental units which will be energy efficient.

— Fountain, \$523,320: 20 apartments for low income families which will consist of six one-bedroom units, 10 two-bedroom and four three-bedroom apartments.

# Report Supplies Of Coal

RALEIGH, N. C. (AP) — North Carolina's two major electric utilities offered optimistic estimates of their coal supplies today, telling state officials the need for mandatory conservation enforcement may be as much as two weeks away.

Representatives of both Duke Power Co. and Carolina Power and Light Co. met with state Utilities Commission officials and representatives of the governor's office this morning and reported improvement in their effort to prolong coal stockpiles.

"I think Duke is getting a tremendous amount of coal, given the situation. That's extremely encouraging," said Brian Flattery, state energy office director.

Labor Secretary Ray Marshall said the administration remains hopeful that a national settlement can be reached, but he acknowledged that local agreements might be easier to achieve in light of the miners' 2-1 rejection last weekend of a national accord.

The government planned to request a temporary restraining order directing miners to go back to their jobs and coal companies to resume "good faith" bargaining with the United Mine Workers union, said the administration official, who asked not to be named.

The temporary order

However, Energy Secretary James R. Schlesinger warned that the coal strike would put at least 3.5 million people out of work by the end of April if the walkout does not end within 10 days. Coal-related layoffs affected fewer than 23,000 people by late February, he said.

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# New Recreation Center Will Open On March 13

The Joint Library-Recreation Center, a new municipal concept in a joint public service center, is now being readied for opening.

Boyd Lee, Director of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department, has announced that the Recreation Department part of the complex will open on Monday, March 13.

Elizabeth Copeland, Librarian of the Greenville City Library system, says that the library part of the building will be opened at an early date and that an advance announcement will be made soon.

After both portions are operable, a ceremonial public opening will be conducted.

Effective at 8 a.m. Monday, all administrative offices and certain other functions of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department will be conducted from the new building.

Offices to be located there are those of the director, the assistant director of parks, the assistant director of recreation, the business office, the office of the two recreation supervisors, and the office of Volunteer Greenville.

Telephone numbers on the city phone system assigned to the Recreation and Parks Department are 752-4137, extensions 262, 263, 264, and 265. Operation hours will be 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily Monday

through Friday. Also at the new joint center the children's playroom and a limited crafts program for children will be housed. The major crafts program will be conducted at the Senior Citizens Building on Green and Fourth Streets.

The administrative office and center for the special population program (handicapped) will be in the office complex at Elm Street Park, and the Athletic Office will continue to be located in Elm Street Gym.

The Joint Library-Recreation Center is located adjacent to Eastern Elementary School, with entry into the parking lot at the end of Cedar Lane.



WROTE THE BOOK — David M. Rorvik, a science writer, is the author of "In His Image," a book which concerns the purported first cloning of a human being. (AP Laser-photo)

# Meet Friday

The meeting of the University of North Carolina Board of Governors here tomorrow to elect a new chancellor for East Carolina University will be open to the public, according to Charles R. Blake administrative assistant to ECU Chancellor Leo Jenkins.

The election of the new chancellor will be the first item on the agenda for the 10 a.m. meeting in the 800-seat theater in Mendenhall Student Center.

Jenkins, who has been president and chancellor of ECU for 18 years, will reach the State's mandatory retirement age of 65 on May 28, and will retire July 1.

Troy W. Pate Jr. of Goldsboro, chairman of the ECU Board of Trustees will give a report on the chancellor selection committee's 13 month search for a successor to Jenkins.

In other business tomorrow, the Board of Governors will consider a report on the system's problems with the Department of Health, Education and Welfare's desegregation plans.

The board will hold committee meetings prior to the 10 o'clock general session and will attend a luncheon following the meeting at the Chancellor's Home, hosted by Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins.

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## HYDRANTS ACTIVE?

About a year ago Greenville Utilities installed five fire hydrants on N. C. 33 east of the city limits. I have been advised lately that these hydrants haven't been turned on. Does the City not want the county to use the water from these hydrants? I think the people who live along here would feel real bad if they had a fire and the water wouldn't come out.

George Reel of Greenville Utilities said that all these hydrants could be used in an emergency, but are protected from easy access by unauthorized persons by an extra valve. County fire protection officials know, he said, based on a letter written by Greenville Utilities Director Charles Horne several years ago, that a rural fire fighter is free to use a GUC hydrant any time there is a true need.

## A HOTLINE APPEAL

### HOUSING DESPERATELY NEEDED

Becky Starkey of the Pitt County Department of Social Services has been searching for weeks for housing for two Pitt County families.

Her most desperate need is for a place to live for a mother and four children, all under seven years old. The trailer they're living in at present is to be moved Saturday. Anyone willing to rent them a place to live should call Ms. Starkey at 758-2167 immediately. Anywhere in Pitt County will be fine, she said.

Also in need of a house, trailer or apartment to rent is a family appealed for in Hotline week before last after their house burned. Mrs. Daisy Jones and children and grandchildren are still living with various relatives and would like to rent housing for up to \$80 a month. Anywhere in Pitt County will do, but the Farmville School District is preferable. Ms. Starkey said. She would appreciate a call — 758-2167.

By JERRY RAYNOR  
Reflector Staff Writer

Members of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Commission Wednesday night unanimously approved a policy paper on the naming of parks and recreation facilities in the city of Greenville. No objections were voiced at the public hearing.

The approved paper now goes to the Greenville City Council for its action. If the council approves the policy paper, it will become the official guideline for future name giving to the growing number of areas and buildings under the jurisdiction of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department.

Essentially, the policy provides guidelines that gives the commission "the function of naming sites and or facilities of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department."

Also, "priority in naming sites shall be given to geographical locations, historic significance or geologic features."

Parks and facilities under the guidelines can be named for living or deceased citizens; however, certain restrictions have been imposed on an action to bestow person's names. Exceptions that can be considered and approved by the commission include instances in which — a

site has been donated by an individual in its entirety — when 50 per cent or more of the total cost of a facility has been donated by an individual or group — and when such provisions have been made on a deed and accepted by the commission with consideration given to naming.

Rev. Dan Earnhardt, chairman of the policy planning committee for this subject, said he felt it was a wise policy "in view of the difficulties that can occur in giving names, such as happened after the death of President Kennedy, when there was a flurry of naming things for him. Now they're trying to undo some of it."

In all instances, under the proposed policy, the eventual decision on whether to name a site or facility for a person will rest with the commission on a one-by-one basis following commission consideration and a public hearing.

Commission members concurred it is the intent of the policy to discourage, not prohibit, naming of sites or facilities for individuals. Each case, they agree, must rest on its individual merit.

In another action, the commission approved a proposal presented by Debbie Lundy on behalf of McDonald's Hamburgers Chain to co-sponsor with the Recreation

Department the forthcoming annual Easter Egg hunt.

Ms. Lundy explained the offer was part of McDonald's overall efforts to be involved in community events and that emphasis was on a joint sponsorship.

In accepting the offer, commission members agreed to permit McDonald's to pay the bill for the hunt, at a cost of approximately \$1,000. This will include candy Easter eggs to be hidden for the hunt, juice and french fries to be given to each child participating, and gift baskets. McDonald's will also provide three employees to assist Recreation Department employees in the coordination of the annual egg hunt.

The offer was accepted on a one-time trial basis for this year only, with the idea that any other offer of this nature will have to be considered after determining the effectiveness of a joint project such as this.

The commission also approved sending a letter of appreciation for the public service offer to McDonald's. Commission members approved a request from the N. C. Recreation and Parks Service to host an Eastern North Carolina meeting on Tuesday, April 11. This will be held at the new Joint Library-Recreation Building and will begin at 5:30 p.m. It will also serve as the regular meeting for the month of April.

# Mexican Artist's Work Shows Life As Woman

By C.G. McDANIEL  
Associated Press  
CHICAGO (AP)—The Mexican artist Frida Kahlo lived most of her life in physical pain, yet she continued to paint until the very end, recording her suffering and experiences as a woman.

Kahlo, wife of the muralist Diego Rivera, was, like her husband, a cult figure in Mexico. But her work has remained largely unknown in the United States, although she is much admired by feminists for her openness in recording her life as a woman.

The Museum of Contemporary Art in Chicago has, with a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts, organized the first large-scale showing of her work in this country.

After appearing here, the exhibition of 45 pictures will travel to San Diego, Austin, Texas, Houston, and Purchase, N.Y.

Kahlo was born in 1910 and died in 1944. During that time, she produced a relatively small body of work—about 150 pictures.

Many of these pictures, however, are intensely powerful in a simple, straightforward way. She recorded the uniquely female experience of pregnancy, therapeutic abortion and miscarriage, as well as disappointment in love and the physical pain she had to endure.

Kahlo was seriously injured at age 15 in a bus accident in which one of her feet was broken, her spine fractured in several places and her pelvis smashed by a metal bar which pierced her body. Before that, at age 6, polio had left her with a limp.

In the 29 years that remained of her life following the accident, she was to undergo 30 operations and to spend a number of those years in a stormy, albeit often rewarding, marriage to Rivera.

Through it all, she was able to paint and, for almost the last decade of her life, to teach. She had an easel rigged to straddle her bed and a mirror on a bed post for some of the striking self-portraits that she did.

Much of her work had about it a surrealist quality, although she said she was not a surrealist because she recorded reality, not fantasy.

One picture shows her lying naked on a bloody bed in Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, set in a barren landscape with only factories rising in the distance. The picture records an abortion, the lost fetus rising in the middle of the picture attached by a blood vessel. Also attached similarly are an orchid, a snail, a model of a spinal cord, a pelvis and a factory machine. She was alone and defenseless.

Kahlo painted in rich, clear colors, rarely using black. Her work was influenced by the Mexican culture with its Indian mystique and obsession with death.

But she was not a naive or primitive painter, even though her painting shows this influence. She was also influenced by such contemporary figures as Rousseau and Gauguin, who painted lush jungle scenes.

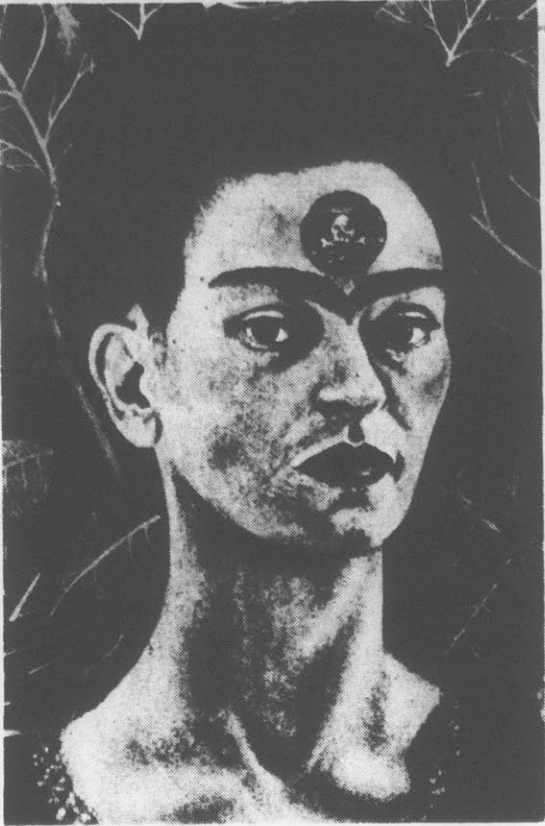
Not beautiful in the ordinary sense, Kahlo was striking, somewhat masculine in appearance. Her self-portraits are honest in depicting not the idealized person but the person as she was.

### FOR LEFTIES

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP)—With left-handers representing from 10 to 20 percent of the population, Gerald Glichenhouse decided to publish a book giving them instructions for crocheting.

Compiled by experts in the field, "Basic Crochet for Left-Handers" aims, Glichenhouse says, to help "this neglected group of people to acquire all the dexterity and satisfaction which crocheting has held for the rest of the population for so many years."

"Basic Crochet for Left-Handers" is published by Marketing Plus, Stamford, Conn.



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### Homemakers Meet Recently

The March meeting of the Red Oak Homemakers Club was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Deitch.

A program on "Fabrics in the Home" was given by Mrs. Sue B. May, home economics extension agent. She stated that fabrics speak in three ways, color, design and texture.

Mrs. May reminded members to watch for the symbols on cleaning before purchasing fabrics.

Mrs. Marie Vainright, vice president, conducted the meeting.

The April meeting will be a workshop to make visual aids to be used in the Lap Reading program, a state project sponsored by Extension Homemakers.

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## Births

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bryan Jordan, 1809 E. Sixth St., a daughter, Carrie Agnes, on March 1, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### West

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Earl West, Grifton, a son, Thomas Anson, on March 1, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Parker

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Parker, Farmville, a son, Anthony Scott, on March 1, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### White

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vernon White, Winterville, a daughter, April Lynn, on March 1, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Smith

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith Jr., Simpson, a son, Antwan Dontay, on March 2, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Cobb

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Cobb Jr., Rt. 1, Macclesfield, a son, Joseph Allen, on March 2, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Wilkins

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ervin Wilkins, Branches

Estates, a daughter, Tonka Col-eisha, on March 2, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Evans

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayne Evans Sr., Azalea Gardens Trailer Court, a son, Daniel Lee, on March 3, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Pierce

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Stuart Pierce Jr., Ahsokie, a son, Stuart Pate, on March 3, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Green

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Richard Green, Rt. 1, Macclesfield, a daughter, Joyce Ann, on March 3, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Dixon

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Dixon, 110 Greenfield Dr., a son, Jamie Deon, on March 4, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Fields

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fields, Rt. 4, Greenville, a daughter, Melinda Ann, on March 4, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Buck

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wayne Buck, Rt. 2, Ayden, a daughter, Bridget Meredith, on March 4, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Ragland

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Ronald Ragland, 102-K Cherry Court Apartments, a daughter, Stephanie Aaron, on March 5, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Hardee

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richard Hardee, Rt. 3, Greenville, a daughter, Tammy Nicole, on March 5, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Leonard

Born to Dr. and Mrs. John Richard Leonard, 104 Terry St., a daughter, Julie Michelle, on March 6, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Puryear

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Reuben Puryear, 207-B E. 14th St., a son, Wesley Reuben Jr., on March 6, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

### Bland

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl Bland, 603-A Church St., a son, Robert Earl Jr., on March 6, 1978, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

## Ayden News

Mrs. Nathan Thomas of Rocky Mount spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Irma B. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jacobson and son spent last week with Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Gooding and family.

Miss Clyde Stokes and Miss Maude Moore have returned from a trip to Florida.

Mrs. W. H. Hollowell has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kidd in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Padley spent the week at Mimosa Shores last week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Batten and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barwick, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barwick, Mrs. Faye Barwick, Mrs. Beulah B. Graham and Mrs. Irene Altmier were Sunday visitors at the dedication memorial service at the Ayden Christian Church.

Miss Betty Jean Padley is visiting relatives.

Robert Lee Tripp spent the week in Charleston, S.C.

Mrs. Cathy Evans and daughter spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Respass.

Mrs. Edna S. Tatum of Chapel Hill spent the weekend with Mrs. Jessie S. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Edwards and Rena, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and Mrs. Sarah Latham of Belhaven attended the Sunday memorial and dedication at the Ayden Christian Church.

Others attending the church dedication were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hardee Jr., Tim Hardee, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hardee, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Dixon and daughter, Farroh, Mr. and Mrs. Rivers Goodall and daughter, Heather.

## At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck

I clicked off the television set the other night following an episode of the Class of '65, and was so depressed I couldn't get to sleep.

As usual, I was born too soon. My class didn't begin to equal the excitement of the '60s. We were all so predictable. Our class clown went into politics, the class "idea" man was selling mantras to dogs into TM, and the Girl Most Likely... did.

I was in the kind of a class that the teachers talked about among themselves. They were always throwing up the previous year's class to us and how great the three coming after us were. We couldn't do anything right. We scheduled a pep assembly on Good Friday. We elected a class president who dropped out. We left the school a drinking fountain that rusted. At our prom two teachers got smashed and eloped—and we had to bring them back.

We've talked about it and tried to figure out why we were so dull and have come to the conclusion that it was just one of those boring years—no war, nothing to protest, nothing to celebrate and we were between trends. What do you do when it's too late to eat goldfish and too early to flash?

When I stop to consider who might have made an interesting segment for a series of the Class of '49, the only one with a hint of imagination was Janey Wilks. They say she really had the sweats over the geography teacher. I never believed that for a moment. It was crazy. They say she used to sneak out to a nearby cemetery on her lunch period. That was ridiculous. Oh, she wore a sun dress one day and imprinted on her back was "OUR BELOVED MOTHER 1853-1926" but that doesn't prove anything.

Or maybe the class jock, Stud Turf. He was the first boy in our class to break the home economics barrier. He made divinity fudge that would make you break out just by stirring it. After graduation he went on to open his own restaurant. There was a sign at the edge of town—"Stud's GAS and EATS." Most people found it redundant.

I met one of my classmates the other day and said, "What a shame. No one really cares what happened to the class of '49." She said, "Who?"

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# Probe Allegations On Wilson Sheriff Dept.



**KIDNAPPED** — Baron Charles Bracht, a prominent Belgian maritime insurance man and Austria's honorary consul general in Antwerp, was kidnapped Tuesday evening, police said. His son and a company employee denied the baron was kidnapped and there was speculation they were trying to hush up the abduction. (AP Laser-photo)

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Federal officials are investigating allegations that Wilson County Sheriff's Department personnel were bribed by persons involved in gambling and prostitution, according to published reports.

The News and Observer of Raleigh reported today that agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Internal Revenue Service intelligence division have been operating in Wilson County since last summer.

Neither federal officials nor Sheriff W. Robin Pridgen would comment on the nature of the investigation, but Wilson County sources said it involved the bribery allegations, according to the newspaper.

"I've seen some of them," Pridgen said in a brief telephone interview when asked if he had been questioned by the federal investigators.

"I don't believe I've got anything to say to you," the sheriff added, and hung up.

County Manager R.L. Shuford Jr. said he and Commission Chairman John D. Wilson had been officially notified of the probe by two FBI agents last week.

"We were advised, in person, by the agents," Shuford said. "They were very specific that there was an investigation underway. They just said the allegations were made against the department."

Shuford said the agents "didn't specify the nature" of the allegations and said Pridgen was not present at the meeting.

One source told the newspaper he had been questioned by the FBI last summer and was asked whether he knew "of any gifts, corruption, payoffs within the sheriff's department." The source said agents were trying to find out if persons involved in gambling and prostitution had bribed anyone in the department.

The source said several people may be called to testify before a federal grand jury in Raleigh on March 20.

U.S. Attorney George M. Anderson said he could not comment on the reports.



By Abigail Van Buren

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There are only 190 Planned Parenthood affiliates in the United States with approximately 650 clinics, so obviously not all communities are served by Planned Parenthood offices.

You would be doing your readers a service to suggest that they check their yellow pages under "Birth Control Information Centers, Clinics and/or Clinics-Abortion."

There are numerous women's health-type centers throughout the country that provide complete gynecological services in many communities where there is no Planned Parenthood, or in some cases in addition to Planned Parenthood.

Such clinics provide reliable, quality health care to women, usually at a lower rate than private physicians, making these services available to women who would otherwise not be able to afford them.

Sign me . . .

HELPFUL IN ORLANDO, FLA.

DEAR HELPFUL: I appreciate the information. Planned Parenthood is not in competition with other reputable birth control centers. It has even actively encouraged their establishment and funding.

Planned Parenthood is listed in the telephone books of approximately 70 per cent of the U.S. population, so I suggest that the wise birth control shopper first check for Planned Parenthood in the white pages before scouring the yellow pages. Planned Parenthood has earned a national reputation for the highest medical standards.

DEAR ABBY: For the past few months we have been receiving magazines, books and record albums in the mail. We did not order any of this stuff and have no idea why they are sending it to us. (The bills are enclosed.)

Each time something shows up, I have to pack it up and mail it back to the sender because I don't believe in keeping things that don't belong to me. This is getting to be a real chore. I'm tired of making trips to the post office, but I don't know what else to do. Help!

IRRITATED

DEAR IRRITATED: When you receive a package you did not order, mark it "refused" and return it to the post office. (They will assume the responsibility of returning it.) If you open it, technically you have "accepted" it, and you must then pack it up again if you want to return it.

CONFIDENTIAL TO MY READERS: "Teenagers, Go Home" was written by Doris Burville of Olympia, Wash. She wrote it for the Hibbing (Minn.) Daily Tribune in 1955. Within months, it began appearing in magazines and newspapers all over the United States—and even abroad! The author's name was never mentioned until the Reader's Digest reprinted the piece and gave her credit plus a check for \$80 which, by the way, was the only remuneration Doris has ever received for that fine piece.

DEAR ABBY: CRAVING AFFECTION complained because her husband of 12 years would accommodate her sexual desires only three times a year. She consulted her rabbi, who told her that as long as her husband didn't mistreat her she has nothing to complain about.

Abby, I think that woman should find herself another rabbi. It is a fact that one of the 613 mitzvahs (rules in the Jewish code of conduct) states that a husband has a moral obligation to satisfy his wife sexually once a week.

My information comes from the Yeshiva University of Los Angeles. Sign me...

"KNOWLEDGEABLE GOY"

DEAR GOY: According to the Bible (Exodus 21:10), a husband is responsible for his wife's food, clothing and "conjugal rights"—which includes sex.

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Registration for the East Carolina Children's Gymnastic program will be held on March 12 in Memorial Gym from 1-4 p.m.

This program is sponsored by the Health, Physical Education, and Recreation Department of East Carolina University. It is open to all children ages six to 18. Classes are held once a week for seven weeks.

A \$15 registration fee is required.

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## Same Old Theme: Spend More

The Carter administration has proposed a \$12.9 billion federal budget for education. It is a record and the president said a part of the new money will go to improve the basics of education, reading, writing and arithmetic. It is a large increase in educational funding — up 24 percent. It is surely a fact that we need to increase emphasis on the fundamentals of education, but we seem to be right back to the traditional proposal for solutions; that is, spend more money. Maybe that is the answer, but so far whenever we

have been called on to use more of the taxpayers money for increased emphasis on reading, writing and arithmetic the long range result seems to be a decline of these abilities. Maybe what is needed is the hiring of teachers based strictly on abilities and freeing school authorities of their concern for HEW action court suits everytime they take disciplinary action. We would never deny education the dollars it actually needs to develop sound programs, but first of all, let's be certain we are getting full value from the dollars we are already spending.

## That 'Self-Destruct' Trait Is Strong

There is a trait of self-destruction among most of us; and the quality would appear to carry over into the United States as a whole. At a time when the weather has created vast hardships it is Americans who sabotage the Alaska pipeline that transports needed oil; it is Americans who attempt to stifle coal production and even damage production and transportation facilities. (Remember the National Guard in some states had

to convoy coal trucks bringing the fuel to needed points?) There is talk today of "violence" resulting from invoking of the Taft-Hartley Act which at best is only a stop-gap answer to a crisis situation. The stakes are high in terms of health, productivity, jobs, economic survival and simple comfort. It is not a good time for Americans.

THIS AFTERNOON

## New Screening Effort Set

**By BILL NOBLITT**  
RALEIGH—Almost before it got underway, North Carolina's pre-kindergarten screening program was ditched in favor of one which some think will prove more effective.

Soon, 24 counties will take part in a case-by-case search of birth certificates to identify high risk children and bring prompt attention to those cases.

The four-year-old screening effort was one which received strong backing from the Department of Human Resources and the Department of Public Instruction. Strong lobbying by the administration under former Gov. James E. Holshouser was required to get that idea accepted and funded by the General Assembly.

The main purpose was to require that all four-year-olds undergo a battery of tests and examinations to ferret out mental, emotional and physical problems which would cause problems in life, and seek correction.

**Changed**  
Gov. James B. Hunt, Jr.

and his secretary of human resources, Dr. Sarah Morrow, however, felt several things were wrong with that: four years was too long to wait, such elaborate screening was expensive and would take too long to implement statewide, the program was getting bogged down in bureaucratic bickering over agency turf and money even before it got underway.

Cancelling the program was done quietly last June, and the money transferred to the early risk screening program. This year some 3,400 newborns will be screened by examining birth certificates with the permission of hospitals and physicians.

The state's birth certificates now contain information about the mother's education, socio-economic factors, and previous success or failure in producing healthy babies. A research project at the Frank Porter Graham Child Development Center at Chapel Hill has concluded that sufficient data is already available to pinpoint children with problems.

The cost of this approach will run about \$30 per child compared to \$91 each in the pre-kindergarten system.



NOBLITT

John Niblock, executive director of the Governor's Advocacy Council on Children and Youth, says the birth screening will later be expanded statewide as funds become available.

Emphasis will be on medical or physical indicators of problems—emotional or mental screening will come in later years—and the "high-risk infant identified and reported to local health department officials who will work with the parents and local professionals to get whatever medical services are need," Niblock explains.

**Two Areas**  
The focus will be on two areas which Niblock feels are critical in improving the lot of

children in this state: strengthening the family, and prevention.

"Family background can in large measure predict the child's success or failure in school. . . . Educational and occupational goals can be predicted. Family influence lasts throughout life," he said.

Early detection of routine sight, hearing, or skeletal deficiencies can produce prompt relief when inattention often leads to a lifetime of problems. "Every time a child is put in an institution, it means society has failed," Niblock feels.

The most difficult thing is to rally public support for programs to aid children, in the face of competing demands on limited funds. Numerous studies have documented the extent of malnutrition and birth defects and other ills in this state, but many citizens are not impressed.

"Statistics are real human beings," Niblock says. "They have names. If you prick them, they bleed; if you hurt them they cry. And they come from families," he said.

THAT'S OUR HELPER?



MORRIS

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

## 'Jaytee' Visits Sicily

TAORMINA, SICILY — Mr. J. Tolliver Spelvin, one of the lesser pillars of Raphannock County, Va., turned

up recently in Sicily. He has been touring Europe, and he has come to certain political conclusions. He has

concluded, for example, that the Italians will survive and the French won't.

Jaytee, as he is universally known, delivered himself of this opinion one day last week. I found my friend sitting in the sunshine of a sidewalk cafe, watching the girls go by. He had then been a week in France and a week in Italy, which qualified him as an expert, and he was aching to unload his observations. I ordered a cup of coffee.

"The wonderful thing about the Italians," said Jaytee, "is that they don't take themselves too darned seriously. They haven't had a government for two months, and everything is ticking right along. They're providing an example for the whole of the Western world, and I wish Congress and Mr. Carter would take it to heart. Do like the Italians do! Let Mr. Carter go up to Camp David. Send the Congress home, and we might be surprised at how well the country would make out."

"The French, on the other hand, have got themselves tied into knots over the Socialists and the Communists. They're determined to have a government, probably a worse government than they have now, and they'll deserve it. The French Communists are Communists first and Frenchmen second, while here in Italy it's the other way around. Vive La France," said Jaytee, "in a pig's eye."

I asked him why he was so down on the French, and he said it was mainly the way they treated strangers. That, and their language. It appeared that he had lost his way in Paris.

"So I poked my head in this little bistro, and I says to the bartender, 'ooh eh la Eyeful Tower?' He looked at me like I was crazy. A few other guys in the bar started snickering, but it wasn't all that funny. The only way you can talk to the French is through your nose, preferably looking down it. They got an in, and an e-n, and an o-n, and one of them sounds like the horn on a Model T, one of them

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## Public Forum

Letters submitted for Public Forum must be limited to 300 words.

To the editor:

I wrote a letter to the Utilities Commissioner in Raleigh and received a polite run-around letter in reply, saying they don't have anything to do with inter-city utilities like Greenville. I live 14 miles from Greenville, so as a taxpayer of Pitt County and North Carolina, I feel the North Carolina Utilities Commission is nothing but a figurehead.

I'd like to comment on fuel charges. They increase the fuel charge on every excuse that comes up. First the oil embargo; second the reactor was down for a month and then it was increased again. Now they have increased it from something like .00238 to .005. Their fuel charge is already higher than other utilities companies in North Carolina. I would like to see VEPCO have a breakdown in the fuel charge and show it to the public.

It was about a year ago that the paper printed a story about cutting down on usage of KWH, so the people of Greenville and the County did cut down and look what happened — GUCO had to have an increase because we didn't use enough KWH. Last week again, your paper stated that we should cut down on usage to have smaller bills.

Our house is compact and well insulated. We keep the thermostat on 68 degrees. Last month our electric bill was \$225.30. When a light bill is higher than a house payment, something needs to be done.

I, for one, think the power companies are robbing the people of Pitt County, and it is time for the people to do something about it.

Carroll E. Lloyd  
Rt. 1, Winterville

To the editor:

I think that the most crucial principle at stake in the Panama Canal issue is government by consent of the governed. Mr. Carter's Oath of Office is perhaps the most important promise he has ever made — and has ever failed to keep.

The U. S. Constitution, which Pres. Carter has sworn to uphold, provides a framework for a representative form of government. According to the Declaration of Independence, "Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed." Powers not derived from the consent of the governed are therefore unjust. Governments which do not derive their powers from the consent of the governed are therefore contrary to the principles of the U. S. Constitution (principles which the President is duty-bound to uphold). General Omar Torrijos is a dictator; he governs by powers not derived from the consent of his people.

Senator Thomas J. McIntyre, the latest addition to the number of pro-treaty senators, complained that it was wrong for treaty opponents to label proponents as being "against the United States." And yet, those senators who do vote for the treaties will most assuredly be denying the principle of government by consent of the governed. I wonder who is better represented in the Senate — the American people or Torrijos?

Perhaps the document that needs "ratification" most is the Constitution — in the form of action, not lip service.

Lyle Barlow

THE INSIDE REPORT

## Pat And Joe Feud Grows

**By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK**

WASHINGTON — The rancorous feud between Sen. Daniel P. Moynihan and HEW Secretary Joseph Califano is escalating over Califano's fanfare in setting up a new "office for nonpublic schools" to dramatize President Carter's ostensible commitment to federal aid for parochial schools.

Moynihan, the New York Democrat who understands the labyrinthine bureaucracy at Health, Education and Welfare almost as well as Califano, is seething over what he regards as Califano's virtual deception in parading the office as "new." An existing office of "nonpublic educational services" was set up in 1971 and is still operating.

The "Office of Nonpublic Educational Services" described itself this way in February 1976: "This office coordinates all pertinent Office of Education services...to

assure proper coverage for nonpublic school children services...Complaints are also handled."

As for the "new" office, Califano described it in congressional testimony Feb. 28 this way: This office will coordinate all federal education programs which call for participation of private school students...and process complaints."

Moynihan said last week that Califano has put President Carter in the "embarrassing position of having made as a substantive proposal what is at most a symbolic gesture first made back in 1971."

Moynihan fears Califano is not serious about federal aid to private schools, and that public announcement about the "new" office was pure imagery.

Moynihan is still livid at Califano's confidential memorandum to Mr. Carter on Feb. 4 urging the President to "move quickly" on a

program of federal grants to college students. The need for haste: to outflank a competing program moving through Congress that is backed by Moynihan and Sen. Bob Packwood for \$250 tax credits to help defray the cost of higher education.

**Baker's Panama Backlash**

The conservative backlash against Senate Republican leader Howard Baker for his support of the Panama Canal treaties forced him to back out of a March 11 party fund-raising dinner in Oklahoma City.

One of the most hawkish states, Oklahoma looks on the Panama Canal treaties with outrage. Baker's espousal of the treaties made ticket sales for his appearance at a state and county fund-raising dinner so sticky he was advised by state party leaders to find a "conflict" and cancel. He did.

In similar vein, conservative antagonism to Baker's canal position in Iredell County, N.C., was responsible for another acute embarrassment. One stunt at the party fund-raiser was auctioning off pictures of famous Republicans, including Sens. Robert Dole, Jesse Helms, Baker and others. The photographic blow-ups of

Dole and Helms brought \$21.50 each — but Baker's had no takers. Finally, an embarrassed party official bid \$4 for Baker.

A footnote: Baker had no illusions that his stand on the canal treaties would not hurt him badly, at least in the short run. But the depth of anti-Baker sentiment in Oklahoma and North Carolina underlines a deeper fear: that it could cost him the Republican presidential nomination in 1980.

**A Vance Flop**  
Over-protective aides were responsible for a dismal performance by Secretary of State Cyrus Vance before the nation's governors Feb. 27 which projected an inaccurately negative image of his ability.

Vance actually has been quietly taking command of scattered foreign policy machinery, a fact obscured in his public performances.

Personal aides made matters worse when they vetoed a scheduled Q-and-A session at the governors' conference here. Claiming Vance would have to spend the weekend preparing for such a session, these aides insisted that he stick to a prepared text. Hodding Carter, Assistant Secretary of State for public

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## Strength For Today

**PERSON OF INFLUENCE**

Probably few people outside of the ranks of professional historians today recall George Wythe, a lawyer who practiced in Virginia during the late eighteenth century. Yet Wythe was a very important person because he trained many of the great lawyers who held important positions in the early republic. Among others who served as clerks in his office (the eighteenth century equivalent of a legal education) were Patrick Henry, Thomas Jefferson, James Monroe, and Henry Clay.

It is always inspiring to read of people who play minor parts in public affairs in order to teach others how to play the leading roles. Sometimes we hear little about these people because they are humble mothers or fathers, undistinguished school teachers, wives, friends, and associates who by touching ordinary lives have brought them to distinction. But those who have become of little consequence so that others may have a chance to become great, are themselves truly great.

—By Elisha Douglass

## Can't Force Miners To Work

**By JOHN CUNNIFF**  
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — "You can't mine coal with bayonets," said John L. Lewis, who helped establish the nucleus of today's powerful unions and who served as the dedicated and defiant head of the United Mine Workers.

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Well, perhaps it could, but the devastating cost to the country, and the political cost to an administration that stresses human rights, would seem to make it tragic and foolhardy.

The miners, after all, are balking less about money than about the loss of health

insurance benefits. Prone to black lung disease and other scourges, they see insurance as a right, not a benefit.

In fact, much of America shares this view. Benefits are hardly on the fringe today; they are at the center, and they are considered essential not only to health but to economic survival as well.

Experience has taught workers this. Forced by inflation to watch their dollars shrink, they have learned to take much of their pay in services, and let the company worry about inflated prices.

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High on the list has been health insurance. In 1959, Morgan Guaranty found in a study, life insurance and health benefits accounted for just 3 percent of total compensation; by 1974 the percentage had doubled.

Why? Because of increasing health care costs, but that is not all. Employers can obtain volume discounts. And they can deduct the cost from their taxes as a business expense. Business likes that.

But perhaps of more significance is the realization by the typical worker, whoever he and she might be, that health insurance benefits, taken as pay, are tax-free. And so the trend.

Whether or not this trend is justified is one matter; that it exists is undeniable. It is

## State Funds Pile Up

By LOUISE COOK  
Associated Press Writer

From Maine to California state treasuries are bulging, in sharp contrast to the deficits of two years ago, and lawmakers are debating ways to give some of the money back to the taxpayers.

A spot check by The Associated Press and a survey by the Tax Foundation Inc. found that 31 states expect to have a surplus at the end of the current one- or two-year fiscal period.

The surpluses are not confined to any particular area of the country, making it hard to pinpoint the reason for financial health. They can be found in industrial states like New York and Illinois, as well as in more rural areas like Kansas and Wisconsin.

Proposals for refunding some of the money vary from state to state and, often, among officials within a state.

In Wisconsin, for example, there are three conflicting plans for election-year tax cuts to divvy up a \$400 million to \$425 million surplus. In Colorado there are no less than a dozen schemes.

The amount of the surpluses also vary widely.

California expects to have \$3.21 billion left when the current fiscal year ends June 30. South Dakota officials expect a \$4.9 million surplus July 1 and a \$5.3 million surplus by July 1, 1979.

It is equally difficult to characterize states with deficits.

Among those in or near the red, for example, are Pennsylvania, with a \$64 million deficit, and Hawaii, which the Tax Foundation says will go from a \$35.2 million surplus in fiscal 1977 (which ended last June 30) to a \$3.5 million deficit in fiscal 1979.

Overall totals for surpluses are difficult to calculate because states use a variety of financial calendars and fiscal systems.

In a study released Wednesday, the Tax Foundation, a nonprofit research group, said state and local governments reported a \$13.3 billion surplus on general accounts in calendar year 1977, up by nearly \$10 billion from the previous year.

They said the surpluses "reflect strong growth in receipts, coupled with apparent expenditure restraints. In both 1976 and 1977, receipts rose by 11 to 12 percent annually, while expenditure growth was in the 7 to 8 percent range."

The situation today contrasts with that a little over two years ago, when the nation was still suffering from recession and inflation. The Commerce Department said that at the end of the third quarter of 1975, state governments had deficits of \$11.5 billion. On Jan. 15, 1976, the National Governors Conference said that a 37-state survey showed most states faced "an increasingly bleak fiscal future."

The same inflation which (Continued on page 5)

## 40 Years Ago Today

March 9, 1938

The Board of County Commissioners, which met in regular session here Monday, recessed until yesterday and again until today, dispensed with routine business and completed arrangements for bringing the audits of all county offices up to date, preparatory to the ending of the fiscal year, June 30.

—Lynn Caverly

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Whether or not this trend is justified is one matter; that it exists is undeniable. It is undeniable also that the miners, in giving up some health benefits, are worried that they are going into reverse.

In that context it is understandable they feel cheated. Progress has never come easy in the coalfields; to forsake what had been pioneered, while others benefited from their pioneering, rankles.

In seeking an agreement, therefore, the president is asking a lot of the miners, at least from their point of view. That is, if it is expected that they will forego benefits already won.

The test is Jimmy Carter's. The prestige, the leadership, the future of his presidency is on the line, and he is challenged to use all its mighty resources more effectively than he has to date. And in a hurry.

# Settlement In Siberia Lacks Some Amenities



**EASTERN SIBERIAN SETTLEMENT** — Residents of the eastern Siberian settlement of Severobaikalsk, walk and play on the settlement's snow-covered main street. (AP Laserphoto)

By **BARTON REPPERT**  
Associated Press Writer  
SEVEROBAIKALSK,

U.S.S.R. (AP) — A visitor's introduction to this new eastern Siberian settlement 2,650 miles east of Moscow is the Hotel Taiga, where the best — and only — accommodations are four narrow beds squeezed into each of its half-dozen rooms.

After arising in the morning — out of a cot so saggy in the middle that it's closer to a hammock — the guest realizes that certain other amenities have been dispensed with.

For example, there's only a cold water tap in the room. Hot water has to be heated in an electric tea kettle.

Also, there are no toilets. Guests must bundle up in coats, boots and fur hat, then venture out into the frigid winter air along a wooden walkway that leads to an outhouse.

Severobaikalsk didn't exist until 1974, when it was founded as a base for work on the new Baikal-Amur Railroad, slated to reach the Soviet Far East along a route considerably north of the present Trans-Siberian Railway.

The Hotel Taiga's administrator, Nina V. Cherdanova, said that she has had foreign guests before — including a few Frenchmen and a group of West Germans last summer — but most are young Soviet workers arriving to help build up the population of the settlement near the northern end of mammoth Lake Baikal. They generally stay for a few days until they can move into regular living quarters.

Then things get better. From a population of zero four years ago, Severobaikalsk now has about 8,500 people.

It also has a school for more than 900 pupils, a drama theater, youth clubs and a number of stores in semicircular-roofed buildings similar to quonset huts used by American forces in World War II.

The settlement is more attractive than many Soviet new towns because its builders have refrained from chopping down all the original forest cover. Instead, the one-story prefabricated buildings are interspersed in a natural way among the trees.

Aside from the regular school, Severobaikalsk also has a special school of the arts for children aged 7 to 14.

At the special school, apparently an experimental show-piece to test how educational levels can be boosted in Siberian frontier zones, about 120 pupils study music, choreography and painting.

## Kilpatrick...

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sounds like you stepped on the cat, and the third one is closer to a whinny, and if you don't get 'em straight, the Lord help you because the French won't.

"The Italians are just the opposite. We were driving down to Catania the other day and the missus wanted a Coca-Cola to go. We stopped at a place. I looked up the verb in my pocket Berlitz, and asked the feller for a Coke 'andare.' That's to go. He didn't quite get it, so I looked up the words for paper cup and said I wanted the Coke in oona tazza di carta.

"Well, we were working on the problem together. Three or four other fellers come up to the bar, and they all wanted to help. You never saw such waving of hands. Finally one of them holters 'bicchiere.' The bartender caught on. He whips out a can of Coke and a styrofoam cup, we all shake hands, smiling like crazy, and that's the way it's been all over Italy."

Jaytee had formed an opinion of Sicilian women not altogether flattering. Many of them, he said, had legs that would hold up a Steinway and thighs the size of a steamboat round, but he attributed this largely to the mountainous terrain. Most of the country, he said, is 52 degrees off level, and the roads are made of hairpin curves. The women walk up the hills and the men practice grand prix racing on the highways.

Thinking of motoring, Jaytee said he had been interested to learn that Sicily has a law limiting the number of coats of paint on a car to one only. That is because two coats would cause a thousand accidents a month. Sicilian drivers live by a daily challenge, to make three lanes out of two, but they seldom run their toy cars into one another. They just honk and wave their arms.

The Italians are poorer than the French, but they have more fun. Anyhow, this was the way J. Tolliver Spelvin saw it, and while my friend may be innocent, he isn't dumb. "That government is best," he remarked, quoting Jefferson, "which governs least." There's a lot to be said for a country that can go for two months without a government at all.

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helped cause the squeeze also helped cure it, however. As earnings and prices rose, receipts from state income and sales levies also went up, sometimes faster than anticipated.

A growing number of states are setting ceilings on budget increases, linking boosts to growth in personal income.

In addition, many state constitutions forbid deficit spending, meaning the budget must be balanced or show a surplus.

# Ethiopians Advance In Ogaden

By **BRIAN JEFFRIES**  
Associated Press Writer

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — Ethiopian forces, sweeping south through the Ogaden plateau, reported retaking their second town in four days in their counteroffensive to quell the Somali revolt in eastern Ethiopia.

The Ethiopian military command in a broadcast communique said its troops recaptured

the town of Deghabur, 95 miles southeast of the key town of Jijiga, which the Ethiopians regained Sunday.

Western military observers said the Somalis' loss of Jijiga turned the seven-month-old war sharply in Ethiopia's favor.

The Western Somali Liberation Front conceded the loss of Jijiga Wednesday and said its forces retreated "to the mountains and countryside," to continue their fight to annex eastern Ethiopia to neighboring Somalia.

"How long do the Russians and Cubans think they will stay there and defend these towns for the Ethiopians?" asked a spokesman for the Liberation Front in a broadcast from Mogadishu, the capital of Somalia.

Dahir Hussein, Somalia's charge d'affaires in Nairobi, said the Ethiopian assault on Jijiga began with "wave after wave" of planes bombing and strafing the town, followed by armored helicopter transports bringing tanks manned by Russians and Cubans.

He claimed the Somalis were still waging "intensive battle" in the Jijiga area.

Ethiopia said earlier part of its forces were advancing toward the Somalia border 40 miles east of Jijiga, but it has repeatedly denied it has invasion plans.

The recapture of Jijiga, the only sizable town in the Ogaden that was in Somali hands, was Ethiopia's first major victory since its army launched a counteroffensive in January with Soviet and Cuban support.

The Somalis captured Jijiga last September and went to the outskirts of the two other major towns in the area, Direddawa and Harar, but were unable to take them.

A town of about 11,000, Jijiga is at the juncture of roads to Somalia and the southern Ogaden. It commands the eastern entrance to the Kara Mada Pass which connects the highlands of central Ethiopia with the arid, Somali-held plain bordering Somalia.

Native Somali tribesmen supported by Somalia captured 90 percent of the Ogaden last summer, but most of the area is sparsely populated. Ethiopia's counteroffensive started after huge shipments of Soviet weapons and Cuban troops arrived to strengthen the Ethiopian forces. The U.S. government estimates there are 11,000 Cuban troops and 1,000 Soviet technicians in Ethiopia, and Western diplomats in East Africa estimate that thousands of Somalia's regulars are bolstering the Liberation Front.

# Doctors Fought Odds, Miracle Baby Lives On

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The doctors kept telling the parents to give up, that there was no hope. But 9-month-old Steve McLaughlin is now home after three open-heart operations and a long series of complications.

Doctors at Riley Hospital still don't see how he made it. "They call him the miracle baby," said his mother, Vicki McLaughlin. "No baby in any-

one's memory has undergone what he's done and they just can't believe he's survived."

Soon after Steve was born June 3, doctors discovered a heart murmur. He had two holes in his heart and was missing a pulmonary valve.

"They couldn't do anything about it then — he was just too small," said Mrs. McLaughlin.

After 10 days, doctors sent the boy home.

But three months later the infant caught a cold that doctors said threatened his life. When the cold turned into pneumonia, doctors ordered open-heart surgery Oct. 19.

"They patched the holes but couldn't do anything about the pulmonary valve or the artery pressing on his windpipe," said Mrs. McLaughlin.

Then, on Dec. 5, a heart catheterization disclosed that the stitches holding one of the "patches" on the heart had broken and open-heart surgery was scheduled for the next day.

Four days after the second open-heart operation, the boy's kidneys stopped working and doctors gave him two hours to live. An hour and 15 minutes later, they started working again.

But the ordeal wasn't over. Included in the list of medical problems:

—A tube on an artery breaks, causing loss of blood and emergency transfusions.

—A pacemaker breaks down on Dec. 27.

—A fungus invades his bloodstream on Jan. 10.

—His heart stops three times in January.

The third operation came Feb. 24 when doctors gave the 8-pound, 2-ounce boy another pacemaker. It's an adult size and protrudes from his abdomen.

But doctors have said Steve, who went home Tuesday after being hospitalized since Oct. 12, will live to grow up to it.

# Cancer Charge Said Disproven

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Scientists at the University of Kentucky say their research has provided a "successful rebuttal" to the government's contention that a chemical used in growing tobacco causes cancer.

One of the scientists, P.S. Sabharwal, said at a press conference Wednesday that his experiments indicate that cells treated with maleic hydrazide "showed no tendencies toward cancerous conditions."

The Environmental Protection Agency has placed the chemical, used for the past 25 years to control undesirable tobacco leaves known as suckers, on a list of products to be banned unless their manufacturers or other interested parties can prove that they meet EPA standards.

State Agriculture Commissioner Thomas Harris called the scientists' findings a "remarkable breakthrough."

John P. Wyatt, director of the UK Tobacco & Health Research Institute, which sponsored the research, said that informal discussions between UK scientists and EPA officials indicate that the new findings have enhanced the chemical's chances for remaining on the market.

The tobacco institute is financed through a tax on cigarettes sold in Kentucky, the nation's largest producer of burley tobacco.

The UK findings will be presented to EPA formally next month, Wyatt said.

D.L. Davis, a UK agronomist, said Kentucky's tobacco growers would lose \$30 million yearly if they had to substitute less effective chemicals for maleic hydrazide.

Sabharwal, a biologist, said the amount of maleic hydrazide found in cigarette smoke would have to be increased 1,000 times to reach the "minimum toxic level in rat lung cells."

He said that EPA's conclusions on the toxicity of the chemical were based on tests with "unbelievably" high concentrations.

Davis and John M. Patterson, a UK chemist, offered similar rationalizations. Patterson said that all but 1 percent of any maleic hydrazide residue is destroyed when a cigarette is smoked.

## Dissatisfied By Coal Pricing

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Duke Power Co. chairman Carl Horn says the company is not satisfied with the price and production of coal from one of its mining operations, but believes it should be allowed to recover costs by passing them along to consumers.

Horn, chief executive officer of the company, responded Wednesday to a recommendation by the Public Staff of the state Utilities Commission. The Public Staff said Duke Power should not be allowed to increase its fuel-adjustment charge to compensate for the costs of a West Virginia operation.

"We do not believe this will be in the best interest of our customers," Horn said. "Were the commission to follow the Public Staff's recommendation, such action probably would make the coal no longer available to new customers."

## Building Plant In N. Carolina

HENDERSONVILLE, N.C. — (AP) — A Texas plastics company plans to build a \$12-million plant at Fletcher which will initially employ 200 persons.

Dr. Ralph Wilson Jr., president of Ralph Wilson Plastic Co. of Temple, Texas, said Wednesday that within five years the plant will expand to a \$25-million facility, employing more than 600 persons.

The company signed an option for 80 acres in the Cane Creek Industrial Park located approximately halfway between Hendersonville and Asheville, Wilson said.



**AGREEMENT EXPECTED** — Italian Premier-Designate Giulio Andreotti, left background, meets with Communist Party head Enrico Berlinguer, foreground, at Rome's Chigi Palace. Andreotti was expected to reach an agreement on a five-party pact under which the Communist Party would vote a government into office in this NATO country for the first time in 31 years. (AP Laserphoto)

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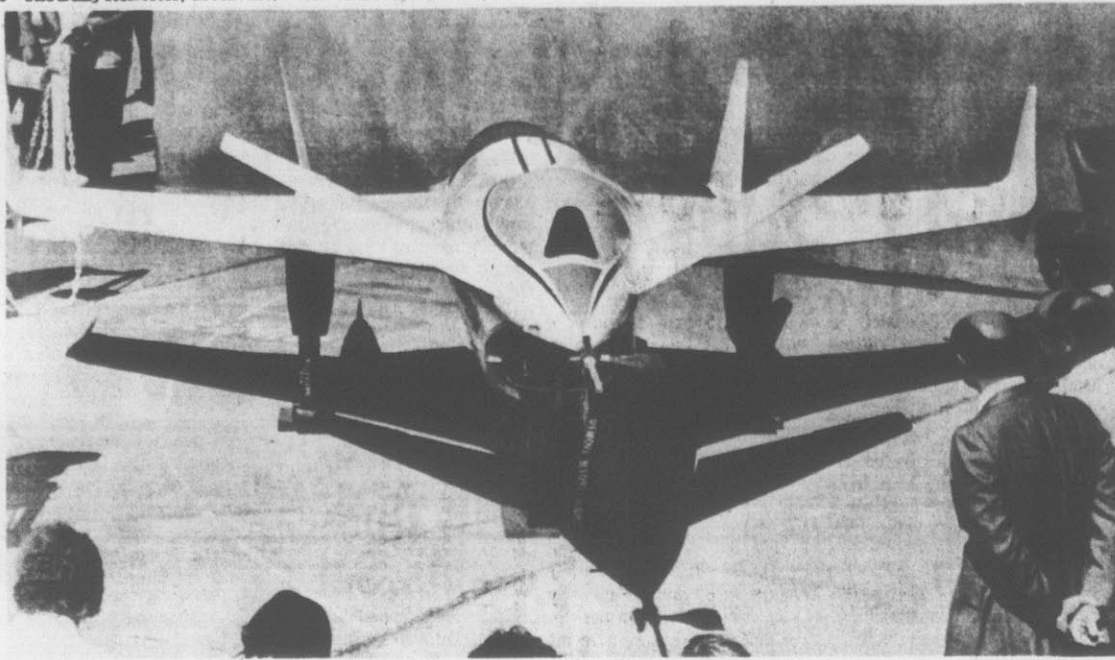
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A LOOK AT THE FUTURE — Rockwell International unveiled their "HIMAT" (Highly Maneuverable Aircraft Technology) research aircraft in Los Angeles this week before a crowd of press and officials. The goal of the "HIMAT" program is to test

aerodynamic technology as a basis for designing fighter aircraft of the 1990s. During tests the pilot will be on the ground seeing out of the "cockpit" with an airborne television camera acting as his eyes. (AP Laserphoto)

## Skyjacker Is Shot, Killed

HONG KONG (AP) — A crewman waving an ax and a pair of scissors tried to hijack a Taiwanese jetliner to mainland China today but a security guard aboard the plane shot and killed him, police said.

The pilot and co-pilot were injured by the crewman, identified as flight engineer Shih Ming-Cheng, 34, before he was shot, police said.

The plane, a Boeing 737 carrying 101 persons from Kaoshiung, Taiwan, to Hong Kong, landed at Hong Kong and the "situation is under control," a government spokesman said.

Both injured crewmen were hospitalized in satisfactory condition.

A relative said the would-be hijacker was a native of Taiwan. It was not immediately known why he was trying to get from the Nationalist Chinese-ruled island to the communist Chinese mainland.

Officials said radar at Hong Kong airport tracking the incoming flight spotted the plane veering slightly off its regular course toward the China mainland when it was about 10 miles from Hong Kong.

The plane was carrying 92 passengers and a crew of nine.

The only American passenger, Hong Kong resident George Whitaker, said there was no panic during the attempted hijack.

Whitaker, from Escalon, Calif., said that when the flight was about 10 minutes from Hong Kong "I heard a number of men kicking about in the cockpit."

He said he then heard a Chinese voice over the loudspeaker.

"Immediately afterwards, I saw one cabinet attendant and another man in civilian clothes storm open the door. Later I saw a man lying on the floor of the cockpit."

Another passenger, Ma Wai-chi of Hong Kong, said he did not know there has been an attempted hijacking until the plane landed. He said he was asleep when a stewardess "asked me to put on a lifejacket. I felt the plane going down and it was rocking violently, but immediately it gained altitude, and before I knew it it had already landed."

A government spokesman said a Nationalist Chinese police delegation will come to Hong Kong to investigate the incident.

A police pathologist was examining the body of the would-be hijacker.

## Fear Foul Play For Missing 5

By JACK SCHREIBMAN  
Associated Press Writer

MARYSVILLE, Calif. (AP) — An intensive hunt through rough, snowy wilderness focuses on five slightly retarded men who vanished without a trace more than a week ago. Officials are beginning to suspect foul play.

"We don't know what happened to them — we've a real mystery on our hands," declared Yuba County Under-sheriff Jack Beecham.

If the missing men, all members of a basketball team, became confused and wandered into the forest, little hope could be held for their survival, said Sheriff Jim Grant.

"It's very heavily forested country, rough and mountainous and rocky," said Beecham. "Some places you can only get in on horseback."

Beecham noted that a study of the personality profiles of the missing men shows their disappearance to be totally out of character. "In fact, as time goes on it looks more and more like foul play," Beecham said.

Teams of deputies from Yuba and adjoining Butte counties, some 150 miles northeast of San Francisco, have been searching the mountains on horseback.

with dogs, in four-wheel drive vehicles and in a helicopter.

The men were to play in a basketball game the night of Feb. 25 at Chico, and return to their homes. But their car was found abandoned the next day some 20 miles east, on a Plumas National Forest road closed farther on by snow.

Grant and Beecham said the men, who live with their families and are part of a program for the mentally handicapped, were reported to be able to function well except if placed in a stressful situation when their behavior tended to "deteriorate."

"We hate to guess what happened to them," said Grant. "They could have stopped to aid somebody, and the people they aided took advantage of them."

The families and friends of the missing men have offered a \$1,215 reward for information on where to find them.

The missing men are Jack Madruga, 30, and Jack Huett, 24, both of Marysville; Ted Weibel, 32, and Gary Mathias, both of Olivehurst; and William Sterling, 29, of Yuba City.

Madruga and Mathias had driver's licenses.

## Tobacco Meeting Set In Whiteville

WHITEVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Tobacco farmers from southeastern counties will gather here Saturday, and their leader says a major topic will be a federal plan to reduce the amount of low-quality down-stalk tobacco on the market.

Edward L. Rivenbark of Taber City, president of the North Carolina Tobacco Producers Association, said the group's major concern at the moment was "this 20 percent over-planting. We think it's a terrible thing."

Under a U.S. Department of Agriculture proposal, farmers would be permitted to plant 120 percent of their acreage allotment under the federal price-support program if they agree to not to harvest the bottom four leaves on the stalks.

Rivenbark said the federal plan for reducing the amount of low-quality tobacco on the market will only make matters worse.

"We anticipate what has hap-

pened in the past," he said. "This tobacco will be sold and find its way to the market."

Rivenbark added that even those farmers who do not sell the lower leaves probably won't leave them on the stalks.

"They'll pull the leaves off the stalk, and that will increase the yield of the plants," Rivenbark said. "So we'll still end up with too much tobacco on the market."

Rivenbark said his association, which is two years old and represents about 5,000 farmers, is attempting to expand its current regional base.

"We have to do it slow, because we don't have the funds," he said. "That's one of the things that will come up at the meeting. We'll be getting a report from a study committee on a referendum and dues checkoff for tobacco farmers to finance the organization. We'd probably get so much per acre or so much per pound, something like that. But we'd need a new state law to do it."

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# Police Report Hoax Led To Arrest In Flynt Case

**By SUE JOHNSON**  
Associated Press Writer  
NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — A junior high school dropout with a record of minor arrests apparently thought he could get some easy reward money when he telephoned Georgia police to tell them he knew something about the shooting of pornography publisher Larry Flynt.

only comment during a brief conversation was "I don't know Larry Flynt. I'm sorry he was shot and all."

Asked whether his story was a lie, Morris said: "Ask my attorney." Anderson said it was.

Why did he do it?

"I'd suppose, in some sort of drunken way, he imagined he might profit financially," said Anderson, adding he was "95 percent certain" that Morris was drunk when he called Georgia.

Morris was taken into custody by Norfolk police at a tavern.

The Gwinnett County commissioners are offering a \$5,000 reward for information leading to the arrest of those responsible for the shooting of Flynt, 34, and his lawyer, Gene Reeves Jr., 47.

Flynt and the attorney were shot Monday outside the Gwinnett County courthouse. Flynt, owner of Hustler magazine, was on trial on charges of distributing obscene material.

Flynt, still in critical condition, was transferred from But-

ton Gwinnett Hospital to Emory University Hospital in Atlanta Wednesday. Dr. George Tindall, a neurosurgeon, said Flynt would be operated on today at 8 a.m. for removal of "debris and broken bones" caused by the bullet lodged near his spine.

Reeves was listed in satisfactory condition Wednesday night in Button Gwinnett Hospital. Anderson said Georgia authorities suspected Morris' story was a hoax even before they arrived here early Wednesday. But, he added, they thought they had a responsibility to check all leads in the case.

Gwinnett County Deputy Police Chief Larry Puckett said one reason Morris was arrested was that Morris had called police with information which they believed only the assailant could have.

"I know a lot of people are using the word 'over-reaction,'" Puckett said. "But we had more to go on than somebody just calling up and saying old Teddy did it."

"He gave us information that — at the time — we felt was

extremely valid and extremely restrictive."

Among the information Morris volunteered, Puckett said, were the caliber and make of the gun believed used in the attack.

"We later found out it wasn't so restrictive," Puckett added.

Several sources have speculated they'll lose thousands of dollars a day in advertising and probably some viewers as well.

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"Our radio station will continue to broadcast regardless,"

## Blackouts Pose Losses For TV

**By DAVID TOMLIN**  
Associated Press Writer  
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which energy officials say the stations are likely to have little choice.

"We're talking very comfortably in the thousands of dollars a day," said Alexander. "But the first digit will be determined by the time of day."

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Gwinnett County police issued warrants Tuesday night for Morris' arrest on two charges of aggravated assault with intent to kill. The warrants were issued about two hours after Morris called them to say he knew someone who had shot a man for \$1,500, police said.

Morris was held here on \$250,000 bond until his release Wednesday afternoon after he "admitted it was all a hoax" during questioning by Gwinnett County investigators, said Gwinnett police Capt. B.H. Blannott.

Morris dropped out of sight shortly after his release. His

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**STANDING GUARD** — Danny Strain, a member of the Fugeros Motorcycle Club in Middletown, Ohio, stands guard at the gate of Paramount Coal Company's Josephine No. 1 Coal Mine near Norton, Va., Danny and some other members of the club are paid fifty dollars a day. (AP Laserphoto)

## Week Of Revival Begins Monday

**KINSTON** — The House of Faith Holiness Church will hold a week-long revival beginning Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Speakers will be Elder Louise Swinson and Elder Gladys Wellon of Kinston. The church is located on Cunningham Road. Pastor Elder Lucille Shoney invites the public to attend.

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# One Of The Last Private Banks

By K. MACK SISK  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas (UPI) — A local bank has no deposit insurance, no federal reserve membership, is not incorporated and is not audited or regulated by the federal government or the State of Texas. It does not solicit accounts, has few modern conveniences and its senior partner admits it does not have much of a future. "Moribund," is the way he described his own institution. He also said it is trusted and respected. "I guess you could take the money and go gamble it off in Las Vegas and there wouldn't be a law that could touch you," said Dan Oppenheimer, "pushing 70" and the last Oppenheimer who will head the 120-year-old D&A Oppenheimer Bank, (unincorporated). Oppenheimer, a 1929 graduate of Yale University, said three

generations of his family operated the bank which is still run on the same personal basis that it was at the turn of the century. When he retires — and he has set no date — the bank will be liquidated because he said he would not trust the family name to someone else. The Oppenheimer Bank, now located on the 11th floor of the modern Alamo Bank Building, is one of only 14 private banks left in the United States. Four of the private banks are in Texas, operating under a "grandfather clause" in the law which abolished formation of private banks in Texas after 1921. The 10 private banks remaining in Iowa, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and New York, however, are regulated under state banking laws and the others in Texas voluntarily publish statements, although

Texas law does not require it. Integrity has been the only limitation on how much money the bank could loan through the years and Oppenheimer said he is proud of the institution's record. He does not remember a single involuntary foreclosure by the bank, although some customers during the Great Depression voluntarily turned in their collateral to the bank because they could not make ends meet. "If we didn't trust a man, we wouldn't lend him our money," he said. But the bank still is financially sound and has depositors numbering "less than 2,000," most of whom allow the bank's nine employees to handle all their banking transactions and some

of whom have more than \$1 million in business. Most of the customers are longtime friends and acquaintances of the Oppenheimer family. Oppenheimer has sat in the same chair at the same desk since he joined the bank 47 years ago. He makes loan decisions without advice from a loan board or anyone else. He became senior partner when his uncle, Jesse D. Oppenheimer, died at age 94 in 1964 after working in the bank since 1886. D&A Oppenheimer was founded at Rusk, Texas, in 1858 by merchants Dan Oppenheimer, the current senior partner's grandfather, and his brother, Anton, German Jewish immigrants. The partnership moved to San Antonio after the brothers returned from the

Civil War. Since then the Oppenheimers continuously have helped finance ranching and other interests in South Texas, all in a very casual manner and mostly on trust between the banker and customer. They have survived panic, collapse of wool and cattle prices and the Great Depression. "Just day before yesterday I loaned a guy a 100 percent loan to buy a piano because he loved music," Oppenheimer smiled, "and he impressed me as a good citizen-type. I once loaned a man money to buy an organ and its pleasure probably prolonged his life. Besides that, he paid the loan." But Oppenheimer said when he retires, there is no other Oppenheimer interested in picking up the mantle just to preserve the history of the bank. "I believe that the (private banking) system itself is outmoded, moribund, too personalized," he said. "Our loss ratio is very, very embarrassingly small. It has been said if you have no losses, you're not aggressive enough." Oppenheimer said he had many offers to sell the bank for "a lot of money." His answer: "You couldn't buy it without buying the name. I would be afraid of the misuse of the freedom of action. I want the name to finish as good as it started."

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## Representing N.C. At Meet

Representing North Carolina as its 1978 Pork All-American at the American Pork Congress this week is John F. Singleton of Pitt County.

The Congress is being held in Kansas City, Mo., with attendance expected to be more than 14,000.

Singleton, accompanied by his wife, Linda, was selected as a Pork All-American by the N. C. Pork Producers Association "for his ability as an efficient, innovative pork producer and for his contributions to the community and pork industry."

The Singleton farm, Sandy Acres, is located in the Clark's Neck community of Pitt County. According to Michael E. Regans, Associate Agricultural Extension Agent for Pitt County, he began his hog operation in 1966 with five sows. Today the herd has increased to 150 sows, divided into five groups with a

group farrowing each month. Managements includes performance testing breeding stock, total confinement buildings and an efficient waste management system.

Singleton serves as chief of the Clark's Neck Volunteer Fire Department, which he was instrumental in establishing; is a deacon of the Riverview Baptist Church, is a director of the Pitt County Farm Bureau; is president of the Pitt County Livestock Development Association; is a member of the Pactorus Ruritan Club; and a leader of the Clark's Neck 4-H Club. In 1977 his family was named N. C. FHA Farm Family of the Year.

Singleton and other Pork All-Americans, a total of 34, will be recognized during activities at the American Pork Congress. A slide presentation of each one's hog operation will be shown.

## Syndicate Rule In Smuggling Denied

WASHINGTON (AP) — The name of one of North Carolina's major cigarette distributors surfaced briefly Wednesday during hearings on allegations that crime syndicates are linked to cigarette smuggling.

U.S. Rep. John Conyers, D-Michigan, chairman of a House crime subcommittee, said during a hearing that investigators have told his subcommittee that Southern Wholesale Co. Inc. of Goldsboro is linked with crime syndicates.

Contacted in Goldsboro, Southern Executive Vice President Lee Bryan commented, "I don't understand how anyone

could bring up a statement like that...I've listened to all this silly talk about the mafia and gangsters long enough."

Bryan told The Charlotte Observer he would "love" to testify before Conyers' subcommittee because, "this organized-crime insinuation just won't hold water."

Bryan, 30, said he and Southern President Paul Vinson, 40, both Goldsboro natives, are the sole shareholders in the corporation, with Vinson holding majority stock.

He said Southern sold about \$26 million worth of cigarettes in 1977, making it North Carolina's largest cigarette distributor. Bryan also said he believes most cigarette smuggling from North Carolina, which has a low tobacco tax, to states such as New York, where taxes are high, is done by tourists.

Conyers, when pressed for details by a Charlotte Observer reporter after the hearing Wednesday, said his sources about Southern included police in New York City, but he would not identify the investigators who made the charges. Conyers and his staff lawyer said he did not know how investigators arrived at such statements about Southern.

### EDUCATOR DIES

NEW YORK (AP) — Henry Merritt Wriston, president of Brown University from 1937 to 1955 and former president of the Council on Foreign Relations, died Wednesday at the age of 88.

## More See Martin Commissioners Accept Bids On Center

WILLIAMSTON — At the March meeting of the Martin County Board of Commissioners, the body acted to accept a low bid of \$23,640 submitted by Charlie Whichard of Rt. 3, Williamston, for improvements at the Williamston-Martin County Senior Citizens Center.

The board also agreed to look into improving the kitchen portion of the old Martin General Hospital building which is being used by the Martin County

Health Department. With improvements, the area could be used to conduct a new program of speech and hearing clinics and could also house future staff additions.

The Health Department has \$10,000 which can be used for this purpose, but is seeking to have the work done from the county budget rather than from the \$10,000 funds.

After concluding there is no basic conflict in the overlap of the building's use by both the Senior Citizens Group and the Health Department, the board

instructed the county Finance Officer, Donnie Pittman, to advertise for bids for the renovation and also for paving work

needed in parking lots.

After hearing a report from Martin County Sheriff Raymond Rawls that repairs were needed to the county jail, the board agreed to take some action in this regard.

A request that Talbert, Cox and Associates be named as consulting engineers on a construction project for a proposed new hangar at the county airport is

### CORRECTION

The inclusion of the Monday, March 13 faculty recital of David Hawkins as an integral part of the ECU Music Festival for 1978, noted in Wednesday's paper, is incorrect.

Hawkins' recital is not part of the three chamber music events scheduled for the festival.

## Robbery Plans All Turn Sour

CLEVELAND (AP) — It was all going so smoothly. A would-be robber paid his fare to board a Cleveland bus, took out his .32-caliber revolver, and ordered the passengers to turn over all their money.

But every one of the riders — and even the driver — said they were broke.

The gunman, apparently angry at finding a bus full of indigents, fired a shot at the back of the bus, then hit a passenger on the head with the gun.

True to his luck, the gun fell apart. The cylinder fell out and clattered along the bus floor.

The man ran off, and police said they were searching for him.

The passenger who was conked was not seriously hurt.

"When we started this I felt as if I were embarking on a grand experiment," said Simmons, 39.

The Simmonses meet almost every weekend — occasionally in Washington, but usually at their home in Amherst.

"If you only have weekends together, you don't let the little things bother you," said Mrs. Simmons, 35.

When there are children in the family, having both spouses at home can become almost a mini-vacation.

"Last night, for instance, our 1-year-old daughter was sick," said Mrs. Simmons. "So John spent half the night up with her, and I spent the other half."

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SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A San Francisco artist wants to turn an area along the city's Mission Street into a giant guitar.

Terry Fox's idea is to stretch piano wires nearly a city block across the rubble-strewn basements of razed buildings, then strum them with mallets.

"The sound emitted by the instrument will coincide both in volume and in rhythm with the normal sounds of the street," said the 34-year-old Fox.

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# Nuclear Leak Proof Of Safety?

By STEPHAN KETELE  
TIHANGE, Belgium (UPI) — When a tiny amount of radiation leaked from the nuclear reactor at Tihange, it was dismissed by the plant management as a "banal" incident that would soon be forgotten.

But the news that "leaked" a few days later provided ammunition for environmentalists and put Tihange in the center of the controversy about nuclear safety.

What did happen that winter night of Jan. 13? According to plant director Louis Maesen, sensitive instruments detected a small leak of radioactive iodine-131 as the reactor was being cooled with water in preparation for the annual replacement of a third of the nuclear core.

Eighty-one workers were checked for exposure, and released. Six were given more extensive checks and found to have been exposed to 1 percent of the radiation they would have absorbed in a routine medical examination of the thyroid gland.

And that, as far as management was concerned, was that. Not so for local supporters of the Friends of the Earth, an international environmental group that is foremost in the struggle to halt the spread of nuclear energy in Europe.

chapter at nearby Huy issued a communique Jan. 23 alleging a "grave incident" had occurred at Tihange.

It said 80 men had worked the day after the mishap, Jan. 14, in an atmosphere containing 900 times the allowable concentration of iodine-131.

The report coincided with the start of a Common Market hearing on nuclear safety. And for a while, Tihange shared headlines with a Soviet nuclear-powered spy satellite that plunged into a Canadian wasteland.

Because of the controversy, the plant's management decided to invite a group of reporters into a reactor building for the first time in the history of nuclear energy in Belgium.

Fitted out in heavy paper coveralls and peering warily at radioactive fuel rods that glowed with an eerie purplish light under a protective tankful of blue water, the reporters were told about a complex series of safety measures aimed at stopping "incidents" from turning into "accidents."

Officials say what happened Jan. 13 was proof the safety checks were working correctly.

"It is grotesque to talk about an accident," said Robert van den Damme, director of the firm managing Tihange. "There was a slight mishap of a strictly technical nature."

Freddy Chabot, 50, a member

of the Friends of the Earth, said, "I am not a radiation expert. Our communique was based on information from someone who works at the plant. We have no means of checking independently."

The communique alleged that water contaminated with radioactivity sloshed through two floors of the plant during a cooling operation.

"It's a funny situation in which those who derive profit from the operation of the reactor should also be the only judges of its inherent dangers," said Chabot, a chemist by training.

"The least one can suspect is a powerful inclination on their part to let the show go on."

Van Den Damme said the law does not provide for a permanent outside control of the safety in nuclear plants.

"If the authorities wanted to

station representatives in every plant to keep check over everything that goes on, we would gladly oblige. In fact, we would welcome their assistance," he said.

Chabot said secrecy surrounds everything that goes on at the reactor, an architectural nightmare built in a suburb two miles from the center of Huy, a quaint and ancient town of 15,000.

"It's powerfully irritating," he said. "If everything is above board, why the need to hide things?"

A second reactor is being built at Tihange, a joint Belgian and French project on the Meuse River between Namur and Liege. A third reactor is planned for the future.

"We don't want such an expansion here," Chabot said. "The least the planners could do is allow a referendum. A

nuclear plant in your neighborhood is a formidable challenge on your life."

The Tihange management company says about 70,000 people live within six miles of the plant.

Van Den Damme said the possibility of multiple safety systems failing and allowing radiation to affect the 70,000 people who live within six miles of the plant was as remote as a meteorite falling on a densely populated city.

But Chabot and his friends in the Friends of the Earth said they were unconvinced.

"Nuclear plants are big money and that's the reason why they cannot be stopped," he said. "But this does not mean we do not keep a watchful eye on them. And the accident at Tihange gives us ample proof there is plenty to watch."

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## Three Injured In Accidents

Three persons were reported injured and an estimated \$4,375 property damage caused in three collisions investigated by Greenville Police yesterday.

Heaviest damage resulted from a 6:41 p.m. mishap at the intersection of Greenville Boulevard and Elm Street, officers reported, involving cars

driven by Rebecca Ruth Leith of 207 South Warren St., and Judy Gail McConnell of Aurora.

Investigators, who charged Miss McConnell with failing to stop for a stop light, reported she and a passenger in her car were injured.

Damage was estimated at \$1,200 to the Leith car and \$1,500 to the McConnell vehicle.

Clara Leggett Anderson of 1307B East Second St. was charged with operating left of center following investigation of an 8:25 a.m. mishap on Elm Street, 50 feet South of the Second Street intersection.

Police, who reported a passenger in the Anderson car was injured, identified the driver of the second car involved as Phillip Columbus Perkins of Route 5, Greenville.

Damage was set at \$375 to the Perkins car and \$825 to the Anderson auto.

A 12:05 p.m. collision on Greenville Boulevard 50 feet East of the Hooker Road intersection involved cars driven by Kathrine Wells McKeel of 126 Bunch La., and Lois Bullock Narron of 220 Churchill Dr.

Police estimated damage at \$200 to the McKeel vehicle and \$275 to the Narron car.

### Registration

#### Set March 20

Pre-school registration will be held at Chicod Elementary School on Monday, March 20, from 9:30 a.m. until noon in the school media center.

Parents with pre-school children who will be five years old by Oct. 16 are asked to come and register their children for kindergarten. The child does not need to come.

Parents should bring birth certificate and immunization records. Parents who are not able to come may visit the school anytime after March 20 and bring the requested information.

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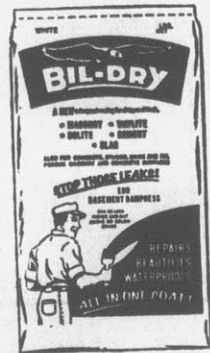
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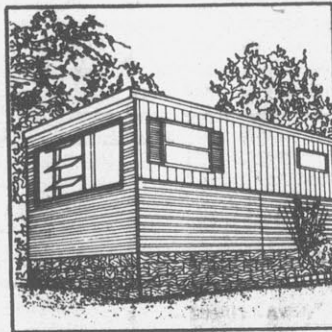
1978. The entry drawn by each store will be sent to company headquarters, where on March 20, 1978, the winning entry will be drawn. You must be 18 or older to enter, and need not be present to win. Winner will be notified. Void where prohibited by law. Employees of Lowe's Companies, Inc. and its subsidiaries and their families are ineligible. Deadline for entry is March 18, 1978, so enter now — you may be a Super Winner! No purchase is necessary.



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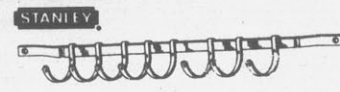
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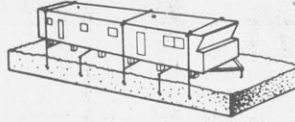
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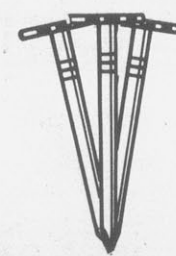
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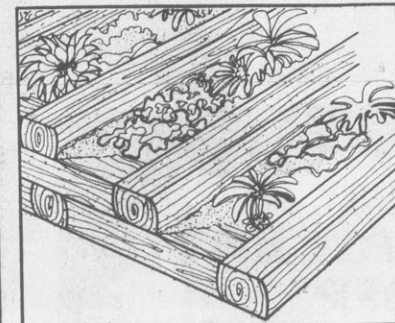
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# Stock And Market Reports

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — Cattle Auctions: Greensboro, 572 head of cattle and 205 hogs. Slaughter cows: Utility and Commercial 30.25-35; Canner and Cutter 25-31.50; Vealers (150-250) Choice 64.70, Good 51.50-63; Calves (250-325) Good 44-54; Calves (325-550) Good 40.50-42.50; Heifers (700 up) Few Good 36.50-39.25; Feeder Steers (600-800) Good 40.25-44; Feeder Heifers (400-500) Good 39-42.50; Feeder Bulls (300-500) Good 43.50-53.50; Swine (180-240) 47; Sows (300-600) 31-43.75.

Rocky Mount, 740 head of cattle and 1,219 hogs. Slaughter cows: Utility and Commercial 32-36; Canner and Cutter 26.50-34.50; Vealers (150-250) Good 55-60; Calves (325-550) Good 39.50-41; Steers (800 up) Good 43-45.25; Heifers (700 up) Good 38.50-43.75; Bulls (1000 up) Utility and Commercial 37.50-41; Feeder Steers (600-800) Good 44-46.75; Feeder Heifers (300-500) Good 38.50-41.50; Feeder Bulls (300-500) Good 44-53; Swine (180-240) 47.60-48.80; Sows (300-600) 35-38.40.

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — N.C. Egg Market: unchanged. Weighted average price for sales of consumer grade A white cartoned eggs delivered to nearby retail stores: Large 65.22 cents per dozen; Medium 60.75; Small 42.96.

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — New York Eggs — Market trade sentiment generally steady. Cartoned egg demand about moderate. Prices to retailers — Sales to volume buyers consumer grade A cartoned eggs delivered store door: Extra Large 61-63; Large 60-62; Medium 55-57.

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — Feeder pigs Dunn, 786 head, 40-50 lbs No.1s and 2s 110.00 per cwt. No.3s 98.00; 50-60 lbs No.1s and 2s 105.25, No.3s 91.75; 60-70 lbs No.1s and 2s 90.00, No.3s 80.25.

Hillsborough, 635 head, 40-50 lbs No.1s and 2s 104.75 per cwt. No.3s 93.25; 50-60 lbs No.1s and 2s 99.25, No.3s 86.25; 60-70 lbs No.1s and 2s 85.25, No.3s 73.25.

Mount Olive, 1,554 head, 40-50 lbs No.1 and 2s 106.25, No.3s 97.00; 50-60 lbs No.1s and 2s 105.25, No.3s 87.75; 60-70 lbs No.1s and 2s 89.50, No.3s 78.75.

Monroe, 1,173 head, 40-50 lbs No.1s and 2s 112.00, No.3s 91.75; 50-60 lbs No.1s and 2s 101.00, No.3s 84.50; 60-70 lbs No.1s and 2s 86.75; No.3s 70.00.

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — State Farmers Market: (Wholesale prices). Apples, tray pack cartons 8-12.75; Snap beans, bushels 15.25-17; Cabbage, 50 lb bags 5.50-6; Collards, bushel 4.50-6.50; Corn, crates 7.50-9; Cucumbers, bushels 16-17.50;

Oranges, / cartons 5.75-6.25; Grapefruits, cartons 3.75-5; Greens, bushels 6-6.25; Lettuce, cartons 6.25-6.50; Peppers, bushels 7-9; Irish Potatoes, 50 lbs 3-4.25.

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

Burroughs	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
United Telecommunications	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Heubron	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Jeff Pilot	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Tri South	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Wicks	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Wachovia Realty	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Eckerd	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Central Soya	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Hardco	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Intecon	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Fidelity	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Mattress Income	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Vesco	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2

**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — The North Carolina hog market was irregular today. Rocky Mount, 47,00-47.50; Wilson, 48.25; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Chadbourn, Ayden, Pine Level, Laurinburg and Benson, 48.00; Tarboro and Bethel, 45.00-45.50; Salisbury, 44.00; Spivey's Corner, 46.50-47.50.

**Poultry**  
**RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA)** — The trend on the North Carolina f.o.b. dock broiler market was firm for next week, supplies moderate, demand very good, weights desirable but trending heavier. The dock weighted average price is 39.45 for this week. Estimated slaughter today 1,321,000.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Stock prices were mixed today in the face of some negative inflation news.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, up 8.15 points in the last two sessions, was off 1.13 at 749.74 at noon today.

Gainers held a 3-2 edge on losers among New York Stock Exchange-listed issues after leading by better than 2 to 1 earlier.

Analysts have attributed the market's recent strength to technical forces after the sharp decline of January and February, when the Dow fell 89 points.

"The market apparently found support at around the 740 level of the Dow," said Newton Zinder at E.F. Hutton & Co.

The news background, meanwhile, remained largely negative. The government reported today that prices received by manufacturers for finished goods climbed at a 13.2 percent annual rate in February.

American Telephone & Telegraph, which forecast "another good year" earlier in the week, rose 1/4 to 60 1/2, in active trading.

The NYSE's composite index of more than 1,500 common stocks slipped .03 to 48.84. On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index gained .15 to 124.12.

Volume on the Big Board came to 9.53 million shares at noon, against 8.99 million at the same point on Wednesday.

**NEW YORK (AP)** Midday stocks

High	Low	Last
Abbott Labs	53	52 1/2
Akzona	11 1/2	11 1/2
Altria Chalm	24 1/2	24 1/2
Alcoa	39 1/2	39 1/2
Am Arlin	9 1/2	9 1/2
Am Baker	15 1/2	15 1/2
Am Brands	46	45 1/2
Amer Can	35 1/2	35 1/2
Am Cyan	23	22 1/2
Am Motors	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am Stand	34 1/2	34 1/2
Am T	60 1/2	60 1/2
Batco Wil	58	57 1/2
Beat Food	22 1/2	22 1/2
Beth Steel	21 1/2	21 1/2
Borning	33 1/2	33 1/2
Borden	28 1/2	28 1/2
Burl Ind	20	19 1/2
CaroPwL	22	22
Celanese	36 1/2	36 1/2

# Arrest Man In Shooting

**WILLIAMSTON** — A 23-year old male, Jerry Smith, was arrested in Hampton, Virginia Wednesday afternoon in connection with the March 4 shooting of a man and attempted robbery in the Martin County town of Jamesville.

Smith was arrested at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday by the Fugitive Squad of the Hampton Police Department. He has been charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill resulting in serious bodily injury. He will also be charged with armed robbery. Smith is a native of the Jamesville area.

Smith is being arraigned in Hampton today, and anticipated bond is \$50,000. It was not known this morning whether he will fight extradition.

The victim of the Saturday assault and attempted robbery, James Dawson Rogerson, is in reportedly stable condition, with treatment being carried out to remove additional shot gun pellets from his face and shoulders.

Cent Soya	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Champ Int	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cheslic Sys	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Chrysler	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
CocaCola	37 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Cold Palm	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Come Edis	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Conti Group	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Delta AirL	37 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
DowChem	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
DuPont	101 1/2	100 1/2	101
Duke Pow	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Dynma Ind	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
EastAirl	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
East Kodak	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
East Corp	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Esmark	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Exon	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Firdisco	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
FilaPowL	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Fla Pow	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Formalol	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Ford	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Fuqua Ind	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Gen Dynam	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Gen Elec	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Gen Food	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen Mills	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen Motors	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
GenTelE	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
GracCo	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Goodyear	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Goodrich	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Greystone	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Gulf Oil	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Hercule Inc	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Honeywell	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
IBM	247 1/2	245 1/2	245 1/2
Int Harv	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Int Paper	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Int Rech	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
IntTelTel	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
K mart	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Kaiser Alum	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Kraftinc	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Kroger Co	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Loxret Grp	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Lockheed	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Loews Corp	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Magnac	19 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Meat Corp	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
MunMM	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Mobil	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Monanto	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Nabisco	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Naf Distill	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
QuintCo	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
PepsiCo	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Pet Inc	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Phillip Morr	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
PhillipsPet	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Polaroid	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Polaroid	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Purcamb	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Quaker Oat	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
RCA	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
RaisinPur	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Republic Sst	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Revlon	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Reynold Ind	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Rockwell Int	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Rockwell	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Scienc Pap	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Scott Paper	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Sealed Lin	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
SealedPow	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
SoarsRd	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Skyline Cp	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Sony Corp	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Southern Co	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
South Ry	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Sperry Rand	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Std Brands	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Std Oil Cal	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Std Oil Ind	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Stevens JP	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Texasco Inc	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
TEKInst	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Texaco Int	16 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
UMC Ind	16 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Un Camp	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Un Carbide	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Un Oil Cal	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Unroyal	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
US Steel	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Wachov Cp	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Westah EI	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Weyerhae	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Winn Dixie	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Woodworth	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Xerox Cp	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2

**CORRECTION**

An article in yesterday's **Daily Reflector** stated that the spring elections could be held up by the disputed school line in Lake Ellsworth subdivision.

According to the Board of Elections, elections will be held as planned unless there is a court injunction.

# Obituary Column

**Anderson**  
Abraham Anderson died at his home in Greenville Sunday. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at Flanagan Funeral Chapel with the Rev. David Hammond officiating. Burial will follow in the White Oak Cemetery.

Mr. Anderson was a native of Pitt County and spent most of his life in the Simpson Community. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Retha Evans Anderson of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Louise Payton of Winterville, and Mrs. Mary Anderson of the home; one son, Joe Anderson of Greenville; two brothers, Joe Anderson and Heziah Anderson, both of Greenville; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Moore of Greenville, and Mrs. Dora Stancil of Greenville; six grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Visitation will be Friday from 8-9 p.m. at the Chapel.

**Barrett**  
**WINTERVILLE** — Charlie Gray Barrett of Winterville died at his home Saturday.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Norcott & Co. Chapel of Loving Memories in Greenville with the Elder J.L. Wilson officiating. Burial will follow in the Branches Cemetery.

Mr. Barrett was the son of Mrs. Sarah Joyner Barrett and the late Willie Barrett Sr. He was born and reared in the Farmville Community of Pitt County but had made his home in and near Winterville for the past 12 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret Harris Barrett of Greenville; three sons, Charlie Gray Barrett Jr., Curtis Ray Barrett, both of Richmond, Va., and Gary Anthony Barrett of Greenville; one step-son, Robert Lee Harris of Greenville; two daughters, Misses Mary Alice and Linda Kay Barrett, both of Greenville; one step-daughter, Miss Theresa Ann Harris of Greenville; his mother, Mrs. Sarah Joyner Barrett of the home; four brothers, James Roosevelt, John Morris, and Corris D. Barrett, all of the home, and Willie Barrett Jr. of Ayden; five sisters, Alice B. Carter of the home, Nancy B. Little of Belvoir, Mrs. Martha B. Perkins, and Mrs. Carolyn B. Dudley, both of Greenville, and Mrs. Mary B. Perkins of Newark, N.J.; and two grandchildren.

The body will be in the Gold Room of Norcott & Co. Funeral Home in Greenville from 6 p.m. Friday until the hour of the funeral. Family visitation at the Chapel of Loving Memories will be from 8-9 p.m. Friday.

**Green**  
Funeral services for Mr. Jake Green will be conducted Saturday at 3 p.m. at Sweet Hope Church in Winterville by the Rev. W. J. Best. Burial will be in the Church Cemetery.

Mr. Green was born and reared in Pitt County and was self-employed in the building demolition business. Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Rosa Green of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Annie Rountree of Greenville; a foster daughter, Mrs. Helen Parker of Washington, D.C.; two brothers, Claude Green and Willie Daniels, both of Greenville; two

sisters, Mrs. Jennie Boyd of Long Island, N. Y. and Mrs. Bell Burney of Simpson; and seven grandchildren. Family visitation will be held from 8:15 to 9:15 p.m. Friday at Phillips Brothers Mortuary.

**Phillips**  
**FARMVILLE** — Funeral services for Johnnie Melvin Phillips who died Tuesday in Stanford, Conn., will be conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. from the Mount Maria Holiness Church with the Rev. Ortha Hayes officiating. Burial will follow in the Sunset Memorial Park.

Johnnie was a student at the River Banks School. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Mildred L. Joyner Phillips of Stanford, Conn.; his father, Johnnie Gorham of Farmville; three sisters, Phyllis, Janette, and Shantel Phillips, all of the home; four brothers, Ronnie R., Edward E., Anthony T., and Jerome Phillips, all of the home; two grandmothers, Mrs. Effie Carr Joyner and Mrs. Lizzie Suggs Gorham, both of Farmville. The body will be at Joyner's Mortuary after 6 p.m. Friday. Visitation will be Friday from 7-8 p.m. The family will meet at the home of Mrs. Effie Carr Joyner, 506 South Barrett Street in Farmville.

**Stewart**  
**NEWARK, N.J.** — Jasper Cleveland Stewart, of 95 Ridgeway Street, Newark, N.J., formerly of Kinston, died Tuesday at his home.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Mt. Olive Baptist Church in Newark with his pastor, the Rev. R.P. Derricotte officiating. Burial will follow in New Jersey Cemetery.

Mr. Stewart was the son of Elmer and Mrs. Ruth Stewart. He was born and reared in Kinston but had made his home in Newark for the past 20 years. He was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Newark.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Zora Shaw Stewart of the home; two sons, Jasper C. Stewart of the home, and Angelo Stewart of Fayetteville; one daughter, Miss Wanda R. Stewart of the home; his parents, Elmer and Ruth West Stewart of Kinston; one sister, Ms. Orgenel Stewart of Newark; three brothers, Elmer Stewart Jr., Harvey L. Stewart, and James W. Stewart, all of Newark; and one grandchild. Messages of sympathy may be sent to 95 Ridgeway Street, Newark, N.J., 07108.

**Whitehurst**  
Funeral services for Mr. Zeno Whitehurst Sr. will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. at Phillips Brothers Mortuary by the Rev. David Hammond. Burial will be in Brown Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Whitehurst was born and reared in Pitt County and was a member of the Holly Hill FWB Church. Surviving him are two daughters, Mrs. Mary Wiggins and Mrs. Ethel Daniels, both of Greenville; five sons, Lonnie, Zeno Jr., Leroy, and Savial Whitehurst, all of Greenville, and William Whitehurst of Durham; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Moore of Washington, D. C. and Mrs. Daisy Corbett of Baltimore, Md.; 24 grandchildren and 27 great grand-

# OK Salary Supplement For Martin Teachers

**WILLIAMSTON** — Members of the Martin County Board of Education at their March meeting took action to vote a three per cent salary supplement increase to be entered into the 1978-79 school budget.

The increase will apply in the initial stage only to tenured teachers, and will not be applicable to supervisors, the superintendent, central staff office members, or probationary teachers. This action follows an earlier request by a group of teachers for such a local salary supplement increase and has been under board consideration for several months.

**Radiologist To Be Recognized**  
**CHICAGO** — Dr. Robert W. McConnell of Rt. 9, Box 484, Greenville, will be cited for distinguished medical achievements by being named a Fellow of the American College of Radiology.

The College, a professional medical society representing about 12,000 physicians who specialize in radiology, will award Dr. McConnell a certificate of Fellowship during its annual meeting and Convocation in San Diego, April 11.

Dr. McConnell, who was born in Fort Blackmore, Va., is affiliated with Eastern Radiologists, Inc. and Pitt County Memorial Hospital, both in Greenville, and Washington County Hospital, Plymouth.

He is a 1959 graduate of the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond.

The family visitation will be held at Phillips Brothers Mortuary Friday from 7 to 8 p.m. The family will be at the home of Mrs. Mary Wiggins.

Confirmation was made that a three year extension of a Rockefeller grant in the amount of \$300,000 has been awarded to the school systems for the six county Alliance for Progress area, of which Martin County is a member. This is a study grant provided to explore classification of the roles of board members, central staff personnel and other school personnel.

Approval was given by the board on sale of the five acre property of the old Everetts School site for an amount of \$26,000. Also, the sale of all except one building on land acquired for the East End School in Robersonville has been completed.


A status report on Phase II of the athletic facility at Roanoke High School was reviewed with the school architect. A figure of approximately \$195,000 to \$200,000 has been set for work to be done in phase Phase II.

The board is taking under study a policy that would apply to the admittance into public schools of students whose parents or guardians are out-of-state residents. The policy being considered would make such a student ineligible to be enrolled in the county schools.

Two East Carolina University faculty members were recognized as being consultants to two county schools now undergoing accreditation evaluation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Dr. Keith Hudson is serving as consultant for Roanoke High School, and Dr. Maylan McDonald is the Jamesville School consultant.

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## State, Gamecocks Collide On Friday

By KEVIN MCKENNA  
Associated Press Writer

Two of college basketball's winningest coaches will square off Friday night when South Carolina visits North Carolina State in the National Invitation Tournament, and the styles of the two old foes could not be more different.

N.C. State coach Norm Sloan characterized his opposite number, Frank McGuire, as an "Eastern-style coach" — which, to Sloan's way of thinking, means the Gamecocks "are very deliberate, very patient, and they make few mistakes."

McGuire, meanwhile, said his team would try to "dictate the tempo" in Friday night's game. "Anyone in basketball knows

you can't run with Norm's team," McGuire said. "If they get us to run, we might as well stay in Columbia."

The opening-round NIT contest will be the first meeting between the two coaches since South Carolina left the Atlantic Coast Conference in 1971.

In Raleigh, the game is being billed as a homecoming of sorts for McGuire, who was at nearby North Carolina for nine of his 28 years as a head coach.

"Frank still has magic connected with his name," said Sloan. "I can appreciate all the interest in his coming back."

For his part, McGuire took an opportunity to describe his team's "controlled offense" and poke fun at his old school in the same breath.

"It's not the four corners,"

he said. "Everybody in Chapel Hill has a square head from looking at the four corners."

But McGuire made it clear that he longs to see his school back in the ACC.

"I've been breaking my back

since the (Gamecock) football people took us out of the ACC," he said. "We want to be back. The ACC is the only place for this university to be."

While N.C. State was preparing for its NIT opener, Vir-

ginia was eliminated from the tournament Wednesday night by Georgetown in overtime, 70-

68.

Meanwhile, two other ACC teams, eighth-ranked Duke and

11th-ranked North Carolina, were getting ready for the first round of the NCAA playoffs.

Duke coach Bill Foster said two of his starters, guard John Harrell and freshman forward Kenny Dennard, suffered sprained ankles in practice Tuesday, but he expected both to be ready Sunday to face Rhode Island in Charlotte.

Foster said he still doesn't know much about the Rams. "So it will be important for us to go out and play our game and not worry about what Rhode Island is going to do," he said.

North Carolina coach Dean Smith said he had troubles of his own.

"Our major problem is the health of (center) Jeff Wolf," Smith said as his team prepared for 20th-ranked San Francisco. "Doctors have said he can practice, but not play. So obviously we are going to let him play, but not practice."

Smith also said Mike O'Koren, who sprained an ankle late in the season, "is not in great physical condition" and "will have to rest more than usual" during Saturday's game in Tempe, Ariz.

## Georgetown Slips By Virginia In Overtime

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — Georgetown's Hoyas, beaten in their NIT opener last year by Virginia Tech, are back on the tournament road again — thanks to another Virginia team.

The Hoyas had to get by Virginia's Cavaliers in the first round of the NIT Thursday in order to go on to second-round action and they did it with a 70-68 overtime victory.

Before the contest Virginia Coach Terry Holland said he expected a good game. And he got just what he expected.

The biggest lead in the game was held by Georgetown, 39-32, just before the half. But from then on it was nip and tuck as the score was tied twice in overtime and the lead changed hands six times.

Virginia led 67-66 with 47 seconds left in the extra period, but Mike Riley hit on two free throws and Craig Shelton, who had 20 points in the game, added another to give Georgetown the

lead.

"Let's give them credit," said Holland, who had very little to say about his team's loss to Georgetown, 22-6.

"We obviously had some chances at the end, but we didn't pull it out. The kids played hard and well," Holland said of his Cavaliers, who closed the season with a 20-8 mark.

One of those chances Holland referred to was a shot that Dave Koesters missed with 14 seconds to go in the game.

"That was Koester's shot," said Holland of the Cavalier, who tried to hit from the left side. "It just didn't go."

Georgetown Coach John Thompson said he was "extremely pleased with the way the kids played."

The Hoya coach, whose team was eliminated from NCAA consideration in an 88-75 defeat by Virginia Commonwealth, said, "It feels good to beat an ACC team on its home court."

## Rampettes May Field Best Track Team Ever

By WOODY PEELE  
Reflector Sports Editor

Rose High School's girls' track team will be seeking to finish either first or second in the Division I standings this spring, according to new coach Sam Collier.

"We have a good turnout this spring, with about 20 or 30 girls out. It looks like we will have every event covered, with some good depth in some of them. We have a lot of good veterans back, and some promising newcomers."

Collier said that hurdlers and jumpers along with middle distance and sprints should be among the strong-points of the Rampette team.

"We're shooting for a first place finishing, and I'm going to be disappointed if we don't finish at least second. The girls feel that they can win it."

Collier feels that Wilson and Bertie will probably be the toughest competition for the

Rampettes. All six Division I teams will be in the competition this spring.

"Nearly everyone has some experience," Collier said, "even though about two-fifths of the team is sophomore."

Collier went through each event, listing the top personnel in each.

Camille Smith, Becky Dixon and Laurie Smith are likely to be the top people in the 60-yard hurdles, with Camille Smith and Dixon tops in the 110-yard hurdles.

Connie Wallace, Elizabeth Johnson, Ann Knight and Sharon Williams spark the 100-yard dash entries, while Laurie Smith, Janet Stoneham, Joyce Daniels, Vicki Jones and Hannah Taft lead in the 220-yard dash.

Dixon, Caren Hix, Ann Banks, Ann Middleton and Sharon Harris are the leading candidates in the 440, while Jamie Johnson and Gigi Branch lead in the 880.

Kim Cottle and Beth Bailey lead in the mile run.

"We haven't really set up our relays (440, 880 and mile) yet," Collier said. "We'll probably be doing that sometime this week."

Cynthia Williams, Denise Cherry and Rose King will be handling the weight events—the shot and the discus—for the Rampettes.

Caroline Bruton, Wallace and Susan Warshauer will be in the long jump, with Nancy Garrett, Branch and Sharon Brewington in the high jump.

"Susan Tucker, who is still swimming," Collier said, "but I'm not sure exactly where we'll use her."

Collier added that there is a possibility that the two-mile run may be added into the girls' event list, but that is uncertain.

The Rampettes open their season on Tuesday at Washington.

## ECU Hosts Purdue

COLUMBIA, S.C.—East Carolina University's baseball game with the University of South Carolina, scheduled for Wednesday, was cancelled because of cold weather.

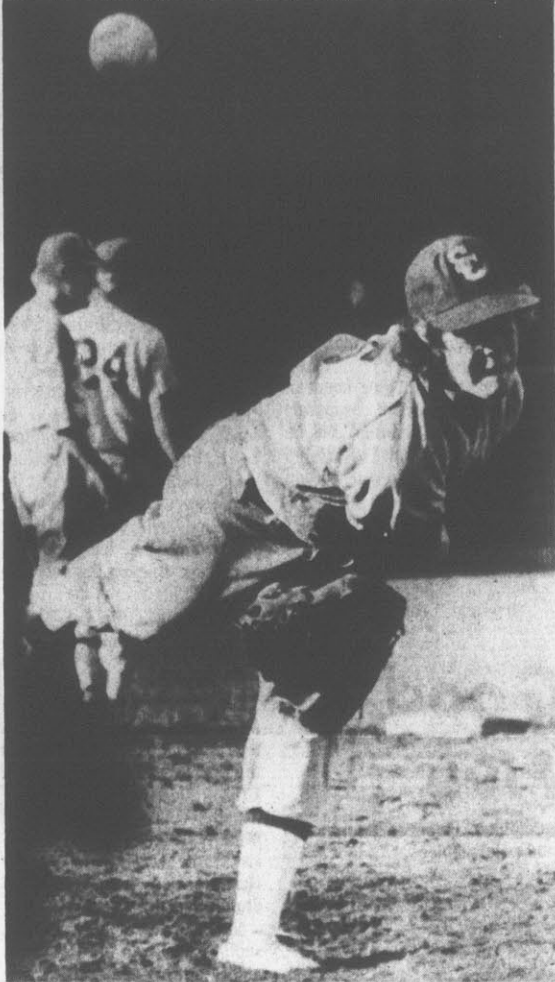
The two teams played on Tuesday, with the Gamecocks pulling out a 4-3 victory in the bottom of the ninth inning.

East Carolina Coach Monte Little said that he wanted to play the second game of the series, but that USC coach June Raines felt that it was too cold.

The two teams are scheduled to meet later in the year in Greenville.

The Pirates will play host to Purdue today at 2 p.m. in a single game, and the two will meet again Friday in a doubleheader, starting at 1:30 p.m. Today's game is an extra contest, not on the original schedule.

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Robin Petrini of South San Francisco High fires a pitch during Monday's 8-2 loss to Capuchino High of San Bruno, Calif. Miss Petrini pitched four innings in relief, including two scoreless frames, and fanned one batter to win the distinction of being the first California female to compete in a varsity high school baseball game. (AP Laserphoto)

## Rampants In State Swim

The Rose High School swimming teams will carry several individuals to Greensboro for Friday's State High School championship meet.

Coach Sam Collier said that he hoped that the boys' team would be able to come in among the top three teams in the state.

"We are only taking two girls, but we hope that they will do well individually."

The Rampant swimmers will be participating in nine events (boys) and three girls' events.

Lance Timmons, John Bennett and Kevin and John Richards will form the medley relay team, while Eric Downs, Steve Woodward, Don McGlohn and Steve Alexander will participate as a team in the 400-yard freestyle relay.

Timmons, Downs and Alexander have qualified for the 100-yard freestyle, while Timmons,

Bennett and Woodward will be in the 200-yard freestyle. Downs will swim the 50-yard freestyle.

Bennett and Woodward will take part in the 500-yard freestyle, with both of the Richards in the 100 butterfly and 100 backstroke. McGlohn will enter the 100-yard breaststroke.

Susan Tucker will take part in the 100-yard backstroke and the 100-yard freestyle, while Christia Dunn will be in the 200-yard freestyle.

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## Rights Leaders Protest Fight

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob Arum says he will switch the proposed site for a \$14 million heavyweight championship rematch in September between Leon Spinks and Muhammad Ali if the president of the African nation of Bophuthatswana is unable to satisfy objections of leaders of civil rights and anti-apartheid organizations in the United States.

A spokesman for the NAACP said the "fighters would be selling their souls" if they went to Bophuthatswana, which is composed of six small, separated areas landlocked within South Africa. "The only country in the world to recognize it as an independent nation is South Africa."

Prexy Nesbitt, associate director of the American Committee on South Africa, said he was "shocked" to learn the fight might be held there. He called Bophuthatswana part of "the scheme of South Africa to set up what would be known in this country as 'reservations,' although 'concentration camps' might also be acceptable."

Arum, president of Top Rank, Inc., which owns promotion rights to Spinks' first three defenses of the title he won from Ali last month, said he had invited Chief Lucas Mangope, president of Bophuthatswana, to come to the United States this week to "meet the leaders of these responsible organizations and present his position to them."

"If the leaders of these organizations are not satisfied, we will not have the fight in Bophuthatswana," Arum told the Associated Press Wednesday night.

Arum offered Mauritius as an alternative site, describing it as

"an island country off the coast of Africa whose president is the president of the Organization of African Unity."

Ali, conscious of his image as a leader to blacks, has refused numerous offers to fight in South Africa in the past.

In Detroit, Spinks told a news conference that he wanted his first title defense to be against Ali.

"It definitely will be Ali if I defend my title against anybody," Spinks said. "Ali is the first."

Meanwhile, Ken Norton's manager, Bob Biron, contends that he and Arum have a binding agreement for Norton to get the first shot at the title. Biron reacted angrily to Arum's announcement of an agreement for a Spinks-Ali rematch, as well as talk that Norton might fight someone else on that same card.

"They have continued to perpetrate this fraud as anticipated," said Biron. "As far as we're concerned there is no card without Spinks honoring his commitment to meet Norton first."

"We have a firm, binding, legal agreement with Bob Arum, Top Rank and Leon Spinks. We will exhaust our resources to see that the agreement is enforced. We intend on employing all legal remedies connected with this blatant breach of contract."

To further complicate the situation, the World Boxing Council has threatened to strip Spinks of his title if he doesn't fight Norton next. WBC President Jose Sulaiman said both Ali and Spinks made written agreements before their fight that the winner would sign by April 7 to fight Norton by July 7.

## UNCC, UNO Are Loop Leaders

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — North Carolina-Charlotte and the University of New Orleans each placed to players on the all-Sun Belt Conference team chosen by the league's coaches.

Wayne Cooper, New Orleans' 6-foot-11 board-crashing center, was chosen as the outstanding

player in the Sun Belt Conference.

In addition, New Orleans Coach Butch van Breda Kolff was chosen Sun Belt Coach of the Year.

Chosen to the All-Sun Belt Conference first team were Cooper and guard Nate Mills from New Orleans; guard Chad Kinch and forward Lew Massey of North Carolina-Charlotte, and Jacksonville's James Ray.

Cooper ranked first in the conference in rebounding, with an average 12.7 rebounds a game. He was third in scoring with an average of 18.1 points a contest, and holds three Sun Belt records.

## Meets Are Cancelled

The Rose High School track team has cancelled its first two meets of the season. Coach Billy Byrd announced yesterday afternoon.

The scheduled meets with New Bern, set for today, and with Rocky Mount on Tuesday, will not be rescheduled according to Byrd.

The cancellations were due to poor weather reducing practice times for the team.

### Sports Calendar

**Today's Sports**  
Track  
NCAA Indoor at Detroit  
New Bern at Rose (3:30 p.m.)  
Ahoskie at Williamston (boys and girls)  
Basketball  
Burns vs. Williamston at J A State  
Tourney (8 p.m.)  
East Carolina vs. Kentucky at AIAW Regionals (1:30 p.m.)  
Women's Recreation  
Le Gals vs. Home Builders  
Wilson Farms vs. Pitt Memorial Hospital  
Men's Recreation  
Jaycees vs. Georgia Pacific  
Aldridge & Southerland vs. Wildcats  
Kayo Express vs. Grady White  
Smith's Hearing vs. Whitley Realty  
Baseball  
Tarboro at North Pitt (3:30 p.m.)  
Conley at South Edgemonte (3:30 p.m.)  
Golf  
Goldsboro at Rose (1 p.m.)  
Tennis  
Greene Central at Eastern Wayne (3:30 p.m.)  
High Point at East Carolina (1:30 p.m.)  
**Friday's Sports**  
Baseball  
Purdue at East Carolina—2 (1:30 p.m.)  
Farmville Central at Southern Wayne (4 p.m.)  
Conley at Jones Senior (3:30 p.m.)  
Rose at Kingston (4 p.m.)  
Track  
NCAA Indoor at Detroit  
Swimming  
State High School meet at Greensboro  
Tennis  
Rose at Kinston (3 p.m.)  
Williamston at Washington

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# SEC Might Talk Tournament

Jim Kyle



Those college coaches complaining about the seeding in the NCAA tournament have a legitimate gripe. The NCAA Basketball Committee did a less than superior job in both assigning at-large teams to regional tournaments and in seeding those tournaments.

Granted, the committee was under certain restrictions in placing some at-large teams in the regionals. For example, an at-large team which is a second-place team from a conference, could not be put in the same regional as the conference winner.

But the committee could have done a better job of splitting up the top teams among the four regions. Most of the power was placed in the Midwest and West tournaments, while the East has only one nationally-ranked team, number eight Duke. The Midwest and Midwest both have five top 20 teams, while the West has six.

As for top 10 talent, the East has one, the Midwest two, the Midwest three and the West four. The East and Midwest have five 20-game winners, the Midwest six and the West seven.

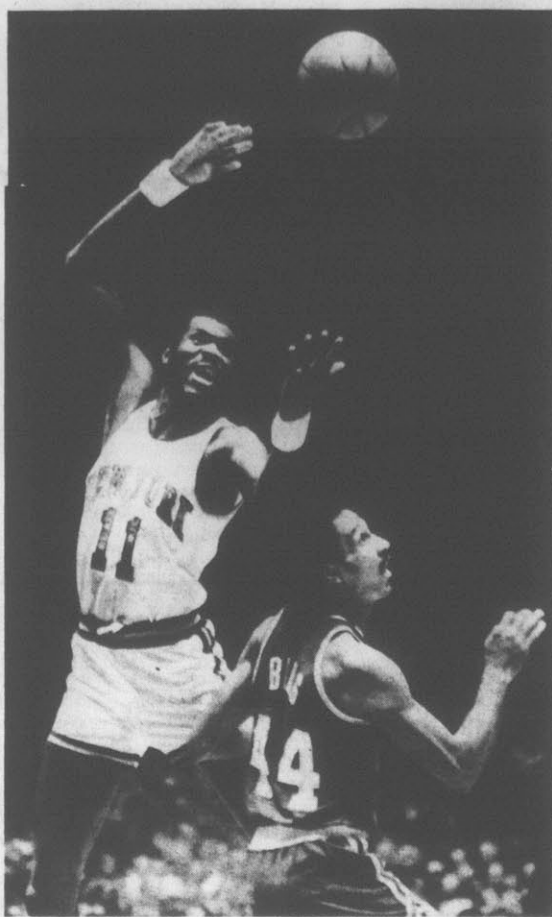
Marquette coach Hank Raymonds is the most vocal critic of the tournament's seeding and the Midwest Regional, where his number three Warriors will play, is the worst-seeded regional.

That regional has top-ranked Kentucky in the same bracket with the Warriors. The two will meet in the second round, if they both get past their first-round opponents. "Common sense has to come into this," Raymonds said earlier this week. "When you seed, you supposedly do it so the so-called powers do not knock each other off early in the tournament and don't make it to the finals."

In the West regional, top-seeded UCLA, the number two team in the nation, has two top 10 teams in the same bracket and must play number nine Kansas in the first game.

Going by top 20 status alone, Duke appears to have an easy ride to the NCAA finals in St. Louis, while the winner from the Midwest will have to travel the roughest road.

This is the first year the NCAA has attempted seeding the conference entrants, so it is hoped the Basketball Committee will improve in the future.



**The Hustler**

New York Knicks Bob McAdoo (11) goes over Dave Bing of the Boston Celtics in a grab for a rebound last Saturday. McAdoo is averaging 13.2 rebounds per game and is fourth in the league in scoring. (AP Laserphoto)

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — South Carolina Coach Frank McGuire stated the case years ago against conference tournaments.

The Atlantic Coast Conference tournament, McGuire said, forced the regular season champion, often South Carolina, to prove itself all over again, which the Gamecocks seldom did.

Partly because they felt lesser teams were making too many trips to the NCAA tournament because the Gamecocks stumbled in the ACC tournament, university officials withdrew South Carolina from the ACC and went independent.

Times have changed, somewhat. Eleven at-large NCAA berths opened the door for runners-up, or regular season champions who failed to win their conference titles, to enter the NCAA's 32-team field.

The Southeastern Conference enjoyed an at-large berth each of the first three years they were offered, but top-ranked Kentucky will be the only SEC team in this year's NCAA tournament.

The Wildcats face No. 11 Florida State in a first-round game Saturday at Knoxville, Tenn.

Coach Joe Hall has been an outspoken critic of proposals for an SEC tournament, but he said this week that a single bid slighted the SEC in general and was "a slap in the face" to Mississippi State in particular.

Would an SEC tournament guarantee two future NCAA bids? "It might," conceded Hall.

Would that change his opposition to a tournament?

"I still wouldn't be in favor of it," Hall said.

"There are too many reasons not to have a tournament," he said. "We play an 18-game conference schedule and that's

enough."

However, he said, this year's pairings may provide the impetus for establishing a conference shootout at the end of the regular season.

Hall said he did not know how it would affect scheduling,

but it seems some changes would have to be made.

The NCAA limits member schools to 27 regular season games. SEC schools play eight games before their 18-game conference schedule, and most sandwich an outside opponent somewhere between SEC games.

A tournament could mean trimming the preconference schedule or eliminating some SEC games in order to meet the 27-game limit.

Former Tennessee Coach Ray Mears once advocated divisional play, with division winners meeting in a playoff.

Hall steadfastly opposed that idea and said he was still opposed to any playoff or round-robin setup to decide who represented the SEC in the Midwest Regional.

Hall said he could foresee nothing, not even the "slap in the face" to Mississippi State, that would change his mind.

SEC Commissioner H. Boyd McWhorter said the presidents of the 10 member institutions would act Thursday at the final business session of the SEC winter meeting on a proposal for a post-season tourney.

Though proposals have been rejected in recent years, McWhorter said, the idea may be "more appealing to some of our people today."

## First Tourney Shots Fired

By KEN RAPPOPORT  
AP Sports Writer

They've fired the first shots of the National Invitation Tournament — and not much separated the best from the rest.

In two down-to-the-wire games Wednesday night, Georgetown defeated Virginia 70-68 in an overtime thriller and Nebraska edged Utah State 67-66 as the far-flung NIT started first-round play in regional outposts.

At Charlottesville, Va., Mike Riley and Craig Shelton hit two free throws each in the final 10 seconds of overtime to lead Georgetown over Virginia.

With 47 seconds left in overtime, the Cavaliers took the lead 67-66 on a 15-foot jumper by Tommy Hicks before Riley and Shelton pulled out the game for Georgetown from the foul line. The score was tied twice and the lead changed hands six times in the overtime period.

The Hoyas earned a spot in the quarter-finals against the winner of Friday night's Fairfield-Dayton game.

At Lincoln, Neb., Carl McPipe's free throw with 1:52 left put Nebraska in front and the Cornhuskers held on to beat Utah State by a whisker. Freshmen Andre Smith and Mike Naderer sparked Nebraska in the second half as the Huskers were helped by Utah State's foul trouble.

Naderer hit on six outside shots and played alert defense, and Smith, who alternated with McPipe at center, scored 18 points to lead the Huskers. Nebraska advanced to a quarter-

final meeting against the winner of Friday night's Texas-Temple game.

The NIT continues tonight with Army playing at Rutgers and Virginia Commonwealth visiting Detroit. In Friday night's action, Temple will play at Texas, Fairfield at Dayton, Illinois State at Indiana State and South Carolina at North Carolina State.

The quarter-finals will continue at regional sites next week, with the semifinals and finals to be held at Madison Square Garden in New York on March 19 and 21.

The NCAA playoffs begin Saturday, starting the long and winding road toward the national championship in St. Louis later this month. A 32-team field, including defending champion Marquette, will open first-round play at various regional sites.

## Overtimes Are Good For Milwaukee Five

By ALEX SACHARE  
AP Sports Writer

The Milwaukee Bucks are getting rich on overtime.

The young Bucks have played eight games this season that have gone beyond the regulation 48 minutes and they've won seven of them, the latest a 127-125 double overtime decision over the New York Knicks Wednesday night.

"It took me four quarters and one overtime to get warmed up," said Milwaukee guard Brian Winters, who scored six of his 21 points in the second extra period.

Elsewhere in the National Basketball Association Wednesday, the Seattle SuperSonics edged the San Antonio Spurs 95-94, the Buffalo Braves beat the New Orleans Jazz 120-108, the Philadelphia 76ers defeated the Atlanta Hawks 108-97, the New Jersey Nets trimmed the Kansas City Kings 123-121, the Portland Trail Blazers downed the Houston Rockets 97-94 and the Golden State Warriors beat the Cleveland Cavaliers 118-108.

There have now been 50 overtime games this season, most in NBA history. Ironically, in New York's other visit to Milwaukee, the Bucks beat the Knicks 152-150 in triple overtime Dec. 16.

Bucks center Kent Benson, the first player chosen in the college draft who has suffered

through a disappointing, injury-plagued rookie season, came off the bench to score a career-high 21 points.

**Sonics 95, Spurs 94**  
Gus Williams hit two jumpers within the last 20 seconds, including an 18-footer with two seconds left, to give the Sonics their victory at San Antonio despite 41 points by the Spurs' George Gervin. Dennis Johnson scored 27 for Seattle and Williams finished with 17.

**Braves 120, Jazz 108**  
Rookie guard Mike Glenn of Buffalo scored a career-high 25 points for Buffalo, which got 28 points from Swen Nater and 27 from Marvin Barnes.

**76ers 108, Hawks 97**  
Philadelphia, leading 54-41 at halftime, buried Atlanta by scoring the first seven points of the second half. Steve Mix and Henry Bibby topped Phila-

delphia's balanced attack with 16 points apiece.

**Nets 123, Kings 121**  
John Williamson scored 37 points and rookies Wilson Washington and Ed Jordan combined for 18 points in the final quarter as the Nets snapped a 15-game road losing streak.

**Blazers 97, Rockets 94**  
Two free throws by Johnny Davis with 39 seconds to play clinched the victory for Portland and sent Houston to its sixth straight loss. Portland led 41-32 at halftime as the Rockets connected on only 25 percent of their shots from the field.

**Warriors 118, Cavaliers 108**  
Rick Barry scored 32 points and reserve forward Nate Williams added 26 as the Warriors erased an 11-point third-quarter deficit and pulled away from the Cavs by outscoring them 33-17 in the final period.

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## Perry Hurls Strong Innings

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON  
AP Sports Writer

The flowers that bloom in the spring seem to include some hardy perennials.

According to Mr. Webster, who never managed a baseball team, a hardy perennial is "something that lasts from year to year." And that pretty well sums up the careers of Gaylord Perry and Ron Fairly, both 39, and Mickey Lolich, 37.

All three graybeards were in the exhibition spotlight Wednesday. It was the first spring training Old Timers Day. Perry hurred three strong innings, allowing one unearned run, and Lolich, making a comeback after sitting out the 1977 season, worked a scoreless ninth as the San Diego Padres edged Japan's Yakult Swallows 3-2. Meanwhile, Fairly delivered a two-run double to help the California Angels defeat the Padres' 'B' squad 5-2.

Most of the Padres' regulars were in Yuma, Ariz., to face the Japanese team and the Angels didn't take kindly to the depleted squad San Diego sent to Holtville, Calif.

"This is no insult to the players out there, but the people came to see Dave Winfield, Gene Tenace, Rollie Fingers and George Hendrick," said Angels General Manager Buzie Bavasi. "This is a violation of the commissioner's ruling that teams should be well-represented and the manager should accompany the team."

Instead of filing a formal protest, Bavasi said he plans to send a 'B' team to play the Padres in Yuma next month.

Controversy seemed to be the order of the day.

In the San Francisco Giants'

camp, there was no indication that pitcher John Montefusco and infielder Bill Madlock had kissed and made up following Tuesday's clubhouse brawl.

Witnesses said Montefusco got up swinging and it took several players to pull them apart. The battling Giants play their first exhibition game today against the Cleveland Indians. The rest of the schedule pairs the New York Yankees against the Texas Rangers, Houston Astros-Atlanta Braves, Detroit Tigers-Boston Red Sox, Chicago Cubs-Milwaukee Brewers, Seattle Mariners-San Diego Padres and Oakland A's-California Angels.

The Yankees apparently aren't the only New York team where all isn't sweetness and light. Outfielder Elliott Maddox has taken exception to remarks by Ed Kranepool, who wanted to know why Maddox apparently has been handed the right field job when he "hasn't hit 260 in the last two years."

Today, the Yankees are showcasing veteran left-hander Ken Holtzman, who will be the starting pitcher against the Rangers.

"At this point, I don't think I will impress anyone," said Holtzman, who pitched only 712-3 innings last season and wasn't used at all in the playoffs or World Series in either 1976 or '77. "I'm relearning. For 12 years it was a routine, but that routine has been interrupted and now I have to start all over. I'm not interested in results; I'm interested in learning how to pitch."

There's a chance Holtzman might not be a Yankee any more, either. No one denies he's available.

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# Lot Of Laughter In The Locker Room

By WILL GRIMSLEY  
AP Special Correspondent  
BRADENTON, Fla. (AP) — "Hey, low pockets," the big man yelled at the little man, "where did you come from — the baby leagues?"

The little man twitched his mustache.

"Go throw your cap in the ocean and don't turn loose of it," he snapped back at his towering tormentor. "Why don't you go out and break a few more bats?" You must own

stock in Louisville Slugger." "Careful, kid," cautioned the big man, "you're talking to the batting champion of the National League."

"Big deal," said the little man. "You're a Punch and Judy hitter. The only reason you get hits is that you look so big the outfielders back up to the fence. Then they can't run in and catch those powder-puff flies over the infield."

So it goes in the Pittsburgh Pirates locker room day after

day, while teammates absorb the banter with high hilarity.

"We hate each other," says Phil Garner, the 5-foot-9 infielder, flashing a wink that is intended to escape the 6-5, 235-pound Dave Parker, the monster of a man who batted .339 with 21 home runs for the Pirates last season.

"It's our Mutt and Jeff act," Pittsburgh's general manager, Chuck Tanner, confides to visitors in an adjoining room.

"Been going on ever since Garner came to us last year. They get a kick out of badgering each other. Keeps the whole team loose."

"Actually, they are best of friends. Notice that Parker keeps a photo of Phil over his locker."

Partly because of this good-humored jousting between the giant and the pygmy of the roster and partly because of Tanner's unbridled enthusiasm, the Pirates possess perhaps the happiest, most friction-free locker room in the majors.

The swashbuckling Pirates have come to expect a daily vaudeville routine from their big, bearded slugger, Parker,

and the diminutive third baseman acquired from the Oakland A's a year ago in a nine-player deal.

"The kidding started when I first came to the team last March," says Garner, who after a slow start batted .260 with 17 home runs and 77 RBIs.

"Dave kept making wisecracks about my size and mentioning that I must have come from the baby leagues. I wasn't about to let him get the best of

me. I don't care how big he is.

"It sort of escalated, both on and off the field. The other guys got so they looked forward to it and egged us on."

Garner said the massive outfielder became an open target when he started flexing his muscles and flaunting his batting power. Parker even had four stars — like those of a general — sewn onto his cap.

"What are they for?" Garner asked.

"The four straight seasons I've hit over .300," said Parker. "But that's only three years," corrected Garner.

"The fourth is for this year,"

Parker said.

Garner told the big slugger that Parker broke 300 bats a season, 100 going for fluke base hits.

## Greenville Sets Tournaments, Clinics

Several upcoming tournaments and clinics have been announced by the Greenville Golf and Country Club.

On Saturday, a best ball of pair tournament will be held. Tee off times will be anytime from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. Teams may consist of two men, two women or a man and a woman.

A low gross and low net tournament will be held on March 18, with 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. tee times. This is open to both men and women.

March 31 has been designated as the final day for male members to sign up for the Match Play Tournament. Pairings will be available after 4 p.m. in the pro shop. Play will begin on April 1.

A Beginning Ladies Clinic will be held on March 13-14, from 9 to 10 a.m. A clinic for advanced women will be held March 16, from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Intermediate women will have a clinic from 3 to 4:30 p.m. on March 16.

On March 21, clinics will be

held for boys and girls. The boys clinic will be from 4:45 until 5:30 p.m., with the girls from 4 to 4:45 p.m. These are open to junior members, 8-16 years old.

Participants in all of the above clinics are required to sign up in advance.

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## Jack Still Is One To Beat

MIAMI (AP) — The kids are coming, observes veteran ChiChi Rodriguez, but Jack Nicklaus still ranks as "The Man."

"He is still the man to beat," said the 41-year-old Rodriguez, a great booster of some of the younger players in the game.

And, said ChiChi, Nicklaus may be tougher than usual the next couple of years.

"I think Jack is going to make an extra effort to win as much as he can in the next few years," Rodriguez said before today's first round in the \$200,000 Doral Open Golf Tournament. It was an obvious reference to Nicklaus' age, 38, and his announced trimmed-down schedule.

As the best of the younger players, Rodriguez nominates Tom Watson, Jerry Pate, Ben Crenshaw, Andy Bean and Bill Kratzert.

"They're the men who will be dominating the game in the future," Rodriguez said.

"Watson already has proved his greatness.

Bean is the defending champion here. Pate has played well twice without winning this year. Kratzert lost in a playoff and Crenshaw challenged last week.

The Watson vs. Nicklaus affair, however, was expected to draw most of the gallery attention in this 72-hole test over the 7,065-yard, par-72 Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.

Watson, the 1977 British Open and Masters champion and Player of the Year, already has won two titles this season and heads the money-winning list with more than \$103,000. Nicklaus has won and finished second in his last two starts.

Among the other major challengers are U.S. Open champion Hubert Green, Tom Weiskopf, Lee Trevino and Ray Floyd.

The final two rounds Saturday and Sunday will be telecast nationally by CBS-TV.

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**Midget League Champs**  
The Blue Devils captured the championship of the Midget Division of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department basketball program.

**Members of the team are, first row, left to right, Jon Whichard, Richard Pace, Billy Messick; second row, Gary Scott, Eric Woodworth, Hoyt Brannon and Coach Randy Pellisero. (Reflector Photo)**

### Recreation Ball

Midget Tournament		
Pirates	5	6
Blue Devils	6	7
High scorers: P—Ronald Girdharry 19, Hunter Bost 5; BD—Eric Woodworth 13, Billy Messick 8.		
Junior Tournament		
Wolfpack	6	2
Tar Heels	8	2
High scorers: W—Billy Stallings 8, Greg Davis 4; TH—Mont Carter 9, Jim Whitehurst 7.		
Men's League		
Pitt Hospital	35	30-65
Police Department	8	26-34
High scorers: PH—Danny Edwards 22, Horace Williams 10; PD—F.G. Pruitt 17.		
Pair Electronics won by forfeit over Lawyers.		
Empire Brush won by forfeit over Vermont American.		
Coca Cola	37	32-69
Greenville Utilities	24	31-55
High scorers: CC—Robert Caraway 22, Robert Kear 13, Mike Board 12; GU—David Tyson 18, David Cox 14, Larry Daniels 11, Robert Green 10.		
Po Boys		
Union Carbide	38	25-63
High scorers: PB—Pope Howard 22, William Shivar 21, Herbert Wright 10; UC—Tommy Roach 16, James Dupree 10.		
Rockets		
Newby's	34	40-74
High scorers: R—J.C. Daniels 24, Willie Jones 16, Jessie Harris 14, Moses Joyner 10; N—Al McCrimmon 19, Ed Hobby 10.		

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<p><b>Wake Forest</b> 84, <b>Roanoke</b> 82</p> <p><b>2-A Girls</b> Dixon 47, Ledford 40 Union 47, East Lincoln 46, OT</p> <p><b>Baseball Playoffs</b></p> <p><b>Wednesday, March 8</b> California 5, San Diego (B) 2</p> <p><b>Thursday's Games</b> New York (A) vs. Texas at Pompano Beach, Fla. Houston vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla. Detroit vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla. Chicago (N) vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz. San Francisco vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz. Seattle vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz. Oakland vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif. <b>Friday's Games</b> Minnesota vs. Houston, at Cocoa, Fla. Montreal vs. Atlanta at Daytona Beach, Fla. Philadelphia vs. Toronto at Dundas, Fla. Kansas City vs. Texas at Pompano Beach, Fla. Pittsburgh vs. Chicago (A) at Sarasota, Fla. Cleveland vs. San Francisco at Phoenix, Ariz. Milwaukee vs. Chicago (N) at Scottsdale, Ariz. Yuma, Ariz. vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz. Oakland vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif. Los Angeles vs. New York (A) at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.</p> <p><b>Transactions</b></p> <p><b>FOOTBALL</b> <b>National Football League</b> BALTIMORE COLTS Signed Marshall Johnson, kick returner, to a series of one year contracts. CHICAGO BEARS Named Hank Kuhmann an assistant coach. DENVER BRONCOS Announced the resignation of Richard "Doc" Ulrich, director of pro scouting, to become defensive coordinator of the Washington Redskins. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS Named Ed Hughes offensive coordinator and Chot Franklin, defensive backs coach. NEW YORK GIANTS Signed Bobby Hammond, running back, to three one year contracts. PITTSBURGH STEELERS Named Dick Walker defensive assistant coach. Promoted George Perles to defensive coordinator. Named Woody Widenhofer defensive backs and linebacker coach. SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS Named Mike White offensive line coach.</p> <p><b>BASEBALL</b> BOSTON RED SOX Signed Bob Stanley, pitcher, to a one year contract. Renewed the contract of Bernie Carbo, outfielder. MINNESOTA TWINS Released Tom Hall and Clay Kirby, pitchers. <b>National League</b> MONTREAL EXPOS Renewed the contract of Larry Parrish, third baseman. <b>HOCKEY</b> <b>National Hockey League</b> BOSTON BRUINS Called up Jim Pelech, goalie, from Rochester of the American Hockey League.</p>	<p><b>National Basketball Association</b> <b>EASTERN CONFERENCE</b> <b>Atlantic Division</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><th>W</th><th>L</th><th>Pct.</th><th>GB</th></tr> <tr><td>Phila</td><td>20</td><td>.688</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>N York</td><td>35</td><td>.538</td><td>9 1/2</td></tr> <tr><td>Boston</td><td>34</td><td>.538</td><td>18 1/2</td></tr> <tr><td>Buffalo</td><td>22</td><td>.449</td><td>21 1/2</td></tr> <tr><td>N Jrsy</td><td>17</td><td>.258</td><td>28</td></tr> </table> <p><b>Central Division</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><th>W</th><th>L</th><th>Pct.</th><th>GB</th></tr> <tr><td>S. 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# Blair House, Still Nation's Most Exclusive Inn

By ALICE Z. CUNEO  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Blair House, the nation's most exclusive travelers' inn, has served as a hub of American political life for more than 150 years.

As the official guest house for foreign heads of state visiting the United States, it has been the scene of many attempts to end or avoid violence, as when Egyptian President Anwar Sadat recently used its parlor to urge American Jewish leaders to put pressure on Israel to make concessions to the Arabs.

And it has seen ugly bloodletting: a White House policeman and a gunman died on its steps in 1950 in an attempt on the life of President Truman.

Robert E. Lee, citing his loyalty to Virginia, declined command of the Union Army within its walls, which might have prolonged the Civil War. Nikita Khrushchev and Leonid Brezhnev have slept there during efforts of Soviet and American leaders to ease the 20th Century Cold War.

The idea of a guest house for White House visitors originated with Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who, as the story goes, bumped into Winston Churchill in a nightshirt in the crowded White House living quarters during World War II.

She demanded that FDR do something about all the visitors; he ordered Secretary of State Cordell Hull to "get them out of my hair." In August, 1942 the government acquired 1651 Pennsylvania Ave., a townhouse built across the street from the White House in the summer of 1824 by Joseph Lovell, the nation's first Surgeon General.

After Lovell's death in 1836, the house was sold for \$6,500 to Francis Preston Blair of Kentucky, a powerful member

of Andrew Jackson's "Kitchen Cabinet." Blair moved in his Paul Revere silver and fine furnishings, some still in the house. He published the "Globe," the newspaper voice of the administration, and made a fortune publishing an account of events in Congress — the ancestor of the Congressional Record.

"The Blairs had a genius for friendship as well as a genius for politics and good investments," said one contemporary. Editor Blair had horses and a cow at Blair House and provided fresh milk for his neighbor the president.

Just before the Civil War, Blair's daughter Elizabeth married a distant relative of Robert E. Lee. Later, after a private dinner at Blair House, Blair passed on to Col. Lee an offer to command the Union Armies. Lee declined, and went on to lead the southern army to its final defeat.

The Blairs built a home at 1653 Pennsylvania for Elizabeth. The government purchased it in the 1940s for an office building and then joined it to Blair House.

Francis Preston Blair's son, Montgomery, occupied the house when as Lincoln's Postmaster General he championed the revolutionary idea of free mail delivery. Montgomery also argued on the losing side for the freedom of Dred Scott, a Supreme Court case that fed the flames of abolition.

Gist Blair, the youngest son of Montgomery Blair, was the last of his family to live in the house.

In 1942, FDR, "convinced that the government needs and will continue to need it for the entertainment of distinguished visitors," approved acquisition of the house for about \$150,000.

The Trumans lived in the house twice — in the early

weeks of his administration after the death of Roosevelt in 1945, and from November 1948 to March 1952 during the restoration of the White House.

The many exotic visitors to Blair House sometimes have caused excitement: a prime minister from Burma had his guest room sanctified and built an improvised Buddhist altar there; a stuffed chair in the library caught fire from incense being burned during the visit of a Saudi Arabian king.

Victoria Geaney, who managed the guesthouse in the early days, told of other problems, such as citywide searches for Charles deGaulle's favorite French bottled water and a long enough bed for his 6 foot, 4 inch frame.

Once, a diamond fell out of a crown belonging to the Queen of Greece. Mrs. Geaney carried the crown to a repairman in an old box. "It hadn't occurred to me what the crown was worth," she said.

Khrushchev was the first high level Soviet to occupy Blair House. One morning he surprised guards and reporters alike by appearing on the front stoop in his shirtsleeves to get a breath of air.

In the mid-1960s, Lady Bird

## Inez Brown In Sunday Concert

The Stewardess Board No. 1 of York Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church will feature one of its own members in concert Sunday, March 12 at 5 p.m.

Mrs. Inez Brown will be the featured artist. She will be accompanied by Johnny Wooten at the piano and organ. The concert will include sacred music of traditional spirituals and gospel music.

Mrs. Brown is an active member of York Memorial and holds membership in the Gospel Chorus and Voices of Zion.

Following the concert, Mrs. Brown will join the Voices of Zion at 7:30 p.m. in concert at Sycamore Hill Baptist Church.

Mrs. Esther Staton, president of Stewardess Board No. 1, invites the public to attend. There is no admission charge, but voluntary contributions will be appreciated.

## Potatoes Hog Space In Garden

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Growing spuds for a family of five takes more room than most people can spare in a small backyard garden, says horticulturist Orrin C. Turnquist.

Writing in "Gardening for Food and Fun," the USDA's 1977 agriculture yearbook, the University of Minnesota professor said a 100-foot row planted with 10 pounds of seed would yield on the average only one to two bushels of potatoes. He estimated that a household of five might need 10-20 bushels for winter use.

As an alternative, Turnquist suggests planting early potatoes in small gardens between rows of vining crops such as cucumbers, squash and melons. Harvesting the early spuds leaves room for the vine crops to spread out and produce well.

Johnson, as part of her beautification campaign, led an effort to give the elegant but outmoded 19th century townhouse some 20th century comforts.

Cabinet wives made needlepoint seatcovers for dining room chairs in the blue leaf design of the original Blair china; electricians re-wired the house and plumbers updated bathrooms; a new kitchen was installed.

Mrs. Johnson herself used Blair House in January 1973 when her husband died. Mourners came to Blair House to pay their respects.

Despite its history, Blair House in some ways is like any other inn.

There are postcards, pens and match books for guests to take home as souvenirs and television sets in several bedrooms are supported by aluminum stands of the sort found in roadside motels.

But there is no bill at checkout time: the \$200,000-plus yearly operating tab is picked up by the American taxpayer.

"The house, though full of antiques, is set up like a home and not a museum," says Kit Dobelle, wife of Chief of Protocol Evan Dobelle. "There's a special feeling among people who have been here more than once — they consider it comfortable."

What if something gets broken?

"It's just like having a guest in your own home — you say 'nothing to worry about' and return the object the next day with a little glue."

When an official visit is announced, Mrs. Dobelle calls on that nation's ambassador to learn about the head of state's

special needs and likes.

In the past, when foreign dignitaries were unused to unfamiliar food, the Blair House staff searched for Charles deGaulle's favorite French bottled water and goat's milk for a Saudi crown prince — who actually wound up drinking only Coke and orange juice.

"Now most visitors are used to American food — but they may still ask for mineral water, someone may drink a particular brand of scotch, have their eggs four minutes instead of three, or need special cigars," said Mary Schneck, Blair House manager.

Mrs. Mary Wilroy, another former manager, also recalls some crises: A foreign president's wife "had purchased a new gown in Paris to wear to the first night state dinner but forgot the stiff petticoat she needed. I heard about it at 6:30 p.m. and the dinner was at 8." By calling every bridal shop in the area she found an undergarment in time.

Another time, the Australian prime minister's wife broke a tooth just before a formal White House function. "I called my dentist at 8:30 a.m. and he fixed her tooth and she was at the White House affair on time," Mrs. Wilroy said.

The most consistent request from foreign visitors is access to American television, so each room's color set is regularly tuned.

"The guests insist they be in working order with the color just right," Mrs. Schneck said.

Even though the house can easily accommodate more than 19 persons, only one visitor at a time is allowed so "they can bring in any guest any time they want and not have to

worry about running into other visitors," said Mrs. Dobelle.

The typical visit begins Monday evening when guests rest from their trip. On Tuesday morning, they cross to the White House for a greeting by the president. Generally the staff ends Thursday when the stay guests to say goodbye to the visitor.

"Sometimes a staff member may be missing and a visitor will ask for him by name," Mrs. Sneck added.

Even though schedules are prepared long in advance, last-

minute changes have necessitated a kitchen which "can always stir something up."

There's room for a party of as many as 50, but large gatherings are discouraged because they can be held at individual embassies.

"Every guest is distinctive — some because they are so unobtrusive," said Mrs. Dobelle who said Blair house, with its bilingual staff, tries to fit their style of living.

Mrs. Wilroy greeted one visitor in high school French and then was embarrassed to

have the guest assume for rest of the time that she was fluent in the language.

During the bicentennial, Blair House had a busy schedule, the beginning of the Carter administration was even worse with nonstop visits of heads of state paying get-acquaintance calls on the new president, Mr. Dobelle said.

The Carters also inaugurated a new role for Blair House — he was the first president-elect to occupy it during the transition between administrations.

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**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** Utilize your spare time to look into new forms of recreation and activities and select wisely the ones best suited to you. Encourage friendship of those who are compatible. Companions will respond cheerfully when encouraged.

**ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)** Get working on that special talent you have which you have hardly used and commercialize on it. Get appearance improved first and take any health treatments you may need.

**TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)** Concentrate on how you want to proceed in the days ahead so that you are more successful and happy. Be more enthused and try to please loved one more. Have a greater understanding.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** Contact a good friend and gain the assistance you need to put some new interest across nicely. Get out socially and make new friends of worth. Join with a select group and keep out of trouble.

**MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21)** If you have a particular civic interest out of the norm, be sure you first get the okay of bigwig before getting into it. Take no risks where credit is concerned.

**LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21)** Search for new interests that will help you utilize particular talents you possess. Discuss matters with experts in such fields. Put your hunches to work and you are led in right direction.

**VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)** Study into practical matters and see if you are handling them to the best of your ability. Discuss new ideas and arrangements with mate, also.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)** Try to come to a better understanding with your associates today and become more successful. Postpone until tomorrow any changes you may want to make.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)** Study the work ahead of you and plan just how to handle it more successfully. Listen to ideas which co-workers may have.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)** Plan some time for entertainment that will relieve tensions. Being more devoted to a loved one could bring more harmony.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)** Try to come to a better understanding with kin by being thoughtful of their welfare as well as your own. Be more accurate where figures are concerned.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)** Study routines and improve them so that you get more done and in less time, with less effort. Go to experts for any advice you may need. Be careful in motion of any kind.

**PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20)** Study your monetary status and do whatever will improve it considerably. A discussion with an expert can also be very helpful. Avoid one who could ruin your reputation.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY . . .** he or she will be sensible and intelligent and should have the finest academic education, so plan for it now. Stress importance of being practical during formative years as well.

"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to YOU!

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## Crossword By Eugene Sbeffer

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CRYPTOQUIP 3-9

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip—SIMPLE SEAMSTRESS CANCELS INTRICATE PATTERNS.

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Today's Cryptoquip clue: L equals N

The Cryptoquip is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words, and words using an apostrophe can give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

# TV Log Public TV Providing New Story Of Holmes

- WNCT-TV — Ch. 9**
- THURSDAY**  
7:00 Crosswalks  
7:30 Rookies  
8:00 Julie  
9:00 Hawaii Five O  
11:00 News  
11:30 Movie
- FRIDAY**  
6:00 Carolina  
8:00 Morning  
9:00 News  
10:00 Tattletales  
10:30 Price Right  
11:00 Match Game  
11:30 Love of  
11:55 Paul Harvey

- WITN-TV — Ch. 7**
- THURSDAY**  
7:00 Adam 12  
7:30 Nashville  
8:00 C. I. P. S.  
9:00 James of 16  
10:00 Class of 65  
11:00 News  
11:30 Tanetti  
1:00 News  
1:30 Doctors  
2:00 Doctors  
3:00 Quark  
4:00 Bewitched  
4:30 Virginian  
5:00 NBC News  
6:00 Adam 12  
7:00 Today  
7:30 Marty Robbins  
8:00 Quark  
8:30 Sharkey  
8:25 News  
9:00 Quark  
9:00 Griffin  
10:00 Sanford  
10:00 Squares  
11:00 Fortune  
11:30 News

- WCTI-TV — Ch. 12**
- THURSDAY**  
7:00 Joker's  
7:30 Gonn Show  
8:00 Koller  
8:30 Fish  
9:00 Miller  
9:30 Special  
10:00 Bartetta  
11:00 Hartman  
11:30 Starkey  
12:00 News
- FRIDAY**  
5:55 Tattalos  
6:00 PTL Club  
7:00 America  
7:25 News  
7:30 America  
8:25 News  
8:30 America  
9:00 Donahue

- WUNK-TV — Ch. 25**
- THURSDAY**  
7:00 Conference  
7:30 Report  
8:00 Classic  
9:00 Advocates  
10:00 Theatre  
11:00 Self  
11:15 Ecology  
11:30 Consumer  
12:00 Classic  
12:30 Elect Co  
1:00 Rapies
- 1:15 Rhythm  
1:30 Stories  
1:40 Cover II  
1:55 Safety  
2:00 Broad &  
2:15 Self  
2:30 Earth  
3:00 French Chef  
3:30 Over Easy  
4:00 Sesame St  
5:00 Mr. Rogers  
5:30 Elect Co  
6:00 Zoom  
6:30 Lowell  
7:00 Showboat  
7:30 Report  
8:00 Washington  
8:30 Wall St  
9:00 Firing Line  
10:00 City Limits

**By JAY SHARBUTT AP Television Writer**  
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Put a fugitive from Monty Python's Flying Circus in a new tale about Sherlock Holmes. What do you get? Monty Python's Flying Sherlock? Right. But look for it on public TV as: "The Strange Case of the End of Civilization as We Know It."

It runs an hour, is surreal, deadpan British humor at its wildest and sometimes blackest, and airs this week (check local listings) during public TV's national fund drive, "Festival '78."

Ex-Python John Cleese plays Holmes' bumbling grandson. He carries on the detective business in the worst tradition, aided by the bumbling grandson of Holmes' famed companion, Dr. Watson (Arthur Love).

I can't say who plays Professor Moriarty, famed arch-villain, because it'd give away the surprise ending to the body-littered plot written by Cleese, Jack Hobbs and Joseph McGrath.

But I can say the plot seems to begin with a U.S. secretary of state, a Kissinger-like chap named Dr. Gropinger, shuttling about the Middle East. He loses his datebook and moans:

"I don't know where I am or where I'm supposed to be. I'm suffering from jet lag of cosmic proportions."

His plane lands. He sees an airport honor guard, thinks he's in Israel and cries: "Mazelov." That he has got his countries wrong becomes clear when the honor guard fires a 21-gun salute — at him.

A bumbling American president quickly learns who caused Gropinger's demise when he gets a postcard. It says: "Today, Gropinger, Tomorrow, the

world, Moriarty." The president swings into action. "Get on the first plane to London, France," he tells an FBI man, who goes and meets with the police chiefs of five continents.

"If we don't make Moriarty inoperative as of now, it's the end of civilization as we know the situation," he warns them. A sniper lurking nearby dispatches Australia's police chief during the meeting. It makes the surviving officials wonder how to deal with the present-day Moriarty.

"Send for the present-day Sherlock Holmes," one suggests. Thus it comes to pass that Holmes III and Dr. Watson

## Diabetes Ass'n Meeting Slated

Nutritional labeling will be discussed during a meeting of the Eastern Carolina Chapter of the American Diabetes Association, which will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting, which will be held in the Rehab Center, Classroom 2, of Pitt County Memorial Hospital, will feature Addie Gore of the Pitt County Extension Service as its speaker.

All interested persons are invited. Members are urged to plan to attend the annual meeting of the North Carolina Affiliate of the American Diabetes Association, to be held Apr. 1 at the Governors Inn in Raleigh.

The United States produces more raisins than Australia, Iran and Turkey combined.

— who in this production has a bionic nose — enter the case. After the chief of Scotland Yard is stabbed dead in Holmes' office (a black-humor scene not for the young or queasy) the famed detective hatches a plan to lure the wicked Moriarty-into the open.

He holds a convention of the world's best detectives — Columbo, McCloud, Sam Spade, Hercule Poirot, even "M," James Bond's boss.

You may have suspicions about Dr. Watson, when, while holding a pistol, he asks "M": "Are you licensed to be killed?"

But the ever-alert Holmes finds there are two Dr. Watsons, and exposes the phony with such questions as: "Why do the Arabs have all the oil and the Irish all the potatoes?"

Keep your eye on Holmes' pretty housekeeper, Mrs. Hudson (Connie Booth), as she proves a key factor in this proceeding. It's a grand proceeding, and no Sherlock Holmes fan should miss it.

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♥ 762  
♦ Q64  
♦ J9532

**WEST EAST**  
♦ 842 ♥ 73  
♥ Q109 ♥ J843  
♦ J973 ♦ 108  
♦ K64 ♦ AQ1087

**SOUTH**  
♦ AKQ1096  
♥ AK5  
♦ AK52  
♠ Void

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

Opening lead: Four of ♠.

Don't put all your eggs in one basket. No matter how obvious a line of play may seem, look for a way to improve your chances.

North-South bid well to a fair small slam. Since North had shown no values up to the point where he bid four spades when in fact he held two working honor cards in his partner's suits, he judged that he had enough to accept South's slam invitation.

West led a low club and declarer ruffed. Since the contract was home if diamonds broke 3-3, declarer decided to bank on that possibility or a defensive error. He ran all his trumps in the hope that a defender might sluff a diamond, but West had two clubs he could

afford to let go with impunity. When the diamonds broke according to the probabilities, declarer was stranded with two red-suit losers. Down one.

Declarer's plan was rather simplistic. He could have improved on it without any risk. Since he could afford to play three rounds of diamonds without touching trumps if the suit divided evenly, declarer might be able to overcome a 4-2 diamond break if East was the defender who was short in diamonds.

Correct technique after ruffing the opening lead is to cash the ace of diamonds, cross to dummy's queen and lead a diamond toward the closed hand. That puts East on the spot. If he discards, declarer wins the king, ruffs a diamond with the jack of trumps and then draws trumps. At the end, declarer concedes a heart, but makes his slam.

East, therefore, must ruff the third diamond, but declarer now has yet another string to his bow. He follows with his low diamond and ruffs East's club return. Now declarer draws just one round of trumps, then tries to cash the king of diamonds, discarding a heart from dummy. If East started with a doubleton trump as well, he cannot ruff and declarer is home. He cashes the ace of hearts and ruffs a heart in dummy, and the rest of his hand is high.

Your play to the first trick could decide the fate of the contract! A writer once remarked: "There's no such thing as a blind opening lead, only deaf opening leaders!" Learn to find the winning attack with Charles Goren's "Opening Leads." For your copy, send \$1.70 to "Goren-Leads," c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 259, Norwood, N.J. 07648. Make checks payable to NEWS-PAPERBOOKS.

## Letters Request Volunteers For Bus Monitor

Local residents are presently receiving letters from the Pitt County Board of Education asking for adult volunteers to act as school bus monitors.

According to Pitt County School Superintendent Ott Alford, the request is being made in lieu of the recent bus-related death of a local first grader.

"Over the past several years two other students have been killed. Daily there is the risk that bus accidents will occur, with any number of students injured or possible killed," according to Alford.

The County Board of Education has requested funds to pay bus monitors of the General Assembly. Completed forms should be returned to school principals.

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## Handicapped Child Families To Meet

Plans are now underway to establish a group type situation for families in Pitt County who have a handicapped child between the ages of five and 15.

Under the auspices of the Pitt County Easter Seal Society, the concept of the plan is to establish a situation where entire families with a handicapped child can get together to explore similar interests and problems.

A first meeting to decide on objectives and to plan activities will be held Tuesday, March 14. Persons interested in the possibility of becoming part of this group are asked to call Emily Egerton at 758-3230.

In addition to individual family interest, Ms. Egerton is also seeking assistance by interested

church, civic and other community groups in an effort to create widespread interest in the program.

Any group or agency that would like to offer assistance is asked to call Ms. Egerton at the number listed above.

## Bake Sale By Church Women

Meadowbrook Pentecostal Holiness Woman's Auxiliary is holding a bake sale Saturday, March 11, at Harris Super Market on Greene Street. The sale begins at 9:30 a.m. and the public is invited.

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# CAMERA *Angles*

By IRVING DESFOR  
AP Newsfeatures

In the world of photography, tiny Switzerland has taken a far more dominant role than its diminutive size would indicate. It has an impressive roster of native Swiss photographers whose talents, travels and photo-reportage have illuminated distant reaches of the globe and whose influence has had a major impact on the world at large.

That is something I learned from a truly international day of "Dialogue," the first in the spring semester symposia which are part of the International Center of Photography's Education Programs. ICP, under director Cornell Capa, is New York City's only museum and meeting mecca devoted solely to photographers and photography.

The "Dialogue" was a full day of discussions by and with a delegation of Swiss photographic personalities who came to install and introduce the first extensive survey of the work of Swiss photographers over the past 130 years to be seen in this country. The exhibition, "Passport to the World: Swiss Photographers from 1840 until Today," includes 300 photographs by 117 photographers along with additional work by Swiss photographers Walter Bosshard, Robert Frank and Christian Vogt.

The exhibition was organized by Pro Helvetia in Zurich in collaboration with the Swiss Foundation for Photography. The installation at ICP was made possible by a grant from Ciba-Geigy Corp.

The discussions were led by Rosellina Bischof-Burri and Nicholas Bouvier. The widow of Werner Bischof and wife of Rene Burri, two of Switzerland's most noted photo talents, Rosellina organized the Swiss Foundation for Photography in 1971 and is photography curator of Kunsthhaus, Zurich's art museum. Bouvier is a photographer, writer, picture researcher and board member of the Swiss Foundation for Photography. Other participants included Gad Borel-Boissonnas, a photographer, director of the Canon Photo Gallery in Geneva, and a fourth-generation descendant of a dynasty of Swiss photographers whose first influence was felt a full century ago.

Another was Christian Vogt, 32, one of Switzerland's most famous contemporary photographers. Still another participant was Herbert Matter, Swiss-born but New York-based for 30 years, a pioneer of photomontage and leading designer of photo-oriented graphics that today, decades later, still look like avant-garde designs.

Bouvier noted that though photography was discovered in France and announced to the world in 1839, Europe's first photo exhibition took place in Switzerland in 1840. The ICP exhibit includes a catalog cover of that year showing the work of a landscape painter who introduced photography into Switzerland and organized the first public display.

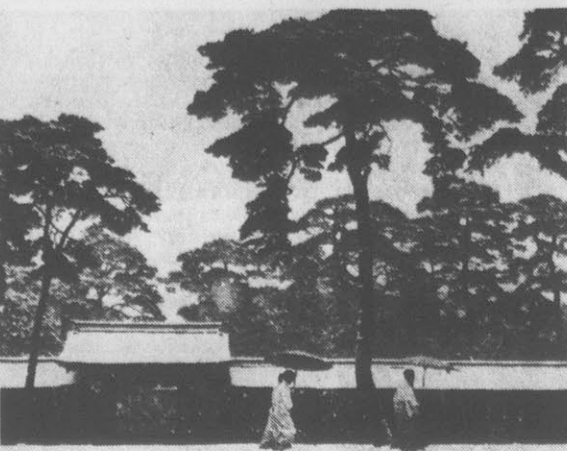
Since then, every phase of photographic expression has been explored by Swiss photographers in pursuit of images of beauty, of technical improvisations or of social concern. The Swiss are remarkable travelers and they took their cameras with them. In 1899, we see examples of photo-reportage by a Swiss physician visiting Italy and in 1902 the results of a bank clerk's trip to Russia.

One of the greatest globe-trotters was Walter Bosshard, a pioneer photojournalist, who sent back reports from inaccessible areas of Tibet, Turkestan, China and Mongolia, starting in 1927. He was the first European correspondent to photograph Mao Tse-tung in Yenan in 1938. A lost treasure of his records and films was unearthed by Rosellina Bischof-Burri and the Swiss exhibit includes some of his hitherto unpublished photographs.

But of all the Swiss photographers, it was Werner Bischof who pricked the world's conscience with his concerned reportage of the disabled, war's horrors, refugees, and the devastating famine in India in 1951. His sensitive photos triggered global reaction and inspired the U.S. Congress to send relief. He was sensitive, too, to the beauty of people and countryside such as he found in Japan and was discovering in Peru in 1954. A tragic accident there in the Andes mountains ended his last assignment.

In a short time period, the deaths of two other close colleagues deprived the world of a trio of talented, compassionate craftsmen. Bob Capa was killed by a landmine in Indo-China and Chim-David Seymour died covering the Suez in Egypt in 1956.

The triple loss motivated movements in Switzerland led by Rosellina, Bischof's widow,



Shinto priests in the garden of Meiji Temple, Tokyo, 1930  
Photograph © Werner Bischof, Magnum Photos  
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**SWISS PHOTOGRAPHER** Werner Bischof made this memorable vision of Shinto priests in Tokyo's Meiji Temple garden in 1930. It appears in an exhibition of Swiss photographers, "Passport to the World" at New York's International Center of Photography.

and in the United States by Cornell Capa, Bob's brother. The projects aimed to perpetuate the ideals of concern for mankind as exemplified by these three "photo brothers," to preserve their work and achievements, and to encourage others to continue in their mold.

Their efforts, which brought about the Swiss Foundation for Photography in Zurich and the International Center of Photography in New York, come full circle with the appearance of the Swiss exhibit at ICP. At the conclusion of its display there on March 5, the "Swiss Passport to the World" will be available for circulation in the United States by the Inter-

national Center of Photography. For those unable to see the exhibit, a beautifully illustrated catalog is available at a nominal charge (\$1.50 which includes postage). Write to: Swiss Catalog, ICP, 1130 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y. 10028.

### ON DEAN'S LIST

**WINSTON-SALEM** — Annis Beaman Paschal, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Paschal of 1709 Rosewood Dr., Greenville, has qualified for the first semester dean's list at Wake Forest University.

Miss Paschal is a senior and an English major.

## Conflict-Of-Interest Charges In 3 Towns

**WAYNESVILLE, N.C. (AP)** — Nine current or former officials in three Haywood County communities face misdemeanor conflict-of-interest charges for allegedly doing business with the towns they were representing.

District Attorney Marcellus Buchanan had criminal summonses issued and served this week charging the nine defendants, who are from Waynesville, Hazelwood and Canton,

with violating a state conflict-of-interest statute.

In Waynesville, Aldermen Douglas Worsham, Ronnie James, Jack Nichols and Henry Foy were charged with doing business with the town over several years.

Those charged in Canton were Town Manager William G. Stamey, former Mayor F.E. Shull and Alderman Frank Pressley. In Hazelwood, acting Town Administrator L. Deryl Davis and Alderman William S. Prevost Jr. were named as defendants.

Buchanan said the summonses required no bond to be set by the defendants. A trial date on the charges has not been set, he said.

According to an investigation by Waynesville Town Attorney Richlyn Holt, Worsham allegedly sold more than \$6,000 worth of goods to the town over the past three fiscal years through his firm, Waynesville Plaza Hardware.

Holt found that James, half-owner of J&J Auto Parts in Waynesville, allegedly did some

\$2,000 business with the town, while Nichols allegedly did \$40 business with the town through Colonial Floral and Gifts, in which he holds stock.

Nichols has already reimbursed the town, officials said. Holt also alleged that an associate in Foy's architecture firm had done business with the town, enhancing their partnership.

In the Hazelwood cases, Davis is accused of purchasing auto parts for his private car under a town contract account. Prevost, a dentist, is accused of

selling two lockers, valued at \$50 each, to the town for \$15 each.

In Canton, the charges against Stamey are related to alleged misuse of public funds, while Shull and Pressley are accused of doing business with the town.

Town records reportedly show that Shull did more than \$2,000 business with the town through his Nantahala Hardware store and that Pressley did more than \$15,620 business with the town through his Pressley Paint and Body Shop.

### Some Control

#### Time Of Death

**PROVO, Utah (UPI)** — A sociologist says people may have more control over the time of their deaths than has been thought.

Prof. Phil Kunz says 46.3 percent of the population covered in a study he did at Brigham Young University died in the three months following their birthdays. He said this "indicates that many 'accidental' deaths may be suicides, and that death may be more a subconscious (or conscious) desire than simply the 'Grim Reaper' stopping for a visit."

Kunz found the pattern true whether the victim had suffered a long illness or died of natural or accidental causes. He said the correlation between birthdays and death may occur because people take stock of themselves around birthdays or reverse birthdays as special days worth living for, then die soon after.



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# Real Estate Franchising Threatens Small Firms

By SONJA HILLGREN  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — In the age of multinationals and conglomerates, small businessmen still flourish in real estate. But times are changing and the small fry are joining together in order to survive.

The change, embraced by small firms who feared competition from strong local chains, was spurred in part by Anthony J. Yniguez.

After 19 years as a Northern California realtor, Yniguez sold out to his partner in 1962 and

spent a year golfing at Pebble Beach while he came up with a new idea — franchising real estate.

"It was basically a 'Mom and Pop' business throughout the country," the father of real estate franchising recalled. He dreamed of a national real estate business, but realized a centralized firm would be hampered by different real estate laws in 50 states.

To this day, he anguishes over the legal bills his firm must pay to stay abreast of laws in each state.

"I couldn't see that any company would grow large in this country in a single entity," he said.

He decided to gather existing independent real estate brokers under a common name. In exchange for franchises, he would offer sales training, marketing research, recruiting help, joint advertising, management development, referral and an image.

Yniguez, 54, wanted a national company with one name while retaining local ownership in each community. "When the idea came out of the other end of the tunnel, we found we had franchising."

In 1966 he established Red Carpet Corp. of America with six offices in Contra Costa County, Calif. At the end of 1977, the firm had 970 offices in 13 states with hopes of 3,500 by mid 1982. Red Carpet has many copiers, some larger than the original.

There is some dispute over Red Carpet's claim to be the first real estate franchise operation.

Gallery of Homes opened its first office in 1949 in Rochester, N.Y., and offered franchises the

next year, emphasizing selling homes with attractive photographs shown in a living room setting.

Now located in Atlanta, Gallery, which has 700 members, claimed to be the first, but Yniguez insists he created the first total franchise system and that in its early days Gallery was mostly a real estate photograph network.

"They did not get into the full franchise business until they were nudged by Red Carpet," said Yniguez.

Red Carpet kicked off 1978 by entering the Washington area, one of the world's premiere real estate markets. Two years ago the marketing team decided to enter the area because of its mobile population, high median income, emphasis on resale homes and relatively young home buyers.

Twenty-eight real estate firms, courted by the firm, added Red Carpet to their name and, as required by the franchise agreement, laid red carpeting in their offices.

Each firm put up \$7,900 and promised to pay 6 percent of their monthly gross income.

Yniguez promoted the opening in the capital and its Virginia and Maryland suburbs as the beginning of an invasion into the East. The next targets are Baltimore, Norfolk, Va., and Philadelphia.

A grand opening dinner and ball was held at, by coincidence, the red-carpeted Sheraton Park Hotel. The newly affiliated brokers were dressed in red blazers, garb recommended by Red Carpet, and seated around tables with red table cloths.

"Are you sitting in office waiting for roast duck to fly in open mouth?," chided real

estate educator Brian Roper, quoting a Chinese proverb, as he gave the real estate brokers a taste of Red Carpet's upbeat training.

W. Ronald Evans of Washington recently took a five-day Red Carpet course in real estate management and a three-day course in communications skills. He will use the company's films and video tapes to train others in the Washington area.

Evans, vice president of the local Red Carpet realtors council which coordinates cooperative advertising, said he was introduced to Red Carpet by a California friend who increased his business two-to three-fold after three years with Red Carpet.

Robert and Barbara Shreffler said their County Wide Realty Inc. firm is prospering in Gaithersburg, Md., a suburb where a nice home can still be purchased for a reasonable price by high-priced Washington standards.

Mrs. Shreffler said they must look to the future when independent firms like theirs might be swallowed up by large local chains.

After talking with several franchisers, Shreffler chose Red Carpet. He was impressed with the image and the newly designed red and black trademark which he believes will make his "for sale" signs stand out.

The initial cost to Shreffler was an estimated \$15,000, including the \$7,900 fee, installing red carpet, changing his signs and printing new cards and stationary.

"I've made lots of money tonight in tips," he joked,

comparing his red blazer to the hotel waiters' uniforms. But he said the blazer will help his image.

Electronic Realty Associates, known as ERA, is another group which gravitated to the financial rewards in the Washington area, and other major real estate market areas, along with other imitators of Red Carpet.

In less than one year in the area, ERA has signed up 27 realtors. The firm, established in 1972 in Kansas City, has about 2,600 offices.

ERA calls itself a network, not a franchise, because it sells its services in exchange for monthly fees instead of percentages of gross commissions. It features a national multiple listing service and transmits facsimile photographs to ERA offices throughout the nation.

Tim McCoy, sales manager of Time Realty, said his firm's business in the Washington suburb of Falls Church, Va., had improved since it joined ERA.

Century 21, which opened its first offices some six years after Red Carpet, has far surpassed the original in size. It has 5,200 offices in the United States and Canada.

The long range goal, according to Robert E. Williams, local director of administration, is 10,000 offices.

Century 21's Williams attributes his firm's greater growth compared to Red Carpet to its "decentralized management" system in which 32 sub-franchises have been sold to individuals who have control over 32 regions of the nation.

Yniguez disagrees with that concept, saying the sub fran-

chises are an extra layer of management he would rather do without.

Homes for Living, which is a marketing network and not a franchise, was established in 1962. It has 900 firms and 1,800 offices in its network, which charges membership fees, but does not take a percentage of gross profits.

Realty World International, established in Canada in 1973 with its first American offices opening in Boston in 1975, has more than 750 offices, including 25 in the Washington area. Its headquarters are now in the nation's capital.

"The independent realtor who is fighting to retain his identity and compete against the chains has only one place to go — to a franchising operation," said Carmon Greer, a senior vice president of Realty World.

There is pressure from another angle. Some large firms, like Coldwell Banker of Los Angeles, are rapidly acquiring local real estate firms.

In those early real estate franchise years, when some persons were skeptical about the new idea, it took Red Carpet five years to grow to 100 offices but only one and a half more years to reach 500. Yniguez said the pace of growth slowed down after the brokers complained they were getting insufficient attention.

A new push is on. A number of executives have been replaced and a five-year plan was drafted. The firm began 1977 with 659 offices and ended the year with 970.

Yniguez controls about 30 percent of the private corporation and nearly 30 other

stockholders share the remainder. The profits are plowed back into the firm and Yniguez hopes to issue a dividend in a couple of years.

The central office in Walnut Creek, Calif., has only 40 persons. "We're thin," he said.

The National Association of Realtors estimates 10 to 15 percent of the nation's real estate firms are associated with franchisers.

The association's trade magazine recently featured an article about franchise successes and failures.

Those who were pleased with their franchises said the trademark, advertising and referrals spurred growth and helped them compete against local chains.

The unhappy ones complained about the size of monthly commissions, which range from 6 to 8 percent, and said they lost name recognition when they took on a new name.

They objected to the amount of bookkeeping required by the franchiser, said the concept failed if there were poor area directors and complained that highly touted training programs were inadequate.

"We neither applaud the movement, nor oppose it," said an NAR spokesman.

## Ready To Be Rebel Again

QUITMAN, Ga. (AP) — Harold Cooper is Field Marshal of the Brooks County Militia, and just because there haven't been any militiamen since the Civil War is no reason to neglect the office, he says.

Cooper, who also is a farmer, thinks the time is ripe for resurrecting the militia and rebelling once more against the Union — all in good fun, of course.

He figures income-tax time is the best time.

Here's how his plan goes. Rebels seize the cannon at the armory here and mount it on Cooper's pickup truck. Thus armed, they march east and block off nearby Interstate 75.

That would trap all the tourists in Florida, and the Sunshine State would sink beneath their weight.

After Florida falls into the ocean, the nearby town of Nankin would suddenly find itself with an oceanfront, a beach, and lots of rich tourists furnishing revenue to finance the new nation of Brooks County — without income taxes.

## Cite 72 Safety Violations

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Two years after two explosions killed 26 men at a southeastern Kentucky coal mine, federal officials have cited the Scotia Coal Co. for 72 mine-safety violations.

The Blue Diamond Coal Co. of Knoxville, Tenn., which owns Scotia, could face fines totaling \$720,000, officials with the federal Mine Safety and Enforcement Administration said Wednesday in Washington.

The federal agency's assessment office will determine the size of the penalties and is not expected to announce its decision for several weeks.

A Blue Diamond official said the company will appeal the citations.

The Scotia mine uses non-union labor and has continued in operation during the 94-day coal strike.

## Filing Biggest Number Claims

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — The Carolina Brown Lung Association says it is planning its largest filing of worker-compensation claims to date with the state Industrial Commission.

The filing is planned for the end of a "memorial procession" through Raleigh for victims of brown lung, or byssinosis, a lung disorder common among textile workers exposed to cotton dust. Victims have difficulty breathing and are vulnerable to other respiratory diseases.

The association said the claims would be filed Tuesday. The commission already has a large backlog of brown-lung claims which have been disputed by textile companies.

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# Watching Universe In Arizona

By ARTHUR J. LINGLE  
TUCSON, Ariz. (UPI) — Tour guide Joe Underwood braces against the railing to avoid slipping on the ice patches. The dome interior of the world's second largest telescope — the 158-inch Mayall — is kept at about 35 degrees and that means having a refrigerated floor. Rising heat waves would distort the view.

The 11,000-member Papago Indian tribe, the second largest in the country, owns 3 million acres here and Uncle Sam leases the 2,400-acre mountain site from them. The mountain observatory is virtually self-sufficient. A support crew of 50 workers, from auto mechanics to carpenters, keeps operations running smoothly for the 15 to 25 astronomers who live there from several days to several weeks.

The visiting astronomers, more than 250 a year from throughout the world, are housed in one of four dormitories. There is a staff of nine cooks to prepare four meals a day; a midnight meal is a necessity for the stargazers. It is said astronomy is one of man's first basic sciences. It still has an ecumenical look here with astronomers coming from places like Australia, France, Germany and the Soviet Union. Recently Kitt Peak's top administrators spent a month in China.

"We're not like a military industry making offensive weapons," said Dave Moore, the observatory's spokesman. "Everything we have is open to all to see." Some 76,000 visitors took advantage of the invitation last year. The standout attractions on the mountain are the Mayall and McMath telescopes.

"If we could flatten out the Earth a little, one of our medium-sized telescopes could pick up a man lighting a match on the Empire State Building 3,000 miles away," he says. "But the 375-ton instrument behind me is so delicately balanced, like a fine watch, that it can be turned by a one-half horsepower motor — the equivalent of a vacuum cleaner motor."

This is the world where fiction becomes science: the 20-year-old Kitt Peak National Observatory. It is the nation's research and development center for ground-based astronomy in the Northern Hemisphere and a must stop for anyone who has ever looked above and wondered about the universe.

There are actually two Kitt Peak facilities: the main headquarters encompassing a city block in Tucson near the University of Arizona campus, and the mountain observatory, 50 miles to the southwest. The 15 massive white telescopes — the largest concentra-

HOLDING SERVICE  
Elder Jessie Wooten of Plainfield, N.J., will hold services at Oak Grove Holiness Church Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 3 p.m. The public is invited.

## Rotary Club Defies Rule

DUARTE, Calif. (AP) — Some 818,800 men around the world belong to Rotary Clubs. So do three women, and the tiny maverick club that broke the rules to admit them vows it will keep them, even if it loses its charter.

With 23 members, the Duarte Rotary Club is not exactly a giant among Rotary International's 17,530 affiliated clubs worldwide.

But the Duarte chapter, which admitted the three women last April, is contemplating legal action to try to persuade the organization's Illinois-based governing body to allow the women to stay despite an all-male membership provision in the Rotary International constitution.

"We have already made a decision to keep the women," club secretary Bill Brooks said Wednesday. The governing body has threatened to revoke the local charter unless the club kicks out its female members by March 27.

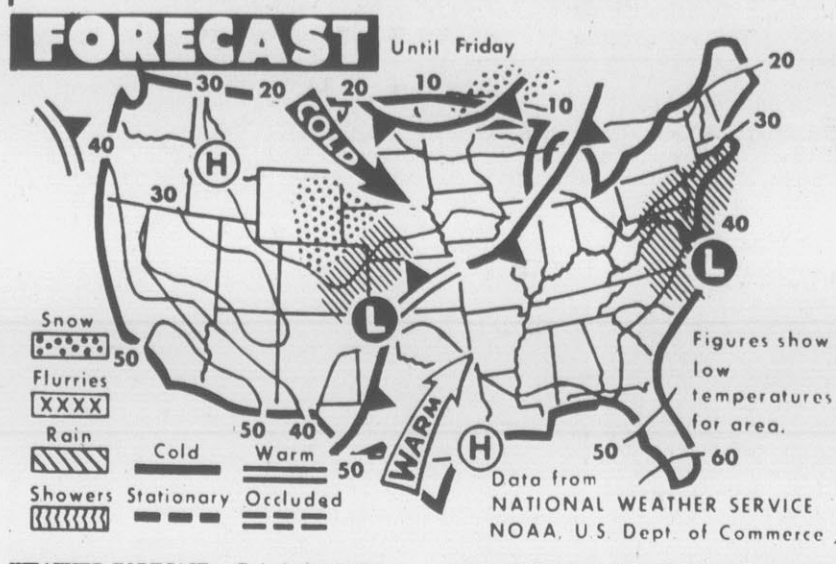
"I do think that there are some people who feel that someday there may be lady members. But that change would not be possible before the next legislative council meeting in 1980," said Paul Bryan of Pasadena, the international's district governor.

But even in 1980, he acknowledges, sexual integration may not be possible. "Many countries outside the United States feel more strongly about keeping it all male," he noted.

"The basic issue is that Rotary is a service club, organized for the purpose of bringing the business and professional community together for fellowship and service," said Brooks. "Now a significant portion of that community is women. Rotary cannot be effective and continue to exclude women."

The Duarte club, now 25 years old, is the only one which has ever admitted women, according to records at Rotary International headquarters at Evanston, Ill.

## How's The Weather?



**WEATHER FORECAST** — Rain is forecast today for coastal areas from the Carolinas to southern New England. Rain and snow are expected for the central Plains. Warmer weather is due in the East but the cold is expected to continue in the northern Plains. (AP Laserphoto Map)

By The Associated Press  
A complex low pressure system over the Southeast left North Carolina with gloomy, drizzly — and cold — weather today, not much different from the gloom, drizzle and cold of Wednesday.

Precipitation had diminished today but where it occurred across the northern tier of counties it was freezing, as it was the day before. However, it had slackened to light rain or drizzle.

Over the eastern slopes and foothills in the western part of the state and in the northwestern mountains icy roads still presented some travel haz-

ard and a travelers advisory was in effect. The cool damp weather was expected to continue through tonight but by Friday the low pressure system should be moving out of the state. Little temperature change was seen through today and tonight with readings clinging to the mid and upper 30s, especially over the north central area.

With slow clearing from the west there is the prospect of a return to readings mostly in the 50s Friday. Temperatures around the state Wednesday hovered in the 30s and 40s although Cape Hatteras reached 60 degrees for the day's high. Low readings

this morning generally were in the 30s from the mountains to the coast.

**Tide Table**  
Atlantic Beach  
Friday

High Tide	Low Tide
AM 7:57	AM 1:47
PM 8:20	PM 2:06

Moon: Full Moon  
Adjustments for tide at:  
Beaufort +1.08  
Cape Lookout +.02  
Boque inlet +.29  
New River inlet +.31

## Class Planning Ft. Macon Visit

The ninth grade class of Pace Academy will visit Fort Macon on Friday, March 10. The class is presently studying the 1860 Civil War and the tour of the fort will further aid the students in understanding the life of the soldier during this period of American History.

Ms. Gigi Bumgarner, Social Studies teacher, and Ms. Ann Burden will accompany the class.

## Given Deeds To 4 New Centers

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Gov. Jim Hunt has turned over the deeds to four new community centers to representatives of the Indian communities at the sites of the new facilities.

The four centers are near Dunn, Bolton, Essex and Clinton. An existing center near Fayetteville was expanded.

The centers were paid for with a \$500,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

## Randolph-Macon Cadet Promoted

FRONT ROYAL, VA. — Mack Carlton Stocks II, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Stocks of 211 Churchill Drive in Greenville, has been promoted to the rank of Airman First Class in the Virginia 91st Air Force Junior ROTC Cadet Group at Randolph-Macon Academy in Front Royal.

Currently a junior at the Academy, Cadet Stocks was informed of his advancement by Col. Denis J. Driscoll, USAF (Ret.), Aerospace Education Instructor.

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THE DOOR SUCKER MUST BE TONE DEAF.

**Hobbit**

WHO'S SENDIN' THE MESSAGE, LUGH?

WIFE, SHE'S IN TOWN. FOUND A NEW DRESS SHE LIKES.

NOW, SHE'S BEGINNIN' TO SWEET-TALK ME.

**Blondie**

MADGE TIDROW WAS BRAGGING ABOUT HER HUSBAND AGAIN TODAY

I HATE IT WHEN SHE BRAGS ABOUT HER HUSBAND

ME TOO!

IT LEAVES US SO LITTLE TO SAY!

**Beetle Bailey**

THE PAINTERS CAN'T WORK ON YOUR OFFICE TODAY, SIR

DARN! THAT WAS GOING TO BE A GOOD EXCUSE TO PLAY GOLF!

IT'S SUCH A PERFECT DAY! I THINK I'LL PLAY ANYWAY

WHO ARE THOSE GUYS? A COUPLE OF PAINTERG

**Phantom**

A PLEASURE TO SEE YOU, PRINCE TIRANAN. WHAT LURED YOU OUT OF THE MOUNTAINS...?

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DEEP WOODS? WHERE THE PYGMIES LIVE?

YES, UTTERLY AMAZING! I'LL TELL YOU ABOUT IT.

BUT FIRST... ARE YOU ENJOYING LIFE SINCE YOU RETIRED FROM THE PATROL, COLONEL?

I MISS THE OLD DAYS...

**Frank & Ernest**

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OUT TO THE BIGGEST LUNCH YOU EVER SAW

# Charter Flight Rules Harder

By LOUISE COOK  
Associated Press Writer  
Qualifying for a low-cost charter flight is easier today than ever before, but making your way through the rules and regulations to avoid trouble is much harder.

Civil Aeronautics Board figures show that domestic charter traffic in the 50 states, as measured by civilian, revenue-producing passenger miles, increased 36 percent from 1973 through 1977. By the same measure, scheduled service increased only 24 percent in the same period.

Much of the growth is due to the liberalization of rules on who can and cannot participate in a charter. You no longer have to belong to an organization to take a charter, for example.

The CAB recently eased the rules still further, to help charter operators who said their survival was threatened by new discount fares on scheduled airlines. Among other things, the new regulations—in effect on an interim basis, pending permanent action—reduce the advance-purchase period required for ABCs (Advance Booking Charters) and eliminate minimum-stay restrictions on ABCs and ITCs (Inclusive Tour Charters).

The agency reports that 13 percent or 2,200 of the 17,000 complaints it received in 1977 concerned charters and some of the trouble may stem from confusion over who is responsible for what.

According to a new CAB booklet, "Consumers Guide to Air Charters," the first thing to remember is that a charter is a flight which has been specially arranged by a contract between the operator of the aircraft and the charterer. You, in turn, sign a contract with the charterer. It is this charter operator—not the airline—who is responsible for such things as reservation changes, refunds and flight cancellations.

When you buy a charter, you may find yourself traveling on a plane flown by a scheduled airline or by a supplemental one which operates charters only. All of the airlines must

meet CAB economic regulations and Federal Aviation Administration safety standards.

Even if you fly on a scheduled line, you are flying a charter. Rules governing charters apply: rules governing scheduled service do not.

Just about anyone can organize a charter flight; organizers are not licensed by the federal government. The CAB does require the organizers to comply with certain regulations, however. The notice "CAB Approved" in a charter advertisement indicates that the required paperwork has been filed and has not been rejected; it does not mean the CAB has endorsed or approved the program.

One of the key CAB regulations protects passengers' money in case a trip is canceled or there is some other problem. Under current rules, the charter organizer has one of two choices: post a large surety bond, similar to an insurance policy, or post a small bond and set up a special escrow account with a bank which holds passengers' money. The passenger contract must name the company which has posted the bond or the bank which has agreed to hold payments in escrow.

## 01 PUBLIC NOTICES

109 acres located six miles from Robersonville, North Carolina on State Road #1547. That certain tract of land contains 109.22 acres, more or less, located in Carolina Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and bounded, now or formerly, by lands owned by and/or in the possession of persons as follows: on the North by the Estate of V. L. Roberson, East by the Estate of Vernon Carson and Oscar Bullock, on the South by State Road #1547 and on the West by Ella T. Roebuck; said tract lying approximately six miles southwestwardly from the town of Robersonville on State Road #1547, and being more specifically described as follows: Lying and being situated on the north side of State Road #1547 and beginning at an iron pipe in the northern right of way line of State Road #1547 at the point 3696 feet westwardly from the center line of the intersection of State Roads #1547 and #1548, the southwest corner of Oscar Bullock; running thence along the northern right of way line of State Road #1547, N 49° 30' W 1127 feet to an iron pipe, the southeast corner of Ella T. Roebuck; thence with the line of Ella T. Roebuck and along a fence N 40° 15' E 836.46 feet, N 35° 30' E 151.58 feet, N 33° 00' E 122 feet to the center of a canal, N 42° 00' E 1282 feet and N 72° 30' E 1100.25 feet to the center of the run of Flat Swamp; thence with the center of the run of Flat Swamp S 30° 0' E 187.96 feet, S 2° 00' E 51.08 feet, S 6° 00' E 23.87 feet, S 1° 00' E 342.33 feet, S 1° 45' E 163.5 feet, S 40° 45' W 219.75 feet, S 36° 00' E 190 feet, and S 29° 00' E 108.67 feet, a corner of the northern right of way line of Flat Swamp; thence S 45° 00' W 130 feet, S 29° 45' E 145.25 feet, S 73° 00' E 117.81 feet, S 3° 00' E 123 feet, S 1° 45' E 198.75 feet, and S 1° 45' E 65 feet to the center of the canal in the Vernon Carson line; thence with the center of the canal N 75° 00' W 206.25 feet, N 72° 45' W 200 feet, N 89° 00' W 100 feet, S 88° 15' W 50 feet, S 82° 30' W 108.67 feet, S 73° 30' W 115.32 feet, S 67° 30' W 185.79 feet, S 77° 30' W 116.5 feet, and S 80° 00' W 89.79 feet, a corner in the canal; and thence along a wire fence, the Oscar Bullock line, S 40° 30' W 1748 feet to the point of beginning, all as shown on a plat entitled "Plat of Land Belonging to R. H. Parker" prepared by L. S. Manning, R. L. S. dated 12/11/77, and recorded in the Public Registry of Pitt County in Map Book 22, at page 101, to which map reference is hereby made and being that identical land conveyed to Royal A. Guraanus and wife, Linda B. Guraanus, and Thelma G. Roberson, by C. W. Everett, Sr., Commissioner, Special Proceeding, entitled "Bank and Trust Co. vs. Edgewood Bank and Trust Co.", to which proceeding and deed of conveyance reference is hereby made.

**EXECUTOR:** There is excepted from the foregoing description the following described lot of land: Lying and being situated in Carolina Township, Pitt County, State of North Carolina, on the north side of State Road #1547, and beginning at an iron pipe in the northern right of way line of said road at a point N 49° 30' W 283 feet from the southwest corner of the intersection of State Roads #1547 and #1548, and the southeast corner of the premises above described as shown by map recorded in the Public Registry of Pitt County in Map Book 22, at page 101, running thence N 40° 30' E 150 feet to an iron pipe, a corner; thence N 42° 00' E 1282 feet, and thence with the northern right of way line of State Road #1547, S 49° 30' E 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Together with all and singular the rights therein, fixtures thereon and appurtenances thereto in anywise whether now or hereafter acquired, which shall include, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

All rents, issues and profits, including all of rents, and all improvements of any kind or description, including all buildings, and the plumbing, heating, ventilating and lighting systems and equipment therein; all fences and gates and all timber now or hereafter standing or growing on the premises.

The above described property is subject to the Deed of Trust recorded in Book 442, Page 65 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County and the Deed of Trust recorded in Book E45, Page 64 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

The above said will be made subject to all encumbrances existing prior to the recording of the above referenced deed of trust, and also be subject to all taxes and special assessments outstanding against the property.

The successful bidder at sale will be required to make an immediate cash deposit of ten percent (10%) of the amount bid up to and including One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) plus five percent (5%) of any amount over One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

This 1st day of March, 1978.  
David L. Ward, Jr.  
Substituted Trustee  
310 Broad Street  
P. O. Drawer 86  
New Bern, North Carolina 28560  
Telephone Number: (919) 633 1000  
March 9, 16, 1978.

**IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS**

State of North Carolina  
County of Pitt  
All persons, firms, and corporations having claims against EDWIN E. RAWL, JR., Deceased (hereinafter called "Decedent"), of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, are notified to present their claims to the below named personal representative of the Decedent's estate on or before the 28th day of August, 1978, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 28th day of February, 1978.  
Julia Williams Murray  
P.O. Box 83  
Grimesland, N.C.  
Executrix of the estate of Fannie Campbell, deceased.  
March 2, 9, 16, 23, 1978.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The undersigned, having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Mary Sally Jackson, deceased, of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate, to present them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of August, 1978, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 28th day of February, 1978.  
Janie and Earl Radford  
Executors  
Mary Sally Jackson  
Route 8, Box 543  
Greenville, NC 27834  
Robert D. Rouse, III  
James Hite, Cavendish & Blount  
Attorneys at Law  
P. O. Drawer 867  
310 Broad Street  
New Bern, N.C. 28560  
March 9, 16, 23, 1978.

**NOTICE OF RESALE**

State of North Carolina  
County of Pitt  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Substituted Trustee in that certain deed of trust subject by Triangle Farms, a partnership, and Cecil R. Roberson and wife, Thelma G. Roberson, and David Earl Whitworth, dated May 2, 1977, and recorded in Book Q45, at Page 347, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said deed of trust and under and by virtue of the authority granted to said Substituted Trustee by Authorization, Findings and Order entered by the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County and of record in File 77 SP 396 on the 12th January, 1978, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust and said deed of trust being by the said Roberson and Whitworth, and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, the undersigned Substituted Trustee offered for sale the property described in the deed of trust to the highest bidder at the Court House Door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon on the 14th day of February, 1978, when and where Robert Earl Briley and Carl Augustus Briley became the last and highest bidder at the sum of Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00).

WHEREAS, within the time allowed by law, an advance bid was filed with the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, under and by virtue of said Order of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County and the various orders and authorities referred to above and the power of sale contained in said deed of trust, the undersigned Substituted Trustee offered for sale upon said opening bid of Sixty Three Thousand Five and No/100 Dollars (\$63,050.00).

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of said Order of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County and the various orders and authorities referred to above and the power of sale contained in said deed of trust, the undersigned Substituted Trustee offered for sale upon said opening bid of Sixty Three Thousand Five and No/100 Dollars (\$63,050.00) for cash at the Court House Door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon on the 21st day of March, 1978, the land conveyed in said deed of trust, the same being owned and held by Triangle Farms, a partnership, and Cecil R. Roberson and wife, Thelma G. Roberson and David Earl Whitworth, and being more particularly described as follows:

Being generally described as a dwelling house and approximately

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**GREENLIN 1973.** Low mileage. 758 3259.  
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## 11 Buick

**BUICK 1976 Regal.** Air, AM/FM, lan dau top. 758 4095 after 5 p.m.  
**BUICK 1973 LeSabre.** 57,000 miles. AM/FM radio, air. Excellent mechanical condition. 752 0345, 6 10 p.m.  
**BUICK 1972 Skylark.** 2 door hardtop. Air, vinyl top. Make offer. Must sell. 758 7196.

## 12 Cadillac

**CADILLAC 1972.** Full power. Good condition. 746 0860 after 5 p.m.

## 13 Chevrolet

**CORVETTE 1974 for sale by owner.** All extras. \$5500. 746 4452 after 6 p.m.  
**CAMARO LT 1976.** Power brakes, power steering, tilt wheel, AM/FM stereo, front and rear spoiler, silver blue. \$4,500. Call 756 4467 days. 756 6341 nights.

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**CHRYSLER 1974 Cordoba.** Fully equipped, low mileage, new radial tires. \$3900. 752 2320, ask for Bob.

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**CAMARO 1974.** Vinyl top, new paint, power steering, power brakes, air. 746 3076, days. 746 4205, nights.  
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## 19 Oldsmobile

**OLDSMOBILE 1973 Cutlass Supreme.** V 8, automatic, power steering, power brakes, air conditioning. AM/FM stereo tape player. Excellent condition. \$2100 or best offer. Call 758 8565.

## 20 Plymouth

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## 21 Pontiac

**PONTIAC 1968 Tempest Sedan.** 2 door, V 8, automatic. Just had tune up. \$450. 746 3973.  
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**SALESPERSON WANTED** for carpet store inside and outside sales. Experience in carpet area desired. Salary negotiable. Send resume to "Carpet Salesperson," P. O. Box 1967, Greenville, NC.

**STOCKROOM ASSISTANT** wanted. Experience necessary. Apply in person at J. D. Dawson, 2818 East Tenth Street.

**PERSON WANTED** to install roof air, awnings, storm windows, etc. C. L. Lupton Company, 752 6116.

**PART-TIME** afternoon and evenings, 8 immediate openings to do phone work. Contact Frank Panzer at the Ramada Inn, 756 2792 after 9 a.m. this Friday, Saturday, Sunday or Monday.

**CARPENTER.** Part time. Must have tools and transportation. Call 752 5700.

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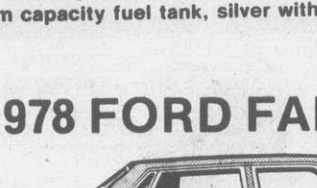


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# Idling Crop Land Urged By Bergland

By GEORGE TIBBITS  
Associated Press Writer  
SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Taking a modest amount of cropland out of production while providing for additional farm storage of surplus crops "is the only prudent thing to do" this year, says Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland.

Bergland told the National Farmers Union convention here Wednesday that the unpredictability of the weather and other crop growing factors would make a large-scale land set-aside program risky. But he also warned all-out production would be unwise.

"The time has come to cool it — we can't stand this fence-to-fence farming," he said.

The decision farmers face this year, Bergland said, is whether to take land out of production and risk bad weather and subsequent small yields, or plant and be prepared to store surpluses. He noted that the 90-day forecast calls for cold and wet weather.

"I'll be a hero or a bum depending on what happens in the weather area," he said.

Bergland said the Agriculture Department is pressing for an international trade agreement for farm products. He said the United States' trade policy should be "one of expansion, but steady and predictable."

Earlier Wednesday, Sen. Herman E. Talmadge, D-Ga., and 15 other senators introduced a bill calling for \$2.3 billion in mandatory payments for farmers who take a certain amount of land out of production.

Bergland told a news conference prior to his speech that he did not yet want to make a judgment on the bill. But he said he doubted the bill could pass in time to help this year's crops.

He said the Senate cannot act on the Talmadge bill until other matters — including the Panama Canal treaties — are dealt with first. He said the bill might not become law before May, when most of the grain crops will have been planted.

"It seems unwise to buy land out of production after planting," Bergland said.

Bergland pressed for support of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1977. He said the act, which provides money to store surplus grain on farms, gives farmers tools to control production and avoid depressing markets with surpluses.

At the news conference, Bergland said the concept of 100 percent parity was a "fine, laudable, notable and achievable objective." But he said he would rather see full parity reached through the free market than by government intervention.

Bergland also said the American Agriculture Movement has helped publicize farm problems.

He said those engaged in demonstrations over farm prices and imports "have done a great job in attracting attention" to farm problems. But he said the demonstrations should stop short of breaking the law.

# 'Symbolic' Blockade Prepared By Farmers

By GEORGE E. CAMPBELL  
Associated Press Writer  
NOGALES, Ariz. (AP) — With farmers and law enforcement officers assuring they will keep the peace, 100 farmers today prepared a symbolic blockade of Mexican produce trucks two miles north of the international border.

The demonstration, expected to get under way around midday, will be much smaller than had been hoped for by American Agriculture Movement organizers, who at first said they expected as many as 2,000 protesters.

The farmers will use 35 tractors to block a road two miles from the U.S. Customs Service compound, where one produce-laden truck has been crossing the border every minute during the current Mexican winter

vegetable season. At an informal session Wednesday night, demonstration organizers and Santa Cruz County Sheriff Jaime Teyechea

said they were confident the protest will not result in violence. "I'm happy to tell you that I am comfortable with you people," Teyechea told the farmers. "I don't anticipate any problems because there has been direct communication between myself and your leaders."

## Revival Series Begins Monday

WINTERVILLE — Revival services will begin Monday at the Winterville Pentecostal Holiness Church. Services will be held through March 17 and will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The evangelist will be the Rev. Ronnie Carpenter of Holmes Theology College of South Carolina.

The Rev. Lin Kilpatrick, pastor, invites the public to attend.

Jim Breckenridge, a blockade organizer from Elfrida, Ariz., issued a warning to fellow farmers: "We're down here for a peaceful demonstration. The first guy who gets out of line, I'll break his arm. We'll control our own people."

Gov. Bruce Babbitt sent a member of his staff here to help coordinate law enforcement activities. The governor also met

Wednesday with Sonora, Mexico, Gov. Alejandro Carillo Marcor, and the lieutenant governor of Baja California, Armando Gallago.

Babbitt said the Mexican officials were concerned because they felt the demonstration could result in damage to international relations and that the farmers' problems have nothing to do with Mexico.

"I told them that the farmers have a constitutional right to demonstrate," Babbitt said. "I also said I have a constitutional duty to see that no laws are broken."

The protest is part of the continuing nationwide farmers' strike aimed at getting parity prices for farm products.

In addition, farmers here say they are concerned that Mexican farmers use the insecticide DDT on their crops, while that chemical is banned in the

United States and U.S. farmers must use more expensive products.

There has been some speculation by farmers here that the Mexican government, unhappy with a similar blockade last week in Texas, will order produce trucks held on its side of the border to avoid the blockade.

"If the Mexicans don't send any produce across, we will be there the next day," Breckenridge said. "If they send some vegetables across, then we'll have done the job."

The organizers said they hope to back up 200 trucks with the blockade. The Arizona Department of Public Safety was expected to line up patrol cars as a buffer between the tractors and any trucks reaching the blockade area, organizers said.

Law enforcement authorities did not say how long they

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