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Council Backs Occupancy Tax Concept

By DON REUTER
Reflector Staff Writer

The Greenville City Council has unanimously approved the concept of a 3 percent room occupancy tax to promote and market the convention and travel industry in the Pitt County and Greenville area.

Convention, travel and tourism in 1986 provided jobs for over 200,000 Tar Heel residents with total salaries exceeding \$1.6 billion, Pitt-Greenville Chamber of Commerce President Ed Walker told council members at a workshop Wednesday night.

"The convention, travel and tourism (business) in the past 10 years has grown dramatically to become North Carolina's third largest industry and the state's fastest growing industry," Walker said.

The executive committee of the Pitt-Greenville

Chamber of Commerce and board of directors asked the county, in cooperation with the city of Greenville, to seek legislation to levy a room occupancy tax of no less than 3 percent.

The resolution calls for the creation of an authority for a Convention and Visitors Bureau charged with the responsibility of using the total tax revenue gained from the room occupancy tax for the sole purpose of the promotion and marketing of the convention and travel industry in the Pitt County and Greenville area.

The authority would be comprised of 12 members to be appointed by the chamber of commerce, the City Council and Pitt County Commissioners.

Each body would appoint one voting member, two representatives from the hotel or motel industry or other taxable accommodations, and an outside delegate to the

authority, according to an amendment suggested and approved by the council.

City Manager Gail Meeks said the council's views will be communicated to the Pitt County Commissioners, who will "take it from there."

There are now 1,328 motel or hotel rooms available for travelers and conventioners in the Pitt-Greenville area, according to Walker, who said 3,669 of the present jobs in Pitt County are travel related.

"The travel dollar in the area has the 'ripple effect' and extends its benefits to a list of suppliers and customers, sales, and use tax revenues generated by the industry and provides the state and its communities with over \$120 million in additional income," he said.

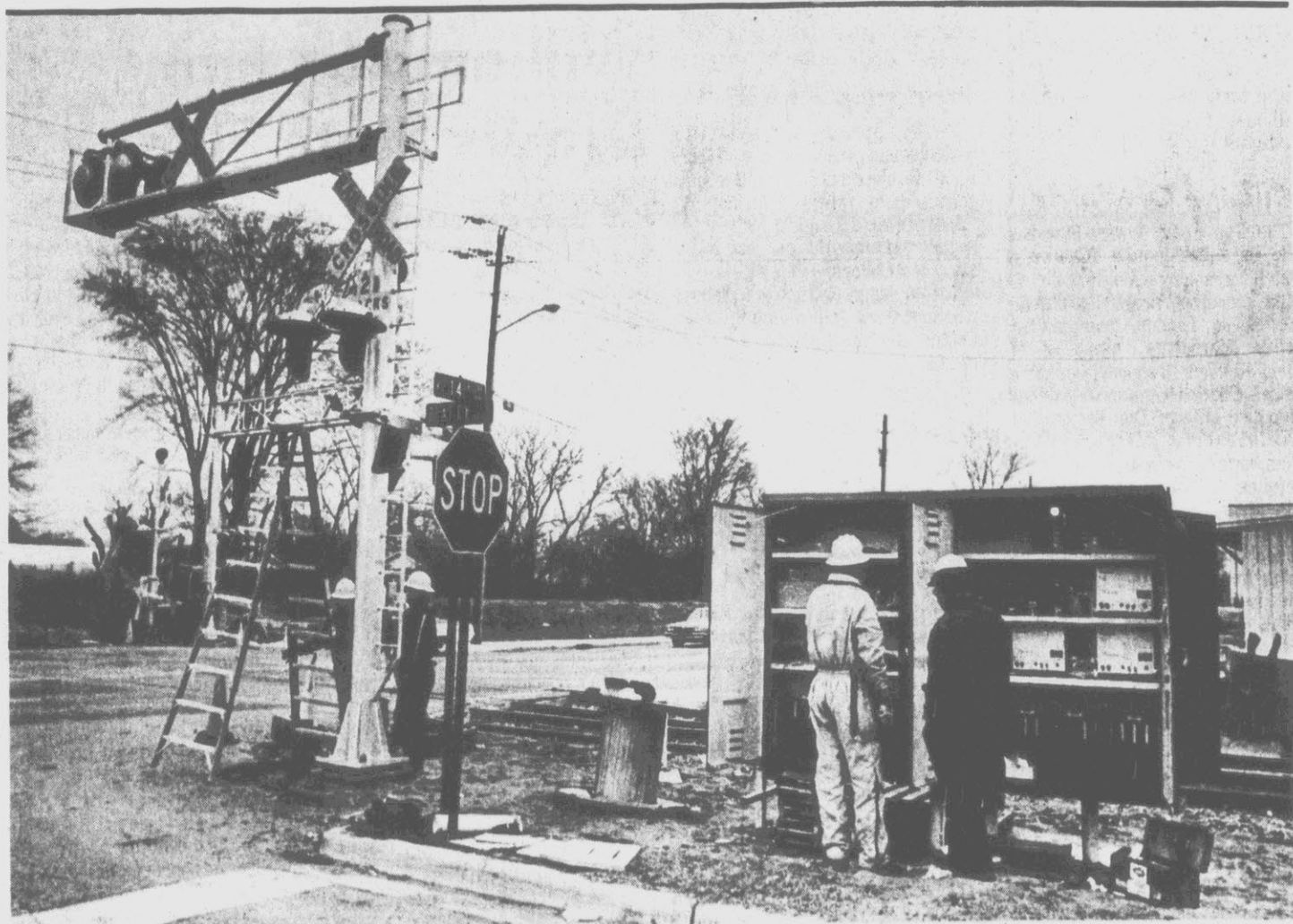
The Pitt-Greenville area has started to feel the increase in the industry, according to Walker, who said the limited

resources have hampered marketing efforts.

"In the past five years, there has been a drastic growth in this industry that has added to our economy almost \$50 million per year," he said. "There has been limited resources for the promotion for this industry to the Pitt County and Greenville area."

Walker said a diverse group of area businesses will benefit from the occupancy tax.

"The distinctive makeup of the industry encompasses a diverse group of organizations from hotels and motels to convention centers, to restaurants, parks, historical attractions, amusement centers, special retail shops, service stations, travel agencies, airlines, construction firms, laundries, food and beverage distributors, to furniture and textile manufacturers, and suppliers of a long list of services required to meet the needs of those traveling," he said.



NEW SIGNALS INSTALLED — Workmen from CSX Transportation Corp., formerly Seaboard Coastline, install new railroad crossing signals at 14th and Beatty streets Wednesday. The gates and flashing light signals were expected to go into operation this afternoon, CSX officials said. The signals, which cost about \$80,000 to install, will be electronically activated. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

Jones 'Furious'

Monitor Will Go To Newport News

By JANE WELBORN
Reflector Staff Writer

Remnants of the ironclad USS Monitor recovered by East Carolina University will be on permanent display in the Mariners' Museum in Newport News, Va., despite efforts to keep the artifacts in the state of North Carolina.

Democratic Rep. Walter B. Jones Sr., who represents Pitt County, said today he was "furious" with the manner in which the decision has been handled.

More than 100 artifacts from the

USS Monitor, including the ship's anchor and a hull plate, will be housed in the Mariners' Museum.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Wednesday chose the Mariners' Museum over four competitors: The Smithsonian Institution in Washington, the state of North Carolina, the South Street Seaport Museum in New York and the city of Portsmouth, Va.

Jones, head of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee,

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Martin Defends Budget Proposal

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Jim Martin said today his proposed 1987-89 budget is solid and that suggestions it is out of balance are "fun and games."

Martin, responding at his weekly news conference to criticisms by a legislative leader, said his \$19.6 billion spending package includes safeguards in case of an economic downturn.

"The governor of this state is required to submit a balanced budget. This governor has submitted a balanced budget," Martin said. "Any suggestion to the contrary is ... fun and games."

Sen. Kenneth Royall, D-Durham, chairman of the Advisory Budget Commission, said Wednesday the

administration had used questionable procedures in compiling the proposed budget.

Royall criticized the Martin plan to use \$180 million expected to be unspent at the end of the 1987-88 fiscal year for capital projects in 1988-89. Such money usually is set aside as a "rainy-day" fund to keep the budget in the black if the economy falters, Royall said.

The Martin plan amounts to "deficit spending," Royall said in a meeting of the Senate Appropriations Committee.

Martin, however, said his budget allowed for use of the capital improvements money for other pur-

(See BUDGET, A-3)

Funding For Data Processing Unit Included In City Budget Requests

By DON REUTER
Reflector Staff Writer

A \$111,232 request has been included in Greenville's 1987-88 budget to account for expenses associated with the operation of the city's new data processing system.

"The primary objective of the data processing department during fiscal year 1987-88 will be to implement computer equipment which will have the capabilities to support the city for the next several years," Finance Director Ron Kimble told City Council members at a budget workshop Wednesday night.

In addition to the equipment, the department will begin the implementation of software applications which will continue for approximately four years, according to Kimble, who said a new position is included in the request.

"The addition of one staff member with operations and programming experience and/or training will provide assistance and support in the daily operations of the computer equipment and the hardware/software troubleshooting which will be required on a periodic basis," Kimble said.

"Without this support, time would be spent on detailed tasks rather than on efforts which will be required to continue with the implementation of additional software applications."

The budget request for the newly created data processing department includes \$51,301 in salaries, \$54,143 in operating expenses and \$5,788 in capital outlay.

The council also reviewed line items in budget requests from legal services, finance-accounting, finance-purchasing, finance-tax, fi-

nance building services, parking authority, and debt service departments.

Council members were given an overview of preliminary expenses expected in each department, according to City Manager Gail Meeks, who said she will provide recommendations after studying all of the city's needs.

"These are still very preliminary budgets," she said.

A request of \$103,118 from the legal services department marks a \$16,693 increase from the estimated total of \$86,425 in the present budget.

The city attorney's office request includes \$93,220 in personal services, which encompasses salaries. The figure is up \$15,317 from \$77,903 in 1986-87.

"Department objectives for fiscal year 1987-88 will be to provide legal assistance and support to all city

departments, City Council, and various boards and commissions," City Attorney Mac McCarley said.

"This budget includes an additional \$10,000 for professional services anticipated for litigation of annexation and sign regulations."

The department of finance-accounting has requested \$272,834. The budget requests include \$153,839 in personal services, \$118,015 in operating expenses and \$980 in capital outlay.

"The processes and procedures in the finance department are now set for the changes brought about by computerization," Kimble said.

"Some of the highest priorities with the new in-house computer involve general ledger, revenue and expenditure, subsidiary ledgers, payroll and personnel packages, ac-

(See FUNDS, A-16)

Patient Talking

A Beaufort County man who received a new heart at Pitt County Memorial Hospital was reported doing well, awake and talking today.

The heart recipient, a 58-year-old former auto mechanic, underwent the six-hour transplant procedure Tuesday night, the first such surgery that has been done at Pitt Memorial.

According to Art Schneider, cardiac transplant coordinator, the recipient was still listed in "critical but stable condition," but his physicians were pleased with his progress since the operation.

Before the surgery the man had been experiencing heart stoppage and had to be defibrillated on the way to the operating room.

Neither the recipient nor the donor's identity has been announced by the hospital. It was reported this morning that the donor was at Pitt Memorial when the transplant took place and that the transfer from donor to recipient was done immediately.

The Weather

Forecast

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Low in upper 20s. High Friday in upper 40s. Light wind tonight.

Looking Ahead

Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, fair Monday. Lows near 30. Highs mostly in 40s.

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Cullipher Faces Chrysler Suit

By DON REUTER
Reflector Staff Writer

Chrysler Motors Corp. has filed a civil suit against Joe Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth Inc. of Greenville and Joe Cullipher asking for more than \$126,000 in damages resulting from alleged violations of its dealership agreement.

The complaint charges Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth and Cullipher "unlawfully, willingly and knowingly conspired among themselves in a series of schemes and devices to defraud Chrysler of money and prop-

erty, which was filed on Jan. 8 in the southern division of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan, also alleges "Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth and Cullipher repeatedly caused letters, sales incentive payment claims, sales incentive payments and other materials to be delivered by U.S. mail" to further "the series of schemes and devices to defraud Chrysler."

Chrysler is a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Highland Park, Mich. Cullipher is a North Carolina corporation with its

principal place of business in Greenville.

Joe Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth Inc. became a dealer franchised to sell Chrysler, Plymouth and Dodge vehicles at retail and wholesale by virtue of a Direct Dealer Agreement signed between the automobile maker and Joe Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth Inc. (then named Bright Leaf Motors Inc.) in 1971 in Highland Park, Mich.

According to the suit, Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth was selected for an audit in early 1986 as a result of a report made to Chrysler's security

department, which contained details of schemes to obtain improper sales incentive payments from Chrysler.

"Chrysler's audit revealed that certain claims for sales incentive payments were submitted, by or on behalf of Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth and under the supervision of Cullipher, for vehicles which were represented to Chrysler as having been sold at retail during those periods of time for which incentives were offered," the suit said.

"Such vehicles were sold at retail,

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In The Area

Wednesday Thefts

Investigators said six thefts were reported to Greenville police Wednesday.

Officer D.W. Nichols said a notebook, a pair of gloves, \$5 in cash, a North Carolina driver's license and a car title were taken from the glove box of a vehicle parked at 203 Staffordshire Drive in an incident reported at 8:53 a.m., while a video cassette recorder valued at \$450 was taken from a vehicle parked at Kings Arms Apartments in an incident reported at 1:16 p.m.

Officer F.G. Pruitt said a television set valued at \$452 was taken from Rent America at Greenville Square Shopping Center in an incident reported at 10:25 a.m. and a flute valued at \$1,000 was taken from Rose High School in an incident reported at 12:32 p.m.

Officer J.G. Jenkins said a wheel cover and fender skirt, with a combined value of \$240, were taken from a car parked at 1401 Polk Ave. in an incident reported at 11:22 a.m., while Officer J.M. Jones said a television set and \$60 in cash were taken from 707 Colonial Ave. in an incident reported at 3:28 p.m.



SOLITUDE — Hurley Bottoms blends into the background as he steps onto a rocky section of the Yadkin River in rural Forsyth County. Bottoms, who lives near the river in a lean-to shelter, says this spot is one of his favorites to sit and think. (AP Laserphoto)

Insurance Fraud

Julian Lee Myers, 24, of 111B Toby Circle was arrested by Greenville police on insurance fraud charges Wednesday.

Detective G.W. Williams said Myers was charged in connection with an investigation that resulted from a report the department received on Jan. 29 of a break-in at Myers' Toby Circle home.

Myers reported \$400 worth of property was taken from his apartment in the break-in, said Officer Alexander Batts, who conducted the initial investigation.

Break-In Charge

Greenville police arrested Thomas Arthur Morgan, 41, of 100 Burrington Road on a breaking, entering and larceny charge Wednesday.

Officer C.M. Credle said Morgan was arrested about 9:05 p.m. in connection with a break-in at 33 Scott St.

Dormitory Leaders To Meet

Student residence hall leaders from nine colleges and universities across the state will meet at East Carolina University Friday through Sunday for a weekend of leadership training.

The 135 expected delegates will represent Appalachian State, East Carolina, Elon, Lenoir Rhyne, UNC-Charlotte, UNC-Greensboro, UNC-Wilmington, Wake Forest and Western Carolina University at the 1987 N.C. Association of Residence Halls' conference.

The North Carolina Association of Residence Halls (NCARH) has recently reformed as the student branch of North Carolina Housing Officers (NCHO), an organization for professionals in student housing. ECU, through the guidance of Dean Carolyn Fulghum, associate dean and director of residence life, has been instrumental in reconstructing the NCARH constitution and the annual conference. Dean Fulghum, along with Don Miller, director of residence life at Lenoir Rhyne College, received an award at the 1986 NCHO Conference for their efforts in reorganizing the student group.

Bryan Lassiter, the president of ECU's Student Residence Association, is serving as the president of NCARH for the 1986-87 term. Mike Kleinert, another ECU student, is serving as NCARH treasurer.

The programs, presented by students and professional staff from the various schools, will highlight community building, motivation, recruitment and retention, marketing, team building, and the interrelationship of campus resources.

In addition to the training sessions, ECU has planned activities including a banquet, a semi-formal dance, and casino party. Cynthia Kittrell, of the office of institutional advancement, will be the guest speaker during the banquet on Saturday.

that occurred earlier this month.

Credle said an estimated \$620 worth of bedding materials were reported taken from the Scott Street dwelling.

Man Is Arrested

Pitt County deputies have arrested Curtis Foreman, 20, of Snow Hill on charges of attempted rape, kidnapping and auto larceny in connection with an incident reported at about 10 p.m. Wednesday, Sheriff Ralph Tyson said today.

Foreman was apprehended in Greene County at about 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, according to Tyson, who said the incident allegedly occurred near Third Street in Greenville.

Foreman, who is being held in Pitt County Jail, was scheduled for a first appearance hearing in District Court today.

PTA Meets Tuesday

The Third Street School Parent-Teacher Association will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The program, focusing on black history, will include reflections, displays, skits and games.

Guest Speaker

Vanessa Reynolds of Community Christian Church will speak on "Sex Education From A Christian Perspective" at women's fellowship Saturday at 2 p.m. at the home of Tracey Phillips, 503-B Battle St.

UNC-W Dean's List

Two area students have been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington.

William M. Monroe Jr. of Green-

ville and Monica Stokes of Ayden were named to the honor list.

Students carrying 15 or more semester hours must earn a grade point average of 3.2 or better with no grade less than a B to be named to the list.

NAACP Meeting Set

The executive committee of the Pitt County branch of the NAACP will meet Friday at 7 p.m. at 403 Hudson St.

'Change Of Watch'

The Tar River Power Squadron held its fourth annual "Change of Watch" ceremony recently.

The squadron's new bridge officers are: Leon Gipson, commander; Ernest Marshburn, executive officer; Kathleen Kennedy, education officer; Charles Hammond, assistant education officer; Don Dunlap, administrative officer; Jack Chamberlain, secretary, and Gene Hamilton, treasurer.

In addition to the 53 members and guests participating in the event, 12 United States Power Squadron officials from across the state were in attendance.

The USPS is an organization dedicated to boating safety and education.

Rural Fire Report

During January, rural fire departments in Pitt County answered 103 alarms with 96 fires. A total of \$62,105 in property was lost in fires during the month.

Twenty-four of the fires involved houses, while four were mobile home fires and three were building fires. Nine of the calls were grass or wood fires, 10 automobile fires and 12 dumpster blazes.

Fire units assisted with 19

automobile accidents and seven mutual aids. Fifteen fires were listed as resulting from other sources. There were no false alarms.

There was a total of \$322,700 in property involved in fires, \$1,302,020 exposed to fire, and \$1,562,615 saved by the rural fire departments.

The Eastern Pines Fire Department had the most fires with 12.

Workshop At RTC

Kathy Sprau, a Greenville management supervision and personal development trainer, recently conducted a repeat workshop on "Assertiveness Training for Women in Management" at Randolph Technical College.

The daylong workshop in Asheboro was sponsored by the Small Business Center and the Chamber of Commerce.

Choir Concert

"Joint Choir Concert," featuring the combined voices of Belvoir, Black Jack, Grace, Parker's Chapel, Temple and Trinity Free Will Baptist churches will perform Sunday at 3 p.m. at Trinity FWB Church.

The guest director will be Blaine Hughes of Peace FWB Church of Wilson.

Materials Donated

Genstar Roofing Products Co. officials have announced a \$3,000 donation of materials to shingle the Ronald McDonald House of Eastern North Carolina.

"Donations of construction goods and services are an important part of

our campaign to raise funds for the house," said Sue Moffitt, Ronald McDonald House president. "We are pleased with this generous donation."

Construction is approximately 60 percent completed on the Ronald McDonald House, located off Moye Boulevard in Greenville. It is expected to be ready for initial use in June.

Services Scheduled

First Timothy Free Will Baptist Church will have services today and Friday at 7:30 p.m. Guests include Elder J.H. Wilkes, today, and Eldress Ida Edwards, Friday.

Chapter Session

The Pitt County chapter of AAMA will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Greenville OB-GYN office. Irene Lee of Pitt Surgical Associates will speak.

Youth Services

St. Matthew Free Will Baptist Church will have youth services Sunday at 11 a.m. with Elder Elisha Carmon of Ayden as the speaker. The Rev. Elbert Forbes of Washington Branch FWB Church will speak during the 3 p.m. service.

Arts Ball Saturday

The Black Business Professional Chain of West Fifth Street will have a Black American Heritage Arts Ball Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Bachelor Benedict Club House to benefit Concerned Citizens for Justice.

Tickets are available at Coutours Unisex Hair Designs, Swift Office Supplies, Flanagan Funeral Home and Wooten School of Music.

Dinner Sale Canceled

Progressive Free Will Baptist Church has canceled its dinner sale scheduled for Saturday.

Video At Church

The video "Rock 'N' Roll, A Search for God" will be shown Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Farmville Pentecostal Holiness Church.

New ECDS President

Dr. William Boyd Cox, a Greenville orthodontist, was recently elected president of the East Central Dental Society.

The 1987 board also includes Dr. Billy Williams of Greenville as vice president and Dr. David A. Howdy of Washington, N.C., as secretary-treasurer.

Williamston Firm Draws State Fine

WILLIAMSTON — The state of North Carolina has fined Malcom T. Lieberman of United Organics Corp. in Williamston nearly \$44,000 for 17 violations of environmental quality control regulations.

Paul Wilms, state Director of Environmental Management, said the major violation was for discharging production wastewater into the Williamston treatment plant. For that violation Lieberman was fined \$10,000.

The other 16 violations listed by the state were covered by air quality statutes. Lieberman was fined \$2,000 for each of the 16 violations.

Administrative costs of \$1,880 were added to Lieberman's fine for the \$43,888 total.

The water quality violation stemmed from problems with wastewater released in the fall months. Williamston officials shut down water and sewer service to the plant as a result of problems which developed at that time.

Wilms said the air quality violations occurred in October and November in 1986, mainly because Lieberman did not have the proper

permit for the process he was running.

Lieberman said he blamed himself for not having the proper permit, though he added that he did not know that he needed it. "I had gone over it with many people," he said, "and either they didn't tell me, or I didn't understand that I needed the permit. It was an oversight."

The process, used to manufacture antimony triacetate, would emit volatile organic compounds.

Lieberman did receive an air quality permit but it did not cover the process run at the plant. Wilms said also the permit was issued to Lieberman with certain stipulations, among which was the requirement that Lieberman submit "a malfunction abatement plan" to the state. Lieberman said he is now developing such a plan.

Wilms said Lieberman could pay the fine, stipulate and request remission based on mitigating circumstances, or contest the violations. Lieberman would not disclose his decision on the matter, saying only that it was between him, his attorney and the state.

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CALL POLICE

The Greenville Police Department would like to hear from the person who took an assault victim to the Police Department Sunday morning. Will this person please call Sgt. Simonowich, 752-3342 or 758-7777.

RJR Nabisco May Sever Leaf Division

WINSTON-SALEM (AP) — RJR Nabisco's board of directors will meet today and may discuss, if not vote on, a spinoff of the company's tobacco operations, which some analysts believe could raise about \$1 billion, a newspaper has reported.

F. Ross Johnson, RJR Nabisco's president and chief executive, told securities analysts at a meeting in Tampa, Fla., earlier this week that the firm is studying spinning off its tobacco operations into a master limited partnership.

A spinoff would probably not affect the majority of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.'s employees, the Winston-Salem Journal reported today. Johnson's rationale is that freeing RJR Nabisco of tobacco through an arms-length involvement in a limited partnership would increase the company's stock price-to-earnings ratio to levels comparable with other non-tobacco corporations.

Johnson told the analysts that the company is only studying the move and that nothing has been decided.

Two weeks ago, RJR Nabisco said

that it had "no plans to spin off its tobacco business to a master limited partnership, or to make any other permanent disposition of its tobacco interests."

But the company said Wednesday that it is studying master limited partnerships and their possible applications to its business.

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Volunteers Comb Avalanche Area For Missing Skiers

BRECKENRIDGE, Colo. (AP) — Two hundred volunteers joined 60 skilled mountaineers and dog teams today on an avalanche-gouged Rocky Mountain peak in the hunt for skiers missing in a massive snow slide that killed at least one man.

Helicopters were sent to the peak before dawn to drop explosives to release snow still hanging over the slope. Summit County Sheriff Delbert Ewoldt then sent in the search teams.

Ewoldt said officials were not sure how many skiers were missing, but "we have information for two for sure with possibly a third."

The avalanche Wednesday on an out-of-bounds slope beside the Breckenridge ski area in Arapahoe National Forest, 65 miles west of Denver in the central Colorado Rockies, cut a swath a half-mile wide and left a 40-foot-long fissure where it broke loose, said Dave Peri, Breckenridge marketing director. It

carried into a gully a half-mile below.

The body of one skier was dug from the snow Wednesday, and today, Summit County Coroner Marty Flohrs identified him as Martin Donnellan, 21, of Peekskill, N.Y. Apparent cause of death was suffocation, the coroner said.

He was the fifth confirmed avalanche victim in Colorado this ski season.

Australian skier Tim Kirkland escaped the avalanche and identified

three others in his party who apparently didn't make it.

"It looked like a huge cloud coming down," Kirkland told reporters in a hoarse whisper.

Kirkland said his group of four skiers saw the out-of-bounds signs and "skied under the ropes without stopping" because the steep area "looked attractive."

He said Nick Casey, 23, of Cambridge, New Zealand, lost a ski in the powder and the rest of the group

waited for him to reattach the binding.

"We were sitting in the snow when one guy right away yelled, 'Avalanche!'"

"All we could do is stand up and try to ski out of it. I'm the only one who did," Kirkland said.

He identified another member of the party as Paul Way, 23, of Auckland, New Zealand. The fourth person he identified as Wayne, a New

Yorker who was sharing a condominium with him.

John Webster, 31, of Mansfield, Ohio, who was among volunteers who found Donnellan about 3½ hours after the avalanche, said the man "was buried in about four feet of snow. He was completely blue. There was no air pocket. There was no pulse. They tried CPR but got nothing."

Wednesday's search was called off at 10:30 p.m., and officials held out little hope that more survivors would be found today.

Soviets Confirm Release Of Jailed Psychiatrist

MOSCOW (AP) — Anatoly Koryagin, a psychiatrist imprisoned in 1981 after accusing the Soviets of sending sane dissidents to mental hospitals, has been freed and allowed to return home, dissident Yelena Bonner reported today.

The Soviet Foreign Ministry confirmed Koryagin's release, and also reported today that dissident Josef Begun, an imprisoned Hebrew

teacher, has been pardoned and soon will be freed.

Bonner said she received news of Koryagin's release from his friends who telephoned to say he had returned to his home in the Ukrainian city of Kharkov.

"I don't know anything more about it," she said. "But he's free and at home."

In the Netherlands, the Bukovsky Foundation, a pro-dissident lobbying

group, said the 48-year-old Koryagin was freed Wednesday night in the Ukrainian capital of Kiev and arrived at his Kharkov home today.

The foundation said it confirmed Koryagin's release in a telephone call with a friend of the family who said Koryagin was "in very bad physical shape ... very pale and emaciated."

Both the foundation and Bonner said they had no information on any

conditions that might have been attached to Koryagin's release. Koryagin's wife, Galina, earlier said Soviet officials had urged the couple to apply to emigrate.

Bonner said she expected Koryagin would be forced to leave the Soviet Union in exchange for his freedom. The Bukovsky Foundation said the psychiatrist's family wanted to go to Switzerland.

Koryagin was sentenced to seven years in prison and five years internal exile in 1981 on charges of anti-Soviet agitation and propaganda.

He had published reports that at least 16 sane Soviet dissidents had been sent to mental hospitals. Koryagin also served as consulting physician to a private Soviet group created in 1977 to examine the use of psychiatry for political purposes.

Koryagin was allowed a family visit in September 1983 while he was in a Siberian labor camp. His wife later wrote she was horrified when she saw him.

"He was like a medusa, so bloated that his neck was wider than his face. It was covered with edemas (swellings) caused by protein starvation," she wrote. "Throughout his imprisonment, he has been constantly reduced to a state of extreme weakness. By the torture of cold, hunger and sleep deprivation, of harassment, humiliation, mental agony, and even beatings."

His release had been rumored for

weeks as part of an ongoing review by Soviet authorities of people sentenced under the country's anti-Soviet agitation and propaganda and anti-Soviet slander statutes.

The Bukovsky Foundation said Koryagin arrived in Kharkov today. "Dr. Koryagin came walking down the road just when Mrs. Koryagina and (a) friend were on their way to the post office in order to call the (foundation in) Amsterdam," the group said.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Gen-nady Gerasimov told reporters today

that Begun, "has been pardoned by a decree of the Supreme Soviet" signed on Tuesday. Gerasimov also said Koryagin had been released from prison.

Documents on Begun's release were being transferred to the Interior Ministry, and then would be sent to Chistopol prison, 500 miles east of Moscow, where Begun is being held, Gerasimov said.

"My guess is that Begun will be freed tomorrow," he said.

Chrysler Sues Cullipher Firm

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at times other than those times which defendants represented to Chrysler as the actual date of sale, and, further, were actually sold at times during which they would have been ineligible for such incentive payments," the complaint charges.

According to the suit, Chrysler's audit further revealed that certain claims for sales incentive payments were submitted for vehicles which were represented to Chrysler as having been sold at retail when such vehicles were placed into demonstrator service by the dealership and had not been sold at retail as claimed.

"Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth and Cullipher have actively concealed the existence, nature and extent of

their fraudulent activities," the complaint said.

"Acts in furtherance of concealment include willful omission of the date of sale of vehicles in various records that the dealership is required to maintain, and alteration of business records maintained by the dealership."

The suit also claims the acts and practices of Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth constitute material breaches Chrysler's Direct Dealer Agreement with the auto dealership.

According to the suit, the auto manufacturer is seeking three times the amount of \$42,000 in estimated damages, and awards for damages for Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth's breach of the Direct Dealer Agreement, and "consequential and exemplary damages for Cullipher Chrysler-Plymouth's fraudulent

conduct and breach of its fiduciary duties to Chrysler."

Cullipher was out of town and could not be reached for comment.

The automobile maker recently filed a petition in U.S. Eastern District Court in New Bern asking that an action filed against it by Cullipher be heard in District Court rather than by the N.C. commissioner of motor vehicles.

According to records on file with the court, Chrysler attempted to terminate Cullipher's dealership in November of last year on the grounds that the Greenville firm "failed to comply with or perform its obligations under the Direct Dealer Agreements."

But Cullipher filed a petition with the state motor vehicles commissioner in January asking for a hearing on the question.

Budget Defended

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poses if necessary. Martin, a Republican, contended that his Democratic foes were fishing for problems with his budget and might be unhappy because it leaves no money for "pork-barrel" projects.

"It doesn't leave a lot of play money ... a lot of wiggle room," Martin said.

On another topic, the governor said his administration is monitoring efforts by two companies, USAIR and Norfolk Southern Corp. to acquire Piedmont Airlines. But he said there was little his office could or should do

to ward off a takeover of the Winston-Salem airline.

Martin, who drew criticism from Democrats for allegedly doing too little to stop RJR-Nabisco from moving its corporate headquarters from Winston-Salem to Atlanta, said it would be wrong for the state to retaliate against businesses that make decisions with which North Carolina disagrees.

Such moves, he said, would send a signal that North Carolina is not a good state for firms that want to expand and gain a national reputation that might invite merger or takeover bids.



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— Art Buchwald —

Editorials

Funds Real Issue

If it's all the same to the United States Congress, we'd just as soon avoid repeating that debate over a 65 mph speed limit.

Instead, Congress should focus on the real issue — appropriating needed funds. The arguments (pro and con) are unchanged over the years and the same old issue is re-raised every time the country needs to spend more money on its road system and mass transit.

No longer is the Congress merely voting on a given number of billions of dollars for repairing and expanding the highway system, the appropriations measure is saddled with other causes; raising the federal speed limit and focusing attention on the budget deficit.

Appropriating highway money is the primary item to be acted upon. State officials and road builders need the funds for the coming spring construction season as soon as possible.

The U.S. House passed a \$91 billion highway bill January 21. That bill does not include a speed-limit increase. The Senate approved a \$65.4 billion highway and mass-transit aid bill last week. (The choice one, from our vantage point because it includes more money for North Carolina than does the House measure.) The bill allows states to raise speed limits to 65 mph under certain conditions.

Compromise is necessary. If a bill is not passed (as happened last year) and signed by Reagan by March, the North Carolina DOT will run out of money to award road projects.

N.C. Transportation Secretary James Harrington does not expect to recommend raising speed limits in the state even if Congress allows it. He explains a preliminary study shows there are few segments of interstates in North Carolina where the proposed 65 mph would be appropriate.

It is not at all similar to those vast wide-open spaces in some western states wherein a motorist could travel a hundred miles and the scenery would make him think he'd been standing still.

It would be better by far if Congress keeps its collective eye on the primary purpose of the measure: to appropriate the necessary funds.

Latchkeys

It would take a very aloof person with limited imagination not to feel a heartwarming reaction to attention being given latchkey kids.

They are the youngsters left to care for themselves after school — sometimes for hours. There are many of them.

The University of North Carolina's Center for Early Adolescence began a search for applicable after-school programs for children of working parents. Some programs fulfilled a double need: supervision of the child plus additional education opportunities.

Funding is an ever-present problem even when such programs are located in library basements, museums, or private schools. One site was even provided at an inner-city mass transit system.

A spokeswoman for the Center observed "It was almost like an Audubon search for the decreasing bird populations — we were looking for good programs while we could, because we saw some good programs dissolving before our eyes".

In Wake County, a program wherein lonely or sometimes frightened children could telephone a friendly voice, the sponsoring PTA Council says from 100 to 75 calls are made every school day.

Obviously there is a need in almost every community many people are unaware requires attention.

Grisly Task

The report of Army concerns over recovering bodies from battlefields of a nuclear war is unpleasant reading. The Pentagon is aware of this and hoping the issue can be handled without offending public sensitivities.

"Heaven help us", says a specialist on the staff who heads the Army's Graves Registration Work Group, "I hope we never have another war. But the issue has to be addressed to reflect modern warfare and techniques."

Not only is the project with recovering bodies from biological or nuclear weapons drawing attention — in itself a horrendous maze of problems — but also new identification processes are involved.

The research project was launched in wake of an Army Quartermaster School's study which was critical of the military's continuing reliance on methods dating to World War II.

New battlefield conditions require new methods or our country would be woefully unprepared. It leaves open the question of civilian preparedness in the event of "worst case" becoming reality.

The only answer has to be avoidance of such a cataclysm.

No Danger In Advertising

Should condom companies be permitted to beat the drum for their products on national TV?

I say they should. I had a passing acquaintance with condoms long before they became an advertising issue. But our generation never called them condoms. They were Trojans. Even in those days brand name was everything.

The first thing we learned in the P.S. 35 schoolyard was that Trojans came three in a pack, and you better carry them at all times because you never knew when lightning was going to strike.

We looked on anyone who carried Trojans as our role model, and believed as gospel everything he told us about his sex life. They were lies, all lies, but they certainly held our attention.

The toughest thing about Trojans was obtaining them from the drugstore. The attempt to purchase them has been dramatized in every

book and movie you can think of, and none of it is exaggerated.

On Jamaica Avenue it went like this. I entered and went to the soda fountain for a chocolate egg cream. Then I cased the store waiting for it to be empty, or as near to empty as it could get. I read comic books until Doc Fiedler's counter was clear.

Doc Fiedler always kept the Trojans under the cash register next to the Feen-a-mint and Jergens lotion. I once peeked back there to see how they were stacked. Finally I said, in a very high screechy voice, after buying a small tube of Ipana toothpaste, "Oh, I forgot. I believe I'll have a pack of Trojans, for my uncle."

Doc Fiedler looked at me suspiciously. "You got a date tonight with Jean Harlow?" he asked.

"Maybe. Are these the real thing?" "As I think back now I'm sure Doc had trouble restraining a grin. He said, "You can have a money-back guarantee on all three."

I gave him 50 cents and stuffed the Trojans in a wallet where they remained untouched for 10 years.

Then they were discovered by my sister who demanded to know what I was doing with them in my wallet. I said I bought them for an emergency when I was 12 years old, but sadly for everyone, I never needed them.

As most sisters would do, she called me a pig.

Even in the Forties, some people didn't appreciate the importance of having protection at a moment's notice.

As far as I can tell, Trojans went into a decline after World War II and miracle drugs took their place.

In fact, the lore has it that if it hadn't been for school kids buying Trojans to impress their friends, the company might easily have gone under.

Now condoms are back, and they're trying to sell them on na-

tional TV. I don't believe Doc Fiedler is still with us, but if he is he doesn't have to worry about putting Trojans under the counter anymore. You can have a nice big display in your store window, and no one could care less.

You would think now that Trojans are so popular I'd stock up on them. But that isn't the case. The fun of buying them was sneaking to the back of the store, and making my purchase before anyone caught me. Besides, what's the big deal of showing off to all my friends when they can see them for themselves next to the L'eggs display by the door?

I know there are people who object to the sale of condoms because they lead to promiscuity. They have nothing to fear. Ninety-eight percent of all men who carried them in their wallets for 40 years have never broken the seals.

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— W. Dale Nelson —

Questioning Reagan On The Run

WASHINGTON (AP) — The president was meeting with congressional leaders in the Cabinet Room about an arms sale to Saudi Arabia. From the back of the room, a reporter asked him if he thought members of the press should be prosecuted for security leaks.

At another time in the same room, the president was meeting with members of the Senate Finance Committee about a tax bill. Again, a reporter asked a question. This time, it was about the Saudi arms sale.

The two incidents, both last year, represent a type of question-and-answer session that used to take place about once a week at the White House. Except for such a session Wednesday, during which the president declined to answer most questions, reporters have not had that type of opportunity since Dec. 4.

White House officials decline to say why this is so. Until this week, Reagan had been on a reduced work schedule because of his prostate surgery in mid-January. But it is obvious that regardless of the subject of his White House meetings, reporters are free at such sessions to ask questions about whatever is in the news.

And the news has been dominated for weeks, since shortly before Dec. 4, by the crisis over secret arms sales to Iran and the alleged diversion of

'Until Wednesday, reporters wishing to question the president about these matters were limited to shouting queries at him as he went to or from Air Force One or his helicopter. Reagan, who is hard of hearing, often does not respond to such questions.'

some of the money to help Nicaraguan rebels.

Since Dec. 4, there has been conflicting testimony about whether Reagan approved arms sales in 1985; reports that an investigating board is looking into whether the White House attempted a cover-up; and confusion about how active a role Israel played in the sales.

Until Wednesday, reporters wishing to question the president about these matters were limited to shouting queries at him as he went to or from Air Force One or his helicopter. Reagan, who is hard of hearing, often does not respond to such questions. When he does, his on-the-run answers necessarily are brief, sometimes just one word. The reporters have no chance to follow up.

At Wednesday's session, at which the president was welcoming Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, he declined to answer questions about the Iran-Contra affair except to say

he would wait and see what investigators come up with. He also dismissed reports that chief of staff Donald T. Regan would soon leave the White House.

Such sessions, although helter-skelter, provide a slightly better chance for reporters to explore a subject. At the Saudi arms sale session, for instance, there were three questions about the sale and three about other subjects. At the Finance Committee session, reporters got in two questions about the deficit and two about the arms sale.

The question-and-answer sessions generally precede closed meetings, either in the Cabinet Room, the Oval Office or another meeting room in the West Wing of the White House. A small pool of reporters is allowed in along with photographers and cameramen.

Sometimes, as with the congressional leaders and Finance Commit-

tee members, the president begins the meeting with brief remarks in the open session, then the reporters ask their questions and are hustled out of the room.

At other times, the session is limited to what is called a "photo opportunity," at which photographers take pictures of the president greeting a visiting dignitary. This was the case Dec. 4, when Reagan was meeting with Panamanian President Oscar Arias Sanchez. Reporters asked Reagan three questions about the Fifth Amendment and executive privilege, and asked Arias one question about the agenda for their meeting.

Reporters have been clamoring for resumption of such "photo ops," as they are called for short, at the daily briefings in the White House press room.

Spokesman Marlin Fitzwater told them last Friday, "It's our decision on coverage of these events. It's arbitrary and that's the way it is."

W. Dale Nelson has been a reporter for more than 35 years and has covered the White House for The Associated Press since January 1985.

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— Elisha Douglas —

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— Joanne Omang —

Future Of Contra Leadership Hinges On Control Of Contra Army

WASHINGTON — With Adolfo Calero's resignation, the future of the contra leadership group, the United Nicaraguan Opposition, appears to hinge on control of the contra army.

That was the central issue that led months ago to the rift between Calero and the other two contra leaders, Arturo Cruz and Alfonso Robelo, and it will determine whether Cruz and Robelo resign from UNO as well.

Calero's move put Central American policy in flux, with all sides Tuesday pumping for advantage. The Reagan administration worked the phones to put the best possible public face on what the contras have admitted is a major crisis. In private, U.S. officials were negotiating furiously with Cruz and Robelo in an effort to keep them from leaving UNO, too.

"What we see happening today in UNO is a restructuring that will lead to a more cohesive organization with

a broader leadership that better reflects the total broad opposition to the Sandinista regime," said State Department spokesman Charles E. Redman. "Mr. Calero's resignation should be seen as part of that overall change."

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater agreed. "We want a stable and strong leadership in the resistance movement. If it works to that end, then that's healthy," he said.

Cruz and Robelo had been demanding Calero's resignation from UNO in order, they said, to broaden military decision-making power and to increase the emphasis given to political initiatives. Their effort has broad support in Congress, which approved the current \$100 million contra-aid program largely as a vote of hopeful confidence in Cruz and Robelo.

Calero, 56, bowing to pressure, said

Analysis

Monday he would leave the UNO directorate in order not to be "an obstacle" to renewed congressional support. He pledged to work with UNO for "one big army and one big organization" of Nicaraguan resistance fighters. State Department officials said Tuesday that Calero "took a serious hit" by resigning.

But Calero retained the presidency of UNO's largest faction and dominant military arm, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force (FDN).

Cruz said Tuesday he will still resign Thursday unless persuaded that the FDN will be subordinate to UNO.

That would require some kind of chief of staff or military commission under UNO with firm control over military finance, as Cruz has reportedly demanded, or a pledge of allegiance to UNO from FDN military commander Enrique Bermudez and some of his field commanders, or both.

Given the military leadership's longstanding suspicion of Cruz and Robelo for their early affiliation with the Sandinistas, any such commitment could prove difficult, but Robelo said Monday he is convinced it will happen.

"From now on, UNO will control the money, and with control of the

money comes control of the army," Robelo said at a news conference in Costa Rica. "In the near future, the FDN will disappear as such and become a cohesive part of the Nicaraguan resistance. ... Calero had to sacrifice himself for this and that's what he did."

Other contra officials said that was fine when viewed as a long-term goal. "Everybody is talking to everybody else right now and nothing is clear yet," one senior rebel said.

On Capitol Hill, it appeared that Cruz's ultimate position is likely to determine the attitude most Democrats and many moderate Republicans take to the outcome of the power struggle.

"It's terribly important to keep Cruz and Robelo for congressional purposes," one administration official said. "We don't have anyone

else at this point ... and you can't sell a decapitated organization to the Hill."

Conservatives led by Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., criticized Calero's departure as robbing UNO of its only decisive official.

But one leading Republican committee staff member said the GOP's chief concern would be whether the contras could unite to press the military and political initiative in the field against the Sandinistas, not whom they might unite under. The next meaningful vote on the issue is not likely until late summer or early fall, when President Reagan's request for another \$105 million in contra aid comes up, and by then, "the whole situation will be different," he said.

"None of those guys are indispensable in the final analysis," he said.

— George Gedda —

Off The Field Of Battle, The Contras Are Wounded

WASHINGTON (AP) — There were high hopes for the Nicaraguan resistance last fall when U.S. military aid was resumed, but internal rifts, waning American public support and allegations of misuse of funds raise fresh doubts about the future of their struggle.

Within a month after President Reagan signed the \$100 million aid package, the congressional elections cost the Contras several key supporters, and one of the rebels' most enthusiastic backers in the government, Lt. Col. Oliver L. North, was forced to resign.

There still has been no conclusive finding as to what happened to the millions of dollars North is said to have diverted to the Contras from the sale of U.S. arms to Iran, leaving the

impression among some critics that the money was stolen.

An investigation is under way to determine what happened to the \$27 million in non-lethal aid earmarked by Congress for the Contras in 1985. A number of other investigations of the Contras and their American backers also are being carried out.

Meanwhile, the administration appears to be having increased difficulty in winning converts to its view that Nicaragua's leftist government represents a serious threat to American security. A series of polls indicate diminishing public support for the government's policy. And the prospects for a negotiated settlement between the Contras and the Sandinista government do not appear bright.

The administration and the rebels maintain the battlefield situation has altered over the past 10 weeks with the penetration of more than 6,000 Contras deep inside Nicaraguan territory.

But the internal bickering of the Contras has overshadowed — at least in the public perception — whatever battlefield gains the Contras may have made.

The rift between Contra chieftain Adolfo Calero and his two associates, Arturo Cruz and Alfonso Robelo, took on a new dimension Monday with Calero's resignation from the United Nicaraguan Opposition directorate.

The State Department attempted to put the best face on the situation, attributing the leadership divisions to "growing pains" which ultimately

will lead to a stronger and more democratic resistance force.

The next hurdle for the administration is a congressional vote to disapprove the final \$40 million Contra aid installment for fiscal 1987. A majority in Congress appears opposed to the additional funding but the administration is expected to survive the test only because Reagan has enough votes to sustain a veto.

However, the outlook is not bright at this point for Reagan's anticipated request later this year for \$105 million for fiscal 1988.

Officials point out that Reagan's popularity was still high last year when the current aid allocation was approved but his standing in the polls has dropped sharply since then. Accordingly, his appeals this summer

for renewed assistance seem more likely to be ignored.

The administration must carry out its struggle this year without the help of two of the most committed anti-Sandinista operatives: North and the recently resigned White House Communications Director Patrick J. Buchanan.

Officials are convinced the Contra cause would have progressed much more than it has were it not for the 2½-year period starting in 1984 in which the rebels received no U.S. military aid because of congressional opposition.

Adm. William C. Crowe, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, told the Senate Armed Services Committee on Tuesday the Contras rebels have a variety of problems, but he said he's

optimistic about their future.

"They did not have a strategy, at least in my view," Crowe said, "and it was a ramshackle military operation that needed a great deal more focus, needed a great deal more training, and we're doing that now."

Crowe said last week the American people now seem more interested in battlefield results than they are in explanations for the lack of progress.

Saying the public mood is one of impatience, Crowe said, "I don't know of anyone who would ask the American public to go on indefinitely without progress."

George Gedda has covered the State Department for The Associated Press since 1975.

— David A. Vise —

Insider Probe Leads Into Heart Of Wall Street

The surprise arrests last week of senior executives of Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Kidder, Peabody & Co. and the guilty plea by a top official of Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc. have moved the Wall Street insider-trading scandal from the fringe of the financial world to the heart of the nation's investment banking establishment.

For nine months, the joint investigation by the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Justice Department had focused on individuals, such as stock speculator Ivan F. Boesky, who operated largely outside the Wall Street mainstream.

It also focused on a network of young superstars, headed by investment banker Dennis B. Levine, who were portrayed as climbing so far, so fast that their vision of right and wrong became blurred.

But now the whiz kids and the fringe players have moved to the side, making room in the defendants' dock for some of the best known, most highly regarded deal makers and traders at Wall Street's biggest firms. Charges that high-ranking executives of Goldman, Sachs and Kidder secretly swapped illegal insider information have put the fundamental integrity of Wall Street's most revered firms on trial.

"Integrity and honesty are at the heart of our business," says "Business Principles," a guideline for conduct that Goldman Sachs has included in its annual report. "Our assets are people, capital, and reputation. If any of these are ever lost, the last is the most difficult to regain. To breach a confidence or to use confidential information improperly or carelessly would be unthinkable."

Equally unthinkable was the scene at Goldman headquarters Thursday morning, when a team of government investigators walked in and escorted away Robert F. Freeman, 44, the executive in charge of arbitrage.

A few blocks away, another team entered the Kidder trading room, arrested Senior Vice President Richard

B. Wigton and led him away in handcuffs and tears.

Soon the two were in court beside Timothy L. Tabor, a 33-year-old veteran of Kidder, Chemical Bank and Merrill Lynch, who was arrested at his apartment.

One day later, prosecutors arraigned Martin L. Siegel, co-head of the merger department at Drexel, Burnham for conspiring with the other three during his earlier employment at Kidder. By trading confidential information in violation of their company policies and federal law, the four made millions in the stock market, the government charged.

Samuel L. Hayes, a Harvard Business School professor who specializes in investment banking, said the involvement of veteran Wall Street professionals in the scandal disproves theories that Wall Street's illegal activity has been confined to highly paid newcomers who lacked the maturity to handle their success.

"I don't think the malfunctioning of the moral compass is a function of age," Hayes said. "You can see it in the examples of these people taken off (arrested). They were not young people. They have plenty of experience and have had plenty of chances to test their own capacity to handle the pressures and to respond appropriately. They apparently failed that test."

Hayes said the surprise arrests last week of Goldman's Freeman and Kidder's Wigton were an attempt by the government to send a strong warning to other Wall Street professionals. Most of the others implicated in the insider scandal thus far had been contacted by telephone or interviewed by government attorneys and asked to turn themselves in voluntarily.

"The dramatic way in which the federal marshals came into the Kidder's guy's office and clamped the handcuffs on him, and the way they came into the Goldman office is part of the deterrent," Hayes said. "The humiliation of that is extraordinary.

It is like in the Middle East where they have public whippings. The pain is nothing compared to the public humiliation of being marched out like that."

The charges last week are not expected to be the last in the case. U.S. Attorney Rudolph W. Giuliani said the investigation is expected to continue for about another year, with

additional charges filed in the interim. Giuliani said the extensive cooperation of those implicated in the scheme is leading the probe in new directions, including reviews of the activities of Wall Street professionals not yet publicly linked to the scandal.

According to papers filed in court, Goldman's Freeman participated in

a scheme with Kidder officials to swap secret information about mergers that the firms' investment bankers were helping to arrange. Federal securities laws prohibit the use of such information to make stock-trading profits.

At Kidder, Wigton and Tabor were on the other end of the illegal con-

spiracy with Freeman, which netted their firm "millions of dollars," in trading profits, according to court papers. While Freeman is accused of trading stocks personally as part of the scheme, prosecutors have not indicated whether he traded stocks for Goldman based on inside information, or if Goldman profited from the arrangement.

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Bills Filed To Require Pre-Marital AIDS Tests

By F. ALAN BOYCE
Associated Press Writer
RALEIGH (AP) — Bills to require testing for AIDS before a marriage license is issued are not intended to keep carriers of the AIDS virus from marrying, state legislators say.
"The main reason for this bill is that ... it would provide notice to the partners and someone in the medical community at least would be aware of the presence of AIDS," said Rep. Trip Sizemore, R-Guilford, who joined

two other Republicans in filing one bill on Wednesday. "Many women today don't know that a proposed husband is a bisexual. Therefore, a notice to them would probably be helpful. Certainly it would be helpful to the public at large."
Rep. Al Lineberry, D-Guilford, and Sen. Charles Hipps, D-Haywood, filed a bill later Wednesday aimed at mandatory testing for AIDS. Sizemore said he had not been aware of a parallel effort but said he would

be glad to work in a bipartisan way.
Hipps said he was mainly interested in the tests "from a children viewpoint."
"I heard a study out of Stanford University that said 30 to 50 percent of mothers who are carriers pass it to their children," he said. "These people (marital applicants) are probably the least likely group for getting AIDS in the first place."

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome can hinder the body's ability to fight diseases and infections, leading to death. Most victims are homosexual men and drug abusers who pass the virus either through intimate sexual contact or through contaminated intravenous needles.
Sizemore, who co-sponsored the bill with Reps. Bill Boyd, R-Randolph, and Coy Privette, R-Cabarrus, said he wants to make sure potential marital partners understand the medical dangers both to themselves and to potential children.
Lineberry, however, said, "I'm more interested in us knowing better where the disease is, not who has it."

Hipps emphasized that the results of the tests would be confidential, although they could be used statistically by health officials.
The lab fee for initial screening in health clinics now is \$5 per person, said state Health Director Ron Levine. If a test comes back with a positive result, two more screening tests are done, along with a third test to make sure the results are absolutely correct. Total cost of all the tests, when the state does it is about \$35.

Sizemore said he hoped both bills would go to the House Health Committee.
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Panel Rejects Plea For Quick Approval Of Tax Proposal

By JOHN FLESHER
Associated Press Writer
RALEIGH (AP) — A proposal to cut the tax that North Carolina businesses pay for unemployment benefits and establish a reserve to keep the jobless trust fund solvent is getting mixed reviews from business and labor groups.
The plan, proposed by the Martin administration and sponsored in the General Assembly by Rep. Jeff Enloe, D-Macon, went before the House Employment Security Committee on Wednesday.
The panel rejected Enloe's call for quick approval, with members saying they need more time to study the complicated measure. Another hearing is scheduled for next week.

"It's a very complex bill and it raises a lot of technical issues," said Christopher Scott, state president of the AFL-CIO, who expressed guarded approval of the measure but said he had some concerns.

Scott said he wanted further information on the proposed reserve fund, saying his group favored using as much money as possible for jobless benefits.

Fewer than 50 percent of the North Carolinians who are without work through no fault of their own are collecting unemployment pay because they don't meet eligibility criteria or for other reasons, Scott said.

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In 1983, the Legislature increased the unemployment tax, said Tom Whitaker, chief counsel for the state Employment Security Commission. The subsequent economic upturn boosted the trust fund into which the tax payments are funneled to over \$1 billion.

It is likely to reach \$1.8 billion by 1991, which the ESC considers excessive, Whitaker said.

Under the Enloe bill, the 1983 tax increase would be rescinded and tax rates adjusted, reducing the tax by \$278 million over five years. Meanwhile, a reserve fund would be established, generated by a tax equal to 20 percent of each employer's contributions to the trust fund.

The reserve is expected to reach \$200 million by 1991, when the trust fund would total \$1.2 billion.

The reserve would be available to bolster the trust fund in the event of a recession, when unemployment payments might expand to the point of exhausting the fund.



TOBACCO ADVERTISING — Rep. Mike Synard, D-Okla., right, talks with Reps. Bob Whittaker, left, and Henry Waxman, both California Democrats. Synard called a news conference in Washington Wednesday to announce he was filing legislation that would ban tobacco advertising. (AP Laserphoto)

Anti-Smoking Forces Open Tobacco Advertising Fight

By JILL LAWRENCE
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — With one side invoking the founding fathers and the other the specter of cancer, the battle over a proposed ban on all tobacco advertising is off to an early start in the 100th Congress.
The ban was introduced in bill form Wednesday by 24 congressmen hoping grass-roots support will sweep the measure into law despite all-out resistance by the tobacco industry.

"We have a great challenge ahead of us. The tobacco industry ... will spare no expense to stop us," said Rep. Mike Synard, D-Okla., chief sponsor of the measure.

Much of the debate centers on the constitutionality of a comprehensive ban on tobacco product advertising, which already is prohibited on radio and television.

Michael J. Kerrigan, president of the Smokeless Tobacco Council, said Synard's bill and similar proposals "strike at the heart of our basic freedoms like an assassin's dagger."

"What legal product will be shot down next in this unwise effort of Mr. Synard's? He is taking aim at freedoms set in motion more than 200 years ago by Washington, Jefferson and other founders of our democracy," Kerrigan said in a statement.

But Synard and others at a crowded news conference, including Columbia University law professor Henry Paul Monaghan, contended their proposal is constitutional. They also said tobacco products demand unique treatment because they induce disease even when used properly.

"Cigarettes are not toothpaste. They are a uniquely harmful product. ... When you do what the ads invite you to do, you do yourself grievous harm," Monaghan said.

"It is ironic that the FDA (Food and Drug Administration) is by statute required to remove any food additive or product found to induce cancer in man or animal but is

powerless to regulate a product that causes over 100,000 lung cancer deaths each year," added Rep. Bob Whittaker, R-Kan.

The congressional initiative, backed by a wide array of medical groups as well as Surgeon General C. Everett Koop, was first introduced last June. The Energy and Commerce subcommittee on health held two hearings on it but never voted on the measure.

Subcommittee Chairman Henry Waxman, D-Calif., said Wednesday that the American Lung Association, the American Cancer Society and other groups cannot come near the \$2 billion spent each year on tobacco advertising.

"No other product is promoted as heavily as cigarettes," Waxman said. "There is no question that the public is not getting a balance in terms of information."

Proponents of the comprehensive ban said they are particularly concerned about American youth.

Court Upholds Plane Search

RALEIGH (AP) — The state Court of Appeals says law officers had probable cause to search a cocaine-laden airplane after a man waiting for the plane identified himself as Peter Rabbit, asked for a lawyer and then tried to warn the plane away.

The appeals court ruled Wednesday that the actions of Christopher Russell of Redding, Calif. and the appearance that Russell might be under the influence of a narcotic "elevated this reasonable suspicion to probable cause" for a search of the plane.

Russell had claimed his conviction of possessing and transporting \$15 million in cocaine stemmed from the illegal search of a plane at Ashe County Airport in 1985.

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Victims' Aid Bill Advancing

RALEIGH (AP) — A four-year effort to create a fund to compensate crime victims may be completed this legislative session with a \$1 million-a-year appropriation, a key supporter says.

"I think it's something that's time has come," said Rep. Bob Hunter, D-McDowell, who sponsored several bills to fine-tune the compensation act and see to its funding. "We need to do it and the public would like to see it funded. Obviously the victims would."

Since former Rep. Tom Womble of Forsyth County got the victims' compensation act established in 1983, there has been no money for the fund, Hunter said. Last session, Hunter and former Rep. Martin Lancaster, D-Wayne, successfully pressed for fair treatment of crime victims and witnesses.

"We were able to get that adopted and funded in 1986," Hunter said. "So this session, one of the things I was interested in trying to do was to get the Crime Victims' Compensation Act implemented."

Hunter said he became interested in the area through his work with the Southern Legislative Conference's Justice and Public Safety Committee.

Under the 1983 act, victims of crimes committed after the fund starts could receive up to \$20,000 for medical bills or property losses not paid for by insurance or through restitution by the criminal.

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TEAMWORK — Durham residents have had to resort to teamwork as they dug out of a winter storm that dumped more than five inches of ice on Durham County earlier this week. This motorist in a Durham parking lot found plenty of help to get him on his way. (AP Laserphoto)

State Still Slips But Thaw Begins

By The Associated Press

North Carolina has spent about \$2 million to plow and salt roads buried during this week's sleet storm, state highway officials say.

Frank Pace, the state road maintenance engineer, said Wednesday the state has budgeted \$12.4 million for snow and ice removal this winter, and has spent almost half of that already with three major storms.

"But if things continue the way they have been," Pace said, "we certainly will spend that much and maybe more."

Jim Turlington, the engineer in charge of sttes roads in Davidson, Rowan, Davie, Forsyth and Stokes counties, said the storms will also cost the state in overtime this spring to fix potholes caused by the snow and ice.

"Some of the real expense hasn't been seen yet," Turlington said. "It's not the white stuff that bothers me but what's going on underneath it."

State and local road crews hope to get a little free help today as temperatures climb into the 40s and begin melting off up to six inches of sleet that blanketed the state from Raleigh to Asheville.

Some melting began Wednesday, but temperatures plunged well below freezing after dark, turning damp highways into treacherous sheets of ice.

"Anytime anything, and I emphasize anything here, falls from the sky in Cumberland County there's going to be at least 50,000 motorists out there who will do their very best to get in a wreck," said Sgt. C.A. Price of the state Highway Patrol office in Fayetteville. "People enjoy going down to the insurance office to watch their payments go up."

More light snow and freezing rain was expected Wednesday, but the expected storm fizzled out in North Carolina.

"We really didn't have a storm last night," John Valentine, a National Weather Service meteorologist at the Raleigh-Durham Airport, said Wednesday. "It just continued to weaken late yesterday, last night and today."

The sleet storm was blamed for six traffic deaths and more than 2,000 accidents across the state Monday.

Some 800 to 900 Carolina Power & Light customers in the Nashville-Louisburg area have no electricity today, according to company spokesman Wayne Ennis.

"There was a tremendous ice buildup in that area. It was the hardest hit area in our system in North Carolina," Ennis said. "We were having trees continue to fall across our lines yesterday even though the precipitation had stopped."

Ennis said CP&L hoped the majority of the customers would have their service restored by late today, but he said some residents in rural areas might not be served until Friday.

Bill Sets Criteria For Waste Sites

RALEIGH (AP) — Sen. Lura Tally, D-Cumberland, has filed bills to set out criteria for a low-level radioactive waste site and to suspend licensing procedures until proper rules are adopted.

"What concerned us was that, up to now, we had no assurance that all the proper siting criteria would be taken into account once we (lawmakers)

are gone," Ms. Tally said Wednesday.

The main siting bill contains a long list of geological, hydrological, sociological and political factors to be considered in choosing where to put a low-level radioactive waste facility. Even though North Carolina is considering leaving an eight-state Southeast compact on handling such waste, the state still would have to handle its own waste, Ms. Tally said.

A separate bill calls for a ban on shallow land burial — a move backed by environmentalists who fear radioactive waste might contaminate the groundwater. Ms. Tally said North Carolina has few places like Barnwell, S.C., where hardened clay provides a natural barrier for the current radioactive waste site of the compact.

One other bill calls for licensing agencies to consider a company's financial and technical capabilities before starting a full permit application process.

No Bomb

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The bomb squad converged on a high school locker and found that ticking from within came from a metronome, not a bomb.

"Apparently those things can sometimes start operating on their own spontaneously," said school spokesman Marty Estrin.

Police Sgt. Walt Kainz said the area around the locker was evacuated briefly.

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Fayetteville Gun-Runners Skip Bail, Flee Argentina

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — Two former Army soldiers held in Brazilian and Argentine jails on arms-smuggling charges for nearly a year are back home in Fayetteville after skipping bail and fleeing South America.

Raul Rodriguez-Larrazabal, 46, and Steven V. Sosa, 56, had posted bail and promised to stay in Argentina while police continued an investigation.

But Rodriguez said several days after leaving jail, he and Sosa made their way to Paraguay and flew back to the United States, arriving in Fayetteville late Tuesday night.

He did not want to talk about how the men escaped Argentina because he said feared for other foreigners who might want to use the same contacts.

"I'm glad to be back. I plan to go to

church and back to work," Rodriguez said.

"They're not going back. They skipped bail," said Rodriguez' wife, Erika.

Both Sosa and Rodriguez were ill, with Rodriguez fighting high blood pressure, and Sosa suffering from a liver ailment.

"I feel all right, but the American doctors told me something is wrong with my liver. I lost a lot of weight. My normal weight is about 160 pounds," Sosa said.

During his stay in the Brazilian jail, Sosa said he dropped to 132 pounds.

"I gained a lot back. I weighed last night and was at 140. I'm only 20 pounds under now," he said.

Sosa and Rodriguez were among eight men hired to escort a boatload of weapons and munitions from

Argentina to Ghana, but landed in Brazil — and in jail — when the ship's captain learned the weapons were intended for rebel forces in Ghana.

The men said they believed they were on a government-sanctioned covert mission, but the United States has denied any involvement in the arms deal.

Rodriguez said he and the others had been hired by Godfrey Osei, a Ghanaian dissident who led an unsuccessful coup attempt in 1983, to ship legally purchased arms to the country.

He said he was surprised when Brazilian authorities boarded the ship and arrested those aboard.

"I'm sitting on the boat, and I'm trying to go home and I don't own any of the cargo that's on it," Rodriguez said.

Greg Elfman of the U.S. Information Service at the U.S. Embassy in Argentina told WPTF Radio in Raleigh that officials in Argentina were not aware that Sosa and Rodriguez had left the country.

Also left in the dark was the U.S. Bureau of Consular Affairs in Washington, where spokeswoman Donna Sherman said the men were supposed to notify the U.S. government of their plans to leave Argentina.

The men were arrested last March in Brazil and accused of arms smuggling. In June they were convicted and sentenced to four- and five-year terms. In October, an appeals court overturned the conviction for lack of evidence.

Four of the eight escaped a Brasilia, Brazil, prison in December and fled to the United States. The other four, including Sosa and Rodriguez, were extradited to Argentina in January. They were accused of smuggling military supplies such as rubber boats and motors.

At one point, six of the men, including Sosa and Rodriguez, shared a 15-by-15-foot cell with crude sanitary facilities. Exercise outside their cell was limited to one hour a week, according to published reports.

In mid-January, a \$9,400 bail bond for each of the men was set by an Argentine judge. The money was raised and the men headed home.

Although the State Department has an extradition treaty with Argentina, Rodriguez said he does not expect to be summoned back to that country to face charges. He said to his knowledge none of the others who escaped have been extradited.

His case still will be tried, Rodriguez said, but lawyers have told him that could take as long as two years.

Official Robbed

CULLOWHEE, N.C. (AP) — A Western Carolina University official was robbed at gunpoint and detained for several hours last week in Guatemala by a group identified by the Army there as rebel forces.

Nancy Blanks, director of the international water harvesting projects administered through WCU's Center for Improving Mountain Living, was touring several Guatemalan sites with four evaluators from the Agency for International Development and CARE.

On Feb. 11, her second day in Guatemala, Ms. Blanks said her group was stopped on a highway by a young rebel force. Most of the group was 12 to 16 years old, but they carried new automatic weapons, she said.

They took \$80 from Ms. Blanks.

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PRISON ORDEAL OVER — Raul Rodriguez-Larrazabal greets his wife, Erica, as Steven Sosa enters Fayetteville Municipal Airport. The two Fayetteville men spent almost a year in Brazilian and Argentine prisons on gun-running charges. They had been released on bail pending trial, but fled from Argentina. (AP Laser-photo)

USAir Makes Bid

Piedmont Ponders Merger Proposals

By BILL MENEZES
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — USAir Group Inc.'s new \$1.65 billion offer for Piedmont Aviation Inc. could signal the bidding war that a number of analysts have been expecting for the profitable, fast-growing airline company.

USAir — which had made two earlier merger offers to Piedmont — on Wednesday announced its latest proposal, a cash and securities deal countering the \$1.49 billion bid that Norfolk Southern Corp. disclosed a day earlier.

A Piedmont spokesman said the company's full board of directors would review both offers at a meeting today.

Under its latest offer, USAir said it would pay \$71 a share in cash for half of Piedmont's 23 million common shares outstanding, subject to a definitive merger agreement.

The shares not acquired in the tender offer would be converted into shares of USAir common stock with an average market price of \$73, based on the average closing price of the USAir stock in the 10 trading days before the merger.

Piedmont said Tuesday that its independent directors would recommend the board approve the \$65 a share offer by Norfolk Southern, the Norfolk, Va.-based railroad company, to buy the Piedmont shares it did not already own.

Piedmont, parent of Piedmont Airlines, also disclosed that USAir had made two previous buyout offers. They included a stock swap that USAir valued at \$71 a share, or a combination of cash and USAir stock valued at \$68 a share.

Piedmont shares rose 50 cents to \$65.87 1/2 in New York Stock Exchange trading Wednesday. USAir's new of-

fer was announced after the close of trading.

Norfolk Southern already owns about 19.4 percent of Piedmont's outstanding common shares, and has held a stake of roughly that size since 1981.

While the fast-growing Piedmont is considered an attractive property, some analysts have speculated that Norfolk Southern was interested more in driving up the price of its holding than in acquiring Piedmont.

USAir indicated it expected a merger with Piedmont to produce substantial operating benefits for the surviving company.

"We believe our proposed transaction will create a strong airline combination which will perform successfully in an increasingly competitive environment," Edwin I. Colodny, USAir chairman and president, said in a news release from the company's Washington headquarters.

A Piedmont merger would take place against a backdrop of an airline industry that has undergone radical consolidation in the past several years, in the face of heated competition.

Analysts long had speculated the 46-year-old Piedmont was a takeover target, partly because of its spectacular expansion and earnings record.

The company, based in Winston-Salem, N.C., has averaged 25 percent annual revenue growth since the airline industry was deregulated nine years ago. It has been profitable for 10 straight years, and in 1986 had net earnings of \$72.36 million on revenue of \$1.86 billion and was the ninth biggest U.S. airline in capacity.

USAir Group, which includes USAir and Pacific Southwest Airlines, is the eighth-largest airline.

Trooper Sentenced

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — An 82nd Airborne Division paratrooper who pleaded guilty to stealing a submachine gun from an armored personnel carrier last month says he wanted the gun for a keepsake.

Pfc. David Wimbish, 21, was sentenced Tuesday to 10 months at hard labor, reduction to the lowest rank and a fine of \$2,000 for his part in the theft of two submachine guns. Wimbish also is facing a bad conduct discharge.

Wimbish and Pfc. Larry McKen-

zie, 19, and Pfc. Adam L. Berman, 19, were charged by Fort Bragg officials in connection with the January theft of two M-3A1 .45-caliber submachine guns from Sheridan armored reconnaissance vehicles that were being readied for air delivery to a South Carolina deployment exercise.

The soldiers' platoon and two other 82nd units totaling about 500 soldiers were confined to their unit areas almost a week when the weapons were discovered missing.

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Navy Nominee Wrote Article Decrying Women's Presence In Military Academies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Assistant Secretary of Defense James H. Webb, President Reagan's choice to be secretary of the Navy, wrote in 1979 that women are ruining the military academies by poisoning their ability to train men for combat.

In an article that appeared in The Washingtonian magazine, Webb, a former Marine and successful novelist, built an adamant case against women in the academies saying, "There is a place for women in our military, but not in combat. And

their presence at institutions dedicated to the preparation of men for combat command is poisoning that preparation."

Webb's lengthy article — titled "Women Can't Fight" — included a discussion of men as the more aggressive and more violent sex, and a description of his experience as a plebe at the U.S. Naval Academy in which he "broke down" under the physical and mental abuse heaped on him by upperclassmen.

He said the experience took him

"deep inside myself" and made it easier for him to keep going after 51 of his men were killed in Vietnam.

"I don't see anything at the Naval Academy anymore that can take a person deep inside himself," he wrote. "I see refinement. I see an overemphasis on academics at the expense of leadership."

Webb said, in the 1979 article, that he observed women at the academy as "spirited but confused, tolerated but never accepted. They are for the most part delightful women, trusting

and ambitious and capable in many ways, and I admire them, more for who they are than for what they are doing."

But he wrote that he had never met a woman whom he would entrust with combat leadership.

"Furthermore men fight better without women around," he wrote.

Women make up about 9 percent of the Navy, and 10.04 percent of all the military.



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Parties Say They Should Sponsor Political Debates

By EVANS WITT
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — In one corner is the unusual team of the Democratic and Republican parties. In the other is the League of Women Voters.

"All-out war" broke into the open Wednesday as the two major political parties claimed their "rightful responsibility" to sponsor the 1988 general election presidential debates.

The league, sponsor of debates for the past three presidential elections, fought back with an accusation that party-sponsored debates would be "little more than political pillow fights" and a suggestion that sexism may lie behind the parties' effort to "steal the debates from the American voters."

In dueling news conferences, both sides conceded that the ultimate decisions — whether to debate, as well as who will sponsor the confrontations — will be up to the parties' 1988 presidential nominees, who won't even be selected officially for 18 months.

Rep. Charles Schumer, a New York Democrat on the league's advisory panel, suggested the warring factions compromise.

At an unusual joint news conference, the chairmen of the Democratic and Republican parties announced a Commission on Presidential Debates to start work on 1988 general election debates between their parties' nominees.

"The extremely competitive nature of the two parties will ensure that we will reach the best possible agreement for all concerned, most importantly for the voters of this nation," said Republican National Committee Chairman Frank J. Fahrenkopf Jr.

"We believe the Democratic and Republican parties are making history today by assuming their rightful responsibility for the single most effective voter education program by which the American people will be helped in ... the selection of a president and vice president of the United States," said Democratic National Committee Chairman Paul Kirk.

The league immediately promised to fight to keep its role.

"The debates are the last thing left that is not managed by the campaign consultants and the media professionals," president Nancy Neuman said at a news conference. "If the parties sponsor the debates, we will have two canned campaign commercials that will go on for 90 minutes and I don't think the American people will learn anything from that."

Any party-sponsored debates would be "little more than political pillow fights," Ms. Neuman said, accusing the parties of "trying to steal debates from the American public, not from the league."

The league already has announced its plans for primary debates among the presidential hopefuls, a role the parties said they did not want to assume.

"The stage seems set for an all-out war for control between the parties and the league," Schumer said, calling for a compromise. "It would be a shame if the focus of the 1988 debates was a squabble over control, rather than an effort to improve effectiveness."

The party chairmen were complimentary of the league's role, even as they sought to take it away.

"While we are appreciative of the constructive role the League of Women Voters played in developing the debates, we accept the principal thesis ... that the two parties stand the best chance of institutionalizing the debates," said Fahrenkopf.

"The parties are saying, 'You have done all the hard work. Now let us take them over,'" Ms. Neuman said. "Occasionally, I do feel the league is being patronized a bit."

Regan, President Deny Ouster Report

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan says he will not block his embattled chief of staff, Donald Regan, if he wants to leave, but Regan says he's not going anywhere.

As fresh rumors surfaced Wednesday that Regan would resign soon, the president told reporters, "Well, this is up to him."

"I have always said that when the people that I've asked to come into government feel that they have to return to private life, that's their business and I will never try to talk them out of it."

However, the president said he was not pronouncing a verdict on Regan's

future. "That's a 'No answer,'" he said. "That's not an answer."

Regan, asked if he was quitting, deferred to the president. Smiling and pointing at Regan, the chief of staff said, "It's up to him."

As reporters persisted, Regan replied emphatically, "No."

The latest rumor of Regan's departure was sparked by a front-page report in The Washington Post that first lady Nancy Reagan was no longer speaking to Regan, and that the chief of staff might leave voluntarily within the next few weeks if he concluded it would benefit the president.

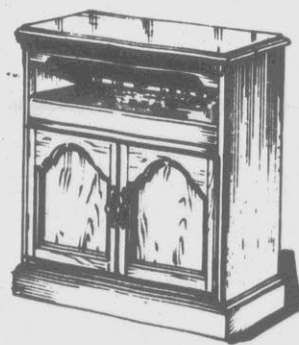
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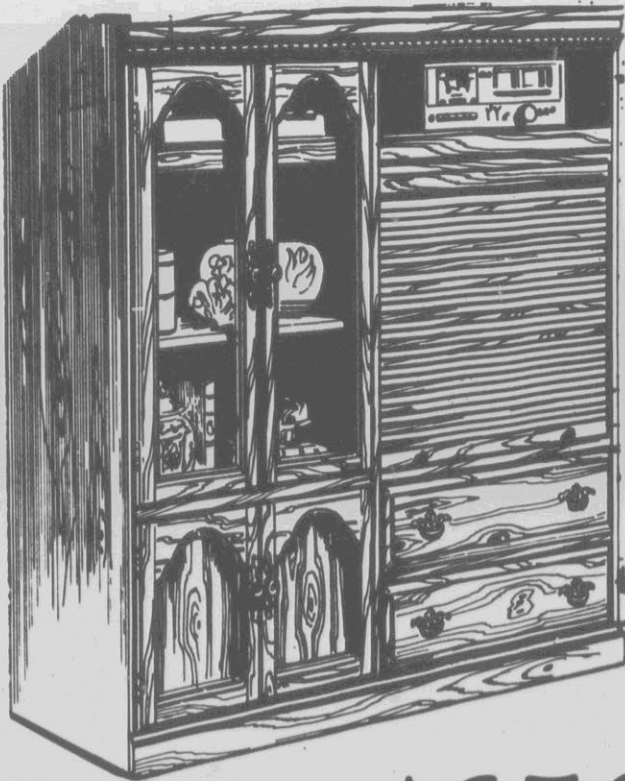


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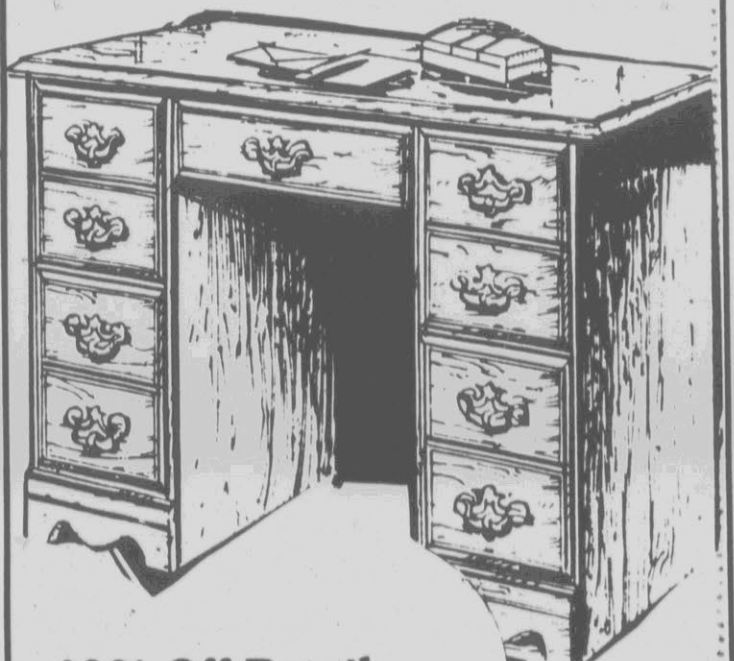
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State Department Cites Political Abuses

By GEORGE GEDDA
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department outlined today widespread political repression in leftist as well as rightist countries, including South Africa, where human rights suffered a "major deterioration" last year.

While the "spectacular shift" toward democracy continued in much of Latin America, a repressive system remains intact in Cuba, which the report described as the Western Hemisphere's "most serious violator of human rights."

The assessments were made in the department's annual human rights report which, it noted, "unashamedly reflects" the American bias in favor of representative government.

The 1,356-page report, surveying the performance of 167 governments during 1986, went to press before several of the recent moves by the Soviet Union — officially welcomed by the State Department — toward internal liberalization.

The section on the Soviet Union reads much like the ones in previous annual reports, which date back a decade.

Soviet citizens "who attempt to exercise their rights face arrest, trial and imprisonment or internment in a psychiatric hospital," the report said.

"Human rights monitors, religious believers, peace activists and proponents of greater cultural and political rights for ethnic minorities were all subjected to arrest and imprisonment in 1986."

In Afghanistan, the study said the Soviets and their Afghan allies "have sought to terrorize the Afghan people into submitting to the regime's authority or fleeing the country." It noted that a United Nations report concluded that a situation "approaching genocide" could prevail unless there are steps to end the conflict.

In South Africa, the report said, the deteriorating situation took the form of numerous arrests carried out

under the state of emergency imposed last June, the report said. There were widespread reports of "officially sanctioned acts of violence against dissidents" despite appeals by President P. W. Botha for the security forces to exercise restraint, it said.

"In 1986, there was a major deterioration in human rights in South Africa," the study said, citing reports by human rights groups that more than 20,000 people had been detained between June and December. The South African government said recently the figure was only slightly more than 3,000.

On Nicaragua, the report said the leftist Sandinista government was guilty of "major human rights abuses" last year. It said the U.S.-backed Contras were the target of unsubstantiated charges, including summary executions of prisoners and government officials.

The abuses attributed to the Sandinistas included mass arrests of civilians on vague political charges, torture and abuses of prisoners and

"disappearances" of political activists, among other violations.

A report issued last week by Americas Watch, a private rights group, suggested the abuses by the Sandinistas were less severe than those of the Contras, which it accused of "selective but systematic killing" of government sympathizers.

In Guatemala, where an elected civilian government took office in January 1986, political killings and kidnappings dropped to the lowest level in this decade, according to the report.

There has been a steady improvement in the conduct of military and security forces in El Salvador, and the bulk of politically motivated killings appeared to be the work of leftist guerrillas who also resorted to indiscriminate use of land mines, the report said.

It said Philippines President Corazon Aquino acted to restore the rule of law and respect for human rights after the ouster of the Marcos gov-

ernment last February. In South Korea, another East Asian ally, the report noted there were numerous charges of police mistreatment of political prisoners, including "credible allegations" of torture in some cases.

But while South Koreans "enjoy considerable personal freedom," North Koreans "are subject to rigid controls. Persons who fail to conform to the rigid dictates of the state face imprisonment or, more often, enforced removal to remote villages," the study said.

The report said there was a slight improvement in the human rights situation in China, where Secretary of State George P. Shultz plans a six-day visit starting March 1.

It said limited progress was made in China toward realization of constitutional guarantees of individual rights but "important restrictions" on these liberties remain in place.

In Cuba repression of basic rights is so pervasive that the country "holds the dubious distinction of being the Western Hemisphere's most

serious violator of human rights and fundamental freedoms," the report said.

The Chilean government continues to impose limitations on many fundamental liberties, including freedom of speech, association and assembly and freedom from arbitrary arrest and exile.

Rep. Gus Yatron, D-Pa., chairman of the House Foreign Affairs human rights subcommittee, cited Chile as an example of how the Reagan administration disregards human rights considerations in carrying out its foreign policy.

Yatron said while the report identifies Chile as a repressive regime, the United States failed to oppose loans to Chile in international banking forums and voted against a human rights resolution on Chile at the United Nations.

"Based on the information in this document, a solid case can be made that U.S. human rights laws have been circumvented in the conduct of American foreign policy."

U.S. Economy Slowed In Last '86 Quarter

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. economy grew at a sluggish 1.3 percent annual rate in the final three months of 1986, even weaker than previously thought, the government reported today.

down sharply from a 3.6 percent increase in the third quarter and was the slowest advance since there was no gain at all in the second quarter of 1987.

The various changes left the GNP at an annual rate of \$3.698 trillion in the fourth quarter. Before adjusting

for inflation, the GNP rose 1.9 percent in the final quarter.

The main change between the initial GNP estimate and today's revision came from a drop in business inventories, which fell by \$24.1 billion rather than by an earlier estimate of \$11.2 billion.

This revision, however, is likely to spell greater strength in coming months as businesses step up production to restock depleted inventories.

For 1987, the Reagan administration is predicting the economy will grow by 3.1 percent, a substantial pick-up from the 2.5 percent rate of

1986. Private forecasters are split on whether this rebound will occur.

David Wyss, an economist with Data Resources Inc. of Lexington, Mass., said the GNP will rise by 3.2 percent this year, almost identical to the administration's prediction.

However, Donald Straszheim,

chief economist for the New York investment firm of Merrill Lynch, was much more pessimistic about economic prospects this year.

He said the slight improvement that has occurred in manufacturing has not been enough to offset expected weakness.

The Commerce Department said the October-December change in the gross national product, the broadest measure of economic health, was the weakest showing for the economy since last spring, when growth slumped to 0.6 percent.

The fourth-quarter growth rate represented a downward revision from a preliminary report a month ago which had put growth at an annual rate of 1.7 percent.

The weaker growth was accompanied by a slowdown in inflation, with an inflation index tied to the GNP rising at an annual rate of just 0.7 percent, the best showing in almost 20 years.

For the entire year, the economy grew 2.5 percent, the slowest advance since an outright decline in the recession year of 1982. This represented no change from an estimate a month ago.

The 1.3 percent GNP growth at the end of last year was less than half the growth rate turned in from July through September, when the economy expanded at a 2.8 percent rate.

The third-quarter level had led the Reagan administration to forecast that the economy was finally rebounding after two years of sluggish activity.

This hope was pinned on an expectation that the huge U.S. trade deficit, which has forced layoffs and cost thousands of manufacturing jobs, would show improvement.

The trade deficit did improve but other sectors of the economy weakened. The biggest weakness was in consumer spending, the mainstay of the four-year-old recovery.

Personal consumer spending, which accounts for about two-thirds of overall economic activity, fell 0.1 percent in the October-December period after two consecutive quarters of increases above 6 percent.

The improvement in the trade deficit came as exports shot up by 12 percent while imports edged down 0.3 percent.

The 0.7 percent estimated rate of inflation in the fourth quarter, as measured by the GNP deflator, was

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Shamir To Give Written Answers

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir said today he has agreed to provide written responses to congressional questions on Israel's participation in sales of arms to Iran.

"We have agreed ... with the government of the United States and with the Congress about the modalities of our cooperation with the various investigative bodies about the Iranian affair," Shamir said in an interview on NBC-TV's "Today" show.

The prime minister, in a separate interview broadcast today in Israel, also said he supports a peace conference on the Middle East with participation of the United States, Israel, Egypt, Jordan and the Palestinians, but still opposes "an international conference with the participation of the U.N. Security Council members and all the Arab states."

Shamir's comments were an apparent attempt by the right-wing premier to replace peace talk proposals publicly made by his political rival, Foreign Minister Shimon Peres.

Asked in the "Today" show interview why he chose to allow only written testimony and not to allow any individual testimony by Israelis, Shamir replied:

"We have agreed with the American government that our cooperation will be carried out on the basis of a government to government. It means that the committees will address their questions to our government, not to our people involved in this affair because these people acted on behalf of our government."

Shamir, winding up three days of talks in Washington, was scheduled to meet today with Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger and Vice President George Bush, and to speak at the National Press Club.

"We have a significant agreement about cooperation," House Speaker James Wright of Texas said Wednesday after meeting with Shamir. "We will respect their sovereignty and they will respect our need for information."

Sen. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, chairman of the special Senate committee investigating the matter, said Israel would compile a chronology of national transactions and contacts with U.S. officials and submit it to investigators.

The Senate and House committees looking into the Iran-Contra controversy will prepare questions and the Israeli government "will provide us with answers" in writing, Inouye said.

"If we desire clarification of the answers, steps will be taken by both governments to bring this about," he said.

Inouye said staff members probably would go to Israel to see government leaders if clarifications are needed.

Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind., chairman of the House committee, said the Israelis "agreed to provide us with all the information they have."

"I think it will expedite our investigation and enable us to get all the information we want," Hamilton said. "Our purpose is to get the facts."

Shamir met with the Congress members after President Reagan had solicited his cooperation. Reagan also sought to avoid any additional public controversy over the secret arming of Iran by the United States and Israel.

Reagan avoided questions from reporters on the sensitive subject during a picture-taking session in the Oval Office and mentioned it only briefly later as Shamir left after a two-hour meeting.

"I underscored our opposition to Iran's use of force, terrorism and expansionism," Reagan said, standing alongside Shamir outside the White House, both of them without overcoats in chilly temperatures. "In discussing Iran and other regional issues, the prime minister and I agreed on the importance of looking to the future instead of dwelling on the past."

However, a senior administration official, briefing reporters later on condition he not be identified, said Reagan had sought Israel's cooperation in congressional and White House investigations.

"I know that point was made," the official said. "We urged that the Israeli government cooperate, and we have assisted Israeli authorities with getting in touch with the appropriate investigating bodies here and they said they would get in touch and they will cooperate."

The weapons transactions are sensitive matters for both Reagan and Shamir. Even while condemning the fundamentalist Moslem government in Tehran as a supporter of terrorism, both the United States and Israel delivered weapons to Iran.

Reagan also displayed interest in a Middle East peace conference as a step toward settling Arab-Israeli differences.

Papers Say Reagan Reversed Testimony

By JIM DRINKARD
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan gave a panel investigating the Iran-Contra affair conflicting statements on whether he approved Israel's first arms shipment to Iran, published reports say.

The Washington Post, the Los Angeles Times and the Wall Street Journal, citing sources they did not identify, all reported in today's editions that Reagan on Jan. 26 told the presidential commission headed by former Sen. John Tower, R-Texas, that he had approved the August 1985 shipment.

Then, when the commission interviewed Reagan again Feb. 11, "the president said that he had talked it over at great length with (chief of staff) Don Regan and wanted to correct the first, he had not authorized the first shipment," the newspapers quoted sources as saying.

When Reagan reversed himself, he was reading from a sheet of paper he had picked up from his desk, the Baltimore Sun reported today.

Regan told a Senate committee that Reagan declined to authorize the sale because of misgivings and questions about the middleman in the deal, Manucher Ghorbanifar.

Former White House adviser Robert C. McFarlane, on the other hand, testified that Reagan approved the shipment.

A Tower Commission spokesman said panel members were scheduled to question McFarlane in his hospital room today at Bethesda Naval Medical Center.

McFarlane, who is recovering from what police have called a suicide attempt last week, was to have appeared before the commission the day he was hospitalized.

The commission is scrutinizing the National Security Council and its

handling of the arms sales to Iran and the possible diversion of profits to the Contra rebels fighting the Nicaraguan government. The panel also is looking into whether White House aides tried to cover up or misstate certain aspects of the Iran-Contra affair.

The New York Times reported today that officials familiar with the commission said it had found significant new disclosures involving NSC misdeeds and that one unidentified source said he believed the evidence would lead to criminal prosecutions.

Asked about the published reports, commission spokesman Herbert Hetu said Wednesday night, "We wouldn't comment on anything the president said in those meetings."

In addition, he declined comment on the Los Angeles Times' report that the commission has concluded that the Iran sales plan's main goal was to secure Iran's assistance in getting

the American hostages in Lebanon released, and not, as Reagan has told the nation, to establish relations with "moderate elements" in Iran.

The Times, the Post and the Wall Street Journal also said the commission's report will describe how White House aides were "scrambling around" to create a "cover story," that Secretary of State George P. Shultz, who opposed the Iran arms sales, knew much more about the operation than he has admitted publicly and that former CIA Director William J. Casey was more deeply involved in the affair than he has admitted and he personally solicited funds from some foreign countries to help the Nicaraguan rebels.

"I can't talk about what might be in the report," Hetu said.

Meanwhile, Congress has taken its first step since the disclosure of the Iran-Contra affair to cut off future aid to Nicaragua's rebels, while its

investigators worked out a deal to get information from Israel about the arms sales.

The 11-9 vote in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to end aid to the Nicaraguan insurgents — money that is part of the foundation of President Reagan's Central America policy — signaled a changed atmosphere on Capitol Hill since Congress approved a \$100 million aid package for the Contras last year.

Wednesday's vote, on a bill which would deny the rebels a final \$40 million installment of that package or any future aid, was more symbolic than real, however. Even if Congress passes the measure, it almost certainly would be vetoed by Reagan, and backers doubted they could muster the votes to override a veto.

But some lawmakers said it indicated dim prospects for an administration request for another \$105 million in Contra aid.

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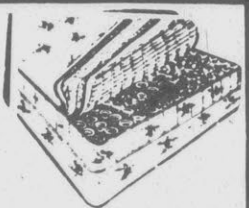
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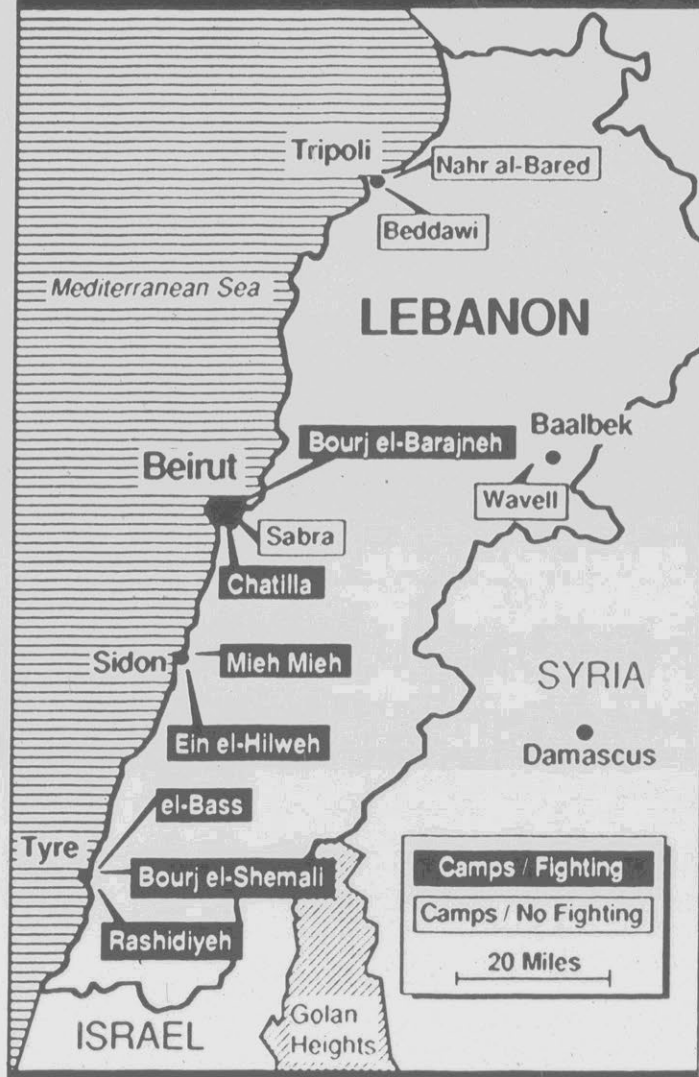
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Battle For Beirut's Moslem Sector Rages As Toll Mounts

BEIRUT, LEBANON (AP) — Druse militiamen captured most of west Beirut's commercial Hamra district during nightlong street battles with Shiite Moslem fighters, police said today.

They said 15 fighters were killed and 35 wounded as the battle for control of Beirut's Moslem sector raged into a fifth day despite Syria's threat to send troops to quell the conflict.

The casualties raised the overall toll since the fighting began Sunday to 80 killed and 315 wounded, by police count.

On Wednesday, Druse fighters took over the Commodore Hotel off Hamra Street after a seven-hour battle with Shiite forces. The Druse finally stormed the hotel, hurling grenades and firing armor-piercing rockets.

Pools of blood splattered the lobby of the seven-story Commodore, once the headquarters of foreign correspondents, and rockets punched huge holes in its walls. Wednesday's combat also swirled around the nearby building housing offices of The Associated Press, CBS and NBC television and the Kuwaiti newspaper Al-Qabas.

American Moslems Mohammed Mehdi and Dale Shaheen of the New York-based National Council on Islamic Affairs, said fighters burst into their sixth-floor rooms at the

Commodore and took \$1,400 at gunpoint.

"We were never as humiliated," Mehdi told the AP today as he and Shaheen packed and left west Beirut, bound for Cyprus. "We have terminated our mission."

The two came to Beirut on Saturday for the freedom of 26 foreigners, including eight Americans, missing and presumed kidnapped in Lebanon.

The Commodore was ransacked as the last 13 employees abandoned the devastated hotel. Television and videotape sets, bed sheets, blankets, dishes, plates and food were taken away by young men. Druse military police finally scared off the looters.

Warlord Walid Jumblatt's Druse militia is backed by the Moscow-oriented Lebanese Communist Party in the current battle with the Shiite Amal militia of Justice Minister Nabih Berri. Amal is larger than the two other factions combined, but the Druse have superior firepower and military training.

Police said Amal fighters were holding out in three pockets in Hamra, two near the Commodore and one near the gate of the hospital of the American University of Beirut six blocks from the hotel. All three areas were ringed by Druse fighters.

Police said Druse gunmen also routed Amal from the Malla neigh-

borhood in the Sunni Moslem district of Zarif and laid siege to the eight-story state television station controlled by Amal in the nearby Tallet Khayyat district.

Prime Minister Rashid Karami, a Sunni, threatened Wednesday to resign unless warring militias lay down arms and their leaders join government ministers in a meeting in Beirut to "save it from this inferno."

Salim Hoss, minister of education, labor and social affairs, also a Sunni, today called for collective resignation of Karami's half-Christian, half-Moslem 10-man Cabinet "because we are all failures. We are all (politically) bankrupt."

"It is high time for blood-shedding gunmen to listen to the unarmed honest citizen, on whose behalf I say: no to all militias, no to their checkpoints, no to their patrols.

"The nation is never going to forgive them. It will not forgive those who brought houses in entire neighborhoods tumbling over the heads of their residents. We reject all militias and their leaders, who are imposing their tutelage by force of arms and against the nation's will," Hoss said in a statement broadcast over Lebanese radios.

Despite the pleas for a truce, Berri issued a statement in Damascus, Syria, urging his Amal militiamen to "stand fast. Fight until victory or martyrdom."

Syria backs all three warring factions, which ostensibly are allies in the nearly 12-year-old civil war against Lebanon's Christians but repeatedly have clashed for dominance in west Beirut in the last two years.

Jumblatt's Druse radio station, Voice of the Mountain, said the Druse leader would travel to Damascus today with Communist leader George Hawi after an appeal for peace from Brig. Gen. Ghazi Kenaan, chief of Syrian military intelligence in Lebanon.

Police said a force of 500 Lebanese troops and 250 policemen backed by 150 Syrian army commandos was instructed to move in at mid-afternoon Wednesday with shoot-to-kill orders to quell the conflict. But by later in the day, there was still no sign of the force.

The fighting paralyzed United Nations efforts to send food supplies to the hungry population of Beirut's Chatilla and Bourj el-Barajneh Palestinian refugee camps, which have been besieged by Amal for the last three months.

AIDS On List

LONDON (AP) — AIDS soon will be added to the list of diseases that can bar entry into Britain, the Home Office said.

Although it is not yet policy, in practice visitors already may be refused entry if immigration authorities suspect them of having AIDS, or acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

A Home Office spokesman, who could not be identified in keeping with British practice, said an American airline steward was detained at Gatwick Airport overnight last month and then returned to the United States because he was suspected of having AIDS.

Power Struggle In Beirut Turns One-Time Allies Into Bitter Foes

By MONA ZIADE
Associated Press Writer
NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Leftist and Moslem militias, once allied in Lebanon's civil war against the country's Christians, have turned on each other in a savage battle for control of west Beirut.

The fighting has pitted an alliance of socialist and Communist fighters against Amal, a leftist Shiite Moslem militia. All three factions are backed by Syria. But the Druse and Communists have strong ties with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

PLO chairman Yasser Arafat has been at odds with Syrian President Hafez Assad for nearly four years.

Here are the main groups involved in the fighting:

AMAL
Amal, the Shiites' main military arm, was founded in 1974 as a social movement seeking better living standards for the country's 1 million Shiites, who generally were at the bottom of Lebanon's economic ladder.

Its leader, Nabih Berri, also serves as Lebanon's justice minister.

The Amal militia was trained and armed by the PLO in 1975. Amal, which means "hope" in Arabic, fought alongside the Palestinians and leftists in the civil war against the Syrians and against Israeli invaders.

At Syria's urging, Amal besieged Palestinian camps in May 1985, in an effort to curb a comeback by PLO guerrillas driven out of Lebanon in the 1982 Israeli invasion.

Amal has about 6,500 hardcore fighters but boasts it can muster up to 18,000. Syria supplied Amal with 50 Soviet-made T-54 tanks in 1985.

THE PROGRESSIVE SOCIALIST PARTY

The Progressive Socialist Party is the militia of the Druse, an offshoot of Islam. The party is leftist and its men are considered Lebanon's shrewdest fighters.

The PSP is led by Walid Jumblatt, who head of the largest clan among

the 200,000-strong Druse community. He is Lebanon's minister of transportation, tourism and public works.

The Progressive Socialist Party also has been backed by Syria. It has close ties with Arafat, and Jumblatt has Soviet and Libyan support. Jumblatt's criticism of the siege of Palestinian refugee camps pushed Druse and Amal fighters into combat.

The militia has about 100 Soviet-made tanks and 4,000 hardcore fighters but can field up to 12,000.

LEBANESE COMMUNIST PARTY

The Lebanese Communist Party, one of the oldest factions in Lebanon, is backed by the PLO and led by George Hawi, a Christian. Its estimated 2,000 lightly armed militiamen had been inactive since the PLO left Beirut in 1982.

The party made a political comeback last month when it met in the Druse-held Chouf Mountain town of

Baaklin and called for consolidating the alliance with the Progressive Socialist Party.

MOURABITOUN

The Mourabitoun, the Sunni Moslem community's main militia, advocates the pan-Arab socialism of the late Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser.

The Libyan-funded Mourabitoun was the PLO's main ally in the early days of Lebanon's civil war. But its influence waned after the PLO left Lebanon.

Amal and the Progressive Socialist Party fought the Mourabitoun twice in 1985, ending the militia's power in west Beirut. The group went underground and little is known about its current strength.

The Mourabitoun recently allied with the Druse against Amal. But its leader, Ibrahim Koleilat, a former butcher, still lives in exile in Libya.

Rebel Office Bombed

PESHAWAR, Pakistan (AP) — A bomb went off today in a truck outside the office of an Afghan guerrilla group, and authorities said at least 10 people — including five children — were killed and 51 were injured.

Police said the blast damaged the guerrilla office and an adjacent school. Children were playing nearby when the bomb exploded, they said.

"It was a very huge explosion. It was terrible. People are standing in shock," one Peshawar resident said. He spoke on condition of anonymity.

The blast triggered a protest by angry residents who shouted abuse at the unknown bombers and demanded that Afghan refugees leave the city, witnesses said. Hundreds of people marched in protest, and some hurled rocks at vehicles and blocked roads, witnesses said.

Hospital officials said the dead included three children aged 5, one child aged 8 and a 15-year-old.

The truck containing the bomb had been parked in front of the military headquarters of Jamiat-i-Islami, a major Afghan guerrilla group. A Jamiat official, who spoke on condi-

tion of anonymity, said two guards at the door were killed and several people inside were seriously injured.

Guerrilla officials blamed Afghan and Soviet agents for the bombing.

"It is the hand of the Soviets. It is the KGB," said the Jamiat official.

Pakistan has charged repeatedly that bombings in Peshawar and other frontier towns are the work of the Afghan government.

Peshawar has been hit by bombings and sabotage attacks over the past year. Three people were killed and about 30 injured in two bombings there on Feb. 8. Two hotels that cater to Afghan refugees were hit in the attacks.

The sprawling city, 30 miles from the Afghan border, is headquarters for Moslem guerrilla groups fighting the Communist Afghan government and the estimated 115,000 Soviet troops in Afghanistan.

The guerrillas are fighting to topple the Afghan government, which seized power in an April 1978 military coup. Soviet forces entered Afghanistan in December 1979 to prop up the government against the guerrillas.

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East Germany Orders American Protester Expelled

BERLIN (AP) — A court in Communist East Berlin today convicted a 69-year-old American of violating border laws by protesting atop the Berlin Wall and ordered him expelled from East Germany, court sources said.

The court sentenced John Runnings to 18 months in prison, but commuted that to three years' suspended sentence.

The Seattle man was freed and told to leave the country, said the court sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity. The U.S. Embassy reported, however, that Runnings was still in East German custody today.

Runnings was warned he would be put in prison if he carries out another protest on the wall, the court sources said.

Runnings, known popularly as the "Wall Walker," has drawn international attention since last summer by demonstrating on the wall three times. The last time, East German troops yanked him off the wall.

Western reporters were barred from his trial, which began Monday, but a U.S. Embassy representative witnessed the proceeding, according to Cynthia Miller, a spokeswoman for the U.S. Embassy in East Berlin.

Runnings was arrested by East German border guards Nov. 18 after he scaled the Berlin Wall with a ladder on the Western side and pounded the barrier with a hammer. He had climbed onto the wall twice before, but each time was quickly released by East Germany.

Runnings also was arrested Oct. 28 for jogging through the wall's Checkpoint Charlie crossing point to the eastern side. He was released to the West after two weeks in custody.

Under a postwar treaty, Berlin is an international city governed by the four Allied powers — the United States, Soviet Union, France and Britain. The East Germans claimed the Soviet zone, East Berlin, as their capital city in 1949 and treat the wall as an official border.

The three Western allies do not acknowledge the Berlin Wall as East Germany's border, and therefore do not recognize the East Germans' right to charge Runnings with violating it.

Article 213 of the East German penal code shows a routine border violation is punishable by up to two years in prison, while an "aggravated" case is punishable by up to eight years. It was not known which charge Runnings faced.

Senate Panelists Reject Contra Aid

By TIM AHERN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — An opponent of U.S. aid to the Nicaraguan Contra fighters says an early-round defeat for the controversial program shows Congress has changed its mind and will no longer support the guerrillas.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee voted 11-9 Wednesday to halt U.S. help for the Contras trying to overthrow the leftist Sandinista government.

"The message here is that both houses of Congress will vote this year to terminate Contra aid, one way or the other," Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., author of the move, said after the vote.

Congress last year narrowly voted to reverse itself and end a two-year moratorium on U.S. aid to the Contras. But Democratic victories in the November elections gave the party control of both the House and Senate and led to predictions that Contra aid will be halted.

Sen. Claiborne Pell, D-R.I., chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, said, "I think we have the votes on the floor to pass it (Dodd's bill), but of course the president will veto it and I doubt that we can override the veto."

A successful veto override would require at least a two-thirds margin in each chamber.

In the House, Majority Leader Thomas S. Foley, D-Wash., said the current Contra aid program won't be blocked, but future aid "is in grave trouble."

Meanwhile, Contra leader Arturo Cruz, engaged in a struggle over leadership of the Nicaraguan opposition, is expected to set a deadline for major changes in the rebel organization, according to several of Cruz's aides quoted in today's New York Times.

In an interview, Cruz asked for an expanded civilian directorate with complete control of the movement's funds, forced retirement of several far-right rebel officials, and integration of the main rebel army into a new overall insurgent force, the Times reported.

The \$100 million Contra aid program approved last year calls for \$70 million worth of military help. Of the total, \$60 million has been authorized to be spent, but the final \$40 million can't be released until President Reagan sends Capitol Hill a report

certifying the money is needed and that the Contras are gaining.

The State Department said the bill chopping off the aid would abandon all Nicaraguans struggling to bring democracy to their country.

"The Sandinistas would be compelled by this bill to do nothing — no reforms, no democratization, no respect for their citizens rights, no reduction in Soviet and Cuban advisers, no end to subversion of their democratic neighbors, no halt to the inflow of Soviet arms," the department said in a statement Wednesday night.

"If enacted into law, this proposal would undercut the prospects for a negotiated settlement and deal a serious blow to our security interests in this crucial region," the statement said.

Congress will face three votes in coming months on the Contra program.

The first is likely to come on a resolution which will try to block the expenditure of the final \$40 million. That resolution will be introduced when Reagan sends the certification to Congress, but the certification is being delayed until the White House is sure it can win, Dodd said.

Reagan would veto any disapproval resolution and opponents won't likely have the votes to overturn the veto, Dodd admitted.

The second fight could come on Dodd's bill, which contains no figure of aid to be blocked or date. It simply halts Contra aid which is left unspent when the measure becomes law, but again, it would have to pass both chambers and then survive a Reagan veto.

The third vote will likely be later in the year when the administration formally sends Congress its request for \$105 million in Contra aid for the fiscal year starting Oct. 1. Disapproval of that money may be more difficult for Reagan to overcome because it could be attached to a needed spending bill.

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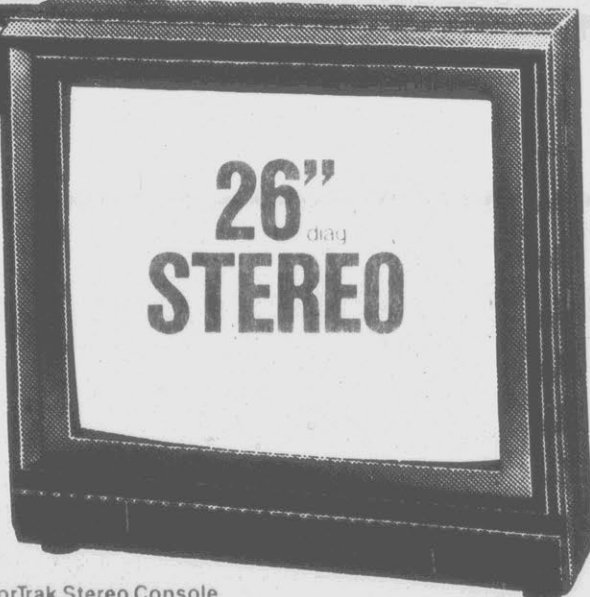
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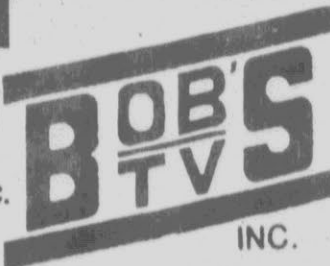
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'Touch' Practitioner Travels And Teaches

By CAROL TYER
Reflector Staff Writer

Tricie Ray channels God's healing power through her hands and she travels the country teaching others that they, too, have healing powers within themselves.

Ms. Ray is a practitioner of therapeutic touch, a healing technique first developed and made well-known by Dolores Krieger, a registered nurse. She has also been trained in the Reiki healing method.

"But what I do is far simpler than Reiki, not too different from Krieger's work" she said. "I just open myself to be an energy conductor and I show other people that they can do the same thing. I give all the credit to God and recommend that they do the same."

"What healing is," she said, "is accepting God's unconditional love for oneself and then extending that love to others."

She said the power of touch to conduct energy is scientifically provable. And human nature bears it out. "When you stomp your toe, you put your hand on it. You're bringing both love and electromagnetic energy to the area," she said.

"When a baby receives a hurt, his mother kisses it — love and electromagnetic energy again. Even the proverbial green thumb is the touch of a person who loves plants and conveys that love through touch."

"Electromagnetic energy is seizable to many and measurable to instrumentation. You have to know within yourself that you can be a conductor of loving energy and then you can."

Ms. Ray, 45, lives in the Asheville area. She's only recently arrived back there after spending a year and a half on the road, conducting musical and/or healing programs in several states.

She was born in Louisiana, lived most of her life in Georgia, and spent about half of her life as the wife of a cancer medical specialist, keeping house and raising children. She was always aware of her spiritual nature, even as a child, she said, and always felt on very familiar terms with God. But it was only about 15 years ago that she first started seriously ex-

ploring various personal growth and healing systems.

Separated now for eight years, she says she has a very good relationship with her former husband and her "wife-in-law," as she refers to her former husband's present wife. Her three children, all college-aged — she bore them all in 3½ years — also love and respect their stepmother, she said, and she feels good that she fostered in them by her own attitude some of the acceptance they've achieved.

"Again, that's love without condition," she said. "If you can't exercise it in your own life, you surely cannot and should not try to teach it to others."

What do her children think of her chosen work? "I don't believe they fully understand it," she said, "but that's OK. I don't have to have their approval. I know they love me whether they understand me and what I'm up to or not. They probably understand the music I perform more than they do the healing aspects of my work — actually the music is healing, too, and I teach that in my workshops. Mostly, they're just happy that I'm happy and that I don't try to run their lives for them. And when we get together we have a good time."

Ms. Ray lives by trust in God. Recently after she'd sold the motor home in which she'd been living and traveling for about 18 months, she didn't have a car and she didn't have money for a car or even the down payment on a car. She didn't tell anyone she didn't have a car. She just told God. And a few days later two friends from Tennessee drove into her yard and presented her a station wagon and its keys and title. They said they knew she needed it to continue her work, and it was a gift from the universe, not from them.

She's likely to leave on one day's notice to travel to a place she's never been to conduct a workshop. Her traveling companion is her Himalayan cat named Silky, whom her son more aptly renamed Rover during the year and a half his mother and the cat were on the road.

She said she's never lonely. "I really enjoy my own company," she said, "and I love being with others



TRICIE RAY

for hours on end. I've asked God for the experience of family with everyone I meet, so that's what I have. If I'm in a church I've never previously visited — or a gas station or grocery store, I feel totally familiar with and able to be open with the people I'm with and family ties are created instantly. How can I be lonely?"

"Whenever I get into a situation in which I don't know what to do, I just say, 'OK, God, what are we going to do about this one?' And I thank Him when the answer comes, as it always does. As long as I trust my guidance, I never mess up. I show people in my workshops they can live the same way."

Ms. Ray is in Greenville this week visiting friends. Friday night and Saturday she will conduct a workshop titled "Your Loving Touch" in the Planters Bank meeting room. There is no charge for the event and anyone may take part. Friday hours are from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Saturday hours from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Those who wish to attend one of the sessions may do so with no obligation to take part in both, she said, though participation in both is encouraged.

The workshop is being sponsored by Unity Christ Church of Greenville.

Ti Leaf Leis Are Popular

By LOIS TAYLOR
Star-Bulletin

HONOLULU (AP) — Gov. John Waihee wore ti leaf leis at his inauguration, rookie representatives sported them at the recent opening of the state legislature, and Mokihana Keolanui won the Mayor's Grand Prize at the last Lei Day competition with multiple strands of rolled ti leaves.

An old lei, one that may date back to pre-European contact in Hawaii, the ti leaf lei is the newest thing in town.

The glorious thing about this lei is that it is beautiful, simple to make, lasts a month and uses leaves from a plant that grows easily and prolifically throughout the state.

In contrast, in the more familiar lei, maile comes from remote areas of the Neighbor Islands, plumeria has a lifespan of about eight hours, ginger smells dreadful the second day and pikake is expensive.

According to Tyrone Reinhardt, acting coordinator of the Hawaiian cultural section of the City Department of Parks and Recreation, the ti leaf lei has been around a long time.

"The ancient Hawaiians had ti leaves, probably brought from their

homelands, but only the green variety. The multicolored ti was introduced during Kalakaua's reign.

"The early Hawaiians used the leaves for rainwear, sandals and for psychic protection. I suspect that the rolled ti leaf rope was first used as cordage and then later as adornment. The first ti leaf leis we know about were simply leaves with the spines removed and tied end to end."

Early drawings show that they were worn around the neck with the ends hanging loose.

Verna Akana, a McKinley High School student, and Tami Nakamura, of Castle High School, regularly make ti leaf leis to wear at dance performances, and volunteered to demonstrate the technique.

It takes four or five leaves to make a single-strand lei, and you can use either the common green ti leaf or the multicolored hybrid. They should be fresh and flexible.

The secret to the process, which takes less than half an hour, is that the leaves must be softened before using. According to Tami, the best way is to press each one lightly with an electric iron with the setting at cotton.

She said that some people froze the

leaves first, but they tended to get soggy as they defrosted. Reinhardt said the leaves could be rubbed with baby oil. That makes for a shiny lei, but runs the risk of staining whatever the lei is worn on.

The lei is fairly simple to make. The central spine of each ti leaf is removed and two halves are twined together, with more leaves added through twisting until the lei is about four feet long.

The skinny ti leaf lei looks best when worn with flower leis, but Tami and Verna seldom stop there.

Using uneven numbers — tradition more than anything else — three, five or even seven of these single leis can be rolled around each other into a spectacular rope. This is even more dramatic when multicolored leaves are used in one or two of the components.

The leis will last as long as a month if stored in the refrigerator between wearings. They should be wrapped in slightly dampened paper towels and packaged in a plastic bag.

Experience has taught that newcomers and first-time visitors are not wowed by ti leaf leis. They want flowers, they want color, they want perfume — and ti has none of these.

Meeting Place

THURSDAY

6:30 p.m. — Exchange Club meets
7:00 p.m. — Greenville Elks Lodge No. 1645 meets
7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous meets at First Presbyterian Church
7:30 p.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center
8:00 p.m. — Coochee Council No. 60, Degree of Pocahontas meets
8:00 p.m. — VFW meets at Post Home
8:00 p.m. — Alateen, a meeting for children of alcoholics will meet in room 32 of First Presbyterian Church.
8:00 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting at First Presbyterian Church
8:00 p.m. — Serenity Al-Anon meets at First Presbyterian Church, room 33
8:00 p.m. — Freedom Group of Narcotics Anonymous open meeting, St. Paul's Episcopal Church

FRIDAY

12 noon — Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
8:00 p.m. — Serenity Group of Narcotics Anonymous has open discussion at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
8:00 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous traditions and step (newcomers) closed meeting at AA Building, Farmville Highway

SATURDAY

9:30 a.m. — Overeaters Anonymous Big Book meeting at First Presbyterian Church, Harvey-Webb room, Elm Street
1:30 p.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center
8:00 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion group meets at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
8:00 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous book study meets at University Church of Christ

SUNDAY

8:00 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous meeting at Charter North Ridge Building, Oakmont Drive

Births

Hopkins

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curnie Lee Hopkins Jr., Scranton, a daughter, Kimberly Nicole, on Feb. 8, 1987, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

Hamm

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lee Hamm Jr., Aurora, a son, Dillon Cole, on Feb. 8, 1987, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

Harbert

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee Harbert Jr., Williamston, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, on Feb. 9, 1987, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

Hamm

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gregory Hamm, Greenville, a son, JarMal Antonio, on Feb. 9, 1987, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

Ceremonial Held By Local Shrine

Lottie Ann West received the degree of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem in a ceremonial held at the Greenville Shrine meeting last week.

Blanche Jackson, worthy high priestess, told of the North Carolina-Virginia States Club meeting which will be held in Fayetteville in March. March is the election of officers and annual reports will be given.

Mrs. Jackson gave the history legend of St. Valentine's Day. She recognized members having 25 years membership including Ed and Ethel Ricks, Ethel Allen, Elba Rowe, Lillie McLawhorn and Mrs. Jackson. Mrs. Rowe and Mrs. Jackson are 40 year members.

Thelma and Bud Opphile and Alvia Harren of Coastal Shrine, New Bern, were recognized.

Jane Jolly, worthy shepherdess, and Imelda Stang, worthy guide, distributed Valentine favors.

Agnes and Melanie Bunch, Lucille Smith, Mrs. Rowe and Mrs. McLawhorn were meeting hostesses.

Want to get involved? Want a say in the future of your city? If so, sign up with the city's Talent Bank.

Initiated several years ago, the Talent Bank provides city council members with immediate access to persons who have indicated a desire to serve on one of the city's 14 boards and commissions when a vacancy arises.

To sign up or obtain further information on the Talent Bank, call 752-4137.

Hubby Tempts Dieting Wife

Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Could you please save a marriage? My husband and I each made a New Year's resolution, and we've agreed that if either one of us should fail, then on June 1, the loser has to pay the other one \$100.

My husband resolved to quit smoking. I resolved to lose 20 pounds. (I'm 5 foot 7 and weigh 155 pounds; my husband doesn't need to lose any weight.)

Here's the catch. I don't smoke, so I don't put any temptation in front of him, but he hauls out doughnuts, cookies, chips and dips in front of me, and proceeds to pig out while I'm looking on — tempted. If I taste something, he freaks out. He does this in front of company, too, and I don't hold up very well in the face of temptation.

My husband says he has to work with smokers all day, and he is tempted constantly, so he figures it evens the score if he eats fattening foods in front of me. — TEMPTED IN CANADA

DEAR TEMPTED: Don't "taste" anything — the first bite is the beginning of the end. Hang in there, and I hope you lose enough to be \$100 richer by June 1. To tempt you deliberately is the height of meanness. Your husband could play the serpent in the Garden of Eden.

DEAR ABBY: Your recent column signed "Dunned to Death," concerning the way people are hounded by charities these days, will strike a familiar chord with many.

Your advice: "Don't stop giving to charities of your choice because of those who dun you to death with high pressure tactics" is excellent, but I might add, consumers should check with their local Better Business Bureaus to determine the reliability

and reputation of the charity. Our records show that in many cases, anywhere from 40 cents to 90 cents out of every dollar raised goes to pay professional fund-raisers, leaving very little for the charity. — EDWARD F. HESSEL JR., PRESIDENT, B.B.B. INC., LOUISVILLE, KY.

DEAR MR. HESSEL: I agree, every giver is entitled to know how much of his dollar will go for fund-raising, but it's important to realize that in many cases (telethons, for example), a charity must spend big money in order to raise big money — in which case, it's worth it.

But, I recommend that before giving, one should ask for an accounting of that charity's administrative costs. Every legitimate charity will make those figures available.

Kraft Youth Winner Named

ROCKY MOUNT — Wendy Annette Waits was named Kraft Youth Awards winner last week at the 1987 North Carolina Junior Miss finals in Greensboro.

She was awarded a \$300 cash scholarship and gifts for her entry in the competition, which focuses on the health and nutrition needs of today's teens. Entrants in the competition developed menus and activities that creatively demonstrate their understanding of good food, health and fitness ideas.

Her entry included a balanced breakfast menu with recipes for cheddar cheese, sausage and egg casserole accompanied by a homemade cinnamon coffeecake, and a fruit gelatin mold made with orange-pineapple juice.

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Volunteers Working To Provide Animals To Poor

By GEORGE ESPER
AP Special Correspondent
RUTLAND, Mass. (AP) — No task is too small for Laura Booth when it comes to helping the poor.

She is in the pasture and pens feeding cows, goats and sheep, trimming their hooves, giving them vaccinations and nursing the sick ones. She is in the barn raking hay and shoveling manure. She is at churches, showing off the animals to raise money to buy more. She is in the woods tapping the maples for syrup.

Ms. Booth, a 25-year-old transplant from the industrial valleys of western Pennsylvania, with college training to work with people, now labors 12 hours a day with farm animals in Massachusetts.

She is one of 1,200 volunteers who work for Heifer Project International, a non-profit, ecumenical organization that provides cows and other livestock so the poor from Maine to Managua can feed themselves.

Heifer's charity extends to teaching recipients to breed their gift animals so they can make a living.

But with only 155 full-time staffers in the United States and abroad, the project's lifeblood is volunteers like Ms. Booth, who do everything from soliciting precious dollars to clanging the barns.

For a monthly stipend of \$100, Ms. Booth works from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Heifer's Northeast Resource and Livestock Center here, one of nine regional centers across the United States. She lives in a trailer on the farm and is in bed generally by 9 p.m., happily weary from the long day's work.

"I didn't just want to jump into something that was a staid job for the rest of my life," she said. "I wanted to make a difference in people's lives. Helping people out is something that I believe very strongly in. I feel like I've dedicated my life to that."

To do it, she turned down two \$17,000-a-year offers of jobs in her speciality, recreation for the elderly. She earned a degree in therapeutic recreation, with a minor in psychology.

Ms. Booth, whose long blonde hair, blue jeans and baggy sweaters make her look barely out of her teens, joined Heifer last Sept. 1 after two years working in Memphis with a Presbyterian youth program. She signed up for a year with Heifer and says she may stay on longer.

"I didn't grow up with a farm background," said Ms. Booth, who was raised the daughter of an orthodontist in Sharon, Pa., a steel town on state's border with Ohio.

"Everything was new," she said. "But the thing that feels so good is that you get to work outside all day long. When you go to sleep you feel great: You've exercised your body, you've breathed in clean air and you've helped other people."

Working with government agencies and churches to find its recipients, the Heifer Project gives away goats, rabbits, swine, bees, chickens



HELPING HAND — Laura Booth, a volunteer for Heifer Project International, clips a goat's hooves, at the project's farm in Rutland, Mass. (AP Laserphoto)

and fish, as well as cows. It chooses poor farmers who belong to cooperatives, livestock associations or extension services rather than individual families.

Anne Bossi, a Heifer Project livestock consultant in Maine, said many people who had received cows told her it was the first time they were able to give their kids all the milk they wanted.

It has done far more for Troy Kilby, a 25-year-old divorced mother of three from Bradford, Maine.

Ms. Kilby was unemployed and in debt, living on government aid, and her children, aged 3 to 8, were hungry much of the time.

Heifer gave her a milk cow, which she kept at an old farmhouse she was renting, and materials to fix the barn. With the cow, her children had more fresh, whole milk than they could drink. She sold the extra milk and butter, and the added income eased other expenses and helped her make a \$500 down payment on 12 acres of land.

Next, Heifer gave her a second cow and four rabbits, which she bred into 30 and is selling for profit. She is also selling jug milk and butter to neighbors and is raising veal calves. Her aim is to support herself.

"It helped a lot," she said. "It was a start in the right direction. After I got the cow, I got rid of some bills. I had lived in a house without electricity and running water. Now I've got electricity. We're working on running water. I don't think I could be where I am without everything they've given me."

The Heifer Project, with headquarters in Little Rock, Ark., was started in 1944 by Dan West, an Indiana farmer who as a volunteer relief worker in the Spanish Civil War had fed hungry children with powdered milk. West felt it made more sense to give the needy real cows so they could feed themselves without having to take handouts.

Since that first year, when West

and his church sent 18 cows abroad, Heifer has given nearly 75,000 animals and more than 1.5 million chickens and other birds to the needy in more than 30 states and 100 countries.

Heifer plans projects this year in 14 states and 36 countries, from Maine to Florida and from North Carolina to Arizona, from El Salvador to China.

Nearly 80 percent of Heifer's \$9 million annual budget comes from church and individual donations. The project's main 1,225-acre International Learning and Livestock Center is in Perryville, Ark., about 40 miles west of Little Rock. Besides Little Rock and Rutland, the other centers are in Atlanta; New Windsor, Md.; Goshen, Ind.; Topeka, Kan.; Dallas; Ceres, Calif.; and Whittier, Calif.

The Northeast center here sits on 330 acres of land located an hour's drive from Boston. The land was donated by Bill Williams, a 66-year-old dairy farmer who still works for Heifer as an "agrivolt," or agriculture volunteer, for \$150 a month.

"The reward comes," Williams said, "the day that large trailer backs up and 50 big heifers that I've had a part of picking up and handling and giving medication to are on their way to serve needy people in Mexico. That's what it's all about. Being able to feed somebody who's needy."

From the beginning, Heifer's motto has been "a helping hand, not a handout." A vital part of the Heifer Project is the agreement that recipients will give one of their animal's offspring to another needy family or share their skills in animal care, thus perpetuating the help.

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Repeats For Others Are O.K.

At Wits End
Erma Bombeck

It all started with football. We'd sit there and watch three hours of it play by play, stop action, freeze-frame, instant-replay, lenses zooming in and out from five camera angles. Before the players left the field, three commentators came on, rehearsing the game we had just spent three hours watching. I called it Football Regurgitated. Somehow, it wasn't enough to know who played it and

how they won or lost it. We had to know how a player felt when he was knocked out of bounds on the two-yard line and what it looked like from the air.

The anything-worth-hearing-once-bears-repeating mentality began to spread. Every time the President of the United States gave a speech, there were four or five newscasters who followed to dissect what I had just witnessed live and to tell me what I had just heard him say. I felt like a pregnant woman who had just been given a coloring book on the reproduction of the butterfly. (Did they think I phoned it in?)

Reviewers are the worst. Instead of telling me how they feel about a performance, they retell the story or list the music that was played. I know all of that. They're supposed to tell me why I have no taste and why I have to stop enjoying things that have no focus or no plot.

I should be used to living in an echo chamber. I married a schoolteacher who spoke in triplicate from the day I married him. It came with the territory. With children, something said once is not enough, twice is nec-

essary, and three times is being heard for the first time.

When he left for work, he'd say, "I haven't read the paper yet, so save it. (I nodded.) So, if you will kindly put the paper somewhere so it won't get thrown away, I'll read it tonight as I don't have time now. (Got it.) Just put the entire paper by my chair and I'll get to it right after dinner as I'm afraid if it stays in the kitchen, you'll wrap the garbage in it and I haven't read..." I shoved him out the door. He made me feel like my mittens were attached to my coat by a string.

I wouldn't say all this has had a big effect on me personally, but the other day I was cleaning the kitchen while everyone watched TV and drank coffee. I lifted their feet and mopped underneath them, moved chairs, wiped off the baseboards, polished the windows and waxed the table. When I finished I said, "Look, I have just broken my back cleaning this kitchen. I have waxed, polished, made the windows glisten and..."

"Don't labor it," said my husband, "we've got eyes."

He went back to watching a football classic that was played in 1972.

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Stock And Market Reports

By The Associated Press
HOGGS: Trend is steady at N.C. buying stations. Kinston, Spivey's Corner, Murfreesboro, Siler City and Robersonville, 48.50; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourn, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson 48.50; Wilson 48.50; Rowland no quote. Sows: (500 pounds up) Fayetteville 43.00; Wallace 44.00; Spivey's Corner 44.50; Rowland 44.00.

BROILERS: The North Carolina fob dock quoted price on broilers for this week's trading was 46.00 cents, based on full truck load lots of ice pack USDA Grade A sized 2 1/2 to 3 pounds birds. Too few percent of the loads offered have been confirmed with a preliminary weighted average. The market is steady and the live supply is adequate for a moderate to good demand. Average weights desirable. Estimated slaughter of broilers and fryers in North Carolina Thursday was 1,962,000, compared to 1,930,000 last Thursday.

GRAIN: No. 2 yellow shelled corn steady to 1 cent lower at mostly 1.64-1.77 in East and mostly 1.75-1.84 in the Piedmont; No. 1 yellow soybeans mostly 2 cents lower at mostly 4.75-4.90 in East and mostly 4.75-4.85 in the Piedmont; wheat mostly 2.40-2.57; (new crop wheat 2.28-2.38). Exchange rates for P.I.K. certificates were mostly 1/2 percent lower to 1/2 percent higher and ranged from 102 to 109 percent of face value.

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market was holding steady in opening trading today, picking up where it left off in the previous session.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was off 2.82 to 2,234.81 in the first half hour of trading.

Gainers outnumbered losers by about 11 to 9 in the early tally of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues, with 332 up, 268 down and 332 unchanged. Volume on the Big Board came to 24.77 million shares as of 10 a.m. on Wall Street.

The Commerce Department reported today that the gross national product, the broadest measure of economic health, grew at a sluggish 1.3 percent annual rate in the final three months of 1986.

CocaCola s	45 1/4	45	45 1/4
Colg Palm	47 1/4	46 3/4	47 1/4
Comw Edis	37 1/4	37	37 1/4
ConAgra s	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
DeltaAir	65 3/4	65 1/4	65 1/2
DowChem	77 1/4	76	76 1/4
duPont	104 1/4	103 1/2	104 1/4
Duke Pow	48 1/4	47 3/4	48
EstKodak	80 1/4	79 1/4	80 1/4
EatonCo	84 1/4	84	84 1/2
Exxon	82 1/4	82	82 1/4
FPL Grp	33 1/4	33 1/4	33 1/4
Firestone	35 1/4	34 1/4	35 1/4
FitWachov	42 1/4	42 1/4	42 1/4
FlaProgress	42	41 1/2	41 1/4
FordMot s	79 1/4	78 3/4	79 1/4
Fugua s	31 1/2	29 1/4	31 1/4
GTE Corp s	41 1/4	41 1/4	41 1/4
GenCorp	76 1/4	76	76 1/4
GenDynam	74 1/4	73 1/4	74 1/2
GenElec	101 1/4	101	101 1/4
GenSis	50 1/4	49 3/4	49 3/4
GenMotors	78	77 1/4	77 3/4
GenMotr E	37 1/4	37 1/4	37 1/4
GenPart	52 1/4	52 1/2	52 1/4
GenPart	47 1/4	47 1/4	47 1/2
Goodrich	53 1/4	52 1/2	53 1/2
Goodyear	55 1/4	55 1/4	55 1/4
Grace Co	55 1/4	54 3/4	55 1/4
GrainWck	88 1/4	88	88 1/4
Greyhound	35 1/4	35 1/4	35 1/4
HerculesInc	63 1/4	62 1/4	62 1/4
Honeywell	70 1/4	69 3/4	70 1/4
HCA	35 1/4	35	35 1/4
ITT Corp	63 1/4	62 1/2	63
Ing Rand	79 1/4	79	79 1/4
IBM	138 1/4	137 1/2	138 1/4
IntPaper	94 1/4	93 1/4	94 1/4
IntRect s	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4
JamesRvr s	40	39 1/4	39 1/2
K mart	55	53 1/4	54 1/4
KaiserAlu	37 1/4	37 1/4	37 1/4
KanebSvc	27 1/4	27	27 1/4
Kroger s	32 1/4	32	32 1/4
Lockheed	53 1/4	53	53 1/4
Loew'sCo	73	72 1/4	72 1/4
McDermint	25 1/4	25	25 1/4
McKess s	37 1/4	36 1/4	37 1/2
Mead Corp	69	68 1/4	68 1/4
Mercantil	111 1/4	111	111 1/4
MinnMIM	133 1/4	132 1/4	133 1/4
Mobil	44 1/4	43 3/4	43 3/4
Monsanto	78 1/4	78	78 1/4
NCNB Cp s	25 1/4	25	25
Navajo	6 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4
NorfolkSou	95 1/4	94 1/4	95 1/4
Nynex s	66	65 1/4	66
Olinc Cp	48 1/4	48 1/4	48 1/4
OwensIll s	59 1/4	58 1/4	59 1/4
PacTel s	55 1/4	55	55 1/4
Penney JC	93	91 3/4	92 1/4
PepperCo s	32 1/4	31 1/4	31 1/4
Phillips Dod	29 1/4	28 1/4	29 1/4
PhillipMor s	89	88 1/4	88 1/4
PhillipPet	13	12 1/4	13
Polaron	83 1/4	82 1/4	82 1/4
ProctCamb	89 1/4	88 1/4	89 1/4
QuakerOats s	49 1/4	48 1/4	49 1/4
RJR Nab	63 1/4	62 1/4	63
RalstonPur	78 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4
Rohm and	57 1/4	57 1/4	57 1/4
Scott Paper	78 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4
SealedWr	33 1/4	33 1/4	33 1/4
SearsRoeb	51 1/4	49 1/4	50 1/4
Shaklee	24 1/4	24	24 1/4
Skyline Cp	17	16 1/4	16 1/4
Sony Corp	23 1/4	23	23 1/4
Southern Co	27 1/4	27 1/4	27 1/4
StetBell	114 1/4	113 1/4	114 1/4
StdOil	58 1/4	58	58 1/4
Stevens JP	44	43 1/4	43 1/4
TRW Inc	109 1/4	109	109 1/4
TrustCo Inc	33 1/4	33 1/4	33 1/4
TexEastn	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
USX Corp	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
Unicomp	68 1/4	68	68 1/4
Univ of Ill s	27	26 1/4	26 1/4
USWest s	55 1/4	55 1/4	55 1/4
Unocal	30 1/4	30	30 1/4
WalMart	53	52 1/4	52 1/4
WestPep	60 1/4	60 1/4	60 1/4
WestingH	65	64 1/4	64 1/4
Weyerhae	48 1/4	48 1/4	48 1/4
WinnDix	47 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
WorldWid s	46	45 1/4	45 1/4
Xerox Cp	51	50 1/4	50 1/4
Xerox Cp	73 1/4	72 1/4	73 1/4

Following are selected stock quotations as of 11:00 a.m.:

Ashland Oil	64 1/4
Unisys	112 1/4
Conner Homes	51 1/2
Fieldcrest Mills	38
Flowers Inds	27 1/4
Hatteras Inc Securities	21
Hilton Hotel Corp	79 1/4
Jefferson Pilot	35 1/4
John Deere	30
Low's Company	30 1/4
Interstate Securities	12 1/4
Wickes	4 1/4
Piedmont Aviation	69 1/4
Southmark Corporation	9
United Telecommunications	27 1/4
Dominion Resources	47 1/4
Piedmont Natural Gas	22 1/4

OVER THE COUNTER

Branch Bank	37 1/4 to 38 1/4
Planters National Bank	24 1/4 to 25
Vermont American	21 1/4 to 21 1/2
Chemlaw	16 1/4 to 16 1/2
Southern National Bank	24 to 24 1/2
Peoples Bank	14 1/2 to 15
North Carolina Natural Gas	38 1/2 to 39 1/2
Cooper LaserSonic	1 15/16 to 2
Farm Fresh	16 to 16 1/4

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks:

High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	63	59 1/4
AbbottLab s	61 1/4	61 1/4
Allis Chalm	3 1/2	3 1/4
Alcoa	44	43 1/4
AmBrands s	51 1/4	51 1/4
Amer Can	105	103 3/4
Am Cyan	94 1/4	94 1/4
AmerTech s	90 1/4	89 1/4
AmlntCp s	75	71 1/2
Am Motors	3 1/4	3 1/4
AmStand	48 1/4	48 1/4
Amer T&T	23 1/4	23 1/4
Amoco	73 1/4	72 1/4
BellAtlan s	73	71 1/2
BellSouth	61 1/4	60 1/4
BellSouth wI	40 1/4	40 1/4
Beth Steel	9 1/4	9 1/4
Boeing	52 1/4	51 1/2
Boise Cascd	79	78 1/4
BoiseC piC	67 1/4	66 1/4
Borden s	58 1/4	57 1/4
Burling Ind	48	47 1/4
CSX Cp	33 1/4	33 1/4
CaroPwLt	39 1/4	39 1/4
Celanese	244	244
Champ Int	38 1/4	37 1/4
Chevron	50	49 1/4
Chrysler s	49 1/4	49 1/4

Funds Requested

(Continued from A-1)

counts payable, fixed asset ledger, purchasing, etc., all of which greatly impact the accounting division.

A request of \$62,921 from the finance-purchasing office marks a \$3,271 increase from the estimated total of \$59,650 in the present budget.

The purchasing department's request includes \$61,428 in salaries and \$1,493 in operating expenses.

Purchasing will consolidate for bulk purchase of bid, frequently used supply or equipment type items on a quarterly or semi-annual basis to achieve greater savings, according to Kimble, who said state contracts will be used extensively for purchase.

The finance-tax department has requested \$170,062, compared to \$161,232 estimated in the 1986-87 budget. The budget requests include \$124,323 in personal services, \$37,439 in operating expenses and \$8,300 in capital outlay.

"The responsibilities of the revenue collection division continues to expand at a challenging rate," Kimble said. "Keeping abreast of the ad valorem tax law revisions and new city revenue programs plus continued update of existing programs

has added more responsibilities to the division."

The finance-building services department request of \$603,481 marks a \$78,177 increase from the \$525,304 estimated for the present budget.

The request includes \$33,710 in salaries, \$548,296 in operating expenses and \$21,475 in capital outlay.

"The scope of work of this division continues to mount at a fast rate," Kimble said. "The employees of the building services division handle everything from cleaning of City Hall, police and community building to council agenda deliveries every week."

The budget also funds the insurance and bonds program for the city, Kimble said.

Council members also reviewed a \$72,192 request from the Parking Authority, which is self-supporting, and a \$2,540,210 request from the debt service department.

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Virginia Gets Monitor Artifacts

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said he and his staff had been working vigorously to have North Carolina named the site of the museum housing the artifacts.

"I am absolutely bitter about (the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration) bypassing us and I think they should have the courtesy to advise us as to the reasons for the decision," Jones said in a telephone interview from Washington this morning.

Jones said he learned about the decision to display the artifacts in Virginia around 10:30 this morning. He said the decision on the location was to be made March 9, the 125th anniversary of the Monitor's four-hour fight in Hampton Roads with the Confederate warship Virginia, also known as the Merrimack. The battle, which was fought to a draw, was the world's first confrontation between ironclad ships.

"I really am disturbed that we (in North Carolina) are being ignored," the representative said. "I regret the decision but I am furious about the matter being swept under the door. The state of North Carolina was not notified" about the decision on the location. "It is one of the most underhanded things."

Most of the Monitor still lies under 210 feet of ocean 16 miles off the coast at Cape Hatteras, where it sank on Dec. 31, 1862. There it stayed until 1973, when the wreck was discovered by researchers from ECU, Duke University, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Univer-

sity of Delaware. The artifacts were recovered during three explorations performed since then.

The anchor, the largest of the artifacts, was recovered by the ECU program in Maritime History and Underwater Research in 1983. The anchor was preserved and displayed on the campus of ECU.

Gordon Watts, assistant professor of maritime history at ECU, was instrumental in discovering the site of the shipwreck and recovering artifacts. He said that he is disappointed that the artifacts are leaving the state, but said that study and viewing of the objects still will be possible.

"On the one hand, I think there is an obvious historical link between the Hampton Roads (Va.) area and the vessel," Watts said. "On the other hand, it is unfortunate that there was not considerably more interest in and support for continued investigation in the shipwreck here in North Carolina.

"It was primarily North Carolinians that originated the search for the vessel and played an instrumental role in recovering the artifacts," the ECU researcher said. "But it is pretty hard to fault (NOAA) if the Mariners' Museum has the best facilities and staff" to accommodate the artifacts.

"The Mariners' Museum or whoever is designated as the primary museum will be the custodian of the artifacts but they will still be available for display in North Carolina, Kansas or California — whoever would like to develop an ex-

hibit," Watts said. He said that ECU will continue to have access to the items for study.

A North Carolina committee proposed that the artifacts be housed in the Maritime Museum in Beaufort and that North Carolina be an equal partner with the Smithsonian and the Navy in receiving access to the artifacts.

The committee, headed by an ECU associate professor of sociology, Michael Orbach, did not bid for Greenville to be the location of the museum.

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Obituaries

Bright
 A funeral for Mrs. Jennie Still Bright, 85, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Red Oak Christian Church by the Revs. Dexter Wasson and Jack Morris and Dr. Harold Deitch. Burial will be in the Winterville Cemetery.

Mrs. Bright, a native of Barnwell, S.C., lived near Winterville from 1919 until 1956. Since that time she made her home in Richmond, Va., with her daughter, Mrs. Peggy Rozell. She was a member of Red Oak Christian Church.

Surviving, in addition to her daughter, are two other daughters, Mrs. Margaret Corey of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. Maude Mansfield of Succasunna, N.J.; a son, Ralph Bright of Route 1, Grimesland, 14 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the Wilkerson Funeral Home from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday.

Flanagan
 A graveside service for Mr. James Leland Flanagan, 60, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in the Draper Cemetery in Bath.

Arrangements are being handled by the Wilkerson Funeral Home.

Jones
 Ms. Ruth Charlene Turnage Jones of 1100 W. Fifth St. died Wednesday in Pitt County Memorial Hospital. Arrangements are incomplete at Norcott and Company Funeral Home.

Lacy
 HASSELL — A funeral for Mrs. Sirlister H. Lacy will be conducted Saturday at 3:30 p.m. in Hattie's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church near Hassell by Elders H.C. Cobb. Burial will be in the Council Cemetery, Route 1, Bethel.

Mrs. Lacy was born in Beaufort County but spent most of her life in Martin County. She was one of the founding and charter members of Hattie's Chapel Church, where she served on the Mother Board and in the home mission department.

She is survived by four sons, S.J. Lacy of Winterville, Hugh Morris Lacy of Robersonville, the Rev.

Herbert Lacy of Philadelphia and Lamon Lacy of Everetts; four daughters, Mrs. Sarah Reid of Philadelphia, Mrs. Melissa Christian of Jamaica, N.Y., Mrs. Edna Hooker of the home and Mrs. Mary Webster of Long Island, N.Y.; one brother, the Rev. Hoyt Hammond of Winterville; one sister, Ms. Clara Hammond of Jamaica, N.Y.; 45 grandchildren; 58 great-grandchildren, and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

Family visitation will be held at the Flanagan Funeral Chapel Friday from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., and at other times the family will be at the home in Hassell.

Little
 ROBERSONVILLE — A funeral for Mr. Chester Little, 91, will be conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. in Wynn Chapel Missionary Baptist Church by the Rev. G.L. Harris. Burial will be in the Robersonville Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Little was a native of Pitt County, but lived most of his life in the Robersonville area of Martin County. He was a member of Wynn Chapel Church.

He is survived by three sons, Hallad Edsel Little of Washington, Willie Little of Hamilton and Dennis Little of Robersonville; five daughters, Mrs. Daisy B. Carr of Washington, Mrs. Delia Ann Riley of Hampton, Va., Mrs. Mary Killebrew, Mrs. Rupert Wilson and Ms. Thelma Kelley, all of Brooklyn, N.Y.; one brother, Mack Little of Robersonville; three sisters, Mrs. Christine Smith and Mrs. Jenny Jefferson, both of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Hattie Spain of Norfolk, Va.; 47 grandchildren, and 58 great-grandchildren.

Family visitation will be held at the Flanagan Funeral Home Chapel from 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Friday, and at other times the family will be at the home of Mrs. Annie Wallace, Everetts.

Mills
 Mr. Donald Mills, 42, formerly of Greenville, died Wednesday at his home in Sapulpa, Okla.

His funeral will be conducted Friday at 10:30 a.m. at Smith Funeral Home in Sapulpa, Okla.

Surviving are his wife, Pam Mills; two sons, Donnie Mills and Duwayne Mills, both of Sapulpa, Okla.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Mills of Greenville; three sisters, Mrs. Rebecca Harris of Plymouth and Mrs. Patsy Betts and Mrs. Mary Allen, both of Greenville, and one grandson.

Messages of sympathy may be sent to the Mills family at 4235 Independence, Sapulpa, Okla.

Ponder
 GRIFTON — Mrs. Doris Marr Ponder, 56, died today at her home in Grifton.

Her funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the chapel of Farmer Funeral Home in Ayden by the Rev. Linwood Walters. Burial will be in the Ayden Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Edwin Ponder of the home; a son, Mitchell Thomas Rogers of Robbinsville; her parents, Bill and Maye Marr of Robbinsville; two sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Hort and Mrs. Mary Sue Crisp, both of Cleveland, Tenn., and two grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the Farmer Funeral Home from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Stancil
 TARBORO — A funeral for Mrs. Geneva Waller Stancil, 89, will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at St. Luke's Disciples Church in Princeville by the Rev. W.H. Yelverton. Burial will follow in Dancy Memorial Cemetery in Princeville.

Mrs. Stancil was a member of St. Luke's Church.

She is survived by one foster daughter, Mrs. Annie Armfield of Princeville, and one sister, Mrs. Cora W. Armfield of Bethel.

The family will receive friends Friday from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Hemby-Willoughby Mortuary in Tarboro.

Stewart
 Mr. John William Stewart, 85, of Route 1, Chocowinity, died Wednesday at his home.

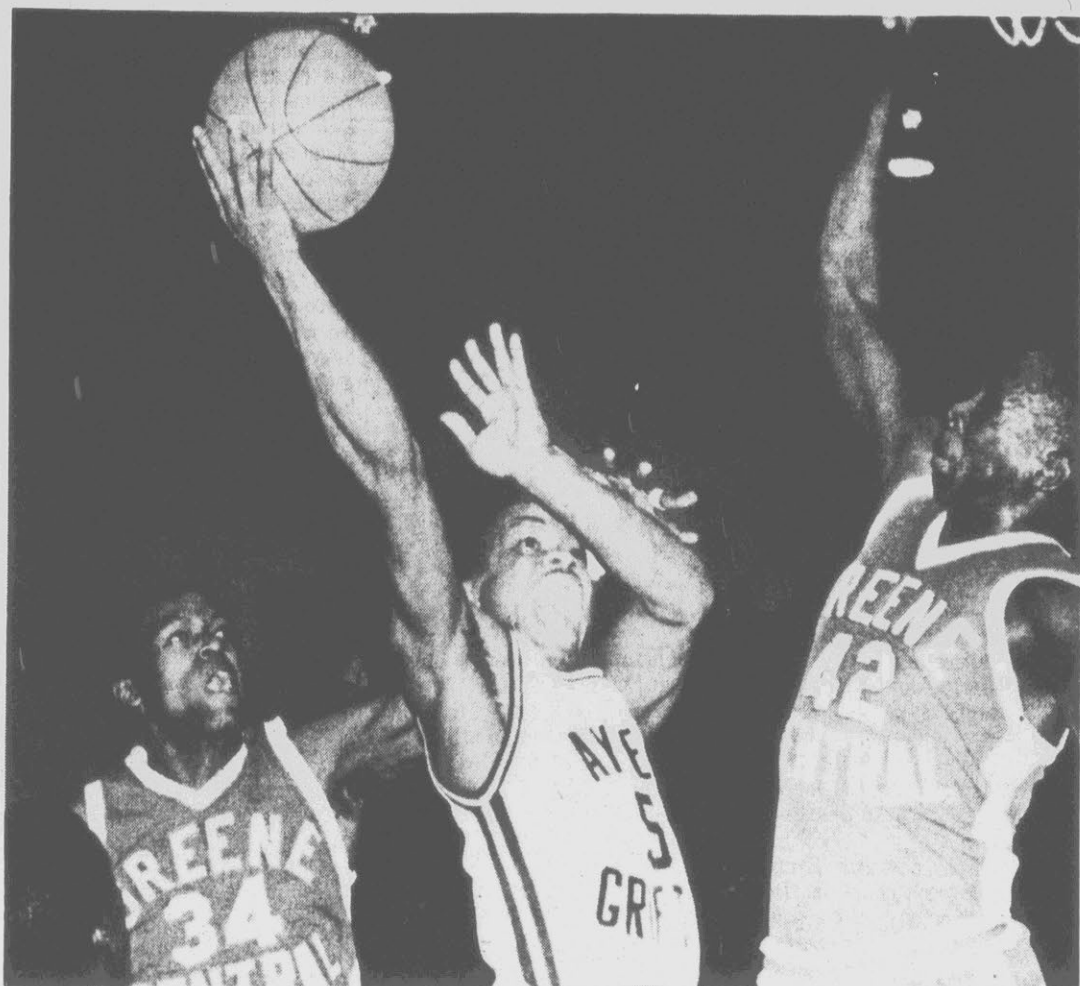
His funeral will be conducted at 2

p.m. Friday by the Rev. Ola Forbes Jr. Burial will be in Oakdale Cemetery in Washington, N.C.

He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Ruth Garris Stewart of the home; two daughters, Miss Neva Woolard of Route 1, Grimesland, and Mrs. Betty Smith of Chocowinity; two stepsons, Joseph Daniel Little of Chocowinity and C.M. Little of Farmville; a sister, Mrs. Evelyn Jackson of Newport News, Va.; 13 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. today. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Home Health Services of Eastern Carolina-Hospice, 614 E. 12th St., Washington, N.C., 27889.



Charger Charger

Ayden-Grifton's Eric Blount (5) goes up for a shot against the guard of Greene Central's Woodrow Wallace (42) during action in Wednesday night's Eastern Plains Conference

game at Ayden-Grifton. Greene Central's O.J. Sheppard (34) watches. Blount scored 24 points as Ayden-Grifton took a 70-69 victory. (Reflector Photo by Cliff Hollis)

Clemson Tops Wake For School Record 24th Win

By The Associated Press

It wasn't a conference championship or even a victory in a tournament, but Clemson cut down the nets after taking an Atlantic Coast Conference victory over Wake Forest.

The 87-71 win Wednesday gave the 10th-ranked Tigers their 24th victory this season, a new school record, and that brought down the nets.

"We talked about cutting down the nets during shooting practice this afternoon," said Clemson coach Cliff Ellis. "I told the team that if we would win, we would make Clemson history and we would be doing something that no one else had done."

Center Horace Grant scored 33 points and grabbed 20 rebounds to pace the victory for Clemson.

Grant's scoring total for the night matched his career-high game and his rebounding figure tied a personal best as the Tigers rolled to their ninth conference victory in 11 outings.

"Grant was outstanding," said Wake Forest Coach Bob Staak. "He has had a consistent season and because of that I would vote for him for our conference player of the year."

The Deacons, who fell to 12-12 overall and 1-10 in the conference, tied the score at 44-44 with 17:29 left in the game, but a Grant free throw at 16:42 started the Tigers on a 12-0 run that put the game out of reach.

"This was not one of our better performances," said Ellis. "If there was a time to be primed for defeat, tonight was the night. After such a great week last week, I thought we might be in trouble."

In other ACC action, third-ranked North Carolina was also raising its record to 24-2 with a 118-65 victory over non-conference opponent East Tennessee St., Virginia defeated Georgia Tech 60-58 and Maryland defeated Maryland-Baltimore County 78-64.

Virginia trailed by 10 points in the

second half, but charged back to take the victory over Georgia Tech.

"It went right down to the wire," Virginia Coach Terry Holland said. "I don't think anyone left early, and certainly our kids gutted it out."

Mel Kennedy's 10-foot jumper with four seconds to play was the decisive basket as Virginia ended Georgia Tech's six-game winning streak.

Virginia, which had lost four of its previous six games, improved to 17-8 overall and 5-6 in the ACC.

The Yellow Jackets, who had built their winning streak entirely within the conference schedule, fell to 15-8 and 6-5.

"It felt very good when I let it go," said Kennedy, who finished with 14 points, including 12 in the second half.

"We're all vying for an NCAA bid," Georgia Tech Coach Bobby Cremins said, "and it would have been nice to come out of here with a win. But our schedule is definitely working for us."

MARYLAND-BALTO. CO.

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Maryland-Balt. Co.

Table with 2 columns: Score, Points. Row: Maryland-Balt. Co. 34, 30-64.

Maryland

Table with 2 columns: Score, Points. Row: Maryland 44, 34-78.

Three-point goals

Maryland-Baltimore County 2-6 (Faust 0-1, Simmons 2-3, Richardson 0-2). Maryland 4-6 (Hood 3-3, McCoy 1-2, Johnson 0-1).

Turnovers

Maryland-Baltimore County 9, Maryland 11.

Technical fouls

None.

Officials

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The Tar Heels, meanwhile, took an easy win over East Tennessee State, but struggled to keep their minds off Saturday's ACC opponent - Clemson.

"We wanted to use this game tonight to execute offensively and

(See CLEMSON, B-2)

EAST TENNESSEE ST.

Table with 6 columns: Name, MP, FG, FT, RA, FPI. Rows include Jones, Larkey, Vaughn, Manuel, Austin, Goode, Donaldson, Shirley, Cox, King, Team, and Totals.

N. CAROLINA

Table with 6 columns: Name, MP, FG, FT, RA, FPI. Rows include Popson, Wolf, Reid, Lebo, K. Smith, Williams, Hunter, R. Smith, Bucknall, Hensley, Norwood, Denny, Hyatt, and Totals.

East Tennessee St.

Table with 2 columns: Score, Points. Row: East Tennessee St. 29, 36-65.

N. Carolina

Table with 2 columns: Score, Points. Row: N. Carolina 58, 60-118.

Three-point goals

East Tennessee State 1-7 (Manuel 0-1, Austin 0-2, Donaldson 0-2, King 1-2). N. Carolina 10-18 (Wolf 2-2, Lebo 2-3, K. Smith 4-7, R. Smith 1-2, Norwood 0-2, Denny 1-2).

Turnovers

East Tennessee State 22, N. Carolina 9.

Technical fouls

None.

Officials

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Ayden-Grifton Escapes Trap Set By Rams; Still Is Tied For First Place

By TOM MORRIS

Reflector Sports Writer

LITTLEFIELD — Ayden-Grifton dodged a bullet aimed right at its Eastern Plains Conference title hopes by outlasting a stubborn Greene Central team, 70-69, in overtime Wednesday night.

With the win, the Chargers remain tied with Farmville Central for first place in the EPC with a 9-2 mark while improving to 16-5 overall.

"It's hard to say what we did well other than win," said Charger coach Bob Murphrey. "I don't think we took them lightly, I just don't think we're playing smart basketball."

The Chargers had to sweat out the win until the final seconds.

The Rams had charged back from as much as a nine-point fourth quarter deficit to tie the game at 61-61 with six seconds remaining on a drive by Anthony Jones.

Greene Central had the first possession of the extra period but lost it when Jake Barrow was called for an offensive foul, his fifth.

The Chargers quickly took advantage as Shawn Farmer connected to put Ayden-Grifton up 63-61.

Melvin Croom countered for the Rams with 2:21 left to tie it at 63-63.

With just over two minutes remaining, the Chargers Ronnell Peterson drove the lane for a basket and drew a foul. He hit the resulting free throw and the Chargers led 66-63.

Jones brought Greene Central back within one with another drive to make it 66-65.

With 1:29 left, Ayden-Grifton's Eric Blount hit on both ends of a one and one to make it 68-65.

The Rams missed on their next offensive opportunity and Ayden-Grifton's Hilton Ellison was fouled with 1:06 left and he missed on the front end of the one and one. Greene Central rebounded and with one minute remaining Shay Beaman hit two free throws to make it a one-point game at 68-67.

Alcindor Speight stole the ball for the Rams and Woodrow Wallace connected on a drive to give Greene Central its first lead since the first quarter at 69-68 with 32 seconds to go.

After a timeout, the Chargers had the ball with 21 seconds to go. After swinging the ball around once, Peterson connected on a 17-foot jumper that gave the Chargers the lead 70-69 with 15 seconds to go.

Greene Central got the ball with nine seconds left. As the clock ticked down, Jones missed a jumper and Ellison got the rebound but was called for traveling with no time showing on the clock.

The officials ruled Ellison traveled with time remaining and put three seconds back on the clock. The Rams inbounded the ball but then lost possession as time ran out giving the Chargers a one-point victory.

"They were able to make their free throws," said Greene Central coach Lewis Godwin. "We missed a lot of easy shots in one stretch. We played hard, didn't give up. They've won those types of ball games this year. We haven't."

On Ayden-Grifton's final possession, Murphrey said he didn't want to hold the ball for a final shot because his team still trailed.

"We wanted a chance for a second shot," he said. "I wanted another opportunity (in case we missed)."

Greene Central came out strong in the first quarter, forging a 16-10 lead before the Chargers rallied to lead 27-24 at halftime.

Ayden-Grifton expanded that to a 46-39 advantage after three quarters of play and looked on the verge of blowing the game open early in the fourth quarter before the Rams rallied.

In the opening minutes of the final period, Ayden-Grifton held a 48-39 lead but Greene Central outscored the Chargers 10-2 to pull within 50-49 and from there on it was nip and tuck.

The Chargers also missed two one and one opportunities in the final minute and a half to further complicate matters.

"I think they beat us one on one," Murphrey said. "We can't seem to settle on a defense we have any success with over a period of time. They were doing a lot of substituting and we were getting confused on our matchups."

Peterson and Blount both scored 24 points to lead the Chargers while Wallace led Greene Central, 9-12 and 5-6, with 24 points also.

"We struggled all night," Murphrey said. "I think we played helter-skelter at both ends of the court but that's what we've been doing all year—struggling and making

the big plays at the end. I don't know how much longer we can do it."

The Chargers close out their regular season Friday at North Pitt in a game that Murphrey said the Chargers must win if they want to win the EPC's regular season title.

"I think we need a good game under our belts," he said. "Friday night is a big game for us. That's what we're talking about. We'll worry about the tournament next week."

The girl's game mirrored the boy's game as the Lady Chargers struggled past the Lady Rams, 44-37.

"We played well enough to win but we did not in any way play up to our potential."

Ayden-Grifton was hampered by the loss of starting forward Michelle Whitfield, who is out with a knee injury.

"She has missed the last two games and with her not in there we have not played up to par," Frazier said.

Still the Chargers took the lead late in the first quarter and never relinquished it but were never able to pull away from the Lady Rams.

Early in the fourth quarter, Greene Central pulled within two points at 34-32 on two free throws by Joy Albritton with 6:17 remaining.

Kim Barfield countered for the Lady Chargers by hitting one of two

(See AYDEN, B-2)

Williams Paces Farmville Win

FARMVILLE — Kennedy Williams poured in 34 points to pace Farmville Central to a 92-54 rout of Charles B. Aycock High School Wednesday night, enabling the Jaguars to keep pace with Ayden-Grifton in the Eastern Plains Conference race.

Farmville's girls, however, with their 70-44 victory, clinched the championship of the EPC girls division, winning their 11th straight game in the conference.

Farmville's boys are knotted with Ayden-Grifton, both with 9-2 league records, each having one game left to play. A tie would be settled by a draw to set the seeding for next week's EPC tournament and the following week's sectionals.

Farmville shot out to a quick lead and was never behind against the Falcons. By the end of the first quarter, Farmville held a 22-12 lead. The Jaguars continued to pull away in the second period, posting a 26-14 margin to run the lead to 48-26.

Farmville kept it up in the third period, running its lead to 67-41. The Jags finished off Aycock, 25-13, in the final quarter.

In addition to Williams' total, Tyrone Joyner added 13 and James Reid had 14 for Farmville. Aycock was led by Travis Spells with 19 while Johnny Smith had 11 and Keith Taylor had 10.

Farmville's girls had little trouble in their game too. After one period, it

was 15-6, and the Lady Jags ran it to 40-20 by halftime. In the third period, they continued to pull away, 17-15, to hold a 57-35 edge. A 13-9 margin in the last quarter finished it off.

Liesia Lang led Farmville with 35 while Felicia Barrett added 15. Connie Lancaster had 16 and Crystal Kennedy had 14 for Aycock.

Farmville will close out the regular season on Friday, traveling to Greene Central.

JV Game: Farmville Central 91, C.B. Aycock 39

Girl's Game

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include C.B. Aycock (44), Hibdon 11-13, Lewis 10-0-2, Powell 20-14, C. Lancaster 4-8-12, Kennedy 5-4-11, Parker 1-2-4, S. Lancaster 0-1-5, Hamilton 0-0-0, K. Aycock 0-0-0, Whitley 0-0-0, Howell 0-0-0. Totals 1416-3444.

FARMVILLE CENTRAL (70)

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Rows include Lang 14-7-10-35, Manning 2-0-0-4, Stancill 1-0-2, Harrison 2-3-4-7, Best 0-2-4-2, W. Bullock 1-1-3-3, Barrett 5-5-8-15, Reid 0-2-4-2, Little 0-0-0, Barfield 0-0-0, Brown 0-0-0. Totals 25-20-33-70.

C.B. Aycock

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Rows include 5, 14, 15, 9-44. Totals 23-8-14-54.

Boy's Game

C.B. Aycock (54)

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Rows include Battle 2-2-6, Hill 3-2-3-8, Spells 8-3-7-19, Taylor 5-0-10, Smith 5-1-2-11, Ford 0-0-0-0, Wright 0-0-0, Sauls 0-0-0-0, S. Smith 0-0-0-0. Totals 23-8-14-54.

FARMVILLE CENTRAL (92)

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Rows include Joyner 5-3-8-13, Moore 3-1-2-7, K. Williams 17-0-34, M. Williams 2-2-6, Reid 6-2-3-14, Daniels 3-3-4-9, Bandy 1-1-2-3, K. Johnson 1-0-2, D. Johnson 0-2-2-2, Vines 1-0-2, Barrett 0-0-0. Totals 39-14-23-92.

C.B. Aycock

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Rows include 12, 14, 15, 13-54. Farmville C. 22, 26, 19, 25-92.

Mat Regionals Begin Friday

Three area high school wrestling teams will be involved in regional tournaments Friday and Saturday on the 3-A and 4-A levels.

Rose High School's Rampants will take part in the Durham Jordan regional, and will carry 11 wrestlers to the event.

D.H. Conley and Washington, meanwhile, will participate in the 3-A regional to be held at East Wake.

The top four from each weight class in each sectional will qualify for the state championships to be held Feb. 27-28. The 3-A title event will be in Chapel Hill, while the 4-A will be in Winston-Salem.

Rose's entries will be as follows: 108 Evan Kane; 122 Reggie Sasser; 129 Mike Barnhill; 135 Bobby Hardy; 141 Mike House; 148 Milton Leathers; 158 Ralph Love; 170 Gerald Okoth; 188 Mike Taylor; and heavyweight Robbie Fulford.

Conley will carry 10 to its regional. They include 101 Steve Allen; 108 David Farris; 129 Whit Whitford; 135 Kevin Daniels, 141 Carter Adkins; 148 Jason Hamby; 158 William Mizell; 188 Larry Wilson; 198 Robbie Little; and heavyweight Kevin Moye.

Farris was a sectional champion and the state runner-up last year

while Adkins was the second runner-up. Those titles were won in the old combined competition, however. This is the first year of separate competition by classifications.

Washington's qualifiers are 101 Patrick Paul; 108 Chico Dixon; 115 Mike Landon; 122 Joe Richard; 129 Walt Gerard; 135 Marty Hodges; 141 Carney Taylor; 148 James Boyd; 158 Andrew Richard; 170 Scott Long; 188 Larry Harris; 198 James Richard; and heavyweight Charles Clark.

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Men's Basketball

Table with 3 columns: Conf., W, L. Rows include Navy, UNC-Wilmington, James Madison, Richmond, George Mason, American, East Carolina, William & Mary.

Wednesday's Games

James Madison 60, Virginia Commonwealth 57

Campbell 69, UNC-Wilmington 67, OT

Thursday's Games

William & Mary at Drexel

Sports Calendar

Editor's Note: Schedules are supplied by schools or sponsoring agencies and are subject to change without notice.

Today's Sports Basketball: Hunt at Rose (4:30 p.m.), Edenton at Roanoke (5 p.m.), Tobacco Belt Conference Tournament

Rec Leagues: Boys Club Midgets, Blue Devils vs. Irish (4:15 p.m.), Deacons vs. Tar Heels (5:15 p.m.)

AA Division: Aldridge & Southerland vs. Acheson's (ES - 7 p.m.), StopShop vs. Winn Dixie (ES - 8 p.m.)

AAA Division: Rockers vs. Pitt Memorial (WG - 7 p.m.)

A Division: Barrone vs. Perdue (WG - 8 p.m.), Family Practice vs. Cooke & Elks (ES - 9 p.m.), Hooters vs. Collins & Aikman #4 (WG - 9 p.m.), PCB vs. Collins & Aikman #3 (ES - 10 p.m.)

Fee Wee Division: Wildcats vs. Wolfpack (3:30 p.m.), Cavaliers vs. Wolfpack (7:15 p.m.)

Friday's Sports

Basketball: Farmville Central at Greene Central (5 p.m.)

Ayden-Grifton at North Pitt (5 p.m.), West Carteret at Conley (5 p.m.), East Carteret at Washington (5 p.m.), Rose at Northeastern (4:30 p.m.), Hilltop at Trinity (6 p.m.), ECCAC Tournament at Greenville

Christian: Pitt C.C. at Lenoir (7:30 p.m.)

Tobacco Belt Conference Rec Leagues: Pee Wee Division: Tar Heels vs. Pirates (3:30 p.m.)

Midget Division: Wildcats vs. Blue Devils (4:15 p.m.), Wolfpack vs. Pirates (5 p.m.)

AA Division: GUCO vs. Honeycutt's (ES - 7 p.m.)

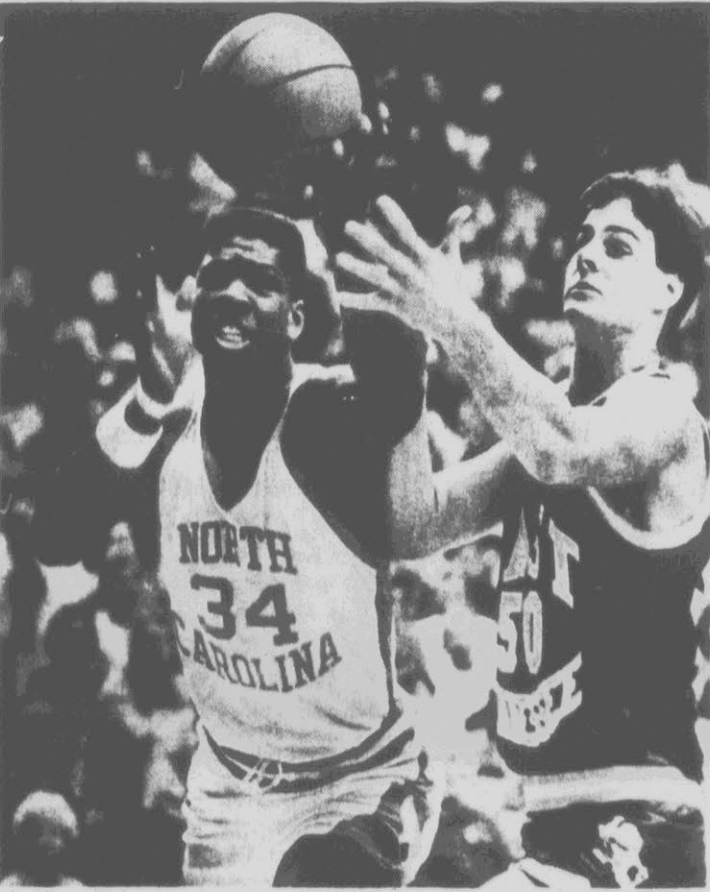
AAA Division: Rec. & Parks vs. Battlecats (ES - 8 p.m.)

A Division: City Heat vs. BarTenders (ES - 9 p.m.)

Boys Club Cadets: Clippers vs. Spurs (4:15 p.m.), Cavaliers vs. Celtics (5:15 p.m.)

Boys Club Jr-Sr: Tar Heels vs. Blue Devils (6:15 p.m.), Deacons vs. Wolfpack (7:15 p.m.)

Wrestling: Regionals



Taking It Away

North Carolina's J.R. Reid (34) takes the ball away from East Tennessee State's Mark Larkey (50) during rebound action under the Tar Heel basket during Wednesday night's game in Chapel Hill. Reid led the Tar Heels to a 118-65 victory. (AP Laserphoto)

Celtics Put End To Losing Streak

By The Associated Press
The Dallas Mavericks caught the Boston Celtics at a bad time. The Celtics came into Dallas Wednesday night with a two-game losing streak and something to prove. They left with an impressive 113-96 victory over the Mavericks.

"After losing two in a row and playing as poorly as we did, (Coach) K.C. Jones really got on us," said Kevin McHale, who led the Celtics with 28 points. "He doesn't yell too often, so when he did we got our tails in gear."

The defending NBA champions had suffered a 20-point loss to Utah and blown a 17-point lead against the Los Angeles Lakers in their two previous games.

"We had played two bad games in a row and we wanted to get back on the winning road," said Larry Bird, who had 16 points, 12 rebounds and 11 assists for his second triple-double of the year. "We knew we would have a tough game Thursday night against Houston. We didn't want to go there with three losses in a row."

In other NBA games, it was Cleveland 129, Sacramento 119; Philadelphia 114, Golden State 103; Indiana 105, Seattle 88; Milwaukee 113, Utah 109; and the Lakers 128, Denver 122.

The Celtics, who avoided their first three-game losing streak since 1983, silenced the sellout crowd at Reunion Arena early. They surged to a 67-46 halftime lead, and built a 31-point lead midway through the third quarter.

Dallas Coach Dick Motta was im-

pressed by the Celtics' performance. "I think we saw tonight what it takes to win a world championship," he said. "They played like they were possessed. They just kicked us all around."

The Celtics got 25 points from Danny Ainge and 14 from Robert Parish. Dallas was led by Mark Aguirre with 29 points and Sam Perkins with 22. Mavericks' guard Derek Harper missed his first game of the season because of an infected left foot.

Cavaliers 129, Kings 119
Center Brad Daugherty scored a season-high 33 point to help Cleveland snap Sacramento's three-game winning streak.

Daugherty and fellow rookies Ron Harper and John Williams scored six points each during a 22-6 run that brought the Cavaliers from a 104-97 deficit to a 119-110 lead with just more than two minutes left.

The victory was the Cavaliers' sixth in their last seven home games. Harper finished with 29 points, while Williams had 25 and Phil Hubbard 23 for the Cavaliers. Reggie Theus and Eddie Johnson led the Kings with 27 each.

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Maryland's Derrick Lewis put on a show at College Park, scoring a career-high 32 points, blocking 10 shots and grabbing 10 rebounds.

Capitalizing on a rare height advantage inside, Lewis accounted for 20 of his team's 44 points in the first half. The 6-7 junior is the smallest starting center in the ACC.

The Terps improved their record to 9-2, while UMBC fell to 9-15.

Barkley praised his team's effort against Golden State, but didn't back off from his earlier remarks. "I just told the truth," he said. "I don't care who doesn't like me."

The Warriors, who were led by Joe Barry Carroll's 24 points, were assessed six technical fouls — four for illegal defenses, one against Coach George Karl and another on Eric "Sleepy" Floyd.

Pacers 105, SuperSonics 88
Guard John Long scored 29 points

to lead Indiana to its fifth win in seven games. The Pacers jumped out to an 8-0 lead on their homecourt and stayed in front the rest of the way.

Vern Fleming added 17 points and Wayman Tisdale 12 for the Pacers. Dale Ellis paced Seattle with 24 points, while Xavier McDaniel added 15.

Seattle trailed 87-78 with 5:14 left after a McDaniel tip-in. But the Pacers outscored the SuperSonics 16-4 over the next five minutes to take their biggest lead of the game, 103-82.

Bucks 113, Jazz 109
Terry Cummings scored 35 points as the visiting Bucks won their sixth straight game. Milwaukee took its biggest lead of the game, 106-97, when John Lucas completed a three-point play with 5:02 remaining.

Utah scored the next seven points, including four by Thurl Bailey, to cut the gap to two with 2:39 left. But the Bucks pulled ahead, 112-106, on a pair of free throws by Lucas with 17 seconds remaining.

Jack Sikma scored 16 points for the

Bucks and Lucas added 15. The Jazz were led by Karl Malone's 26 points.

Lakers 128, Nuggets 122
Magic Johnson scored 37 points and handed out 16 assists as the visiting Lakers improved their record to a league-best 39-13. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar added 25 points while James Worthy had 21 for Los Angeles.

The Lakers went on a 17-5 spurt at the start of the fourth quarter to take a 110-96 lead. But guard Darrell Walker sparked a Denver rally that cut the Lakers' lead to two with 2:18 left. Abdul-Jabbar then hit a sky-hook shot, Worthy followed with a layup and Johnson added two free throws to make it 127-119 with 1:04 to play.

Alex English led Denver with 27 points and Mike Evans added 23.

Bear Grass, Jamesville Ousted From TBC Tourney

JAMESVILLE — Lower seeded Bath and Mattamuskeet both came away with victories in the first round of the Tobacco Belt Conference boys' basketball tournament Wednesday night.

Bath downed Bear Grass, 51-38, while Mattamuskeet took a 39-34 win over Jamesville. The losses end the season for both Bear Grass and Jamesville, which do not qualify for the 1-A sectionals.

Bath eased out into an 11-8 lead after the first eight minutes of play, then outthit the Bears, 13-7, in the sec-

ond period. That gave the Pirates a 24-15 halftime lead.

Bath continued to pull away in the third period, 17-7, blowing its lead out to 41-22. Bear Grass rallied, 16-10, but fell short.

Tommy Warren led Bath with 14 points while Melvin Smith added 10. Tyrone Bailey led Bear Grass with 10.

Jamesville held a 9-8 lead after one quarter of the second game, and held off the Lakers in the second quarter,

8-8, to hold onto a 17-16 edge at the half.

But in the third period, the Bullets managed only two points while the Lakers hit eight, taking a 24-19 lead. Both then scored 15 points in the final quarter as the Lakers held on to win.

Brian Brimmgale led Mattamuskeet with 11 points while Charles Parker had 13 to lead Jamesville.

Jamesville ends the year at 7-14, while the Bears close out at 5-19.

Clemson ...

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defensively, try and perfect our philosophies and be prepared for later on in the season," said freshman J.R. Reid, who scored 18 points and led seven Tar Heels in double figures.

"We rededicated ourselves offensively and defensively," North Carolina coach Dean Smith said. "I think we took a step forward tonight."

The Tar Heels won their sixth straight game and raised their record to 24-2. East Tennessee State dropped to 7-19.

WAKE FOREST	MP	FG	FT	RA	FPt	
Tvy	35	7-15	0-0	7	0	2 14
Cline	29	1-9	2-2	7	2	3 5
Keith	11	2-4	0-0	4	0	5 4
Bogues	36	6-14	0-0	5	8	1 14
Watson	27	7-13	0-0	3	1	3 16
Boyd	18	3-5	1-1	1	2	3 8
Black	17	2-6	0-0	0	1	1 4
Dickens	16	2-3	0-1	1	0	5 4
Johnson	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0 0
Kitley	10	1-1	0-0	1	1	1 2
Totals	200	31-70	3-4	31	15	24 71

CLEMSON	MP	FG	FT	RA	FPt	
Pryor	34	8-15	0-0	8	0	3 16
Jenkins	28	4-9	0-0	7	4	0 11
Grant	34	11-18	11-18	20	2	2 33
Tait	34	2-7	5-6	2	3	2 10
Marshall	37	1-5	2-2	2	3	1 5
Brown	21	1-7	2-2	5	0	1 5
Campbell	10	2-4	3-4	3	0	1 7
Holstein	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0 0
Totals	200	29-65	23-32	48	13	10 87

Wake Forest.....33 38-71
Clemson.....42 47-87

Three-point goals—Wake Forest 6-22 (Cline 1-6, Bogues 2-7, Watson 2-7, Boyd 1-1, Black 0-1, Clemson 6-14 (Jenkins 3-6, Tait 1-3, Marshall 1-2, Brown 1-3).
Turnovers—Wake Forest 9, Clemson 10.
Technical fouls—Boyd.
Officials—Fram, Armstrong, Croft.
A-8,000.

GEORGIA TECH	MP	FG	FT	RA	FPt	
Hammonds	35	4-13	2-2	5	1	3 10
Ferrell	38	5-9	5-6	7	3	1 15
Ford	19	2-5	0-0	4	0	1 4
Oliver	27	6-7	0-0	1	1	4 12
Dairymple	39	3-6	0-1	8	4	3 6
Munlyn	11	1-3	0-0	1	1	0 2
Neal	27	3-6	1-1	1	2	2 9
Sherrad	4	0-1	0-0	1	0	0 0
Totals	200	24-50	8-10	30	12	14 58

VIRGINIA	MP	FG	FT	RA	FPt	
A.Kennedy	36	4-9	2-2	5	1	4 10
M.Kennedy	40	6-15	2-2	7	1	3 14
Sheehy	35	2-9	0-0	5	1	1 4
Morgan	18	2-8	2-2	3	1	0 6
Johnson	40	7-11	3-3	2	2	1 18
Batts	9	0-0	0-0	0	1	0 0
Simms	22	3-4	2-2	4	3	2 8
Totals	200	24-56	11-11	28	10	12 60

Georgia Tech.....33 25-58
Virginia.....31 29-60

Three-point goals—Georgia Tech 2-5 (Neal 2-4, Sherrad 0-1). Virginia 1-3 (Johnson 1-1, Sheehy 0-1, Morgan 0-1).
Turnovers—Georgia Tech 14, Virginia 8.
Technical fouls—None.
Officials—Forte, Donaghy, Dodge.
A-7,900.

GCA Hosts Tourney

Greenville Christian Academy will play host to the East Carolina Christian Conference basketball tournament, which begins Friday and continues through Saturday.

A preliminary game was to be played tonight between the Falls Road and Bethel boys.

Friday, a 3 p.m., the Wilson Christian girls will face Friendship Academy, followed at 4:30 p.m. by Falls Road against GCA's girls.

Boys' play will get underway at 6 p.m. with Friendship facing the winner of the Falls Road-Bethel game. At 7:30 p.m., GCA will face Wilson.

The girls' consolation game will be played at noon Saturday, with the boys' consolation at 1:30 p.m. The girls' championship will follow at 3 p.m. with the boys' title game at 4:30 p.m.

Northampton East Defeats Roanoke

ROBERSONVILLE — Northampton East swept a pair of Northeastern Conference basketball games from hosting Roanoke Wednesday night, with the Lady Rams pulling into a tie for first place with their win.

Northampton's boys eased by the Redskins, 53-47, while the girls took a 46-37 decision.

The victory by the Lady Rams pulled them to 9-2 in league play, knotting them for first place with Roanoke, each team having one game still to play. The Rams' win also kept them in no worse than a tie for first place in their standings.

Northampton pushed out into a 14-9 lead after one period of the boys' game, but Roanoke came back with a 10-9 advantage in the second frame. That left the Rams up, 23-19, at the half.

In the third period, Northampton got back the point it lost in the second, and took a 36-31 lead. The Rams then held off the Redskins, 17-16, in the final period to take the win.

Derrick Midgett led the Rams with 12 points while Ed Rose and Jeff Ramsey each added 10. Roanoke was led by Richie Congleton with 20 while Derrick Boyd had 17.

Northampton's girls took an 11-6 lead in the first period and expanded that to 22-13 by halftime. In the third period, Roanoke tried to rally, cutting the lead back to 33-27. But a 13-10 margin in the final period closed the door on the Lady Rams.

Jennifer Ramsey led Northampton with 16 while Josie Bell had 14 and Stephanie Harris had 13. Germaine Wallace had 12 and Joyce Outlaw had 10 for Roanoke.

Roanoke's boys are now 5-6 in the

league and 8-12 overall. The girls are 9-2, 11-9.

The Redskins close out the regular season tonight, hosting Edenton.

JV Game: Roanoke 41, Northampton East 31.

GIRLS GAME	NORTHAMPTON EAST (46)
Harris	3 7-10 13, Ramsey 8 0-1 16, Bell 5 4-4 14, Deloach 0 1-2 7, Easton 1 0-0 2, Ward 0 0-0 0, Mitchell 0 0-0 0, Galloway 0 0-0 0.
Totals	17 12-18 46.

ROANOKE (37)
Outlaw 5 0-2 10, Wallace 5 2-12 10, Hoggard 3 1-4 7, Harris 3 1-2 7, Raynard 0 1-2 1, Carlisle 0 0-0 0, Teale 0 0-0 0, Moore 0 0-0 0, Roberson 0 0-0 0. Totals 16 5-12 37.
Northampton E.....11 11 11 13-46
Roanoke.....6 7 14 10-37

BOYS GAME	NORTHAMPTON EAST (53)
Midgett 5 2-4 12, Rose 3 4-6 10, Ramsey 3 4-4 14, Sexton 2 3-7 7, G. Edwards 2 2-2 6, Vaughan 3 0-0 6, D. Edwards 0 2-3 2, Dower 0 0-0 0. Totals 18 17-26 53.	

ROANOKE (47)
Congleton 8 4-20 20, Boyd 7 3-5 17, Moore 1 0-2 2, Duggins 2 0-4 4, J. Council 0 2-2 2, P. Council 1 0-0 2, Morning 0 0-0 0, Forrest 0 0-0 0, Patterson 0 0-0 0. Totals 19 9-13 47.
Northampton E.....14 9 13 17-53
Roanoke.....9 10 12 16-47



Climmie Harris
Harris Inks ACC Pact

North Pitt's Climmie Harris has signed a letter of intent to play volleyball at Atlantic Christian College.

Harris was an all Eastern Plains Conference performer for the Panthers and will join a Bulldog team that went 18-12 last season finishing as the NAIA District 26 runnerup.

"Climmie will make an immediate contribution to our program," said Bulldog coach Kathy Daniels. "She has a great attitude, has had fine coaching during her high school career, and is serious about her academics."

Ayden-Grifton...

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free throws to make it 35-32. Karen Edmonds, who led Ayden-Grifton with 10 points, scored after the Lady Chargers rebounded Barfield's missed free throw to make it 37-32. Carole Stokes added a jumper for Ayden-Grifton and the lead was up to 39-32.

From there the closest the Lady Rams were able to pull was three points at 41-37 after a free throw by Albritton, but but Stokes hit a free throw and a jumper to put the game out of reach at 44-37 as time ran out.

"We definitely played without any motivation," Frazier said. "Tonight we were not inspired to get out and play."

Albritton led the Lady Rams, 4-17 and 2-9, with 14 points.

JV Game: Ayden-Grifton 75, Greene Central 66

GIRL'S GAME	GREENE CENTRAL (37)
Harrell 3 0-0 6, Ward 0 0-0 0, Jones 0 0-0 0, Hooker 1 0-0 2, J. Albritton 5 4-5 14, Hardison 4 0-0 8, Albritton 2 1-1 5, Williams 0 0-0 0, Joyner 1 0-0 2. Totals 16 5-6 37.	

AYDEN-GRIFTON (44)
Murphy 4 0-0 8, Edmonds 5 0-0 10, Barfield 3 1-2 7, Stokes 3 1-2 7, Brown 4 0-0 8, Williams 2 0-0 4, Mercer 0 0-0 0. Totals 21 4-4.
Greene Central.....15 7 6 9-37
Ayden-Grifton.....14 12 8 10-44

BOY'S GAME	GREENE CENTRAL (69)
Barrow 0 2-2 2, Jones 5 3-3 13, Wallace 9 6-8 24, Sheppard 1 0-0 2, Hardy 4 0-0 8, Croom 6 0-0 12, Beaman 1 2-2 4, Speight 0 0-0 0, Streeter 2 0-0 4. Totals 28 13-15.	

AYDEN-GRIFTON (70)
Blount 6 12-14 24, Farmer 1 0-1 2, Ellison 3 2-5 8, Peterson 11 2-4 24, Woods 0 4-6 4, Moye 0 0-0 0, Harper 1 3-5 5, Dixon 0 3-4 3, Reeves 0 0-0 0. Totals 22 26-37 70.
Greene Central.....16 8 15 22 8-69
Ayden-Grifton.....10 17 19 15 9-70

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Tobacco Belt 1-A

Team	W	L	W	L
*Columbia	16	2	18	3
*N. Edgecombe	16	2	18	4
*Belhaven	16	2	17	4
Aurora	10	8	10	10
Chocowinity	8	10	10	10
Creswell	8	10	9	13
Jamestown	7	11	7	14
Bear Grass	4	14	5	19
Bath	3	15	4	17
Mattmausket	3	16	3	19

Northampton E.

Edenton	9	2	14	5
Plymouth	6	5	9	10
Williamston	5	7	10	11
Ahokee	3	8	4	12
R. Rapids	1	10	5	12

Coastal 3-A

Team	W	L	W	L
*Conley	10	1	14	7
West Craven	7	4	15	6
Havelock	8	4	17	5
East Carteret	5	6	12	7
North Lenoir	3	8	7	14
West Carteret	3	8	6	15
Washington	3	8	5	16

Tar Heels

Blue Devils	4	5	0	4-13
Leading scorers: TH — Kevin Kirkland 7, Granger Hill 6; BD — Brian Durham 6, Neil Boardman 6.				

NHL Standings

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	36	18	4	76	235	171
NY Rangers	25	24	8	58	229	219
NY Islanders	25	25	8	58	193	194
Washington	23	25	8	54	192	220
Pittsburgh	21	27	9	51	206	205
New Jersey	22	30	5	49	200	257

TANK McNAMARA



Eastern Plains 2-A

Team	W	L	W	L
Farmville C.	9	2	17	4
Ayden-Grifton	9	2	16	5
North Pitt	6	5	10	11
Familco	6	5	9	12
Greene C.	5	6	9	12
C.B. Aycock	3	9	10	12
South Lenoir	1	10	6	15

Big East

Team	W	L	W	L
Rose	11	1	17	3
Fike	9	3	15	5
Boddingfield	7	5	14	6
Northeastern	7	5	12	7
Kinston	7	5	12	8
Northern Nash	5	7	10	10
Hunt	2	10	5	15
Rocky Mount	0	12	3	17

AA Division

Overton's	19	26-45
GUJO	21	21-44
W. Best & GJ	James Hilliard 20, Ronnie Brodie 10.	

Northeastern 2-A

Team	W	L	W	L
Plymouth	8	3	16	3
Northampton E.	8	3	13	9
Ahokee	6	5	9	9
Roanoke	5	6	8	12
R. Rapids	4	7	6	11
Edenton	4	7	10	9
Williamston	4	8	8	13

Bowling

Team	W	L	W	L
Toss Ups	11	1	17	3
Home Federal	10	2	13	7
Holiday Shell	8	4	11	7
Overton's Supermarket	7	5	9	9
Spare Us	7	5	9	9
Pepp's Pizza Den	7	5	9	9
Allan's Upholstery	7	5	9	9
High game and series, Pat Cannon, 219, 390.				

AAA Division

Stingray	25	27-53
Grady White	20	39-59
Leading scorers: S — Mike Seymour 18, Gordon Dunn 14; CW — Keith Clark 12, Sylvester Cherry 8.		

NBA Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	38	14	.731	-
Philadelphia	30	22	.577	8
Indiana	28	23	.549	9 1/2
New York	15	36	.292	24
New Jersey	12	38	.240	25

Paterno Tells Writers Not To Expect Repeat

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Only eight teams have won consecutive national championships in the 51-year history of The Associated Press college football poll. Coach Joe Paterno doesn't expect Penn State to make it nine.

"We lost too many good football players to win the national championship. If you're talking about a national championship contender we're not strong anywhere," Paterno said Wednesday night after being honored by the Football Writers Association of New York as Eastern Coach of the Year for the seventh time in 19 years.

Top Ten? "I don't think we'll be near that."

Top Twenty? "It depends on some things. I'll know better after spring practice. But we're not going to be as good, obviously (as last year's 12-0 team which defeated Miami, Fla. 14-10 in the Fiesta Bowl). We could

end up being a decent football team. We've just got to sit back and start to regroup, stick some people in different spots."

Paterno wasn't sure exactly how many starters he must replace but said it could be as many as 18, 19 or 20. His biggest concern?

"Generally, depth. Our running back situation is going to be tough. We've got to get a fullback. We lost two fullbacks who played almost all of every game."

"We'll be pretty good in most spots with backup kids and what-have-you, but we just don't have any depth. With the schedule we've got, you get a couple of kids hurt and that's it."

Paterno isn't concerned about his field general, even though two-year starter John Shaffer departs. Backup Matt Knizner returns for his senior year after playing in seven games and completing 14 of 36 passes for 217 yards with three interceptions and one touchdown, an 82-yard bomb against Pitt when he played almost the entire second half after Shaffer was injured.

"I think Knizner will be a good quarterback," Paterno said. "I'm not worried about quarterback. I'm worried about the running backs, I'm worried about depth, I'm worried about outside linebacker."

"I don't think we're going to be particularly strong anywhere. We lose as many starters on offense as we do defensively. We lose our kicking game. We're just kind of starting all over with everybody. I don't think — and I mean this legitimately — we

really can say we've got a strong spot."

The writers also honored Rick Giancola of Montclair State as Eastern College Division Coach of the Year for leading the Indians to the New Jersey Athletic Conference championship, a 10-2 record and into the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division III playoffs.

Also honored were the top teams and players in the East and the Ivy League Player of the Year.

The ECAC Teams of the Year were Penn State in Division I-A, Holy Cross and Pennsylvania in Division I-AA, Towson State in Division II and Salisbury State in Division III. Penn State, Holy Cross, Towson State and Salisbury State also received the Lambert-Meadowlands awards as the top teams in their respective divisions.

Cox Captures League Title

GRIFTON — A.G. Cox Middle School downed Savannah Wednesday, 38-36, to capture the Pitt-Greene-Lenoir Conference basketball championship.

Cox finished the season with an 11-0 conference record and was 15-0 overall. Savannah finished the year at 9-2.

Cox was led by Junior Farrow with 15 points while Jeffrey Smith paced Savannah with 23.

Plymouth Tops Williamston

Plymouth swept a pair of basketball games from Williamston Wednesday night in the Northeastern Conference.

Plymouth won the boys' game, 81-71, and took a 52-43 decision in the girls' game.

Details of the game were not made available.

The game closed out the regular season for the Tigers who will be involved in the league's tournament next. That gets underway on Saturday.

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Taunt Turns Georgetown On

By The Associated Press
 Just when Pittsburgh appeared ready and willing to end its nation's capital jinx against Georgetown, freshman Rod Brookin opened his mouth.
 The words he used weren't all that bad. But he couldn't have picked a worse time, place and audience for the remark.
 Eighth-ranked Pittsburgh, fresh from a 15-2 run, led No. 11 Georgetown 39-27 at halftime and, based on the Panthers' 21-4 record going in, appeared capable of protecting it. Then Brookin had to go and kick a sleeping Hoya.
 As the teams headed for their locker rooms, he walked up to Georgetown star Reggie Williams and said, "Nice game."

"He didn't know there were 20 minutes left in the game," Williams said. "It appealed to our manhood."
 "After I thought about it," Brookin said, "I wished I hadn't said anything."
 Just how badly he regretted it became evident during the second half, when the roaring Hoyas reduced the Panthers to tabby cats. In a ferocious display, the Hoyas outscored Pitt 38-13 — including 32-7 over the last 17½ minutes and 20-0 in an eight-minute stretch — to win in a walk, 65-52.
 Williams finished with 21 points and Perry McDonald had 18 for the Hoyas, 20-4.
 "It was an insult to the team," McDonald said. "We took it to heart."

"It helped a lot," Georgetown Coach John Thompson said of the motivational quality of Brookin's statement.
 Pittsburgh committed 22 turnovers and hit just 22.7 percent of its shots in the final half. Brookin, who led Pitt with 16 points, got only two points after intermission.
 Instead of winning its first-ever Big East game at Landover, Md., Pitt lost its fifth in a row. Ever worse for Pittsburgh, the loss dropped the Panthers back into a first-place tie with Syracuse in the loss column. Each has three now, with Georgetown and Providence right behind with four apiece.
 At Knoxville, Tenn., nobody said anything at halftime and Tennessee,

which led 38-34 at the break, went on to beat No. 18 Florida 81-71. The defeat cleared the way for No. 12 Alabama to take command of the Southeastern Conference race with a 90-69 thumping of Mississippi.
 At Chapel Hill, N.C., it wouldn't have mattered what was said at halftime. By that time, North Carolina led East Tennessee 58-29 and the No. 3 Tar Heels went on to a 118-65 victory.
 After a sluggish first half, No. 4 DePaul got a lift from center Dallas Comegys and rolled past Iona 96-82 at New York's Madison Square Garden.
 Kevin Gamble's basket with four seconds left gave No. 7 Iowa an 82-80 victory over Ohio State at Columbus, Ohio, while No. 10 Clemson set a school record with its 24th victory, an 87-71 thumping of visiting Wake Forest.

No. 13 Oklahoma became a 20-game winner for the sixth consecutive season with a 108-84 victory over Colorado, No. 16 Texas Christian won the Southwest Conference title by beating Texas 70-54 and No. 20 St. John's toyed with outmanned Connecticut 76-55.
 No. 4 DePaul 96, Iona 82
 Rod Strickland, a New Yorker playing his first game in Madison Square Garden, scored 25 points and Comegys added 22 as DePaul, 24-1, won its eighth straight.
 DePaul held an eight-point lead in the first half, but Iona, 13-13, pulled within 46-41 at intermission.
 "I wasn't pleased with the first half," DePaul Coach Joey Meyer said. "We weren't going at it hard enough. I let them know about it in my own special way. In the second half, Comegys went to the boards and Strickland played defense instead of shooting his 3-pointers."
 Terence Greene hit two jumpers as DePaul scooted to a 57-47 lead early in the second half and the Blue Demons steadily pulled away. A dunk by Comegys with 4:35 to play gave DePaul an 89-69 advantage.
 Alvin Lott had 23 points for the Gaels.
 No. 7 Iowa 82, Ohio State 80
 With the score tied 80-80 with 15

seconds left, Ohio State appeared a lock to beat Iowa for the second time this season. But Jay Burson, an 81 percent free-throw shooter, missed two free throws and Iowa had life. Eleven seconds later, Gamble worked free for a 15-foot jumper that gave Iowa a measure of revenge for an 80-76 loss to the Buckeyes at Iowa City, a defeat that cost Iowa an unbeaten record and the No. 1 national ranking.
 Iowa improved to 23-3 overall and, at 10-3, remained in touch with No. 2 Indiana in the Big Ten race. The Hoosiers are 12-1 in the league.
 Roy Marble led Iowa with 24 points while Dennis Hopsom scored 23 points to become Ohio State's single-season scoring leader with 753 points.
 No. 12 Alabama 90, Mississippi 69
 Alabama took a 1½-game lead over Florida with three games left in a bid for its first SEC title since 1976. James Jackson and Michael Anselmy scored 15 points each for the Tide, 20-4 overall and 13-2 in the SEC. Alabama opened with a 14-3 spurt and didn't look back.
 Charles Prater had 18 points for Mississippi, 14-10 overall and 7-8 in the SEC.
 No. 13 Oklahoma 108, Colorado 84
 Ricky Grace scored six points and Darryl Kennedy six during Oklahoma's game-deciding 21-3 run early in the second half. The spurt increased a six-point Oklahoma halftime lead to 58-34, and Colorado couldn't get closer than 22 thereafter.
 Kennedy finished with 24 points for Oklahoma, 20-5 in all games and 8-3 in the Big Eight. Harvey Grant, brother of Clemson's Horace Grant, added 20.
 Dan Becker scored 24 points for Colorado, 1-10 in the Big Eight and 6-18 overall.
 No. 16 TCU 70, Texas 54
 Carven Holcombe and Jamie Dixon each scored 18 points for TCU, 21-4, which ended the SWC title chase by downing Texas as second-place Baylor lost to Rice.
 TCU, 12-1 in league play, led by as much as 24 points against a Texas team hampered by injuries to leading scorers Patrick Fairs and



Muscles In
 Jerome Lane of Pittsburgh pulls down a rebound between Anthony Allen (left) and Mark Tillmon (right) of Georgetown during action in their game Wednesday night. Georgetown won on Feb. 18, 65-52. (AP Laserphoto)

Boston Expects To Come To Terms With Clemons

BOSTON (AP) — Boston General Manager Lou Gorman has one little piece of bookkeeping left before he can enjoy some hours in the Florida sun: Sign ace pitcher Roger Clemens.
 "We expect Roger to be there with our other pitchers and catchers when they're due to report Sunday," Gorman said, referring to the opening of spring training for the defending American League champions at Winter Haven, Fla.
 "I do want to get together with his agent and try to get the thing ironed out next week in Florida," said Gorman, adding that Clemens had agreed to wait until the team's arbitration cases were settled.
 The Red Sox' last salary arbitration case was decided Wednesday when arbitrator Glenn Wong sided with the team's offer of \$550,000 to pitcher Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd instead of the \$695,000 the right-hander had sought.
 Clemens, last year's AL Most Valuable Player and Cy Young award winner, will not be eligible for arbitration until after 1987. He finished last season with a 24-4 record, and set a new major-league strikeout record of 20 in a game against Seattle.
 The Red Sox front office finished their "arbitration season" with a 2-0 mark. Both Boyd and left-hander Bruce Hurst lost their cases.
 Other Red Sox players who filed for arbitration, but agreed to new contracts beforehand, were third baseman Wade Boggs, second baseman Marty Barrett, shortstop Spike Owen, outfielder Dave Henderson and pitcher Al Nipper.
 With eight cases still to be heard, the players stand 7-14 in salary arbitration hearings.
 New York Mets right-hander Ron Darling, asking \$1.05 million to the Mets' offer of \$800,000, had a hearing Wednesday and a decision was expected today.
 Toronto's Jessie Barfield sched-

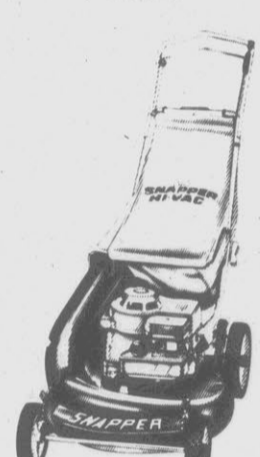
uled to go to arbitration today, agreed to terms Wednesday night on a one-year deal. Barfield, the major leagues' home run leader in 1986 with 40, had sought \$1,350,000 in 1987, while the Blue Jays had offered \$1,125,000.
 Toronto's George Bell, is scheduled to have his arbitration hearing today. Bell, who batted .309 with 31 homers and 108 runs batted in last season, is seeking \$1,325,000, while the Blue Jays have offered \$1 million.
 "Both sides presented their cases well, and I honestly didn't know which way it would go after the hearing," Gorman said of the Boyd decision. "I'm just glad it's over and we can forget arbitration for another year."
 Boyd's wife, Karen, said her husband was visiting in Mississippi Wednesday night, but would be in Winter Haven in a day or so.
 She said he was disappointed about the arbitrator's ruling.
 "But he's OK and we really didn't talk about it much," she said.
 Boyd's agent, George Kalafatis, was unavailable for comment.
 Boyd, 27, earned \$375,000 in 1986, when he had a career-best 16-10 record during a troubled season.
 He had an earned run average of 3.78 in 30 starts, despite missing about a month at midseason.
 But Boyd's problems never entered into the arbitration process, Gorman said.

"We just stuck strictly to statistics, we kept away from all the personal things," he said. "And Dennis seemed in a very good frame of mind. I kidded him at one point for sitting throughout the four hour hearing. I'd never seen him sit for so long."
 Boyd was 11-5 when he was suspended without pay for three games after storming out of Fenway Park July 9 upon learning he had been bypassed as a pitcher for the American League All-Star team.
 Boyd was scheduled to rejoin the Red Sox after the All-Star Game July 15. But the suspension was continued, with pay, after an altercation with police in Chelsea, where he and his wife lived.
 Boyd admitted himself to the University of Massachusetts Medical Center in Worcester for observation on July 17, and was discharged a week later. The Red Sox reinstated him on July 31, and Boyd rejoined the team the next day when it returned from a West Coast road trip.
 The Philadelphia Phillies have resubmitted a contract offer of \$1 million to free-agent catcher Lance Parrish, formerly of the Detroit Tigers.
 Additionally, the Phillies have asked Parrish's representatives for an answer no later than today.


Campbell Upsets Wilmington Five

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — Brad Childress' driving bank shot with six seconds left in overtime gave Campbell a 69-67 victory over North Carolina-Wilmington in college basketball Wednesday night.
 Brian Rowsom tried a desperation 3-point shot at the buzzer for the Seahawks, but the shot failed to hit the rim as the Camels climbed to 13-12 for the season.
 The contest was tied at 61 at the end of regulation. The Seahawks had led 61-58, but a 3-point basket by Larry Spencer knotted the contest with 1:10 left.
 Campbell jumped to a 65-61 advantage in the extra period on baskets by Clarence Grier and Childress. A 3-point play by Greg Bender pulled the Seahawks to within one point, and a tip-in by Kevan Miles gave North Carolina-Wilmington a 66-65 advantage.
 Spencer then hit both ends of a one-and-one before Miles hit one of two free throws to knot the contest at 67 with 15 seconds to play, setting the stage for Childress' game-winning basket.
 Grier and Spencer each scored 18 points for the Camels, with Spencer hitting four 3-pointers. Childress added 13 points.
 Rowsom led all scorers with 24 points for the Seahawks, and also pulled down 12 rebounds. Miles had 16 points as the Seahawks dropped to 15-10.
 N. CAROLINA-WILMINGTON (67)
 Cherry 1-2 2-2 4, Bender 3-9 1-1 7, Rowsom 10-21 4-24, Gary 2-8 2-6, Anderson 3-12 1-7, Wagner 0-1 0-0 0, Griffin 1-3 1-5 3, Pittman 0-1 0-0 0, Miles 5-7 6-10 16, Totals 25-64 17-27 67.
 CAMPBELL (69)
 Hensley 1-4 3-7 5, Grier 6-18 6-18, Wilson



1-3 3-6 5, Childress 6-7 0-0 13, Spencer 5-13 4-4 18, Miller 0-0 0-0 0, Springs 2-4 0-1 5, Jackson 2-4 1-5. Totals 23-53 17-25 69.
 Halftime—Campbell 34, N. Carolina-Wilmington 29. Regulation Campbell 61, N. Carolina-Wilmington 61. 3-point goals—N. Carolina-Wilmington 0-10 (Bender 0-1, Rowsom 0-2, Gary 0-5, Anderson 0-1, Griffin 0-1). Campbell 6-13 (Childress 1-1, Spencer 4-9, Springs 1-3). Fouled out—Wilson. Rebounds—N. Carolina-Wilmington 41 (Rowsom 12), Campbell 33 (Hensley 10). Assists—N. Carolina-Wilmington 12 (Gary 3, Griffin 3), Campbell 13 (Hensley 6). Total Fouls—N. Carolina-Wilmington 20, Campbell 22. Technical—None. A—3,350.

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MAKE-BELIEVE — Actress Jane Curtin, left, portrays Lucy Ricardo and Susan St. James portrays Ethel Mertz during taping of a scene from CBS-TV's "Kate & Allie" show. In the episode, Allie, played by Ms. Curtin, dreams that she is Lucy and that Kate, played by Ms. St. James, is Ethel, both characters from the old "I Love Lucy Show." The episode will air March 2. (AP Laser-photo)

British-Made 'Princess' Is Three-Hankie Miniseries

By JERRY BUCK
AP Television Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — In "A Little Princess," a Victorian waif learns that diamonds really are a girl's best friend. Nigel Havers stars in the three-hankie, PBS "Wonderworks" miniseries as the family friend who comes through with the sparklers for the penniless orphan played by Amelia Shankley.

"A Little Princess" will be presented on three consecutive Saturdays beginning this weekend. This British-made version sticks very close to the sentimental novel by Frances Hodgson Burnett but is not as sugary as the 1939 film version starring Shirley Temple.

"The Little Princess" is Sara Crewe, who is brought from India to England and placed in Miss Minchin's Select Seminary for Young Ladies. Sara arrives equipped with a huge wardrobe and a French maid. But when the girl's doting father loses his fortune and dies, Miss Minchin turns Sara into a scullery maid.

"Meanwhile, I make her father's ill-advised investment in a diamond mine pay off by digging deeper and hitting the pipe," said Havers. "I move to London, buy a house that happens to be next door to Miss Minchin's school and set out to find Sara."

The "Wonderworks" series, now in its third season, has consistently been one of television's best family showcases, drawing on the best of literature and stage and attracting performers such as Sam Waterston, Lynn Redgrave, Jose Ferrer, Howard Rollins Jr. and Loretta Swit.

Havers, a British actor, first gained attention in the United States in the Academy Award-winning "Chariots of Fire" playing Lord Lindsay, the runner who practiced clearing hurdles with glasses of champagne balanced on them.

The character was based on a real hurdler. "His real name was Lord Burleigh and he was the only one still alive when we started the film," Havers said. "He died just after we completed it. He was 90."

Havers has also starred in such movies as "A Passage to India" and "The Whistle Blower" and such TV shows as "Nicholas Nickleby," "Upstairs, Downstairs," "Pennies From Heaven," and "Hold the Dream."

"The Whistle Blower," a British

spy thriller that also stars Michael Caine, may be released later in this country.

A movie he made in Australia, "Burke and Wills," is due to be released in March. It tells of a trek across the Australian desert.

He will also be seen in May in "The Death of the Heart" on Mobil's "Masterpiece Theatre" on PBS. That three-part drama also stars Patricia Hodge.

"The Death of the Heart" is based on Elizabeth Bowen's story of adolescent love and betrayal. Havers and Hodge play an elegant couple with whom Portia, a young orphan played by Jojo Cole, comes to live.

"We're a couple with one of the coldest relationships I've ever played," he said. "We're burned out, really, with no love in the heart. The coming of the girl sort of aggravates the mess. It's an intriguing story, but there's no happy ending."

Havers was born in London 36

years ago and took his acting training there.

"After that I went into a repertory company for three years," he said. "Most of the training at that time was done in repertory companies. You did that before you worked in television. I think things have changed, but when I joined the business in 1968 that was the only way."

"We toured England and then I went into a play in London's West End called 'Conduct Unbecoming.' Those were exciting days. It was a real adventure. You were taking quite a chance because you couldn't make any money on tour. You only make money in London because the American tourists keep the theaters there healthy."

After that, Havers began working in television, mostly for the BBC.

Next up for Havers is "Empire of the Sun," from a novel by J.G. Ballard about a Japanese prisoner-of-war camp in World War II. Steven Spielberg will direct. Filming begins March 2 in China.

TV Host Drops Pants To Support 'Mooner'

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — A television talk-show host who bared his bottom to viewers says he wanted to show support for a high school student disciplined for "mooning" on campus.

"I supported the kid by doing it on TV to show it's not a big deal. It lasts three seconds and it's over," Richard Shanks said Wednesday.

Shanks lowered his pants Tuesday to viewers of WTMV, a broadcast station with mostly music video programming. He has a live, entertainment-oriented show that goes on at 10 a.m. and lasts one hour and 45 minutes.

He said Channel 32 received seven favorable calls after the mooning.

The display was prompted by an Aug. 26 incident at Bartow High School, where a senior mooned another youth on campus.

The Polk County School Board considered it an infraction punishable by 10 days in the county's "opportunity school" for youths with discipline problems, he said.

The teen-ager's father protested it was too severe and the case went to

an appeals court which recommended that the parties settle the dispute, Shanks said.

"It was a childish prank. There should be some discipline," said Shanks. "They should have made him stay after school."

"This thing has been going on for months, tying up attorneys and affecting the kid's education," Shanks said that what he did "may not have been in good taste, but it was legal."

"We can do that on television," said station manager Jo Johnson. "The FCC says the community sets the standards for what is obscene."

Shanks, who is known for unorthodox stunts, appeared in the nude, with a stuffed cloth cat on his lap, to interview nudists. He also recently walked barefoot across hot coals.

"I won't say that I would stand behind him on this one," WTMV owner Dan Johnson joked. "But we do give Richard a lot of freedom. Viewers saw almost all of him a few months ago, so I don't know why they shouldn't see his posterior."

Actor Richard Dysart Says 'L.A. Law' Pleasing Show

By KATHRYN BAKER
AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — It is Los Angeles' idea of a winter day, a sunny 45 degrees, and Richard Dysart looks very un-West Coast in tweed jacket and wool plaid scarf.

Dysart has lived here for years, but he reverts quite readily to his Maine roots. Come to think of it, he would sooner pass for a New England country lawyer than the senior partner in the spiffy firm on NBC's "L.A. Law."

Dysart, a handsome, easy-going man with a quick smile, has spent his 30-year career on stage and in films. Though unaccustomed to the attention that goes with a role on a popular television series, he says he is most pleased to be part of the critically applauded new show produced by "Hill Street Blues" creator Steven Bochco.

But most of the plots so far have centered on the tribulations and trials of the younger members of the firm, and Dysart wishes cheerfully that his Leland McKenzie character had more to do. He didn't know when he accepted the part that "senior partners don't go to court."

Instead, McKenzie spends most of

his time dispensing sage advice to the socially active younger set and presiding at the head of the conference table during the firm's daily staff meeting.

"The chair's very comfortable, but I'm trying to find different ways to sit in it so I look a little different each time," Dysart said with a laugh.

"There's really nobody on a peer level to talk to," he said. "The Yuppies talk to the Yuppies. They (the producers) have got to do something about that, and I'm sure they will somewhere along the line."

Dysart offered an enthusiastic "yeah!" when asked if he would like to have some of those steamy love scenes like the rakish divorce lawyer played by Corbin Bernsen.

"L.A. Law" has raised a number of eyebrows for its double entendres and explicit bed scenes, but that doesn't faze Dysart, who says he is "all for it, 100 percent."

"The use of language, I don't care about that one way or another — but the subject matter and the way that people can react and the way stories can be written so people can react to each other the way they do in life, I think is brilliant."

When "Hill Street" became a success, there was much talk of infighting among the cast. But Dysart said no such problems have arisen on the "L.A. Law" set.

"I hope it's not boring to say that everything's fine," Dysart said. "There are no rifts. Everybody seems to be all right."

He said at Christmas one of the cast members wondered if the actors should give gifts to each other.

Dysart offered, McKenzie-like, "that I was sort of hoping we didn't feel we had to do that. In truth, our real gift is our gift of ourselves to each other and how fortunate we are to have each other."

"Everybody nodded and were very pleased with that — I think not so much with what I said, but the idea that they didn't have to go out and get gifts."

Until the mid-1970s, Dysart lived in New York and worked on the stage, creating the role of the coach on Broadway in the Pulitzer Prize-winning play "That Championship Season" in 1973.

He has appeared in made-for-TV movies such as "Concealed Enemies" and "The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman," and his feature films include "Mask," "Pale Rider," "The Falcon and the Snowman" and "Being There."

"L.A. Law" is his first role as a series regular.

"I do enjoy making feature films, because you can spend more time with them, but this idea of an ongoing part is like an ongoing movie in a way," he said.

"I treat this whole thing as an adventure. I'm 57 years old and I've got a five-year contract and it looks like it's going to be around awhile. This is coming at a very good time in my life."

"If any of the heebie-jeebies do come and try to excite my ancient actor's paranoia, I'll just try to remind myself that I'm on an adventure and have fun with it, and that's my salvation. I think it's a sane way to look at it."

Willie's New Film Opens

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Willie Nelson's latest movie, "Red Headed Stranger," opens tonight at a benefit where suggested dress is black tie or blue jeans.

The film, based on Nelson's 1975 album of the same name, is the story of a western preacher's fall from grace. It stars Nelson, Katharine Ross and Morgan Fairchild and is scheduled for national release Friday.

Nelson said it was "the movie I've wanted to make for almost a dozen years now, ever since I started putting together the 'Red Headed Stranger' concept album."

The premiere is being held as a benefit for KLRU-TV, Austin's public television station.

The movie was written and directed by Austin writer Bill Wittliff, a longtime friend of Nelson's who previously collaborated with him on the films "Honeysuckle Rose" and "Barbarosa."

Sly's Leader Facing Charges

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Sylvester Stewart, whose music group Sly and the Family Stone rose to stardom in the 1960s, has been arrested on California and Florida warrants charging him with failure to appear in court.

The 43-year-old singer was taken into custody when a bail bondsman turned him in Tuesday night, said police Lt. Dan Cooke. A warrant was issued in Los Angeles on Jan. 17 after Stewart failed to appear in a narcotics case, said Detective Jim Turner.

Turner said Stewart also was wanted on a warrant issued in Fort Meyers, Fla., alleging he violated probation after a 1983 cocaine-related arrest.

Stewart, known to his rock and soul fans as Sly Stone, was to be arraigned today.

Stewart's group included his brother, sister and cousin. Its hits included "Dance to the Music," "I Want to Take You Higher" and "Everyday People." The group disbanded in the '70s.

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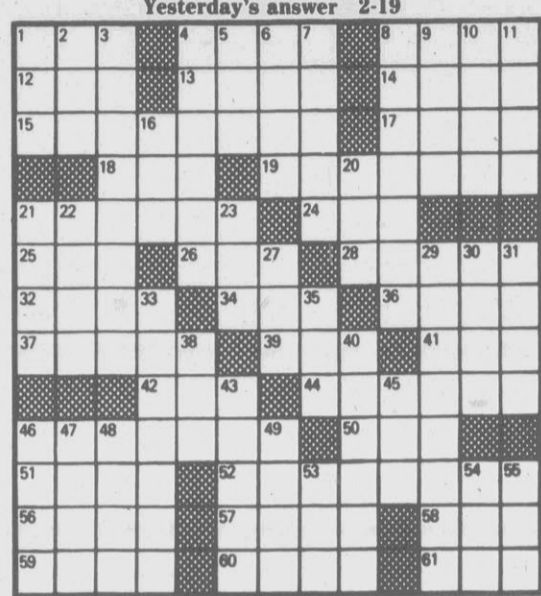
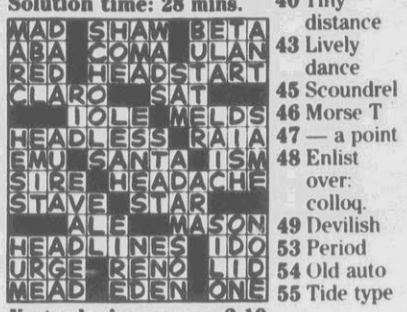
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| 1 World labor org. | 1 Altar words | 16 Balderdash! |
| 4 Towel inscription | 2 Actress Ullmann | 20 — de la Plata |
| 8 Sight in 27 Down | 3 Connotation | 21 Letter after alpha |
| 12 Mil. unit | 4 Hilton's holdings | 22 Wide-eyed |
| 13 Lustrous gem | 5 Roof ornament | 23 Audience |
| 14 Type type: abbr. | 6 Highway exit | 27 Vat |
| 15 Paycheck booster | 7 Catch some Z's | 29 Upset |
| 17 Church part | 8 Truthful | 30 Famed fiddler? |
| 18 Future fish? | 9 The Beehive State | 31 Rara avis |
| 19 Roosted | 10 "Moon-lighting" character | 33 Fencer's cry |
| 21 Campaign | Solution time: 28 mins. | 35 Checkout purchase |
| 24 Bakery product | | 38 Brownish |
| 25 Self | | 40 Tiny distance |
| 26 Posed | | 43 Lively dance |
| 28 Maine town | | 45 Scoundrel |
| 32 Musical sound | | 46 Morse T |
| 34 Floor sight | | 47 — a point |
| 36 Flat | | 48 Enlist over: colloq. |
| 37 007, e.g. | | 49 Devilish |
| 39 Skid Row resident | | 53 Period |
| | | 54 Old auto |
| | | 55 Tide type |



CRYPTOQUIP
2-19

M V F D L Y A L F C B Y F M M F P
M V X M X Y Y J P X K F J P D C -
F P B P F X G G X Q Y A : " M V F
C Q L F K P F B B . "

Yesterday's Cryptquip: SUGAR SHORTAGE MIGHT INCREASE ITS COST: CUSTOMERS ARE RAISING CANE.

Today's Cryptquip clue: M equals T

The Cryptquip is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another.

FOCUS

Meanness to Genius

Astronomer Nicholas Copernicus was born on this day in 1473. His genius went unrecognized in his own lifetime, and religious leaders ridiculed his theory that the Earth revolved around the Sun. The first edition of the book expounding his theory was printed with an unauthorized preface that discredited the literal meaning of his findings. Mostly, the book was ignored until Galileo called attention to it. The Catholic Church then banned it — until 1822.

DO YOU KNOW — What is the name for the path a planet takes around the Sun?

WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER — R2D2 and 3CPO starred in the movie "Star Wars."

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Horoscope From The Carroll Righter Institute

FORECAST FOR FRIDAY Feb. 20

GENERAL TENDENCIES: A curious sort of day when you first are able to get information you want that can be helpful to you, but some obstacles will get in the path of your progress.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19): Study the promises you've devoted yourself to and keep them to the best of your ability.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20): Situations arise that will shed light on affairs you need to handle. You find a way to work out a problem.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): You can handle much work intelligently now, provided you first complete a task left unfinished.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21): A system for utilizing some special talent can get you working ideally now.

LEO (July 22 to August 21): Don't permit a situation at home to depress you. Wait until tonight before visiting with outsiders.

VIRGO (August 22 to September 22): You can communicate well with outside contacts. Don't visit one who never fails to depress you.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22): Study several ways of increasing your abundance and forget antiquated methods that gain you little.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21): If you release that long-time situation that does not help you, you will be able to gain other goals quickly.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21): Study whatever it is that is deterring your progress. Enjoy greater happiness with your mate.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 20): Look to a good friend for assistance in gaining some special wish. This person, however, will expect the same.

AQUARIUS (January 21 to February 19): Get into outside activities and improve your position in life. Not a good day to ask for favors from bigwigs.

PISCES (February 20 to March 20): New ideas and situations arise that can help you to advance considerably. Forget a boring activity for now.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be one of those delightful young persons who will have the ability to get at the true facts of any situation that comes his, or her, way, so let those who rear this child give direct answers to any questions asked. One who will be a born organizer and very successful

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NORTH
♠ A K Q 6
♥ 9 5 4
♦ A 8 5
♣ A Q 7

WEST
♠ 10 5 2
♥ 8
♦ J 10 9 7 6 2
♣ 10 9 3

EAST
♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q 6 2
♦ K Q 3
♣ K J 6 5

SOUTH
♠ J 8 3
♥ A K J 10 7 3
♦ 4
♣ 8 4 2

The bidding:
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ Pass
2 NT Pass 4 ♥ Pass
5 ♥ Pass 6 ♥ Pass
Pass Pass
Opening lead: Jack of ♠

To climb a mountain because "it is there" might be a good enough reason for some. But it is a poor excuse for taking a finesse at the bridge table.

This hand was dealt in a recent team game, and both declarers reached six hearts via similar routes. When South showed an unbalanced hand with long hearts by jumping to game, North felt his prime controls warranted a move toward slam. His raise to five hearts inquired about partner's trump quality, and no one will question South's right to bid the slam.

After the lead of the jack of diamonds, all declarer had to do to land his contract was to hold his losers in the rounded suits (hearts and clubs) to one, since one club could be discarded on the long spade. One declarer wasted no time in going down. He won the opening lead, tried to drop the queen of trumps and, when that did not suc-

By CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

ceed, he attempted the club finesse. That maneuver had no more success than did the earlier trump play—down one.

The second declarer realized there was no hurry about taking the club finesse. He too won the opening lead with the ace, but then he ruffed a diamond. When the queen of hearts failed to drop in two rounds, declarer crossed back to dummy with a high spade to ruff another diamond. Next he played off the rest of his spades, shuffling a club from hand.

East saw that ruffing the 13th spade was futile, so he discarded a club. But he was merely postponing the inevitable. Declarer presented him with the lead in trumps and, down to nothing but clubs, East was forced to lead away from his king of clubs into the table's major tenace.

What if East had been able to exit with a diamond? Then declarer would have had no alternative but to ruff and to bank on the club finesse.

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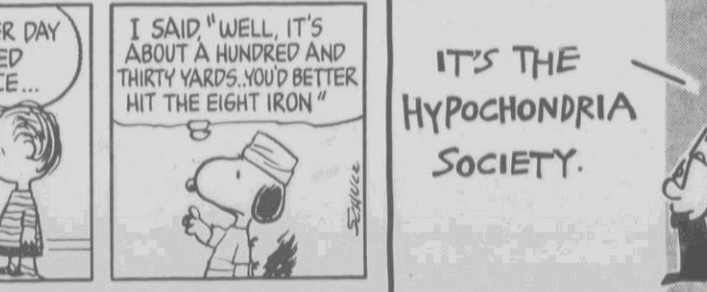
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GETTING OLDER — Two older German men meet on a park bench in West Germany. Throughout Europe, West and East, people are living longer, but births have fallen below the levels necessary to replace present numbers. (AP Laserphoto)

Old World Sees Population Turn To Older Years

By MORT ROSENBLUM

AP Special Correspondent

PARIS (AP) — The Old World is getting older fast, and European leaders fear that falling populations may threaten their economies, their defense and even their national identities.

Throughout Europe, West and East, people are living longer, but births have fallen below the levels necessary to replace present numbers.

"This is very serious indeed," said Philippe Bourcier de Carbon, of the prestigious French National Institute for Demographic Studies.

"You might think about this: During 1987, as many children will be born in Turkey and Egypt as in all 12 countries of the European Common Market."

There will be half as many Europeans in 100 years as there are today, according to projections by West German demographer Rolf Benkert, in a study for the Council of Europe. The council's 21 member countries have 400 million inhabitants.

By contrast, Africa's population doubles every 21 years.

"I am very alarmed about the consequences," Benkert said. He noted that projections are subject to changing behavior but said the trend was clear.

French historian Pierre Chaunu says the threat to Europe is less a Soviet "red menace" or an Islamic "green menace" than a "white menace" from within: the collapse of its own demography.

In some countries, concerns are specific and pressing.

— West Germany's population declines by 3,000 a week. To meet commitments to Western allies, army service is being extended from 15 months to 18. And that is a stopgap.

— Sweden, Denmark and Norway already stagger under the load of welfare and pensions for a growing retired community while a diminishing number of younger people are available to be taxed.

— Italy's sudden sharp decrease in fertility is throwing its social services and educational systems out of balance.

But all European countries express concern about a trend that has been clear for years. Jacques Chirac, now premier of France, said in 1984: "In demographic terms, Europe is vanishing. In 20 years or so, our countries will be empty. No matter what our technological strength, we will be incapable of putting it to use."

French politicians see the decline as a threat to grandeur. A recent article in the weekly L'Express worried: "There will never be 60 million Frenchmen." Now there are 55 million.

European life expectancy reaches 79 for women and 72 for men, slightly higher than in the United States and 50 percent higher than some parts of the world.

Nearly 15 percent of Europeans are over 65 compared to 11 percent a generation ago. In the United States, the figure is 12 percent.

To maintain zero population growth, women must average 2.1 births. In West Germany, Denmark and Sweden, the rate is below 1.3. Britain's is 1.7 and France's is a shade higher.

In a decade, Italy has slipped from 2.2 to 1.5. Spain and Portugal, both over reproduction rates 10 years ago, are each near 1.8.

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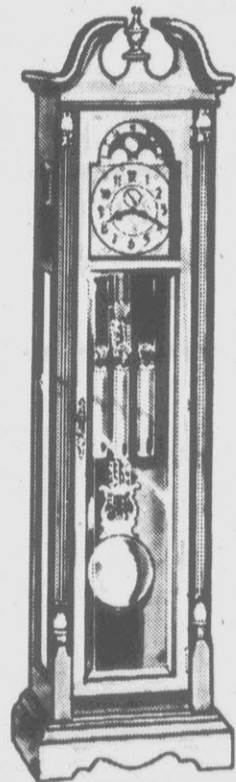
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Congress Gets Bills Requiring Notice Of Plant Closings

By JILL LAWRENCE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A requirement that workers be told in advance of plant closings is the key difference between the Reagan administration and Congress over a \$980 million plan to aid displaced workers.

The administration program, outlined last month by Labor Secretary William Brock, has been embraced by leading Democrats and many Republicans. But plant closing bills introduced Wednesday in the House and Senate include advanced notification requirements left out of the Reagan proposal.

"While we all agree that advance notice of plant closings and mass layoffs is essential to an effective adjustment assistance effort, the administration does nothing to assure that adequate notice is provided," Rep. William Ford, D-Mich., said in introducing the Economic Dislocation and Worker Adjustment Act.

"Experience shows that without a legal requirement,

employers will not give their employees fair notice of plant closings and other major dislocations," Ford said.

He called the notification requirement the only fundamental difference between the administration and congressional proposals.

Brock was scheduled to outline the administration bill today before the House Education and Labor Committee.

In addition to the dislocated worker program, the administration is proposing to revamp youth employment programs by targeting them to young welfare recipients, particularly young parents.

The administration also wants to decentralize the unemployment insurance system and phase in state financing of public employment services by 1990.

The House, Senate and administration bills would commit \$980 million for dislocated workers in fiscal 1988, replacing two current programs funded at one-third of that level.

The bills would create federal and state displaced-

worker operations to coordinate and expand education, training and re-employment services and would establish a strike force capable of furnishing help specifically for a certain plant.

The House and Senate bills would require employers of 50 to 100 people to give at least 90 days' advance notice of plant closings. Notice of 120 days would be required for employers with between 101 and 499 employees and 180 days' notice for 500 or more employees.

The measures also would require employers to consult with community leaders and employee representatives about the possibility of keeping the plants open.

The 13,000-member National Association of Manufacturers vowed to kill both provisions. "The business community is really united on this issue," manufacturers' spokeswoman Renee Raymond said.

Randolph Hale, another manufacturers' spokesman, said the association encourages employers to provide as

much advance notice as possible but strongly opposes mandatory notice and consultation.

"Such requirements ignore the realities of today's competitive market and may well lead to greater, not fewer, job losses," Hale said. "For example, the small manufacturer who loses a supplier or key customer is often unable to predict its business climate and cannot be bound by strict mandates when it is struggling to survive."

Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, one of the Senate sponsors, said more than 5 million Americans have lost their jobs since 1981 because their plants shut down or their positions were eliminated. He said blue-collar workers receive on average only seven days' notice prior to a plant closing.

"The employees are entitled to notice of what's going to happen to them," said Metzenbaum. "A lot of them aren't making it. And their government, of which we're a part, is failing them."

Federal Reserve Focuses On Inflation, Weak Dollar

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve, which last year battled to spur a sluggish U.S. economy through a series of interest-rate cuts, is expected to focus this year instead on inflation and a weakening dollar.

Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker was scheduled to outline the Fed's money targets and economic outlook for 1987 in testimony today before the Senate Banking Committee.

Volcker was expected to be greeted by sharp questioning from Sen. William Proxmire, the chairman of the committee, who has complained that the Fed went too far in pushing growth of the money supply last year.

Proxmire, D-Wis., said the Fed's handling of money growth seemed to be "increasingly out of control" with one measure of the money supply growing three times faster last year than the economy did.

In managing money growth, the Fed tries to support stable economic growth while guarding against supplying so much money that inflation is rekindled.

Proxmire, in a hearing Wednesday, said the kind of money growth allowed by the central bank last year "can over time have only one sure result and that is inflation, too much money chasing too few goods."

The Fed seeks to influence the cost of money, interest rates, through its control over money growth and also by more direct means such as reduc-

ing its discount rate, the rate it charges to make loans to commercial banks.

Last year, faced with an economy that was performing far below expectations, the Fed slashed its discount rate four times in an effort to spur faster economic growth. The Fed's efforts helped to push a variety of interest rates, including mortgage rates, to their lowest levels in a decade.

But the Fed's efforts came during a period when plunging world oil prices kept inflation at bay. With oil prices rising this year, inflation is expected to return to around 4 percent, a rate high enough to raise warning flags at the Fed, whose primary job is to fight inflation.

"Last year, the Fed tried to keep the economy out of a recession by easing credit conditions, sometimes aggressively," said David Jones, an economist at Aubrey G. Lanston, a government securities dealer. "This year inflation will be more of a concern."

One factor fueling the inflation worries is the rapid drop in the value of the dollar in recent weeks. The Reagan administration has been content to let the dollar decline against other currencies in an effort to reduce the huge U.S. trade deficit.

But a falling dollar, by raising import prices, also drives up inflation, something Volcker has been expressing concerns about.

At its last semi-annual review of monetary policy in July, the Fed an-

nounced it would ignore one of its money targets, M-1, which grew much faster in 1986 than the central bank intended. M-1 grew at close to a 20 percent annual rate in the last six months of the year, far above the Fed's original targets of 3 percent to 8 percent.

M-1, which includes currency in circulation and checking accounts, formerly was the most closely watched of the money measures, but the Fed argued that the customary link-

age between M-1 and economic activity has broken down because of a sizable drop in the rate at which money changes hands, known as velocity.

The Fed in July re-affirmed 1986 growth rates of 6 percent to 9 percent for two broader money targets, known as M-2 and M-3, and those money measures performed close to those ranges. M-2 includes everything in M-1 plus savings deposits and money market funds. M-3 adds large certificates of deposit.

The belief that the rapid money growth in 1986 will spur inflation down the road is not universally held among economists.

At the hearing Wednesday, Lawrence Chimerine, president of Chase Econometrics of Bala Cynwyd, Pa., said concerns that the Fed policies would spark inflation were misplaced, given continued weak wage and commodity prices and weak wage demands.

"There is no reason to have con-

cerns about inflation at the moment," he said.

But Alan Meltzer, a professor at Carnegie Mellon University, and H. Erich Heinemann, chief economist of Ladenburg Thalmann & Co., both faulted the Fed for allowing money growth to get out of hand last year.

"Monetary growth has already reached such an extreme level that correcting the excess will inevitably involve a significant real economic cost," Heinemann said.

NYSE Takes Steps To Halt Scandal

By JOYCE M. ROSENBERG
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Stock Exchange says it has directed members to strengthen certain procedures to guard against insider trading.

The world's largest stock exchange also said Wednesday it would bolster its own regulatory system.

"We will do all we can to detect illegal and unethical trading activity and to support you in discharging your supervisory and compliance responsibilities," exchange president Robert J. Birnbaum said in a bulletin to NYSE members.

The NYSE said it had reviewed procedures in response to recent arrests as well as the level of merger and acquisition activity, trading volume and the complexity of the NYSE's regulatory environment.

Four men were arrested and charged last week with insider trading, which is the illegal use of non-public information to profit from buying and selling securities.

They were Martin Siegel, former head of Kidder Peabody & Co.'s mergers and acquisitions department; Richard B. Wigton, head of Kidder's risk-arbitrage department; Timothy L. Tabor, former No. 2 executive in Kidder's arbitrage unit; and Robert M. Freeman, head of stock arbitrage at Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Siegel pleaded guilty Friday to

charges of illegal insider trading and tax evasion and agreed to cooperate in the government's investigation. The other three have denied any wrongdoing.

According to the NYSE bulletin, exchange members will be required to review and enhance their internal supervisory and compliance efforts. Compliance refers to actions by a company that conform with government or exchange regulations.

NYSE members also must certify quarterly to the exchange that all proprietary and employee trading has been reviewed for compliance with federal laws and exchange rules.

Members will be required to report customer complaint letters to the exchange and report annually compliance problems and their resolution as well as supervisory and compliance initiatives.

The exchange said it also was adding to its own regulatory system, and would use task forces comprising NYSE staff and counsel to augment its investigations of high priority cases.

Birnbaum said the NYSE also will review and revise surveillance procedures and improve liaisons with the Securities and Exchange Commission's divisions of enforcement and market regulation to detect and prosecute insider trading and stock manipulation cases.



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Judges W. Lee Lumpkin III, J. Randal Hunter and Charles Lee Guy disposed of the following cases during the Feb. 2-6, 1987, term of District Court in Pitt County:

James Robert Penley, Route 1, Greenville, speeding, voluntary dismissal; driving while impaired, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Robert John Dailey, Windsor Road, red light violation, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

James Harold Justice Jr., Battle Drive, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Roy Edward Stancil Jr., Route 6, Greenville, driving while impaired, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Sharon Zuckerman, Robersonville, speeding, pay \$10 and costs; no operator's license, not guilty.

Darryl Worthington, Farmville Boulevard, reckless driving, not guilty.

Gloria Coker, Roosevelt Avenue, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Michael Parker Edwards, Hope Mills, speeding, voluntary dismissal.

Lottie Joyner Henry, Shady Lane, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Thomas Elton McMurray, Concord Drive, speeding, pay costs.

Sidney Dean Harrell, Route 14, Greenville, driving left of center, voluntary dismissal.

Erik Scott Magerkorth, Route 3, Greenville, failure to yield, voluntary dismissal.

Elton Leon Morris, Vanceboro, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Galen Jones, Jacksonville, driving while license revoked, speeding, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs, not to drive until properly licensed.

Alma Rose Haddock, Winterville, possession of marijuana, voluntary dismissal.

Philip Gray Winstead, Route 3, Greenville, carry concealed weapon, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs, destroy weapon.

Dennis Troy Wells, Davenport Street, carry concealed weapon, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$20 and costs, destroy weapon.

David Lamont Whichard, Bancroft Avenue, driving while impaired, 6 months State Department of Correction.

Norman Walker Barnhill, West Fifth Street, possession of cocaine, pay \$25 and costs.

Matthew Thomas Graham, East 10th Street, breaking and entering, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs; possession of marijuana, pay costs.

Lindsay Ray Nelson Jr., Birchwood Sands, possession of drug paraphernalia, not guilty.

Dennis Troy Wells, Davenport Street, possession of marijuana, pay \$25 and costs; license not in possession, restriction violation, transport bottle without seal, voluntary dismissal; driving while impaired, 6 months State Department of Correction; driving while license revoked, voluntary dismissal.

Clinton Eugene Williams, Grimesland, expired registration, voluntary dismissal.

Lee Norris Parker, Hudson Street, driving while impaired, voluntary dismissal.

Leroy Harrington, Battle Street, no op-

erator's license, voluntary dismissal.

Norman Walker Barnhill, West Fifth Street, no operator's license, voluntary dismissal.

Jason Darrell Morgan, Cherry Point, transport bottle without seal, pay costs.

Dennis James White, Westover Drive, speeding, 10 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Wanda Dail Norris, Salter Path, speeding, pay costs.

Lisa Ann Pollard, Route 5, Greenville, speeding, pay costs.

Bennie Robert Roundtree, West Fourth Street, speeding, pay costs.

Kevin Clark Stallings, Thatcher Road, speeding, pay costs.

Walter J. Stallings, Route 6, Greenville, improper passing, dismissed by the court.

Curtis Ray Williams Jr., Route 2, Greenville, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Karl Louis Wuensch, Ayden, speeding, pay costs.

Jeanne Michelle Ivey, Fayetteville, stop sign violation, voluntary dismissal.

Martha Snowden Allen, Queen Annes Road, speeding, voluntary dismissal.

Phyllis Ann Blackman, Faison, red light violation, voluntary dismissal.

Ivy Glenn Harris, Park Drive, failure to yield, not guilty.

Ann Oneal Roberts, Chocowinity, speeding, pay costs.

Jeffery Ernest Upchurch, Durham, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Stephen Duke Baker, Washington, N.C., speeding, pay costs.

Louise Jones Boyce, Farmville, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Robert Louis Bright, Kinston, speeding, pay costs.

Katie Buck Clark, Route 8, Greenville, stop sign violation, prayer for judgment continued, remit costs; failure to wear seat belt, pay \$25.

Kirk Alan Dominick, Lord Ashley Drive, driving too fast for conditions, voluntary dismissal.

Lou Pate Dudley, Winterville, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Mernalee Henry Matson, Jacksonville, speeding, pay costs.

Alfonza Exum, Ayden, reckless driving, 6 months jail suspended on payment of \$300 and costs, spend 30 days in jail, probation 3 years, not to drive for 3 years.

Charles Henry Foy Jr., Virginia, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Charles Nelson Murphy Jr., Ayden, speeding, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Appie Thomas Ormond, Kinston, speeding, pay \$25 and costs.

Mildred Tanner Elks, Greenville, speeding, not guilty.

Anthony Conway Rouse, Grifton, following too closely, not guilty; driving while consuming malt beverage, pay \$25 and costs.

John Jacob Brantley II, Route 1, Greenville, driving while impaired, not guilty.

James Howard Keel Jr., Farmville, careless and reckless driving, pay \$75 and costs.

Alan Curtis McDonough, Route 4, Greenville, carry concealed weapon, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs, destroy weapon.

Pamela Godwin Barnes, Princeton, speeding, unsafe movement violation, pay \$25 and costs.

Douglas Howard Chapin, Winterville, speeding, pay costs.

Walter Lee Clark, Route 2, Greenville, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$150 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, spend 48 hours in jail, obtain mandatory assessment at mental health.

Juanita Lynn Dennis, Ayden, speeding, pay costs.

Julius Graham, Riegelwood, no liability insurance, pay \$15 and costs.

Donald Leroy Hughes, New Bern, driving while impaired, dismissed by the court.

Jessie Dee Price, Darden Drive, no liability insurance, expired registration, voluntary dismissal; no operator's license, exceeding posted speed, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs, pay \$100 restitution.

Dwight Eugene Donahue, Harrisburg, possession of marijuana, pay \$25 and costs.

Donald Ray Williams, Melody Lane, consume malt beverage in public, 24 hours jail.

Robert Heston III, Forbes Street, larceny, voluntary dismissal.

Carl John Munson, Raleigh, inspection violation, voluntary dismissal.

Ona Lynne Credle, Winterville, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

David Horner Dubose, Kinston, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

William Christopher Evtatt, Greensboro, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Jeanette Rosemary Herrera, Charlotte, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Robert Fenton Johnson, Williamston, speeding, pay costs.

William Meredith O'Neal Jr., Austin Place, failure to comply with traffic control, pay costs.

Lisa Michelle Putney, Roanoke Rapids, speeding, pay costs.

William Edward Shackleford, Bethel, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Mary Elizabeth Speed, Brookwood Drive, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

William Anton Wilson, Texas, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs, remit costs.

Robert Earl Andrews Jr., Bethel, speeding, pay costs.

David Keith Cannon, Ayden, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Carl Eugene Knight, Bethel, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

James Harvey Roberson, Washington, N.C., driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, spend 24 hours in jail and pay fee.

Steven Douglas Johns, County Estates, speeding, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$20 and costs.

Christopher Garrett Knight, Mumford Road, speeding, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license.

Karen Elizabeth Lloyd, Cary, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Billy Joe Smallwood, Stokes, speeding, inspection violation, pay \$25 and costs.

Charlie W. Strickland Jr., Greenville, speeding, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs, not to drive for 30 days.

Michael Paul Walston, Farmville, no operator's license, voluntary dismissal.

Mitchell Lee Osborne, Tarboro, speeding, pay \$20 and costs.

Patricia Stocks Higson, Route 5, Greenville, driving while impaired, not guilty.

Donald K. Beamon, Farmville, accessory after the fact, voluntary dismissal; breaking and entering, misdemeanor larceny, 24 months State Department of Correction suspended on payment of \$100 and costs and \$400 restitution, probation 3 years.

Reggie Cox, Farmville, breaking and entering, misdemeanor larceny, 24 months State Department of Correction suspended on payment of \$100 and costs and \$400 restitution, probation 3 years.

Mary Lee Gay, Farmville, larceny, not guilty.

Billy Joyner, Farmville, interfere with utility meter, voluntary dismissal.

Christopher R. Townsend, Eastbrook Drive, consume malt beverage in public, voluntary dismissal.

Sarah Harris Hixon, Goldsboro, drive while consuming malt beverage, voluntary dismissal.

Edward Earl Collins, Arapahoe, no operator's license, voluntary dismissal.

Ella Jean Corbett, Farmville, expired registration, voluntary dismissal.

Charles Alan Radford, Maury, possession of marijuana, pay costs.

John Lawrence Wysocki, Bell Arthur, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 48 hours community service and pay fees.

Arnold Exum Ewing, Raleigh, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Kathy Renee Ginn, Maury, speeding, pay costs.

Kevin Lee Moore, Chocowinity, driving left of center, voluntary dismissal.

William Davidson Wood, Garrett Hall, speeding, pay costs.

Jimmy Marconi Woolard, Roper, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Ralph Cliborn Allen, Route 1, Greenville, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

George Peter Shuart, Eastern Street, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Bridget Coburn Smith, Clarks Trailer Park, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Melvin E. Wilks, Deck Street, driving left of center, voluntary dismissal.

Christopher Allen Brick, Ayden, unsafe movement violation, pay costs.

Anthony James Corra, Pinetops, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

John Charles Cumpata, Tarboro, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

William C. Deanhart, Fox Haven Drive, speeding, pay costs.

Tiffany Janell Ebron, Oakgrove Avenue, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

James Keith Elkins, Langston Park, speeding, pay costs.

Tammy Linn Ellis, Durham, speeding, pay costs.

John Edward Garris, Vanceboro, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Lisa Marie Grosshandler, Raleigh, speeding, pay costs.

Timothy Wayne Harris, Grifton, speeding, pay costs.

Johnny Robert Lewis, Kinston, speeding, pay costs.

Brenda Hardison Morgan, Black Creek, speeding, pay costs.

Theron John Paramore, Route 3, Greenville, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Hood Lance Richardson Jr., Washington, N.C., speeding, pay costs.

Jerry Wayne Thornton, Raleigh, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Nadesh B. Tolani, Cherry Court, speeding, pay costs.

Carol Readeen Vaughan, Tarboro, speeding, pay costs.

Pandora Walls Williams, Route 3, Greenville, speeding, pay costs.

Walter Palmer Berry Jr., Mount Holly, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Gregory Thomas Bryant, Durham, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Janice Grimsley Bryant, Blands Trailer Park, speeding, pay costs; failure to wear seat belt, pay \$25.

Betty Holladay Cutler, Washington, N.C., exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Patricia Whitford Eatmon, Ernul, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

William H. Edmundson, Stantonsburg, unsafe movement violation, pay costs.

Earline Joyner Harris, Thomas Trailer Park, speeding, pay costs; failure to wear seat belt, pay \$25.

Loretta Stroud Houston, Winterville, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Linda Ann Leggett, Tarboro, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Melvernice Pitt, Bethel, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Thomas M. Shea, South Charles Boulevard, unsafe movement violation, voluntary dismissal.

Edward Keith Dickerson, Route 8, Greenville, possession of marijuana, voluntary dismissal.

Mary Anne Hulon, Winterville, possession of marijuana, voluntary dismissal; possession of cocaine, 90 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs.

Jeffrey Allen Willoughby, Roundtree Drive, driving while license revoked, 90 days jail suspended on payment of \$200 and costs, not to drive until properly licensed.

Marvin Earl Barrett, Vance Street, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 48 hours community service and pay fees.

Charles Barfield Lewis Jr., East 14th Street, speeding, pay \$20 and costs.

John Aran Mardick, Washington, N.C., exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Barry Franklin McAllister, Cherokee Drive, speeding, pay costs.

Lloyd Quinerly, Dover, fictitious card, no liability insurance, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs, not to drive until properly licensed.

Winston Todd Venters, Ayden, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Jimmy Little Jr., Stokes, resisting arrest, voluntary dismissal.

Guy David Heath Jr., Shady Knoll, larceny, 90 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs, probation 2 years, pay \$40 restitution, perform 48 hours community service and pay fees.

Ronald Lee Farrow, Winterville, resisting arrest, voluntary dismissal.

Christopher Michael Buck, Mumford Road, larceny, 90 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs, probation 2 years, pay \$40 restitution, attend mental health.

David Lawrence Summers, Kingston Place, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Bobby Ray Bowen Jr., Route 5, Greenville, scratch off, voluntary dismissal.

Debra Marie Bryant, Washington, N.C., speeding, pay costs.

Mary Clark, Watauga Avenue, no operator's license, possession of controlled substance, give false information to officer, not guilty.

Catherine Vickers Gorrie, Ash Street, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Forrest Kirk Keller, Goldsboro, drive while consuming malt beverage, voluntary dismissal.

Phillip Anthony Lewis, Crestline Boulevard, speeding, pay costs.

Linda Dianne Newton, Roundtree Drive, speeding, pay costs.

Laura Edith Scharf, Overlook Drive, expired registration, voluntary dismissal.

Jerry Wayne Whitehurst, Rondo Drive, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Melvin E. Wilks, Deck Street, driving while impaired, voluntary dismissal.

Joe Louis Daniels, Myrtle Avenue, possession of stolen goods, voluntary dismissal.

Kathy Ann Holloway, Ward Street, possession of cocaine, voluntary dismissal.

Kenneth Raymond Magas, Durham, consume alcohol in public, voluntary dismissal.

Charlie McLawhorn, Pamlico Avenue, interfere with telephone lines, voluntary dismissal; discharge firearm in city, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$108.50 restitution, remit costs.

George Peter Shuart, Eastern Street, no liability insurance, voluntary dismissal.

John Anthony Simpson, Oak Street, possession of marijuana, voluntary dismissal.

Charles Alan Hines, Greensboro, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Deanna Elaine Collins, Goldsboro, speeding, pay \$15 and costs.

James Thomas Hudson, Ahoskie, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Richard Dee Johnson, Speight Drive, speeding, pay \$12 and costs.

Forrest Kirk Keller, Goldsboro, speeding, pay \$25 and costs.

Susan Joyner Bass, East Third Street, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

James Howard Keel Jr., Farmville, careless and reckless driving, pay \$75 and costs.

Randolph King, Winterville, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$150 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 48 hours community service and pay fees.

Richard Whitehead, Farmville, larceny, voluntary dismissal.

Bobby Mills, Grimesland, larceny from the person, voluntary dismissal.

Larry Earl Dixon, Ashton Drive, possession of cocaine, 2 years jail suspended on payment of \$200 and costs, pay \$100 attorney fees, attend mental health; possession with intent to sell and deliver cocaine, voluntary dismissal.

Alton Lee Mills, Route 3, Greenville, assault on a female, voluntary dismissal.

Carey Cornelius Keys, Blounts Creek, possession of stolen goods (3 counts), breaking, entering and larceny, forgery and uttering (2 counts), voluntary dismissal.

Dennis Ray Dupree, Farmville, forcible entry, attempted second degree sex offense, voluntary dismissal.

Thomas Garland Waters, Winterville, larceny, 60 days jail suspended on payment of costs, probation 1 year, \$200 restitution, remit costs, attorney fees and supervision fees.

James Allen Wiggins, Williamston, larceny (2 counts), possession of stolen goods, 2 years jail suspended on payment of \$400 and costs, probation 1 year, perform 100 hours community service and pay fees.

John Kennedy Nobles, Ford Street, breaking and entering, larceny, no probable cause.

William Earl Perkins, Watauga Street, possession of marijuana, pay \$50 and costs.

Raymond Ray Rhames, Winterville, possession of marijuana, not guilty.

Jeffrey White Johnson, Williamston, larceny (2 counts), possession of stolen goods, 2 years jail suspended on payment of \$400 and costs, probation 1 year, perform 100 hours community service and pay fees.

Kenneth Raymond Magas, Durham, possession of marijuana, probation 1 year, pay \$50 and costs.

Kathy Ann Holloway, Ward Street, possession of drug paraphernalia, 12 months jail suspended on payment of \$200 and costs, probation 1 year, pay \$50 attorney fees, obtain mandatory assessment at mental health.

Robert Allen Youmans, Washington, N.C., driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, spend 24 hours in jail.

Wiley Grant Cherry, Grimesland, obtain property by false pretense, voluntary dismissal; fail to return hired property, 10 days jail, released for time served.

Anthony Lee Coward, Hopkins Drive, careless and reckless driving, damage to personal property (6 counts), voluntary dismissal; larceny of motor vehicle, no probable cause found.

Anthony Darwin Dancy, Tarboro, breaking and entering, no probable cause found.

Barbara Hammond, Winterville, possession of marijuana, pay costs.

Betty Lou Edwards, Farmville, possession of drug paraphernalia, 6 months jail suspended on payment of \$200 and costs.

Deborah Arlene Hall, West Fifth Street, assault with deadly weapon inflicting serious injury, no probable cause found.

Renee Dennis Oglesby, Hamilton, expired registration, pay costs.

Raymond Ray Rhames, careless and reckless driving, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs, perform 25 hours community service and pay fees.

William Kenny Stancil, Deck Street, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Sarah Harris Hixon, Farmville, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Herbert Hadley Atkinson, Greenfield Boulevard, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Dennis Morris Clinton, Springhill Trailer Park, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Jay Nicholas Hagens, Glendale Court, speeding, pay \$20 and costs.

Jesse Thomas Hardy Jr., Farmville, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

James Cameron McNeill, Sheraton Village, speeding, pay \$20 and costs.

John Emerson Morehead, South Memorial Drive, reckless driving, driving while impaired, not guilty.



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February 2, 1987
Joseph C. George
Executive Director
Housing Authority of the City of New Bern
February 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 1987
March 1, 2, 3, 4, 1987

FILE NO. 87-CV-34
IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF PITT
BRENDA HARRIS NELSON and ALICE HARRIS, Plaintiffs, versus
DANNY COSTELLA HORNES and A. THURSTON LEE, Defendants.
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This is the 2nd day of February, 1987.
TAFT, TAFT & HAIGLE
By Kenneth E. Haigle
Attorney for Plaintiffs
P.O. Box 588
Greenville, NC 27834
Telephone: (919) 752-2070
February 5, 12, 19, 1987

NORTH CAROLINA PITT COUNTY
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The undersigned, Executor of the Estate of John Linwood Hatfield of Pitt County, N.C., Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned Executor on or before July 29, 1987, or this Notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment.
This is the 26th day of January, 1987.
Ruby Etheridge Hassell
Executor of the Estate of John Linwood Hatfield
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Canadian Finance Minister Michael Wilson announced the lifting of the duties Wednesday as he delivered the 1987-88 proposed budget to Parliament.

The tariffs, ordered last June to retaliate for a 35 percent U.S. duty on Canadian shingles and shakes — a kind of long shingle — were removed because the U.S. duty turned out to hurt sales of the Canadian lumber products.

Also, Canadian booksellers had complained that the 10 percent tariff on U.S. books hurt them more than American publishers. And treegrowers urged that the 30 percent tax on U.S. Christmas trees be dropped before Congress retaliated with a similar duty on Canadian trees sold to the vast U.S. market.

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"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY!" EASTGATE MOTORS, INC. 130 East Greenville Blvd. Greenville, 355 2193. WINNER CHEVROLET Highway 11 Bypass, Ayden 746 4032 or 1 800 682 1826.

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1978 BUICK Century, one owner, new paint, \$1000. 355 7631. 1985 BUICK Regal, blue, like new condition, 23,000 miles, fully loaded, must sell, have company car. \$7800. 758 0472 anytime.

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DENTAL HYGIENIST. Immediate opening in Washington, full or part time, good working atmosphere. Send resume to Dental Hygienist, P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

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IMMEDIATE OPENING now with rapidly expanding national firm. Full or part time. Must dress neatly and require above average income and enjoy traveling. Paid training up to \$400 per week, income up to \$3000 per month. Apply in person, 10.5, Monday-Saturday, 3103 South Memorial Drive, upstairs.

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COUNTRY GROCERY business for sale. Good business, good location. Reasonable rent on building. Call 752-3751.

124 Professional

CHIMNEY SWEEPING. Gid Holloman. North Carolina's original chimney sweep. 30 years experience working with chimneys and fireplaces.

132 Commercial Property

FOR RENT. Sales/office space. Colonial Heights 5000 square foot. Utilities furnished. \$300/month. 757-1626, 752-4295.

FOR SALE OR LEASE. Warehouse, Farmville, 6,000-square feet. Truck body high with offices, truck scales, rail siding on 1.6 acres. 1-522-5171.

136 Condominiums For Sale

BELOW MARKET VALUE. By owner. Quail Ridge 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, patio and plenty of storage. \$55,000. Call 1-484-3534.

FOR SALE - PATIO home. Heritage Village. Available May 15. Two bedrooms, 1 bath, great room with fireplace, kitchen with all appliances, pantry with washer/dryer connections, outside storage, fenced backyard.

139 Farms For Sale

FOR LEASE farm with tobacco and corn acreage. 523-3562

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FARM FOR LEASE. 65 cleared acres, 10,700 pounds tobacco allotment. 756-4365 after 6 p.m.

WANTED: Tobacco allotment pounds for purchase. Call Robert Pierce now!! 753-3078 day or night

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BRICK, 2232 SQUARE feet, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, den, fireplace, living room, dining room, 2 car garage and 1710 square foot second garage. 752-7177 anytime.

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BY OWNER. Winterville School District. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, kitchen and dining area combination, fully carpeted, central heat and air.

150 Land For Sale

TWO ACRES OF LAND with septic tank and well, house that needs fixing, can be lived in.

151 Mobile Home Lots For Sale

MOBILE HOME lots for sale. Low down payment, easy financing. Located on Old River Road and Eastwoods Country Estates.

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TWO ACRES with 12x60, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath mobile home, each. Owner will finance. Call 758-2300 days.

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MILLIONS TO loan regardless of credit. If you have equity in your home, we can give you the cash 919-731-2322.

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REDUCED! 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath at Upton Court. \$44,900 with seller paying \$2000 towards points and closing.

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ABSOLUTELY UNBELIEVABLE. 1 bedroom apartment. Available immediately. \$245 a month.

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ALL BILLS PAID!! 1 bedroom \$260 or 2 bedroom \$350. 752-1375. Homelocators.

APPROXIMATELY 10 miles out of Greenville, \$250 per month. 746-2010 after 6 p.m.

AVAILABLE MARCH 1. 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, patio with privacy fence, \$310 month. Forbes Realty, 756-2121.

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LOAN ASSUMPTIONS are hard to find! You can assume the loan on this three bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch just outside Winterville. Pay equity and assume non-qualified loan. Asking \$64,900. Hignite Realtors, 757-1969, anytime.

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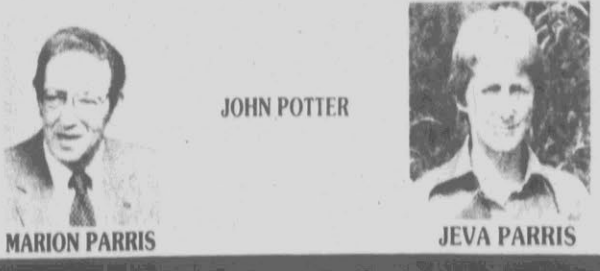
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Congressional Leaders Warn Curbs Are Needed On Ozone Destruction

By DAVID GOELLER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Environmental leaders in Congress are giving U.S. negotiators some ammunition to fire next week when industrialized nations resume talks on curbing dangerous ozone-destroying chemicals.

The message from Capitol Hill is that if Europe and Japan don't limit chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs), Congress will legislate tough controls.

The Reagan administration has asked for limits on international production and use of the chemicals scientists say are damaging the ozone layer, letting in cancer-causing ultraviolet rays from the sun and causing global rises in temperatures known as the "greenhouse effect."

"This is not a matter of Chicken Little claiming the sky is falling," Sen. John Chafee, R-R.I., said Wednesday at a news conference. "We have a problem — a serious problem."

"We are sending a signal to the European community and Japan that the U.S. Congress views the threat of ozone depletion as a very serious threat to the global environment," said Sen. Tim Wirth, D-Colo.

Dealing Congress into a long-running diplomatic debate, the lawmakers announced a campaign against CFCs.

The coalition is asking colleagues to approve a sense-of-the-Congress resolution strongly backing administration efforts to convince other nations to freeze and then cut production of the most destructive CFC compounds.

International negotiations on CFC limits opened in December with no agreement except to resume talks next week in Vienna. Chafee and others say that if the talks fail, they will push legislation intended to force the world into drastically reducing use of CFCs.

A bill drafted by Chafee would require a six-year domestic phaseout of 95 percent of the worst CFCs and within a year ban imports of products containing or made with these chemicals unless a trade partner is meeting the U.S. phaseout schedule.

"It really is a doomsday problem," Chafee said. "We're prepared to go ahead unilaterally. Japan and the European community are dragging their heels."

"This begins the legislative race to sustain the livability of our planet," said Rep. Jim Bates, D-Calif.

Wirth cited scientific estimates that the Earth's ozone layer has decreased by up to 40 percent in the last seven years and that without international regulation, CFC emissions could grow up to five percent a year.

Meanwhile, an internal report suggests that the Environmental Protection Agency may be concentrating on the wrong problems, such as hazardous wastes, rather than more serious threats posed by air pollution and depletion of the ozone layer. The New York Times reported in today's editions.

The report, which was requested by Lee M. Thomas, administrator of the agency, in an effort to review its priorities, was prepared by 75 of the agency's senior professional staff members.

It found that the problems posing the greatest overall risk to human health and the environment in the United States included such conventional air pollutants as sulfur and lead, the destruction of ozone in the atmosphere by man-made chemicals and the risk from pesticides, especially residues on foods.

Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., said that if chlorofluorocarbons are not curbed, "we can expect many more cases of skin cancer and dramatic increases in the numbers of (eye) cataracts worldwide."

Following warnings by scientists in the mid-1970s, the United States in 1978 banned the most conspicuous use of CFCs — as propellants in aerosol cans. Only Canada and Sweden have followed suit.

Since then, there has been an increase in the worldwide production and use of CFCs, which are used as coolants in refrigerators and air conditioners, are found in the foam containers for fast-food hamburgers and are used as solvents in the production of computer chips.

Scientific studies say it may take some CFCs 100 years to break down and become harmless to the atmosphere. Some studies estimate that even if all production were halted today, CFCs would still be released in the future when, for example, foam packages are crushed and refrigerators are scrapped.

Attention was refocused on the chemicals last year when scientists reported finding a hole, as large as the continental United States, in the ozone layer over Antarctica in 1985. The results of followup studies in the South Pole last fall have not been made public.



BABY PICTURE — A 3-month-old orangutan stands tall for his picture at the Dvur Krevlove Zoon in the eastern Bohemia area of Czechoslovakia. The baby, said to be the third orangutan born in captivity in Czechoslovakia, will be reared by his keepers. (AP Laserphoto)

Climate Blamed For Tree Damage

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CHICAGO (AP) — A recent decline in the forests of the Adirondack Mountains of New York may have been caused not by acid rain but by drought and unusually cold winters, a new study concludes.

"We have not eliminated acid rain as a factor," said Dudley Raynal, a forest biologist at the State University of New York in Syracuse. "Rather, we have pointed out that climatic factors play a role in tree growth."

Raynal, who presented his findings Wednesday at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, said a decline in the growth of red spruce trees had been observed all across the tree's range, from the Southeast to the Adirondacks and north into New England.

Polluted air and the atmospheric deposition of pollutants on trees in the form of acid rain affects these same areas, Raynal said in an interview. That led many people to conclude that acid rain was responsible for the forest decline, he said.

"Our study indicated that a good deal of the tree growth variation is attributable to climate," he said. "If we're to understand the effect of acid rain, we have to understand the climatic role."

Acid rain, which has been blamed for the death of fish in many of the Adirondack lakes, is formed when airborne pollutants become dissolved in raindrops, making the raindrops slightly acidic.

Over a period of time, the acid rain can make lake water acidic enough so that it can no longer support fish.

Raynal said the extent of the damage caused in Adirondack lakes by acid rain is difficult to determine because some lakes may by virtue of their particular circumstances be especially sensitive to acid rain while other lakes may be relatively insensitive.

Even less is known about the effect of acid rain on forests, he said.

"The hard scientific data necessary to allow scientists to draw firm conclusions about the effects on forests are not available," he said.

Researchers at the University of Vermont have blamed acid rain for the destruction of trees on a mountain in New England.

"Certainly it's plausible," Raynal said. "Atmospheric deposition certainly influences forests."

His study, conducted on Whiteface Mountain in upstate New York, found that the death of twigs on red spruce trees could have been caused by drought conditions in the mid-1960s followed by unusually cold winters in the '70s and '80s.

Raynal cut 36 trees, half at lower altitudes and half near the summit, and examined growth rings to get a yearly record of the speed they grew.

He found that their rate of growth declined in the mid-60s and in the period 1974-1984.

When he correlated the periods of growth decline with weather records, he arrived at the following scenario:

Drought conditions in the '60s reduced the growth of some trees and may have led to loss of long-term vigor. The cold winters in the '70s and '80s injured buds and new foliage, and normal damage from high winds and ice prevented regrowth of the damaged foliage.

He emphasized that the study merely found a correlation between weather and the decline in tree growth. It did not prove that climate caused the decline, he said.

"Simple coincidence in time does

not demonstrate cause-and-effect relationships," he said in his study.

Estimate Of Fish Kill Climbs To 7 Million

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Scientists doubled to 7 million their estimate of the number of fish killed at a Nevada wildlife refuge, but have been unable to establish the cause of death for the fish and 1,500 birds.

Fish kills occur periodically at the Stillwater National Wildlife Refuge as a lake formed by rain in a basin there evaporates, but scientists say this is the biggest yet and the first

accompanied by a large-scale bird kill.

The Carson Sink's 30-mile shore is lined with an estimated 72 dead tai chub per foot for a total of 7 million dead fish, more than twice the earlier estimate of 3 million, sanctuary wildlife biologist Steve Thompson said Wednesday.

Nearly as many fish are in the

water and will die as the water evaporates and the salinity climbs, he said. The only fish in the lake are tai chub, a scavenger that grows to 10 inches long.

A combination of cold weather, rising salinity and natural and man-made toxins probably killed the fish, said Dick Navarre, a fish biologist with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in Reno.

"The place is just like a chemical sink out there," he said.

Wednesday's fish count occurred as federal workers in boats and on shore scooped up some of the 1,500 birds and burned them to prevent contamination of other wildlife at the refuge, 60 miles east of Reno.

Nothing is being done with the fish, said Ken Merritt, assistant manager of the refuge.

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