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# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

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## Talk Ban On Wage Rejected

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Democrats failed today in an effort to restrict debate on a bill to increase the \$3.35 minimum wage for the first time since 1981.

On a 53-43 vote, seven short of the 60 needed, the Senate refused to limit debate on the bill by Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., which would raise the wage floor to \$3.75 in January, \$4.15 in 1990 and \$4.55 in 1991.

"It's only clear that there is a deliberate attempt to stall this bill," said Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va.

Republican Whip Alan Simpson, R-Wyo., had vowed earlier to make the Senate spend "a very long time" on the minimum wage unless Democrats began moving faster on President Reagan's nominations for federal judgeships.

"The two are unrelated," Byrd said. "We shouldn't be holding 15 million American workers hostage for 25 judgeships."

Byrd has a second cloture motion scheduled for a vote Friday in another attempt to restrict debate. He said "we'll be on the minimum wage for a long time" if Republicans hold out for action on Reagan's judicial nominations.



**DRUGS AND MONEY** — Greenville Police Chief Jerry Tesmond, left, and Police Capt. R.M. Nichols look over \$98,850 worth of cocaine and cocaine-based crack, \$23,647 in cash and other items confiscated by officers Wednesday and early this morning. Four people were arrested

on trafficking and conspiracy charges in connection with the investigation, which was launched as a result of a tip to Crime Stoppers about noon Wednesday. (Reflector Photo by Thomas Forrest)

## Soviets Ready For Full-Scope Talks With U.S.

By GEORGE GEDDA  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze opened talks today with Secretary of State George P. Shultz, bringing a series of proposals aimed at reducing the military arsenals of the two countries.

As he arrived at the State Department, Shevardnadze said he planned "full-scope negotiations" during what may be the last comprehensive review of Soviet-American relations before a new president takes office in four months.

"We have specific proposals in many areas," Shevardnadze said, adding that the discussions will cover nuclear and space weapons and conventional armaments and chemical weapons as well.

President Reagan, asked as he boarded a helicopter for a trip to Texas if the Soviet foreign minister had "brought good news," replied, "I think so."

Reagan did not elaborate and it was unclear whether he had advance word of the Soviet proposals.

Shevardnadze said the two sides will take up continuing differences over interpretations of the 1972 Anti-Ballistics Missile Treaty and will seek to narrow the gap on their joint effort to achieve reductions in strategic nuclear weapons.

Also on the table will be proposals for reducing air-launched and sea-launched cruise missiles.

Speaking through an interpreter, Shevardnadze said, "We have not come empty handed. As you can see we have a lot of baggage."

Shevardnadze arrived at the State Department two hours later than originally planned. U.S. officials said Shevardnadze had asked for the delay, complaining that he was tired after his trans-Atlantic flight on Wednesday.

Shevardnadze's talks here will include separate meetings Friday with Reagan and Vice President George Bush. The latter encounter is being held at Bush's request, a U.S. official said, adding that Democratic presidential nominee Michael Dukakis has not asked for a meeting with the Soviet diplomat.

But Shevardnadze, during his remarks on arrival, appeared to leave open the possibility of a meeting with Dukakis.

With no new summit meeting on the horizon and no prospect for a major arms reduction agreement, Shevardnadze's visit lacks some of the drama which has accompanied many of his previous 27 meetings with Shultz dating back to 1985.

According to well established procedures, the agenda for the talks includes discussions on nuclear issues, human rights, bilateral issues and Third World military conflicts in which both countries have an interest.

Assistant Secretary of State Rozanne Ridgway told reporters there is no possibility that the two sides will be able to resolve differences before the end of the year on their mutual goal of achieving 50 percent cuts in strategic ballistic missile warheads. Many of the unresolved issues involve ways to verify that each side is fulfilling its commitment.

One area in which some progress may be possible centers on the Peaceful Nuclear Explosion Treaty, which was approved during the mid 1970's but never ratified.

Ridgway said the two sides are "very close" to an agreement governing verification of the treaty, which sets ground rules for use of nuclear weapons for such activities as building dams and altering the course of rivers.

## Tip Leads To Major Drug Haul

By STUART SAVAGE  
Reflector Staff Writer

Four people were arrested and more than \$99,000 worth of drugs and \$23,600 in cash were confiscated by Greenville police and Pitt County Sheriff's Department officers Wednesday and early today following an investigation that began with a telephone call to Crime Stoppers.

Sgt. J.R. Teel, supervisor of the Greenville Police Department's special investigations section, said an investigation spurred by a Wednesday noon tip to Crime Stoppers resulted in the arrest of Leslie Lee Thomas, a 29-year-old Jamaican from the Bronx, N.Y. about 4 p.m. at the Econo Lodge Motel on Memorial Drive.

Teel said Thomas was charged with three counts of trafficking in cocaine and conspiracy to traffic in cocaine after 2,600 vials of cocaine-based crack and more than an ounce

of powdered cocaine were found in his motel room.

Malcolm Eugene Encarnacion, another 29-year-old Jamaican from the Bronx, and Courtney Lodine Fuller, 33, who lived in Jamaica and New York City before moving to 1306 W. Sixth St. six or seven weeks ago, were taken into custody between 7 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Econo Lodge, according to Teel. A search of the car in which the two were riding uncovered 200 vials of crack and a .38-caliber pistol, Teel said.

Encarnacion was charged with three counts of trafficking in cocaine, conspiracy to traffic in cocaine, possession with intent to sell and deliver cocaine and possession of a stolen firearm (the .38 caliber pistol).

Fuller, according to Teel, was charged with possession with intent to sell and deliver cocaine, possession of a stolen firearm, and main-

taining a vehicle for the purpose of transporting, selling or delivering a controlled substance.

As the result of a 2:30 a.m. search of a room at the Arbogate Motel on Memorial Drive — rented by Fuller — where a briefcase containing \$23,000 in cash, 919 vials of crack and 75 nickel bags of marijuana valued at \$375 were found, Fuller was charged with two counts of conspiracy to traffic and trafficking cocaine, and conspiracy to sell and deliver marijuana.

The fourth person, Angernette Daniels, 23, of 1306 W. Fourth St. was arrested on charges of conspiracy to traffic in cocaine and conspiracy to sell and deliver marijuana, two counts of trafficking in cocaine, and possession with intent to sell and deliver cocaine and marijuana about 4 a.m. at the Fourth Street home, Teel said, where four vials of crack and \$600 in cash were confiscated.

In addition to the cocaine — with a street value of \$25 a vial — and marijuana, Teel said officers confiscated an assortment of drug paraphernalia, including electric scales, baggies, 2,000 new vials, and crack manufacturing items.

Bond for Thomas was set at \$1.2 million while Encarnacion's bond was set at more than \$1.3 million. Fuller's bond was set at \$1.37 million, while bond for Ms. Daniels was set at \$950,000. The four were scheduled for first appearance hearings in District Court this afternoon.

Teel, who praised the "big part ... a 50-50 effort" the sheriff's department officers played in the investigation, said the amount of drugs and cash confiscated was among the largest ever made in Greenville. And Teel noted that the 3,723 vials of crack was the largest quantity of that form of cocaine ever confiscated in the city.

## Wright Says CIA Report Wasn't Secret

By JIM DRINKARD  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright defended himself today against charges that he improperly disclosed a covert CIA operation in Nicaragua as Republican leaders formally asked for an investigation of his actions.

"I haven't revealed anything that was committed to me as secret or classified," Wright told a reporter. "I am not a member of the (House) Intelligence Committee. I have not been present at the secret, classified briefings. I have simply said what is generally known and what is true."

But Wright, D-Texas, declined to specifically say how he had learned

of the covert operation in Nicaragua, or whether he had been told of it informally by an Intelligence Committee member.

Wright on Tuesday said he had received "clear testimony" from the CIA that the agency had fomented opposition demonstrations in Nicaragua to provoke the leftist Sandinista government and sabotage peace talks. He told a reporter later that CIA officials had made the admission under congressional questioning.

He repeated the assertion to reporters today, noting that the Reagan administration had not disputed it.

"In late August of last year I

became aware that elements of the U.S. government were seeking to ... foment disturbances with a view to seeing if they could provoke" the Sandinistas into a crackdown that would derail peace talks, Wright said.

"That seems to me just intolerably two-faced," he said. Wright added that he had been given "indirect assurance" that the practice has now been halted.

To bolster his case that the CIA activity already was well known, Wright distributed a list of news stories that document agency activity in Nicaragua. The list included past CIA actions such as mining Nicaraguan harbors, secretly resupplying the Contra rebels and supporting opposition groups, but contained no specific mention of covert efforts

at fomenting civil unrest and demonstrations.

Meanwhile, House Minority Leader Bob Michel, R-Ill., and Rep. Dick Cheney, R-Wyo., chairman of the House Republican Conference, asked for an investigation of Wright's actions in letters late Wednesday to the House ethics and intelligence committees.

"Because of the possibility such a disclosure (of classified information) may have occurred, we are writing to ask your committee to promptly and thoroughly investigate the circumstances surrounding these events and to recommend appropriate action to the House of Representatives," Michel and Cheney

(See WRIGHT, A-18)

## City's Insurance Rate Going Down

By GREG LAUDICK  
Reflector Staff Writer

Due to what has been termed a "phenomenal" insurance record, the city of Greenville will likely see a substantial discount on its premiums this year.

City Manager Greg Knowles said representatives of the city's insurance company indicated Wednesday that a policy package can be assembled which will provide Greenville with an increase in coverage and a decrease in rates.

"At this point in time it appears we might be able to put together a (insurance) package that will save us approximately \$50,000 over last year's rates," Knowles said. "What that means is additional savings to the public."

Knowles said that after the city's agent, Fickling Insurance Associates, has made a few modifications to the policy as a result of discussions at Wednesday's meeting, the city and agent will then move to finalizing the three-year insurance package.

"I think there's a very good chance we're going to get this package by the end of the month," he said.

The city manager declined Wednesday to reveal the exact dollar

amounts currently being negotiated with the agent, but he did indicate the city is paying "at least \$400,000" per year on insurance.

Because of the city's good record and various safety programs in existence, Knowles said the city does not have the problems of obtaining insurance as do many other cities.

"There are cities our size in this state that are paying almost twice as much as we are," he said.

That claim was echoed by a representative of the city's insurance provider.

"The city of Greenville probably has one of the most excellent loss records of any municipality its size in the country and its insurance premiums directly reflect the city's phenomenal loss history," said Diane Gainey, a representative of Fickling Insurance.

Knowles said one reason why it takes a long time to work out the details of the insurance package is because it is comprised of dozens of little policies.

Those policies cover a wide range of areas including liability, workers' compensation, automobile coverage, firefighter protection, medical

(See RATE, A-18)

## The Weather

Accu-Weather® forecast for Friday  
Daytime Conditions and High Temps



### Forecast

Fair tonight. Low near 60. Mostly sunny Friday. High near 90.

### Looking Ahead

Sunny Saturday through Monday. Highs in 80s. Lows in 60s.

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## Bumper Summer Is Now History

By RANDOLPH E. SCHMID  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — When the autumn equinox bids farewell to summer today, millions of scorched Americans likely will be glad to see it go.

It was a bumper summer, in the words of one headline writer, a season that saw millions of dollars lost in dying crops, rivers and reservoirs dry up and air conditioning bills go through the roof.

According to the National Oceanic

and Atmospheric Administration, only the Dust Bowl of the 1930s raised the nation's average temperature to higher levels than this summer.

Some communities may take pride in setting records for greatest average heat — or most 90 degree days or least rain.

But that doesn't mean many want to see a return of the record-setting misery anytime soon.

The Agriculture Department estimates that heat coupled with extraordinary dryness cut grain pro-

duction by 31 percent, threatening many farmers with financial disaster.

And the U.S. Geological Survey noted that low water levels curtailed irrigation and river traffic and raised pollution levels in some areas.

Wildfires swept large areas, discouraging tourists, scorching homes and forests.

And even something as simple as keeping cool had a significant impact, with the cost of running air conditioners pushing the national

electric bill up to \$14.4 billion, some \$746 million more than it would have been in normal summer weather.

National statistics, though, obscure the impact of the hot, dry season, which differed in degree and response from town to town, but which was bad news nearly everywhere.

From Minneapolis to Baltimore to Cheyenne the summer of 1988 was the hottest in local climate records going back nearly 40 years.

(See SUMMER, A-18)

# In The Area

## Car Theft Reported

Investigators said seven thefts, including a 1980 model car, were reported to Greenville police Wednesday.

Officer R.L. Vandiford said the car was taken from 1108 E. 10th St. in an incident reported at 11:13 a.m., while Officer T.A. Lee said \$25 in change was taken from nine coin operated machines at the Fifth Street Car Wash in a break-in reported at 4:26 a.m.

Officer L.R. Kepler said an equalizer and two speakers were taken from a car parked at 1401 Willow St. in an incident reported at 7:41 a.m., while three coats, with a combined value of \$800, and a television set valued at \$300 were taken from a car parked at Carolina East Mall in an incident reported at 10:51 a.m.

Officer S.D. Hilliard said a gold necklace was taken from 1406 Broad St. in a break-in reported at 4:09 p.m.

Officer L.C. Overby said a purse containing \$15 in cash was taken from Greenville Middle School on Arlington Boulevard in an incident reported at 4:19 p.m., while Officer R.C. Stroud said a bicycle was taken from 101 Paul Circle in an incident reported at 5:17 p.m.

## Shoplifting Charge

Glonda Sanderson Baughman, 35, of Kinston was arrested on a shoplifting charge and two counts of larceny by Greenville police Wednesday.

Officer S.D. Hilliard said the charges stemmed from a 7:26 p.m. incident at the Family Dollar Store on South Memorial Drive where \$84 worth of clothing was reported taken.

## Photograph Picked

A photograph titled "Alexander's Pond," taken and developed by Sarah Drake, has been selected for inclusion in the North Carolina State

# Student Faces Two Assault Charges

By JOHN BARE  
Reflector Staff Writer

A D.H. Conley student awaiting trial on charges of possessing a loaded sawed off shotgun on the J.H. Rose campus has since been charged with two counts of assault with a deadly weapon and two counts of injuring personal property.

Ehyin Mohamad Youssef, 16, of 2106 S. Charles St. is to appear in Pitt District Court next Friday to face the most recent charges.

He is accused of trying to run over two people and damaging two automobiles in a Sept. 10 incident near the intersection of Greenville Boulevard and Memorial Drive.

Youssef was arrested Sept. 14 by Greenville Police Officer J.E. Williams and charged with assaulting Reginald Suggs of 105 Taylors Turn in Farmville and Samuel Saunders of 102 Allen St. in Farmville.

In the arrest warrant drawn by Magistrate Scott Peele, Suggs and Saunders claim that Youssef tried to run over them with a 1979 Lincoln automobile.

In addition, Saunders and Chevalier Jefferson of 211 Cameron St. in Farmville both claim Youssef "unlawfully and wilfully" inflicted more than \$200 in damage to each of their automobiles.

If convicted, Youssef could face up

# Taft Says 'No' To Debate With Dansey

By STUART SAVAGE  
Reflector Staff Writer

Sen. Tom Taft said today he would "not enter into a one-on-one debate" with Republican Bill Dansey, who is trying to unseat Taft for the 9th Senate District seat in the November election.

Dansey, at a Sept. 12 news conference and in a personal letter to Taft dated the same day, challenged the incumbent to debate the issues.

But Taft, at a morning news conference today, said there would be "plenty of opportunity to sharpen the issues" without a debate.

"The real issue is will the public be adequately informed" without a debate, Taft said. "I think they will. There are lots of ways to campaign (and) plenty of opportunity for the issues to be sharpened and focused on."

"By four years of service in the Senate, five election campaigns and hundreds of votes electronically recorded on the Senate floor, I believe the public is well aware of my record and accomplishments," Taft said.

"I intend to run a vigorous and open campaign ... with numerous press conferences, civic club

meetings, speeches and attendance at many types of events, plus I will utilize radio, television, campaign literature and newspaper advertising to convey my message and discuss the issues," he said.

Taft said he would participate in the League of Women Voters' candidate forum.

But, according to Taft, "my opponent (Dansey) has no public record to debate, and has already announced to numerous people that he intends to run a mean and dirty campaign focusing on personal attacks and mud slinging."

Dansey this morning, after learning that Taft will not participate in

a debate, said, "It's gotten to be almost, 'Where is Tom?' He doesn't talk about the issues. It's difficult to talk about the issues on a 30 second spot" on television or radio, or at candidates forums.

"He (Taft) ought to come out and talk about where he stands, what he wants to do for the people of eastern North Carolina and the 9th Senatorial District in the future."

"In my opinion," Dansey said, "he hasn't served the district well."

"We're going to tell the truth and let the chips fall where they may," Dansey said. "That's the kind of campaign we're going to run."

Board of Education controller's office annual rotating collection.

Miss Drake, an eighth-grade art student of Cynthia Rowshan at Farmville Middle School, is the daughter of Barbara and Al Drake of Farmville. Previously, the photograph has been a part of the Superintendent's Choice Art Exhibit.

The collection will be displayed for one year in the executive offices of the controller.

About 2,500 parents are expected on campus for activities that include a reception, a picnic and the football game between ECU and the University of Southern Mississippi.

Activities begin with registration from 8 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in Mendenhall Student Center. Chancellor Richard Eakin will host a reception from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the student center. A picnic for parents will start at 11:15 a.m. at Ficklen Stadium and will conclude prior to the 1:30 p.m. game.

Laura Sweet of the ECU Division of Student Life said about 2,000 tickets were sold for the picnic after notices were mailed out to parents early this month. She said all parents are invited to the chancellor's reception in Mendenhall and tickets are still available for the afternoon football game.

The program is held annually to give parents a chance to visit ECU and to enjoy campus activities with their students.

N.C. 30 to the Carl and Johnny Briley farm.

At that stop, a discussion of black rot test and leafspot forecasting program will be conducted. One hour of pesticide credit will be offered. For further information contact Sam Uzzell at 830-6374.

## Dinner Sale

Fish dinners will be sold at 1009 Douglas Ave. Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The sale will benefit the scholarship drive.

## Committee Member

Lt. Gov. Bob Jordan has named Dr. Leo Jenkins of Greenville, former chancellor of East Carolina University, to the "Veterans For Bob Jordan Committee."

Jenkins is a member of American Legion Post 39 in Greenville. He served as a U.S. Marine during World War II and was stationed in the Pacific on Guam, Guadalcanal and Iwo Jima.

## Class Had Visitor

Ken Hutchinson recently spoke to Joy Lattin's fifth-grade math class at Sadie Sautler School on "How to Venture into the Stock Market".

The class is studying the economics of the stock market.

## Meeting Postponed

The Mount Calvary Free Will Baptist Church board meeting scheduled for today has been postponed until Sept. 30 at 7:30 p.m.

Senior choir members will meet today at 7 p.m. for rehearsal.

## Parent Visitation

Farmville Middle School will have parent visitation-open house night Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. Parents may tour the school and meet teachers from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

A Parent-Teacher Organization meeting will be held in the school cafeteria from 8 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

## ECU Parents' Day

Parents of East Carolina University students will get a special welcome as ECU observes parents' day Saturday.

to two years in prison, a fine, or both, on each of the four misdemeanor charges.

Youssef, who has been free on a \$500 unsecured bond pending trial on the weapons charge, was released Sept. 14 on a \$400 unsecured bond set by Magistrate Elmer Hodges. The release order states Youssef was placed in the custody of Alonzo L. Mills, also of 2106 S. Charles St.

The weapons charge stems from an Aug. 2 incident at Rose High School, where Youssef was attending the last day of a countywide session of summer school.

Greenville police confiscated a loaded sawed-off shotgun and five Winchester hollow-point rifle slugs from Youssef's gym bag, Capt. Nelson Staton said. Nelson said Youssef claimed he took the gun to school to protect himself.

Charged with possession of a weapon of mass destruction and possession of a weapon on school grounds, Youssef pleaded innocent in Pitt Superior Court on Monday. He is scheduled to stand trial on the weapons charge on Oct. 25.

Possessing a weapon of mass destruction is a felony punishable by up to five years in prison, a fine, or both; possessing a weapon on school grounds is a misdemeanor carrying a maximum penalty of six months in prison, a fine, or both.

## PTA Meeting Set

Grifton School will have its annual fall Parent-Teacher Association open house Oct. 4 at 7:30 p.m. The opening session will take place in the auditorium and will include installation of new officers and a brief business meeting.

Classrooms will be opened for parents to meet staff members directly associated with their children.

Newly completed additions to the school will be open, including new classrooms, media center expansion, computer lab and audio-visual room.

## Scholarship Given

Maria McDaniel is one of 50 science teachers in the state to receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction.

The scholarships were awarded to teachers as a way of improving the teaching of science in the secondary schools.

Mrs. McDaniel is a science and math teacher of grades six through eight at Ayden Middle School. She received her bachelor's and master's degree from East Carolina University.

## Family Reunion

The annual William LaFayette Clarke family reunion will be held Sunday at 1 p.m. at Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church.

## Conference Set

St. Matthews True Born Faith of Christ Church, located at Perkins and Norris streets in Greenville, will hold its first conference beginning Friday at 11 a.m. and continuing through Sunday until 3 p.m.

## Peanut Test Tour

A twilight peanut test plot tour will begin today at 4 p.m. at the Pitt County peanut variety test site one mile south of Bethel on N.C. 11. The six peanut varieties will be compared as to quality, maturity and other factors.

The tour will then proceed east on N.C. 30 to the Pitt County southern corn rootworm test plot at Whitehurst Station. After viewing the test and discussing insect management, the tour will continue east on

## Folk Music Concert

Friends of the Edgecombe County Memorial Library will present a free concert of folk music by Pratie Heads at 5 p.m. Sunday on the grounds of the Blount-Bridgers House in Tarboro.

Performers Bob Vasile and Jane Pepler will sing and play traditional music from England, Ireland and Scotland using early instruments.

In the event of rain, the concert will be held in Clark Memorial Auditorium, Calvary Episcopal Church, 411 Church St., Tarboro.

Pratie Heads will also perform in the Tarboro school system for students at Pattillo School on Monday morning.

## Writers' Retreat

The creative writing class of Pitt Community College held a weekend writers' retreat recently at Emerald Isle.

The two-day event, led by class instructor Patsy Baker Burkett, included writing exercises, readings, and critique of previously written work.

Those in attendance included Nancy Smith, Edith Powers, Margie Gallagher, Nancy Shires and Cindy Thompson-Rumple, all of Greenville; Jerry Cuthrell and Mona Lang of Washington, N.C.; Maxine Harker and Jane Lambert of Grifton, and Lenward Thomas of Robersonville.

The creative writing class, a 12-week seminar, will have enrollment for its next session on Sept. 29.

## Mars Viewing

With Mars at its brightest in 17 years, East Carolina University will provide telescopes for public viewing of the planet on Friday at 8 p.m. at River Park North in Greenville.

Mars can be seen in the evenings as a bright orange dot in the eastern sky. Although it is 36 million miles from Earth it is closer than it's been since 1971.

Dr. James Gaiser, an ECU physicist, along with Dr. Rahul Mehta of the ECU Department of Physics and Thom Kemp of Greenville will be at the park to answer questions and to help point out the features of Mars, Saturn, the moon and other celestial sights.

The ECU Department of Physics sponsored a viewing of the planets at the Goose Creek State Park near Washington two weeks ago. Last weekend it had scheduled a viewing at River Park North but it was canceled because of bad weather.

River Park North is a city park located on the north side of the Tar River.

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## CRIME STOPPERS APPEAL

Early this month, Crime Stoppers received a call that gave information on a homicide in Beaufort County. Would 88191 please call Crime Stoppers at 758-7777. More information is needed.

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## Foes Say Waste Figures Inflated

RALEIGH (AP) — North Carolina has inflated figures indicating the amount of hazardous waste it produces to plead its case for a large toxic waste incinerator, opponents of the facility charged today.

At a news conference this morning, spokespeople for the Clean Water Fund said the 1987 annual report by the N.C. Department of Human Resources inflated hazardous waste generation by the state's industries by 25 percent. The opponents said the inflation helps the state's case for a large incinerator, which will be funded partially by federal money.

"This error in the state's annual report certainly raises critical questions about whether incineration is the proper treatment for hazardous waste shipped off-site," Clean Water Fund spokesman Chip Hughes said.

Hughes said research also discovered a discrepancy of between 35 percent and 40 percent between the 1986 data on hazardous waste generation collected by the Hazardous Waste Treatment Commission and the figures collected by Human Resources.

The report also claimed that less than one-half of 1 percent of the total hazardous waste generated in 1986 was incinerated, according to the commission.

"Focusing on an incinerator is a waste," Hughes said, adding that North Carolina should work toward "a strict, mandated waste reduction law that we don't have right now."

# S&L Losses Major But Rate Slowing

By DAVE SKIDMORE  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's savings institutions continued to lose billions of dollars, but at a slightly slower rate in the second quarter of this year when compared to the previous six months, the government said today.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board said the nation's 3,000 S&Ls lost \$3.6 billion in the April-June period, an improvement over a \$3.9 billion loss in the first quarter and a record \$4.0 billion loss in the last three months of 1987.

The report came as the chairman of the Senate Banking Committee predicted that taxpayers will have to provide \$20 billion in a "bailout-to-come" to solve the financial crisis confronting the industry.

In a speech prepared for delivery on the Senate floor today, Chairman William Proxmire, D-Wis., said it was his "reluctant but profound conviction" that the problem "has grown beyond industry resources."

James Barth, chief economist for the bank board, said, however, "I like to think we have bottomed out and things won't get much worse."

"But there's still a serious problem," he added.

S&Ls lost a record \$7.8 billion last year and seem certain to surpass

that this year, having lost \$7.5 billion in the first six months.

As in the past, the industry's losses in the second quarter were concentrated in a relatively few number of institutions and in one state — Texas, which has been hard hit by the collapse of oil prices.

The 271 thrift institutions in Texas accounted for \$3.2 billion of the loss. The 20 worst institutions in the nation — 17 of them in Texas — lost \$2.6 billion.

There were 497 insolvent institutions, down from 509 in the first quarter. The bank board resolved the cases of 26 institutions in the April-June period, and 14 more institutions slipped into the red.

Twenty-nine percent of the industry lost money — \$5.1 billion in the second quarter — more than offsetting the \$1.5 billion profit earned by the remaining 71 percent.

Proxmire, in his speech, Proxmire said the taxpayers will have to contribute \$20 billion toward fixing the problem and he accused the new treasury secretary of being "nonchalant" about the crisis.

Even if the next Congress appropriates the \$20 billion, healthy S&Ls will need to contribute another \$30 billion over the next several years, he said.

"The bailout-to-come will be the largest ever in the history of the U.S. It will be far bigger than the combined cost of the assistance ... to Chrysler (Corp.), Lockheed (Corp.) and New York City," he said.

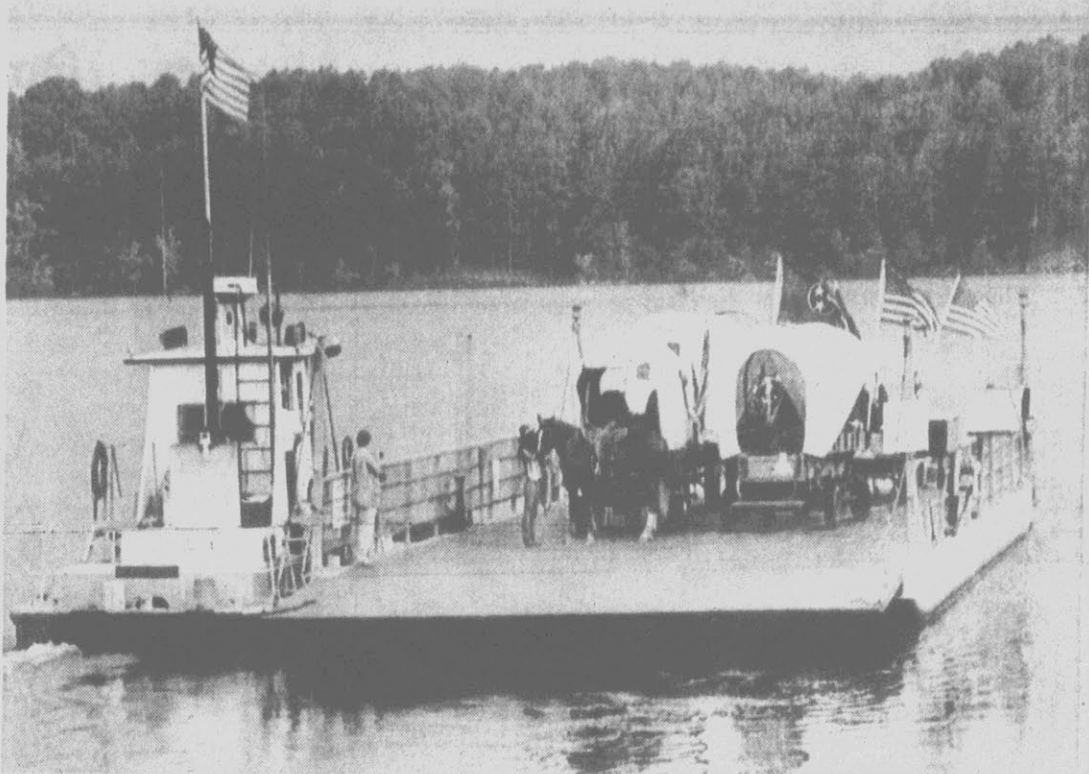
Despite that, he said, "the administration has its head buried in the sand" and Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady in his confirmation hearing last week "was nonchalant about the S&L mess."

Brady, who replaced James A. Baker III, contended that the industry-financed Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp., which guarantees S&L deposits up to \$100,000, has as much as it can spend for now.

Estimates of the cost of cleaning up the industry vary from the bank board's \$31 billion to private projections as high as \$100 billion.

The current bank board estimate is well within its \$42 billion 10-year revenue projection, but the agency has said it will issue a revised cost estimate this fall.

An official of the General Accounting Office, the auditing arm of Congress, told the House Banking Committee last week that the problem was in the \$45 billion to \$50 billion range and would require money from Congress.



CROSSING THE TENNESSEE — Four covered wagons are ferried across the Tennessee River near Dayton, Tenn., as part of the commemorative Trail of Tears wagon train project. Sponsors say they hope to make the 1,000-mile trek from Red Clay State Historical

Park to Oklahoma in 76 days. The Trail of Tears is the name given to the forced removal of Cherokee Indians from North Carolina, Tennessee and Georgia in the early 1800s. (AP Laserphoto)

## Martin Wants Road Projects Stepped Up

HILLSBOROUGH, N.C. (AP) — Gov. Jim Martin said today he has asked the state Board of Transportation to speed up engineering studies on several major highway projects in North Carolina.

Martin said he wanted to use \$6 million in reserves from the state highway fund for work on 13 projects across the state, all of which are part of the state's strategic corridor highway system.

Martin said in a statement he had asked state Transportation Secretary Jim Harrington to seek approval for his proposal from the Transportation Board. Harrington said he would seek approval from the board at its Oct. 14 meeting.

The projects identified by the governor are:

Interstate 26 from Mars Hill to the Tennessee line; bypasses for New Bern, Jacksonville, Rockingham-

Hamlet, Greensboro and Wilson; three related projects on U.S. 421 in Wilkes and Yadkin counties; U.S. 321 in Caldwell County; improvements on Interstate 77 in Mecklenburg County; U.S. 441 in Macon County, and U.S. 17 in Chowan County.

"The steps I am proposing today will mean that motorists will be able to drive on these roads two to five years earlier than would be possible otherwise," Martin said.

The state's strategic corridor highway system was adopted last year by the transportation board. Routes were selected because of their regional importance as well as their value to the state. The roads combine high traffic volume with economic potential and it was estimated that more than 92 percent of the state's residents live within 10 miles of a corridor.

## Plane Makes Safe Emergency Landing

GRAPEVINE, Texas (AP) — An American Airlines 727 jetliner was forced to make an emergency belly landing at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport when its main landing gear jammed, officials said. There were no serious injuries.

Passengers evacuated Flight 135 on an emergency slide Wednesday, according to John Hotard, a spokesman for the airline. Hotard said there was no fire and only one person was hurt, suffering a minor ankle injury.

Also Wednesday, another American flight en route to Dallas-Fort Worth from Charlotte, N.C., was forced to make a non-scheduled land-

ing in Nashville, Tenn., because of possible engine trouble.

Airline spokesman Al Becker said the pilot shut off one engine as a precaution before landing in Nashville. Passengers were moved to another plane to continue their trip, officials said.

Flight 135, originating in Oklahoma City with 81 passengers and seven crew members, landed on the same runway where Delta Flight 1141 crashed on takeoff Aug. 31, killing 14 people, officials said.

American spokesman Jim Brown said the pilot could not extend one of the two main landing gears under the belly of the plane. He retracted the one functioning landing gear before making his approach, Brown said.

After circling the airport to expend fuel for the emergency landing, airline officials said the pilot brought the 150-seat plane in around 9:40 p.m. with only its nose landing gear extended.

Airport workers sprayed the aircraft with flame-retardant foam, officials said. The emergency slides were deployed and passengers evacuated, Hotard said. No one was taken to a hospital, officials of the airport's Department of Public Safety said.

### Contract

DURHAM — Contracts for an \$18 million supercomputer and building to house it in Research Triangle Park have been approved by the State Computer Commission, officials said.

The specialized computer would be made by the Cray Corp. of Minneapolis for the Microelectronics Center of North Carolina, a state-owned, non-profit computer research center. It would be the only supercomputer in the state.

The computer would be housed in a 33,000-square-foot building on the campus of the Triangle Universities Center for Advanced Studies. That center is owned by a consortium of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Duke University and N.C. State University.

Construction of the building, the N.C. Supercomputing Center, is scheduled to begin in November and be completed by Sept. 30, 1989, according to Microelectronics Center spokesman George Howe. That contract was awarded to Davidson and Jones Construction Co. of Raleigh.

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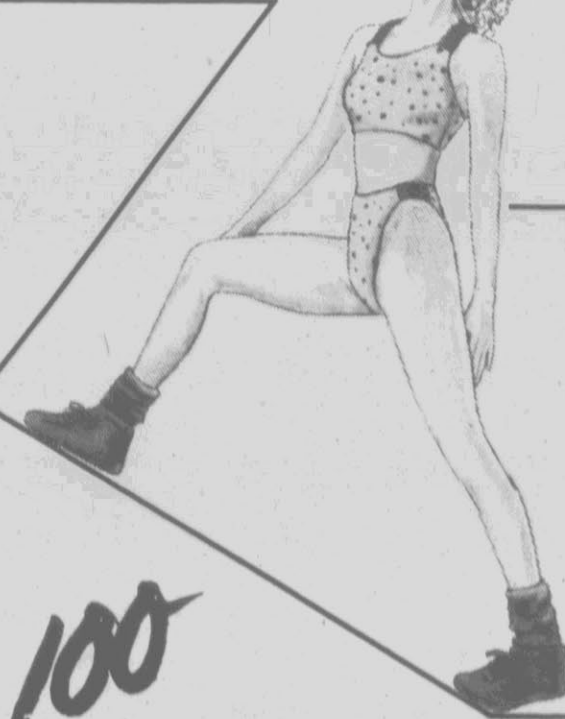

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Welcome Change

A Move Toward Better Planning?

It's not everyday that a planning board says no to a shopping center. And when it does, for sound reasons, that means a city's planning system is working.

Greenville's Planning & Zoning Commission refused a rezoning request earlier this week that would have allowed a shopping center to locate in southern Greenville across N.C. 11 from Pitt Community College. That move should be recognized as a conservative, progressive action.

Not that shopping centers aren't profitable for a community. They are, and their presence shouldn't be discriminated against in zoning. But commercial development brings increased traffic, congestion and noise. For that reason, it should be located carefully.

The point of land use planning is to promote orderly growth. And in this instance, the facts warranted saying no. That was a prudent and progressive move — one which should be noted by citizens.

First, the rezoning conflicts with the city's comprehensive plan. The property is adjacent to what will be an important thoroughfare for the community — the proposed path of the southwest U.S. 264 by-pass. Although development along the tentative corridor for that roadway prompts some doubt about its effectiveness as a bypass, the area should be protected from further questionable growth.

Second, the rezoning would have allowed commercial development that would have significantly increased traffic across from Pitt Community College. The planning board correctly raised the question of whether this kind of growth was compatible with existing land uses.

Construction has been rapid and explosive in southern Greenville. Often, conflicting land uses have sprung up next door to each other seemingly overnight — strip development and residences, offices and shopping stores share common boundaries. The city has been too lenient with zoning in this area. Aesthetics and property value have suffered.

The planning board's latest decision can be seen as a welcome move toward more prudent land use in a critical area. If it is indeed a change of direction, that shift deserves note.

Image-Boosting

Negotiation Superior To Build-Up

The superpowers the United States and the Soviet Union play a deadly game. For decades it has been if one adds new war weaponry the other matches or betters it. It is obvious that can't go on forever. The end result will be sure bankruptcy for both economies.

Now the rules have changed. Arms reduction is the aim of both governments, but the game goes on. Now one side offers to reduce a military capability in exchange for the other side making a similar move.

Most recently, Mikhail S. Gorbachev announced that the Soviets would eliminate a naval base in Vietnam provided U.S. military forces leave their bases in the Philippines.

America will respond publicly, but the real assessment will take place behind closed doors.

Is the Soviet naval base that essential? That is the question that will be asked. And does the Soviet Navy want to get out of Vietnam anyway?

As for withdrawing U.S. bases from the Philippines our experts will be assessing just how much the nation would be giving up, if anything. The bases are becoming more unpopular in the Philippines and the odds are the U.S. might have to move them regardless.

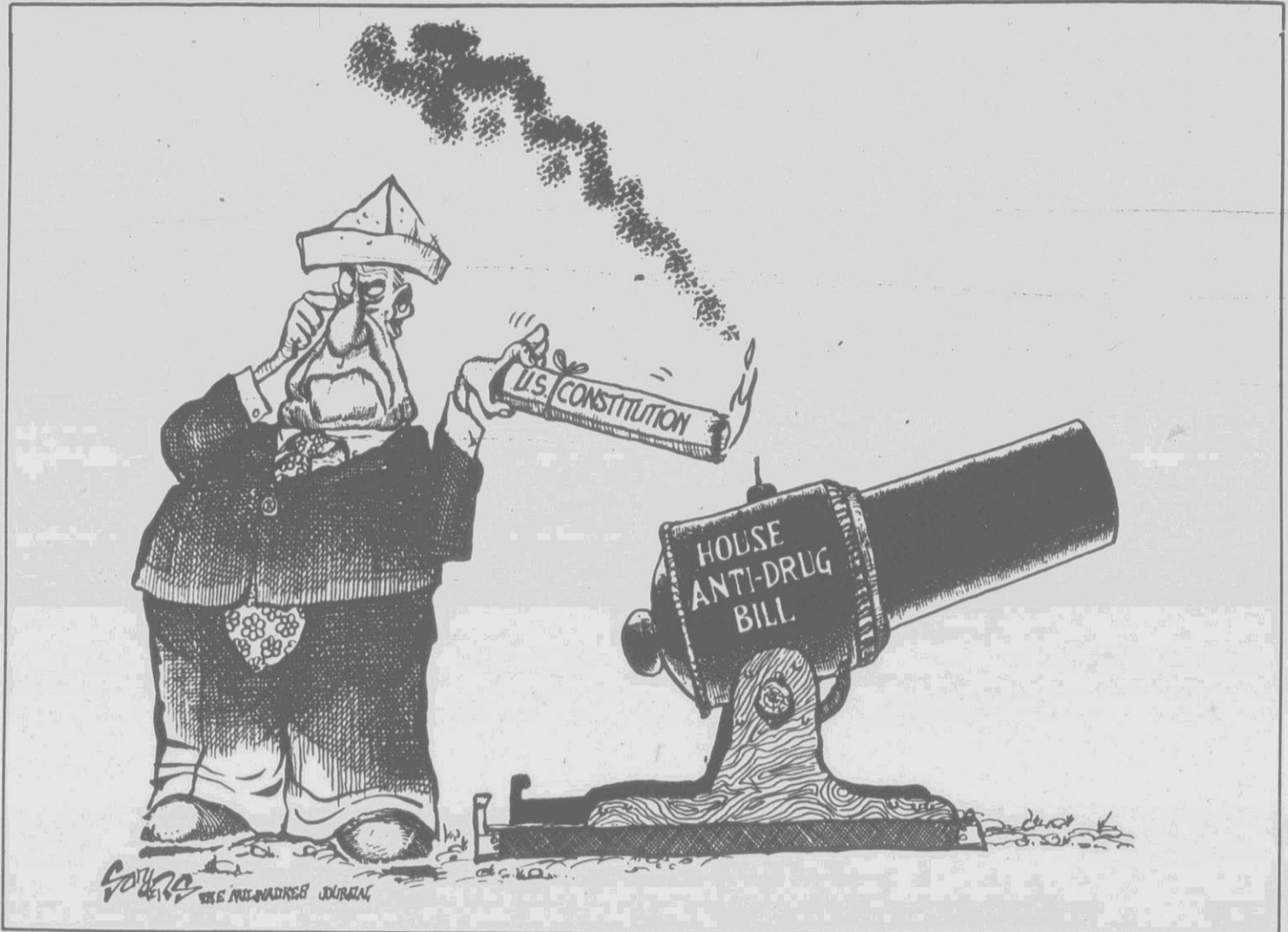
Thus neither side might be giving up anything if there is an accord to pull the Soviet base out of Vietnam and the U.S. bases out of the Philippines.

The Soviet naval forces would undoubtedly be deployed elsewhere and the U.S. forces would find alternate locations.

So the offer of withdrawal, even if it is accepted by the U.S., might be only an exercise in total arms reduction, not a real move toward withdrawal of influence. It also might be a venture into global game-playing.

If an agreement is reached it will look good for both sides even though each might have taken the action unilaterally. The public relations value of such a move makes it attractive to both the United States and the Soviet Union. Both could use a little image-boosting.

The best that can be said for the incident is that at least the superpowers are moving in the right direction. Negotiating over reduction of military bases is superior to the long arms build-up that went on following World War II.



— George Will —

Good Writer, Bad Influence

DALLAS — Don DeLillo's ninth novel, "Libra," asserts that what happened here in Dealey Plaza a quarter of a century ago became "the seven seconds that broke the back of the American century." If this hyperventilating book were merely what that sentence is — overwrought and unhistorical — it would not matter that "Libra" is a best-seller. But the book, one of about 20 pouring forth on the Kennedy assassination, is an act of literary vandalism and bad citizenship.

DeLillo's attempt to "follow the bullets' trajectories" back into the minds of Lee Harvey Oswald and others becomes yet another exercise in blaming America for Oswald's act of derangement. It is valuable only as a reminder of the toll that ideological virulence takes on literary talent.

The story is that a cadre of CIA operatives, furious about the halfheartedness of the Bay of Pigs invasion, plan an "electrifying event" to galvanize the country against Fidel Castro. They decide on a "surgical miss" of President Kennedy by a gunman who would leave a paper trail to Cuba. But one thing leads to another, and to the man in the sixth-floor window of the Texas

Book Depository. DeLillo says he is just filling in "some of the blank spaces in the known record." But there is no blank space large enough to accommodate, and not a particle of evidence for, DeLillo's lunatic conspiracy theory. In the book's weaselly afterword, he says he has made "no attempt to furnish factual answers." But in a New York Times interview he says, "I purposely chose the most obvious theory because I wanted to do justice to historical likelihood."

DeLillo traduces an ethic of literature. Novelists using the raw material of history — real people, important events — should be constrained by concern for truthfulness, by respect for the record and a judicious weighing of probabilities.

History, says a DeLillo character, is "the sum total of all the things they aren't telling us." Of course. "They." That antecedentless pronoun haunts the fevered imaginations of paranoids. For conspiracy addicts like DeLillo, the utter absence of evidence, after 25 years of searching, proves not that there was no conspiracy but that the conspiracy was diabolically clever. He says that because of the seven seconds in Dallas, "We have been educated in

skepticism." Skepticism? DeLillo is a study in credulity regarding the crudities of the American left. He says the assassination was "the turning point in consciousness" for Americans, that "we have been suspicious ever since" concerning "the secret manipulation of history." In Dallas we entered "the world of randomness," reminded by Oswald that "nothing is assured."

Spare us such sandbox existentialism. DeLillo rejects randomness. His intimation is that America is a sick society that breeds extremism and conspiracies; and that Oswald was a national type, a product of the culture. From the unremarkable fact that recent assassins or would-be assassins (Sirhan, Ray, Bremer, Hinckley) have been marginal men, not social successes, ideologists of the left weave indictments of America.

DeLillo's indictment is interestingly uninteresting. It is the familiar, banal thought that Oswald was a lonely neurotic who tried to shed ordinariness by lunging into the theater of the Kennedys. And guess what? DeLillo has said: "Consumerism is a form of mass anesthesia....It makes people lonely."

The mind of an assassin can be a

deep and demanding subject. But the more DeLillo explains his work, the shallower it and he seem. In a burst of sophomoric self-dramatization he says: "The writer is the person who stands outside society, independent of affiliations....The writer is the man or woman who automatically takes a stance against his or her government." Automatically as in unthinkingly. DeLillo's celebration of the writer as unaffiliated "outsider" is hackneyed and unhistorical. (Henry James, Jane Austen, George Eliot and others were hardly outsiders.) DeLillo's celebration stops just a short step from declaring the writer as kin to Oswald who, as a defector, was the ultimate outsider.

It is well to be reminded by books like this of the virulence of the loathing some intellectuals feel for American society, and of the frivolous thinking that fuels it. DeLillo is a talented writer whose talent is subordinated to, and obviated by, puerile political stances. What was unfairly said of a far greater writer (T.S. Eliot, born in St. Louis 100 years ago this Monday) must be said of DeLillo: He is a good writer and a bad influence.

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— William Raspberry —

Jackson & The Dukakis Game Plan

WASHINGTON — Opinion polls of a week ago showed George Bush still with a slight lead in the presidential race, and the GOP nominee was palpably confident. Not only had he overcome a significant lead by Michael Dukakis but in spite of the flap over Dan Quayle had overtaken him.

A few days later, it was Dukakis' turn to be upbeat; a more recent poll of likely voters showed the Democrat with a slight lead and, as he put it, "coming on like Gangbusters."

It's anybody's guess what next week's polls will show, or what the candidates will make of it.

But non-candidate Jesse Jackson comes as close as anyone I've heard to articulating my sense of this singularly unexciting contest, in which the opponents seem to be playing not to win but merely to avoid losing.

Said Jackson: "You can play the game between the 40-yard lines, but you've got to score at one goal line or another."

He also spelled out what he believes it takes for the Democrats to score: wise use of the skills of all the players, a coherent game plan, and bold quarterbacking. Jackson believes that all three elements are — however late — finally coming into play, and that, in his view, accounts for Dukakis' resurgence.

Until recently, he said, switching metaphors, the Dukakis campaign was "like a switchboard with places for 100 lines, but only three or four lines plugged in, the other live wires lying around unconnected."

Is that a complaint that his own skills have been inadequately used? Yes, but only in part. "One of the most significant developments of the last few days was the meeting in Boston of (Ohio con-

gressman) Lou Stokes, (Georgia senator) Sam Nunn and (Tennessee senator) Al Gore. Till then, those live wires were essentially disconnected, admiring the ticket but not really working for it."

The former challenger for the Democratic nomination insists that his analysis is friendly, not bitter, and motivated solely by his desire for a Dukakis victory in November.

For instance, he thinks the campaign's emphasis on recapturing the so-called Reagan Democrats may be overdone. "Forty percent of the middle class have seen their real wages decline by some 7 percent under Reagan; they are open to come back. Another 40 percent benefited from Reagan. They've got the extra house, the new car and the boat, and they aren't coming back."

Jackson's view is that the wisest Democratic strategy is to target first the party's solid core: the registered and nominal Democrats, then the youthful voters he describes as "future Democrats," and finally the Democrats who went away."

The Dukakis campaign wouldn't argue the point, but its strategy is not calculated to garner that core vote, looking, as it is, to the state party organizations to manage the registration campaigns.

"The whole theory of asking the state organizations to be in charge of voter registration misses an important point," Jackson believes. "Most state organizations are geared for statewide elections, and few women, blacks or Hispanics run statewide. As a result, most state organizations tend not to include in their base the major urban areas. You can see why. When you begin to mobilize large numbers of urban voters, you invariably expand the base and create a new equation that is threatening to those who favor the status quo."

"There are some 900,000 unregistered black voters and 500,000 unregistered Hispanics in New York City alone, most of them Democrats. Register a third of them, and you will affect beyond measure the politics of New York City and New York state. Dukakis will win the state, but next spring the status quo politicians will have to deal with a new equation."

"Georgia is a toss-up today. If you register half of the 400,000 to 500,000 unregistered black voters, overwhelmingly Democrats, Dukakis will win Georgia going away. But in terms of the Senate races and the governor's race (which Andy Young says he might enter), you will have changed Georgia politics forever. It seems clear to me that only those who want to change the status quo have the incentive to register those voters."

Jackson, who insists he already has registered more of those voters than any other campaign volunteer, is confident that he can deliver for Dukakis. But he could do it a lot easier if he were a full participant, not just in voter registration but also in the campaign's strategy. "It's a question of utilizing not just our motor skills, but our cognitive skills as well," he says.

Does that mean drawing on Jackson's ideas for responding to Bush's campaign charges, for dealing with the Quayle vulnerability, for input into the presidential debate strategy?

"Of course it does," says Jackson. "If I raised these appeals as one who understands the American people and as the volunteer who has traveled the most miles and registered the most voters, then I can raise this appeal without being dismissed as selfish or negative."

It makes sense to me.

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— Ernest Conine —

# Time For Decision-Making On Defense By Dukakis

## Analysis

Michael S. Dukakis has made a reasonably good start toward countering George Bush's slashing attacks on his inexperience and "naivete" in foreign affairs and national defense. But he has a way to go.

To cite the most glaring example, the Massachusetts governor still hasn't reconciled his basic hostility toward strategic defenses with his opposition to both the MX and Midgetman missile systems.

Also, Dukakis has not explained how he would pay for the increased emphasis on the expensive conventional arms that he proposes within the framework of a "stable" defense budget and the development and deployment of the strategic weapons that he now says he favors.

However, it would be churlish to fault Dukakis too much for that, considering Bush's cavalier insistence that the country can afford a broad array of new weapons without higher taxes.

Dukakis left the Democratic National Convention with the idea that, to win in November, he didn't have to talk much about national security issues. But since Labor Day, stung by his precipitate drop in the polls, he has been at pains to project a stronger, more assertive posture.

Dukakis continues to pledge support for more tanks, better anti-tank weapons and new fighter planes and attack submarines. But he has now moved to change the rhetoric, if not the basic substance, of his posture on strategic nuclear arms and anti-missile defenses.

The governor used to describe the Strategic Defense Initiative as a "fantasy." He now says that he is not against strategic defenses, only skeptical of them. (But still he would

cut SDI research to a fourth of the level recently approved by the Democratic Congress.)

As for modernizing the U.S. nuclear deterrent, Dukakis promises to move forward with the Stealth bomber, the advanced cruise missile and a new submarine-fired missile, a Trident D-5. However, he remains opposed to both the MX missile and the mobile, single-warhead Midgetman.

The Midgetman project, though backed by Bush, has been treated like an orphan by the administration. But it has wide support within the arms-control community and is championed by the two most influential Democrats on defense — Sen. Sam Nunn and Rep. Les Aspin.

Arms-control experts generally agree that possession of mobile intercontinental ballistic missiles by both of the great powers would enhance nuclear stability because their mobility makes them harder to hit. Neither side could be confident of knocking out the other's missile forces.

However, there would be nothing safe or stable about a world in which one major power had relatively invulnerable mobile missiles and the other didn't.

The Soviets already are deploying road-mobile SS-25 missiles and rail-mounted SS-24s. Their U.S. counterparts — rail-mounted MXs and smaller road-mobile Midgetman missiles — are still in the debating stage.

The administration proposal to put 50 MX missiles on rails is in fact cockeyed. Their movement would require too much warning time in event of attack. But 250 to 500 truly mobile, widely scattered Midgetman missiles would be a different story.

As for strategic defenses, it makes perfectly good sense to reject SDI as the best answer to the Soviet Union's SS-24s and SS-25s — but only if we build mobile missiles of our own.

Alternatively, it might make sense to oppose mobile missiles, as Dukakis is inclined, if one had faith in our ability to build an effective defense. But Dukakis, in company with a host of respectable defense experts, doesn't have that faith.

Only an innocent could believe that we can safely do without either an offensive or a defensive counter to the Soviet Union's mobile ICBMs.

Dukakis now says, for the first time, that "the strategic concept" behind the Midgetman is sound — but he still thinks that it's too expensive. His aides say other, possibly cheaper, approaches to the vulnerability mismatch are under study, including putting existing Minuteman missiles or a new, smaller, missile into hardened silos.

However, that sounds suspiciously like the old gambit of studying an unwanted project to death — this at a time when the Soviets continue to deploy SS-24s and SS-25s. Besides, whether hardened silos would be as invulnerable as mobile missiles and as resistant to Soviet countermeasures is open to question.

Dukakis' statement suggests that he'd rather rely more heavily on submarine-based warheads. Strategic experts point out, however, that communication problems make

it difficult to exercise timely and reliable command and control over

submarines in a time of crisis. The irony is that, if Dukakis is elected and doesn't proceed toward a timely deployment of a mobile land missile, the case for at least a limited anti-ballistic-missile defense system to blunt a possible attack by the Soviet Union will become compelling

— ABM treaty or no ABM treaty. That fact of life appears to have escaped the candidate so far.

Ernest Conine writes a column for the Los Angeles Times.

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— Donald Rothberg —

## Picking On Preppiness

WASHINGTON (AP) — Something about George Bush drives his political opponents to wage class warfare against him.

Democrat Geraldine Ferraro tried it in 1984 and Republican Bob Dole used that approach during the 1988 GOP primaries.

Now it's Michael Dukakis' turn. Here is how the Democratic presidential candidate describes the difference between Bush and himself on education:

"Between those who believe that good education ought to be the property of a few and those who believe it is the birthright of every American, no matter who they are or where they come from or what the color of their skin."

In a text of that speech distributed to reporters, the words "property" and "few" are underlined.

Bush took note of the Dukakis approach when he accused his Democratic opponent of pursuing "a strategy of emphasizing differences between rich and poor, between one region of the country and another."

By now, Bush should be accustomed to that kind of attack.

A product of privilege who grew up in the moneyed confines of Greenwich, Conn., the son of a banker and U.S. senator, Bush became the butt of jibes about his gee-whiz preppiness during the 1980 campaign for the Republican presidential nomination, a contest in which his very Eastern image didn't stand up well against Westerner Ronald Reagan.

So often during the past eight years, Bush was seen publicly struggling to shuck that image.

"This is the real me," he told reporters at Cuzzin Richie's

truckstop in Greenland, N.H., as he climbed into the cab of an 18-wheeler. "This is my home turf."

Moments earlier, inside the wood-frame, single-story restaurant, this patrician trucker had prepared to hit the road by ordering "a splash of tea."

Bush was in political trouble back then. The New Hampshire primary was fast approaching and the vice president had just been soundly whipped in Iowa by Republican rival Dole who relished reminding crowds that "I'm from Russell, Kan., and proud of it."

Then the senator would say, "Getting where I've gotten wasn't because of any wealth in my family or because I had a powerful father or mother."

Ferraro also liked to cite her humble beginnings, her Italian immigrant parents, and going to law school at night.

Not long before she would debate Bush, the Democratic vice presidential nominee joked that she'd seen his briefing book and found the following lines: "Gosh, gee whiz, zippidy doo dah, and let's win, win, win."

Of course, Bush often provided the best material for his opponents.

He explained his defeat in a GOP straw poll one Saturday in October 1987, this way:

"A lot of people that support me, they were off at the air show, they were off at their daughter's coming-out party, or they were off teeing up on the golf course."

Democratic strategists are convinced the Bush preppy image is a good point of attack.

"The more he is viewed as this guy from a privileged background from

Yale, the better off we are," said Kam Kawata, a Democratic consultant in California.

"Keep pounding away," was his advice.

But so far, those who have attacked Bush on class grounds have not had much success.

Reagan whipped Bush in the GOP primaries in 1980, and to a degree that was a contest between the dying Eastern Establishment wing of the party and the conservative populists, personified first by Barry Goldwater and then by Reagan.

But once Reagan hit his stride in New Hampshire, that contest was never in doubt. Reagan's hold on the hearts of Republican rank-and-file voters was too strong for Bush to break. The issue wasn't class, it was heartstrings.


Ferraro, of course, was on the losing end of a 49-state landslide.

Dole hammered away at Bush's background to the very end of the GOP campaign, but to no avail.

It worked in Iowa, but not in New Hampshire, nor in the South, where Bush swept the Super Tuesday primaries.

Donald M. Rothberg is the chief political writer of The Associated Press.

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**CLEANUP GEAR** — Dressed in protective clothing, GSX employee Gavin Burdge uses instruments to measure the heat index at the Ulah site of a hazardous waste cleanup where lead from a battery dump has contaminated the soil. (AP Laserphoto)

## Lead-Filled Soil Cleanup Begins

ULAH, N.C. (AP) — Hazardous-waste experts dressed in spacesuit-like clothing will scrape up and move about 2,000 tons of lead-filled soil at what officials call the deadliest inactive hazardous waste site in the state.

At what used to be a nice, shady spot, local residents cracked open car batteries against an oak tree to rebell the lead inside.

"It doesn't take a big chemical company to pollute the environment," said Stan Atwood, a toxicologist with the state Superfund branch of the Division of Health Services. Atwood is helping oversee the cleanup.

The scientists and their trucks, trailers, and heavy equipment set up camp Tuesday. Employees of GSX Services Inc., will move the lead-filled soil from about an acre of land around the big oak tree.

GSX, an industrial waste management firm based in Columbia, S.C., will move the soil to the GSX hazardous waste landfill in Pinewood, S.C.

The 30-foot-tall pile of cracked batteries and another acre of batteries nearby aren't being moved yet. The contract with GSX doesn't encompass cleaning them up.

State Superfund workers will try to determine how many batteries are there and draw up alternatives for removing them, said Lee Crosby, leader of the state Superfund branch.

"At that point, we'll decide whether it's possible to remove those batteries off the site, based on the funds we have," Crosby said.

The Ulah battery dump has been classified as the state's worst site mainly because people live so close to it, state officials say.

About 35 people in the mostly black settlement of 11 mobile homes and modest houses live near the piles of batteries and the big oak tree that made a good solid battery-cracker for some residents, who simply threw the batteries at the tree.

For years, children lived next to and played under and around the big oak tree. Today, there are nine children in four mobile homes and houses whose front yards are the most contaminated with lead, state officials say.

Those children — and their parents — have been moved to a local motel for the duration of the clean up, all at the state's expense.

## Hatcher-Jacobs Defense Subpoenas 12 People For Trial Starting Monday

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — Twelve people — including state and local law enforcement officers, businessmen and local government officials — have been subpoenaed for the defense of two Indians facing hostage-taking charges for the Feb. 1 takeover of a Lumberton newspaper office, a newspaper has reported.

Eddie Hatcher, 30, and Timothy Jacobs, 20, are scheduled to go on trial Monday in U.S. District Court in Raleigh.

Bob Warren, an attorney for Jacobs, said the subpoenas require the witnesses to bring to court their bank and telephone records and federal and state income tax returns for the past three years.

Those subpoenaed include Robeson County Sheriff Hubert Stone; his son, Detective Kevin Stone; his brother, Deputy Billy Stone; Detective Burns Wilkins; State Bureau of Investigation agent James Bowman; SBI agent Randy Myers; Pembroke Town Manager McDuffie Cummings; Pembroke Mayor Milton Hunt; businessman Bob Bleeker; businessman Ted Parker; Stanley Eugene Clark and Bill Hardin.

Warren said in an interview with the Fayetteville Times that he plans to have at least 30 more subpoenas served for the defense.

Hatcher and Jacobs are accused of holding up to 20 people at gunpoint at The Robesonian on Feb. 1, demanding an outside investigation of their allegations of corruption in the county's criminal justice system. The hostages were released unharmed

after state officials agreed to investigate the allegations.

Hatcher has said he feared for his life because of information he had about corruption in the county's criminal justice system and drug dealing in the county and had to take a drastic measure to save his life.

"We have a necessity defense in this case and we have stated publicly and in court records that the necessity defense involves showing that neither Timothy or Eddie had any legal alternatives to what they did and that they were in fear of their lives on Feb. 1," Warren said.

"And part of the reason they were in fear of their lives on Feb. 1 was because of drug trafficking and law enforcement involvement," he said.

Warren would not say why the individuals were subpoenaed.

"I'm not getting into which part of the defense these subpoenas are issued for," he said.

The subpoenas require the individuals to bring to court on Monday all bank statements, canceled checks, deposit slips and other bank records for all accounts in all banks both foreign and domestic for which the subpoenaed person has signature authority or has authorization to transfer or wire funds or sign checks for the period from Jan. 1985 through Sept. 1, 1988, Warren said.

The subpoenaed individuals must also bring all federal and state income tax returns filed by the person being subpoenaed including individual, joint, partnership or corporate returns in which the person being subpoenaed is an officer or director for the period from Jan. 1, 1985

through Dec. 31, 1987, Warren said.

And, the subpoenaed must bring all telephone toll records from Jan. 1, 1985 through Sept. 1, 1988 from all telephone numbers listed in the name of the person being subpoenaed, the telephone numbers in the name of the spouse, family members or other persons living in the same household of the person being subpoenaed.

None of the individuals had challenged the subpoenas by Wednesday night, Warren said.

Also Wednesday, William Kunstler, of the New York City-based Center for Constitutional Rights, who is defending Hatcher, said he will be tied up in a New York court and will not be present Monday when the trial for Hatcher and Jacobs begins.

## Panel Backs Lumbee Recognition

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Senate committee has tentatively adopted a plan to give Lumbee Indians federal recognition, by changing a 32-year-old law that granted the tribe recognition but denied it eligibility for federal services and money.

After hearing from committee staff members Wednesday, Senate Select Committee on Indian Affairs chairman Sen. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, proposed amending the 1956 act that recognized the Lumbees but denied them access to federal funds,

said Rafe Greenlee, acting press secretary to Sen. Terry Sanford, D-N.C.

The five members of the committee present at the hearing in Washington approved the proposal unanimously.

Sanford introduced the 1988 Lumbee Recognition Bill in July as a companion measure to a similar bill introduced in the House by U.S. Rep. Charlie Rose, a Fayetteville Democrat.

Rose's southeastern North Carolina district is home to about

36,000 Lumbees, most of whom live in Robeson County. The bill he introduced July 14 would grant the Lumbees formal and complete recognition and make them eligible for federal funds, if such money was appropriated as a line-item in the federal budget.

It would also negate the need for the Bureau of Indian Affairs to review and rule on the Lumbees' formal application for federal recognition which was filed in 1987 and contains more than 500,000 pages.

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## Campaign '88 Issues

Issue Highlights for the Bush and Dukakis Debate, September 25, 1988

**B:** Vice President Bush  
**D:** Governor Dukakis

**TAXES**  
**B:** Proposes to lower the 28 percent capital gains tax to 15 percent.  
**D:** Proposes a crackdown on tax evaders and opposes cut in capital gains tax.

**DEFENSE**  
**B:** Supports Reagan's approach to defenses and wants to deploy SDI.  
**D:** Opposes SDI, supports Stealth bomber, Trident II, and other tanks and artillery.

**DEFICIT**  
**B:** Proposes a "flexible freeze" on federal spending to cure annual \$150 billion deficit.  
**D:** Doesn't envision major cuts in domestic programs, and opposes a balanced-budget amendment.

**ABORTION**  
**B:** Supports a constitutional amendment to ban abortion.  
**D:** Opposes efforts to outlaw abortion.

**HEALTH**  
**B:** Supports a comprehensive effort to reduce the cost of health care.  
**D:** Promises to make health insurance available to all workers.

**ENERGY**  
**B:** Proposes 10 percent tax credit for oil and gas exploration.  
**D:** Opposes construction of new nuclear reactors and oil import fee.

**ENVIRONMENT**  
**B:** Promises to end ocean dumping of wastes by 1991 and to curb acid rain.  
**D:** Promises to strengthen EPA and enforce strict standards for air and water quality.

**DRUGS**  
**B:** Promises to stop both supply and demand for drug abuse.  
**D:** Promises to appoint federal czar to oversee nation's drug enforcement.

**EDUCATION**  
**B:** Promises to spend more on Head Start and to increase education budget by \$600 million.  
**D:** Favors creating a \$250 million National Teaching Excellence Fund.

**CHILD CARE**  
**B:** Proposes a \$2.2 billion federal income tax credit for low-income and middle-income families.  
**D:** Endorses concept, but not cost of \$2.5 billion Democrat-sponsored bill.

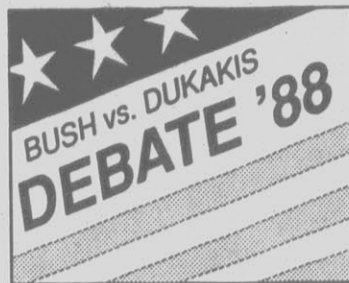
**CAPITAL PUNISHMENT**  
**B:** Supports the death penalty.  
**D:** Opposes capital punishment.

**AIDS**  
**B:** Supports continued research and public education.  
**D:** Promises to develop a vaccine and lead a public education campaign.

**SCHOOL PRAYER**  
**B:** Supports organized voluntary prayer in public schools.  
**D:** Opposes prayer in public schools.

## Parties Will Follow Confrontation

# Debate Agents Settle On Height Of Lecterns



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WINSTON-SALEM (AP) — With only three days to go before the presidential debate here, representatives of the Bush and Dukakis campaigns have announced their candidates' agendas.

And as the candidates' staffs planned rallies and meetings, security preparations for the candidates intensified. Both candidates will arrive Sunday well before the debate at 8 p.m. Both candidates will go directly to their hotels and begin final preparations for the debate.

Debate negotiators settled one bone of contention Wednesday about the debate — how high the candidates' lecterns should be.

Dukakis' officials had pushed for shorter lecterns for both. Bush's staff members had argued for a minimum of 46 inches, saying that Bush, who is 6 feet 1 inch tall, would not stand behind anything that made him stoop. Dukakis is about five inches shorter than Bush.

Under the agreement reached Wednesday, Bush will speak at a 48-inch lectern, down slightly from his customary 52 inches. Dukakis will stand behind a 41-inch lectern and will use a small riser.

In any event, the debate is to last until 9:30 p.m. After that, it's party time.

Mark Rosenker, a spokesman for the Bush campaign, said Bush and his wife, Barbara, will attend a country hoedown at the Dixie Classic Fairgrounds. The rally will feature music, big-screen televisions, food

and former Gov. Jim Hunt. Food, drinks, televisions and music will be available.

Amy DeHart, the North Carolina press coordinator for Dukakis, said Dukakis will give a speech.

"It really depends on how he's feeling after the debate," she said. "We expect he will speak for 20 minutes to half an hour. Around there."

Dukakis' wife, Kitty, might also speak.

The rallies may be the weekend's highlight for the party faithful, but for those in charge of protecting Bush and Dukakis, the rallies are a nightmare.

Indeed, staffs for the two candidates were reluctant to talk about security.

Brady Williamson, a spokesman for Dukakis' campaign, said, "Any question of security should be addressed by the Secret Service. They do a wonderful job, and we leave it to them."

In addition to protecting the two candidates, the Secret Service coordinates the multi-departmental security force put together to ensure that everything runs smoothly Sunday.

"Logistically, it really takes a good coordinated effort," said William Williamson, special agent-in-charge of the Secret Service in North Carolina.

Williamson, no relation to Brady Williamson, has been planning the debate for about four months. He is responsible for protecting the candidates from the minute they step off the plane.

When Bush arrives at the regional airport, the Secret Service, the airport police, the State Bureau of Investigation, the Guilford and Forsyth County sheriff's departments — as well as Bush's personal cadre of Secret Service officers — are responsible for his safety.

When he is driven along Interstate 40 to Winston-Salem, the Secret Service and the Sheriff's Departments will be joined by the state Highway Patrol to ensure that nobody gets close to Bush.

The Kernersville Police Department will lend a hand when Bush's motorcade passes through its jurisdiction.

In Winston-Salem, the city Police Department will take over for the Sheriff's Department. The other departments will remain to ensure round-the-clock protection.

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# Candidates Use Mock Debates To Tune Up

By DONNA CASSATA  
Associated Press Writer

Democrat Michael Dukakis promised to institute a program of basic health care for poor women and children as the two White House contenders devoted the final days before their presidential debate to cramming for the face-to-face encounter.

While Vice President Bush spent Wednesday engaging in a mock debate and in briefings with advisers, Dukakis conferred with Sen. Bill Bradley of New Jersey on the Sunday night faceoff that was still dogged by logistics problems over lectern heights and the composition of the panel.

The Democratic nominee, according to campaign sources, scheduled his own mock debate on Friday and planned to meet with two governors well-versed in the successes and pitfalls of public speaking — Mario Cuomo of New York and Bill Clinton of Arkansas.

Bush, who has limited campaign appearances this week to concentrate on the debate, was making a special exception today for two events, an appearance with President Reagan in Houston and an endorsement from an unusual source.

The Boston Police Patrolman's Association,

the largest law enforcement in New England, voted unanimously Wednesday to back Bush's candidacy, saying the Republican — not Massachusetts Gov. Dukakis — would be more attentive to the needs of law enforcement.

Dukakis downplayed the endorsement, citing the association's "history of supporting Republicans" and the backing he has received from other law enforcement organizations, including the Massachusetts Police Association, the International Brotherhood of Police Officers and the Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas — Bush's home state.

Nevertheless, Bush campaign spokeswoman Alixe Glen said the vice president will venture into his rival's back yard today to accept the endorsement from the union, which represents 1,500 members.

The trip marks Bush's second visit to the state this month. Earlier, the GOP nominee toured Boston Harbor where he criticized Dukakis' record on the environment, particularly the clean-up of the polluted harbor.

That appearance proved to be a media boom for Bush, whose campaign is spending more than 60 percent of its \$54 million budget on television advertising, according to a report in today's editions of The Washington Post.

Bush spokeswoman Sheila Tate could not confirm the report, which quoted an unidentified Bush aide. Dukakis spokesman Mark Gearan said, "I think we'll be competitive with the Bush campaign, but beyond that we don't detail our spending."

Dukakis was maintaining the focus on health care today with a visit to a senior citizens center in Boston, where he planned to reiterate his support for Social Security.

His running mate, Lloyd Bentsen, was pitching the Democratic ticket's theme of "good jobs at good wages" in Santa Clara, Calif., and Everett, Wash. Republican vice presidential candidate Dan Quayle was addressing the Council of Foreign Affairs in Los Angeles.

On Wednesday, Dukakis proposed his "Healthy Start" program, which would provide prenatal and post-partum care to pregnant women and children who are either uninsured or underinsured.

Dukakis met with two new mothers and their babies at Brigham & Women's Hospital in Boston and said afterward, "When the time came to stand up for our children's health care needs, George Bush was nowhere to be found."

The Democratic nominee spent the rest of the day preparing for the debate, even renting a

meeting room in a Boston hotel for practice sessions, said campaign sources who requested anonymity.

The sources said Dukakis will hold a mock debate on Friday with Washington attorney Bob Barnett standing in for Bush. Barnett played the same role in 1984 when Democratic vice presidential candidate Geraldine Ferraro was preparing for her debate with Bush.

Dukakis also was meeting with Cuomo, who grabbed the political spotlight in 1984 with his rousing keynote address at the Democratic National Convention, and Clinton, who is best remembered for his lengthy nominating speech of Dukakis at this year's convention.

Negotiators for the two campaigns neared agreement on the heights of the lecterns for the debate at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, N.C.

The 6-foot-1 inch Bush will stand at a 48-inch high lectern, according to a Bush source who said the 5-foot-8 Dukakis will use a 41-inch lectern and a riser.

Three days before the debate, negotiators still have not decided on whether television anchors or print journalists will make up the panel that will question the candidates.

## Tobacco Stocks Lagging Behind

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite a larger tobacco crop this year, a drop in inventories points to a smaller total supply in the 1988-89 marketing season, the Agriculture Department says.

"Stocks entering the new marketing year likely will equal 2.85 billion pounds, about 14 percent lower than a year earlier," the department's Economic Research Service said in a new outlook report Wednesday.

"Although surpluses continue for some kinds and grades, there are shortages for others," the report says.

Nationally, the 1988 tobacco harvest is up about 10 percent from last year because of increased acreage and greater yields, due to better weather for flue-cured and some other kinds of tobacco. Dry weather kept burley yields below normal, but those still were up from last year's low levels.

"Prospects for world tobacco use next season indicate a small increase in sales and use of cigarettes and unmanufactured tobacco," the report said. "U.S. tobacco use may increase from 1987-88's 1.66 billion pounds because of greater use of domestically grown tobacco in U.S. cigarettes and higher cigarette production."

The report said U.S. cigarette output this year is expected to increase from 689 billion "pieces" in 1987 because of rising exports.

However, cigarette consumption among Americans 18 years and older is expected to continue a long-term decline, dropping around 1 1/2 percent this year from an average of 3,196 cigarettes in 1987, which was the lowest since World War II. Cigarette use peaked at 4,345 pieces — about 217 packs of 20 cigarettes each — in 1963.

## Poll Has Martin With Wide Lead

RALEIGH (AP) — A new poll indicates that Gov. Jim Martin is even more popular than President Reagan in North Carolina, and the poll says Martin holds a wide lead in his re-election campaign over Lt. Gov. Bob Jordan.

The poll of likely voters statewide showed that 47 percent supported Martin and 36.4 percent backed Jordan, a Democrat. Of those polled, 16.6 percent were undecided. The poll, a survey of 806 voters who constitute a representative sample of the statewide electorate, has a margin of error of 3.5 percentage points.

In the poll, conducted Sept. 11-13 for The News and Observer, The Raleigh Times, WTVD in Durham and WBTV in Charlotte, Martin led Jordan in every section of the state except the Southeast, where the Democratic nominee held an edge of one percentage point.

And 62.5 percent of those polled rated Martin as doing a good or an excellent job as governor, a rating 6 percentage points higher than he received in a similar poll conducted by the two newspapers in March.

Martin's rating exceeded that of President Reagan, who in the latest poll received a good or excellent rating from 58.5 percent of those surveyed.

Calling Martin's popularity level "unbelievable," Susan Bulluck, president of Independent Opinion Research & Communications Inc. of Wrightsville Beach, said, "That's very high for somebody who's been in office for four years."

Martin, in fact, got a higher job rating from voters who identified themselves as registered Democrats than did Jordan. Fifty-six percent of Democrats said Martin was doing a good or excellent job; 50 percent of Democrats said the same for Jordan.

Overall, 46 percent of those polled said Jordan had done a good or excellent job as lieutenant governor, up nearly 12 points from the March poll.

Jordan, commenting on the poll Wednesday, sounded a central theme

of his campaign.

"The governor's popularity is tied to the fact that he hasn't done anything," Jordan said. "If you don't do anything, you don't make people mad."

Jordan said Martin's 11-point lead did not put the race out of reach, and his campaign advisers said it was important that the governor's support was under 50 percent.

Martin, who said earlier this week that he plans to "crush" his opponent in the Nov. 8 election, still appeared angry over Jordan's recent charges that his administration has suffered from ethical lapses.

"After the last poll in The Charlotte Observer showed him eight points behind, he came out trying to smear my integrity," Martin said. "I hate to see what he'll do after this one comes out."

The governor cited other earlier polls that had shown Jordan edging closer. "My opponent peaked too soon," he said.

Two of Jordan's campaign themes — that he will do more for education and that it's time for a change — appear to have done little so far to attract major support to the candidate. Instead, much of Jordan's support — 37.8 percent — came from voters who said they intend to vote for him because he is a Democrat.

Sixteen percent of his supporters particularly liked his stands on issues, but only 6.4 percent said they would support him because it's time for a change. And only 5.6 percent said they liked him because he would be better for education than Martin.

Martin's support rests heavily on voters who said they think he has done a good job — 52.1 percent of his supporters mentioned job-related factors in explaining their backing, while 12.7 percent said they simply liked him and another 10 percent backed him because he is a Republican.

## Hatchet Robbery

CHARLOTTE (AP) — A woman desperate for money to buy food to feed her three children used a hatchet to try to rob a customer at a Hardee's restaurant in Charlotte Wednesday, police said.

The woman told police she brought her three children from Columbia, S.C., a week ago in search of her sister. But she hasn't found her sister, and her children had had nothing to eat for two days, police said.

Perry Stilwalt told police he had gone into a rest room at the Hardee's when a woman hit him with the blunt end of the hatchet and then tried to hit him again with the sharp end. He grabbed her arm as the hatchet was coming down the second time and got the hatchet away from her, Stilwalt said.

Terry Morant, 30, was being held Wednesday in the Mecklenburg County Jail on a charge of attempted robbery. Her three children — aged 9, 11 and 12 — are temporarily in the custody of the Mecklenburg County Department of Social Services.

## New Schools

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Charlotte-Mecklenburg School Superintendent Peter Relic says the system needs to build at least 30 new schools over the next 12 years.

The plan, which Relic will present to the school board next Tuesday, will cost an estimated \$135 million.

Relic says the building program is needed to keep up with the county's growth through the year 2000.



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## IN THE STATE



### Plant Disease

DURHAM (AP) — Even plants need to practice safe sex these days, says a professor in the Duke University Department of Botany.

That's because some plants can contract a sexually transmitted disease, said Janis Antonovics, a researcher in a study of population dynamics among the White Campion plants.

"It's an interesting disease because it is transmitted by the pollinator (mostly bees and moths)," Antonovics said. "Since it is transmitted by the pollinator from male to female plants, it has become the equivalent of a venereal disease in plants."

The disease, which Antonovics compared to gonorrhea in humans because it can cause sterility, is popularly known as anther smut because pollen-bearing anthers that form the flower's yellow center become deep purple in afflicted plants.

Instead of pollen, anthers of diseased produce purple spores of the fungus *Ustilago violacea*. The bees or moths that normally carry the pollen from male to female flowers carry the fungal spores instead.

### Market

ROSEBORO, N.C. (AP) — Sampson County and state officials have broken ground for what they hope will be big boost for farmers in the southeastern part of the state.

The Southeast Shipping Point Market, just east of Roseboro on N.C. 24, will be a \$1.85 million state-funded farmer's market which will receive, clean, package, market and ship vegetables from small farmers across the southeastern portion of the state.

Construction is to begin next spring.

### Expansion

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority officials are planning to add 280 beds at Charlotte Memorial Hospital with a new 11-story, \$40 million tower.

The authority's board of commissioners voted Tuesday to apply for state approval to build and finance the tower.

A 360-space parking deck connected to the tower by a covered walkway also is planned, but it is not included in the \$40 million figure.

"This is the largest project ever contemplated by the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority," said Harry Nurkin, the authority's president and chief executive officer.

Construction is set to begin in 1989 and be completed in two years.

### Dance Theater

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Charlotte is vying to become the new home of the North Carolina Dance Theater, now based in Winston-Salem, according to officials from the professional company and Charlotte arts leaders.

The addition of the company would be considered a cultural coup for Charlotte. Professional dance all but disappeared from the city after the 1982 collapse of Dance Charlotte, a coalition of three companies that went bankrupt after only two years.

Spirit Square executive director Tom Spray said he and dance theater officials have been discussing the possibility of relocating the company in Charlotte for the past several months.

### Hit By Train

VALDESE, N.C. (AP) — A Hildebran man was hit by a train early Tuesday after he and a friend had been sleeping on the tracks, according to police.

Johnny Lamar Weaver, 21, was in stable condition in the intensive care unit of Valdese General Hospital Wednesday, a spokeswoman said.

"He's got a severely fractured right leg," said Dr. Frank Steele. "It looks like we may save it, but it's going to be an extended project."

Weaver's friend, identified as Scott Campbell, told authorities that the two men had been drinking in Hildebran and decided to walk the tracks back to Campbell's house in Long View.

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# Helene Still An Ocean Mystery

By MICHAEL WARREN  
Associated Press Writer

MIAMI (AP) — Far off in the Atlantic Ocean, Hurricane Helene is packing winds of 85 mph and heading toward America, but forecasters say it has a lot to prove before it should be considered dangerous.

At 6 a.m. EDT today, Helene was centered near latitude 13.0 north, longitude 42.1 west, or about 1,225 miles east of Barbados and 2,600 miles east of Miami, according to a National Hurricane Center advisory.

"If it makes it all the way over to the west side of the Atlantic, there's a chance it could become much more significant, but it also has to go through a lot of wind patterns in the atmosphere that could mess it up."

said Randy Lascody, a meteorologist at the center.

The Atlantic hurricane season's eighth named storm was moving west at 10 mph, a path it was expected to maintain for a day or two, the advisory said.

"This has got things it has to prove yet before it gets over here," Lascody said. "It's a long, long way from causing any problems."

A nominal hurricane about 250 miles wide, Helene is the first hurricane to form since Gilbert, which reached that status rapidly after it entered the Caribbean, and thrashed Jamaica, the Cayman Islands, Mexico and the Texas Gulf Coast.

Weather systems that form this

month near the Cape Verde Islands off Africa's coast, as Helene and Gilbert did, enjoy excellent hurricane-spawning atmospheric conditions. They are often the strongest of the six-month storm season that begins June 1.

"The water's warm, the environment is favorable, conditions are right for some additional strengthening," said forecaster Hal Gerrish.

Forecasters couldn't predict if Helene might become as fierce as Gilbert, described as the century's most intense hurricane in terms of barometric pressure. The hurricane center expected to send a reconnaissance plane to check Helene's growth on Saturday when the storm is closer, Gerrish said. Until then,

forecasters will rely on satellite reports.

"This hurricane could do any of a number of things, but typically in this part of the ocean they don't strengthen too much until they get closer to the Windward Islands," Lascody said.

Tropical depressions, winds swirling around a warm core of low pressure, are named as storms when top sustained winds hit 39 mph, and reach hurricane status when top winds hit 74 mph.

Besides Gilbert, which packed top winds of 175 mph, two small hurricanes formed this season. Debbie brushed the Mexican coast, and Florence moved over Louisiana.

## Judge Says 'Inclined' To Allow Elections

WILMINGTON (AP) — A federal judge says he is "inclined" to deny a request by the state Republican Party and other plaintiffs to stop the election of seven Superior Court judges in November.

U.S. District Judge James C. Fox said Wednesday that the GOP's lawsuit against the state challenging the statewide election of Superior Court judges was "so complex" and raised "so many questions" as to make an interim order halting the Nov. 8 judicial elections inappropriate.

The comments came during a hearing on the GOP request for a preliminary injunction to stop the election for the seven selected court seats. The News and Observer of Raleigh reported.

Republicans are urging that new primaries be held in those districts, followed by special district elections Dec. 5.

Fox told attorneys for both sides that he probably would not make a final decision on the injunction request until next week.

He was careful to note that his probable decision to deny the injunction did not mean he had formed a final opinion on the merits of the lawsuit.

Republicans brought the suit in 1987, claiming that the statewide election process, following district nomination, was devised intentionally to discriminate against Republicans, in part by diluting their voting power. No Republican has been elected a Superior Court judge in this century.

The state Attorney General's Office is defending the statewide system in court, arguing that such elections are justified because judges rotate outside their home districts and have statewide jurisdiction.

In order to obtain a preliminary injunction, the party seeking it must generally show that it will likely succeed in the lawsuit and that it will suffer irreparable harm if the status quo is maintained prior to trial.

## PTL Jurors Pose Questions On Finances, Homosexuals

By PAUL NOWELL  
Associated Press Writer

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Two more witnesses appearing before the federal grand jury investigating PTL and Jim Bakker say prosecutors questioned them about the television ministry's finances and possible homosexual activity.

The Rev. Charles Cookman, who defrocked Bakker as an Assemblies of God minister, spent four hours testifying Wednesday before the federal grand jury investigating the former PTL leader.

Cookman, superintendent of the N.C. Assemblies of God and a former PTL board member, said outside the federal courthouse he did not know

why he had been called to testify before the panel. He also testified one year ago in the early weeks of the investigation.

"I honestly don't know why I was called back," he said after his appearance. "After I reviewed the questions they asked me, I still don't have a clue."

Cookman said the issue of homosexuality did come up during his appearance.

"It was a very small, almost insignificant issue because the Assemblies of God has already spoken on that," he said. "There is not a lot of question about where we stand on those matters."

Bakker was dismissed by the

Assemblies of God in May 1987 for unbecoming conduct related to his sexual encounter with Jessica Hahn in 1980 and because of "alleged misconduct involving bisexual activity."

Cookman acknowledged that prosecutors asked him about the church's investigation of Bakker on Wednesday.

"I don't want to give you the impression that they spent a lot of time on it," he said.

On Tuesday, PTL's former director of creative television, Jay Babcock, told reporters he had testified before the grand jury that he had had sex with Bakker. Babcock is the first person to publicly admit telling the grand jury of a homosexual encounter with his former boss.

In August, Bakker denied under oath that he had ever had a homosexual relationship.

When he was told that, Babcock responded, "I'm saying he's a liar."

## Child Hit By School Bus

RALEIGH (AP) — A 6-year-old Raleigh girl was struck by a school bus Wednesday after she ran in front of the bus, and the driver drove away, unaware the girl had been hit, police said.

Shankea Wooten was in stable condition at Wake Medical Center after the accident, which occurred about 9 a.m. She suffered a broken arm, cuts and abrasions.

None of the 25 students aboard the bus were aware of the accident, and no charges will be filed, said Raleigh

Police Sgt. J.M. O'Shields.

"The 6-year-old victim apparently was late for the bus and came running up next to the bus and ran around the front of the bus," Shields said. "The bus driver could not see the child. The bus struck the child; the child went under the bus and the bus continued on. The child was not hit by the tires. The bus did go over the child."

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## Rhode Island Leads States In Farm Income Averages

By DON KENDALL  
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — California leads the nation in farm income, but when the states are rated in terms of dollars earned per acre, none comes close to Rhode Island.

A new analysis by the Agriculture Department for 1987 earnings said California's net farm income was more than \$5.58 billion. Rhode Island was reported in 47th place at \$46.4 million. Alaska was at the bottom with \$14.9 million.

North Carolina ranked ninth with an average per acre of \$131 and a per farm income average of \$19,689.

The comprehensive Agricultural Income and Finance report, which was issued this week by the department's Economic Research Service, also ranked the 50 states according to average net farm income per acre.

Rhode Island was at the top, averaging \$636 per acre in 1987. California was seventh at \$174 per acre. And Rhode Island's per-acre average income was almost double second-place Connecticut, which was

reported at \$352 per acre.

Wyoming was ranked 50th with an average net income of \$2 per acre in 1987, the report said. Nationally, the average was a net income of \$46 per acre.

California also led in net income per farm — ranches included — in 1987, averaging \$73,790 per operation. Arizona was second at \$71,492 per farm, although the state placed 30th in total net income last year. Rhode Island was third at \$61,924 per farm. Nationally, the average was \$21,286 per farm.

"Especially high net farm income per operation or acre reflects high-valued or relatively perishable crop usually produced near large metropolitan areas," the report said. "Conversely, low net income per operation or acre typically occurs where farms are isolated or produce farm products which require a great deal of land."

Rhode Island had approximately 750 farms averaging 97 acres each, the report said. In contrast, last-place Wyoming had about 8,800

farms averaging 1,700 acres.

"The leading commodities for Rhode Island were greenhouse, dairy products, eggs and potatoes," the report said. "Such high-value, labor and capital intensive products tend to be typical of more populated states with small farms."

Rhode Island's four leading commodities accounted for 65 percent of the state's total 1987 farm marketings. The value of California's four leading commodities — dairy products, cattle, greenhouse and grapes — accounted for 41 percent of total farm marketings, by comparison.

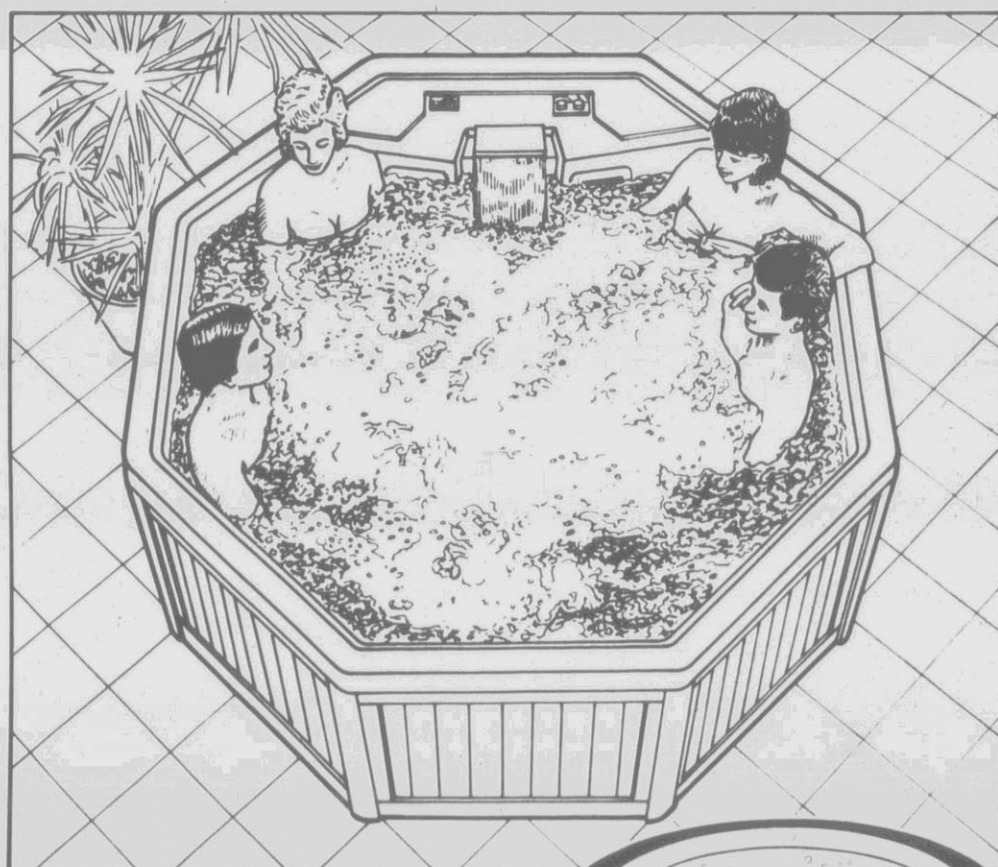
"The mix of land, labor and capital resources required for California's leading commodities is indicative of larger farms compared to those in Rhode Island," the report said.

Here are the 1987 state rankings, in order, for net farm income per acre, in dollars per acre in the first column; the second column shows the average net income per farm in those states:

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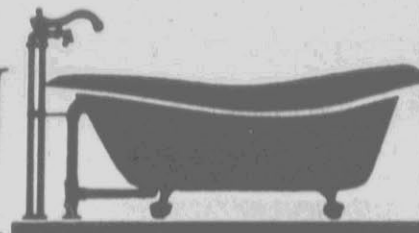
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## Inflation Stays At 5.2 Percent

By The Associated Press  
Higher rents and gasoline prices largely replaced food as the sharpest spurs to higher prices that kept inflation at an annualized rate of 5.2 percent during August, the government said.

Separate government reports also released Wednesday showed a modest rise in personal income and a drop in housing construction. The news had little impact on the financial markets, where stocks, bonds, oil prices and the dollar were little changed.

Trading was more dramatic in precious metals. Gold prices tumbled below the \$400-a-ounce level in the United States for the first time since early last year. On the Commodity Exchange in New York, gold for current delivery fell \$6.90 a troy ounce to close at \$398.40, the first time the metal closed below \$400 since Feb. 18, 1987, when it fetched \$392.70.

Analysts have attributed the recently depressed gold market to growing investor disillusionment with bullion as a hedge against inflation.

In its report on inflation, the Labor Department said food and beverage prices rose 0.5 percent in August as the effects of the drought in the Farm Belt began to ease. Prices jumped 0.9 percent in July when the greatest impact of the dry weather began hitting consumer pocketbooks.

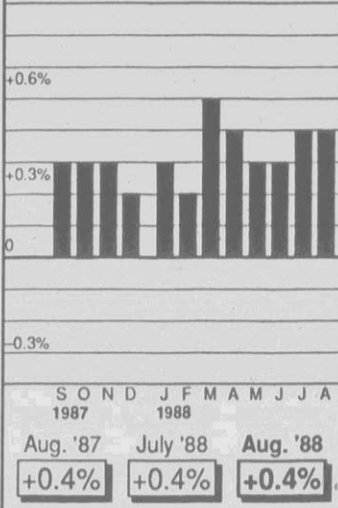
But gasoline prices jumped a whopping 3 percent in August, the biggest increase in 12 months, and despite lower utility bills and home energy costs, shelter expenses rose 0.6 percent in August, their largest increase in seven months.

But analysts agreed there was nothing alarming in the numbers.

"The scare that we're off to the races or that an inflationary spiral is underway has not materialized and it won't materialize," said Larry Chimerine of the WEFA Group, a Bala Cynwyd, Pa., consulting firm.

### Consumer Price Index

Percent change from prior month



Source: U.S. Dept. of Labor

Separately, the Commerce Department said personal income rose a modest 0.2 percent in August, the smallest gain in eight months, although much of it represented declines in both farm subsidies and farm income. Wages and salaries were up just 0.3 percent.

After adjustments for inflation, the government said, Americans' average weekly earnings fell 1.3 percent in August. The decline in workers' buying power was the third in the past four months and the worst since the government began keeping tabs on real earnings in 1964.

The decrease stemmed from a 0.9 percent drop in the average number of hours worked, from 34.9 hours to 34.6 hours, and the 0.4 percent hike in consumer prices. Average hourly earnings were \$9.24, unchanged from July.

# Study Shows '86 Tax Overhaul Puts Bite On Big Corporations

By JIM LUTHER  
AP Tax Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The landmark 1986 tax overhaul boosted the bite on 250 giant, profitable corporations by about \$9 billion last year but still left 16 of them legally paying no federal income tax, a private research group said today.

The number among the 250 that paid no tax was down from 40 in 1986 and from a high of 72 in 1982, according to Citizens for Tax Justice, a labor-financed organization whose reports were credited with helping win passage of the new tax law two years ago.

The 1986 law cut tax rates for most individuals and corporations but took away or reduced several deductions and credits. One result was to shift about \$125 billion of the federal tax burden from individuals to corporations over a five-year period.

"Tax reform has passed the most critical test of its effectiveness," Citizens for Tax Justice said in its report. "By putting most of the largest tax-avoiding corporations back on the tax rolls, it has struck a blow for fairness."

"Tax reform may not have made things less complex. Tax reform may not have cut everyone's tax bill. But tax reform has made great strides toward a system that puts all profitable corporations back on the tax rolls. And that should, over time, help restore public confidence in our tax system," the report stated.

The annual survey of corporate taxes is based chiefly on stockholder reports filed by the nation's 250 largest profitable corporations. The report deals only with taxes paid to the U.S. government

during a given tax year and does not account for deferrals that could fall due in a future year.

Thus, an international company with large tax payments to foreign governments could be listed as paying no U.S. taxes, as could one that bought a large amount of equipment last year, resulting in a deferral of liability.

Among key findings:

—The 250 paid \$9 billion more in federal income last year than they would have paid under the old law.

—As a group, the 250 companies last year paid \$27 billion in taxes on profits of \$123 billion, a 22 percent rate. Five years earlier, they paid less than 12 percent on \$87 billion net earnings.

—The 14 largest corporations that paid no taxes in 1982 through 1985 paid at an effective rate of 30 percent last year. This list included AT&T, DuPont, Boeing and Dow Chemical.

—The 128 corporations that were off the federal tax rolls in at least one year from 1981 through 1985 paid an average rate of 19.5 percent last year. Their average rate in 1981-85 was 3.7 percent.

—The combined effective tax rate on the 250 corporations in the survey rose from 14.9 percent in 1981-85 to 22.1 percent in 1987. Their combined profits averaged \$102 billion in each of the earlier years and \$123 billion last year.

—The number of giant profitable companies paying a tax rate of less than 10 percent has been cut in half, to 55.

—About 60 percent of the 250 companies are paying a higher tax rate than before the new law was enacted. About one-third are paying a lower rate.

—Inequities among industries remain under the

new law. The chemical industry and services-trade industry paid an average 38 percent tax last year; textiles, 37 percent; telecommunications, 20 percent; oil, gas and mining, 17.5 percent; airlines and utilities, about 15 percent; and automobile and computer companies paid 10 percent or less.

The survey said the following 16 corporations, whose profits ranged from \$42 million to \$2.9 billion, paid no federal tax last year: General Motors, IBM, Aetna, Baxter Travenol Laboratories, Carolina Power & Light, Illinois Power, Corning, Hewlett-Packard, Ashland Oil, Greyhound, Ogden, Sequa Corp., Pennzoil, Goodyear Tire & Rubber, Consumers Power and Gulf States Utilities.

IBM, with profits of \$2.9 billion, reduced its U.S. liability principally by taking advantage of the foreign tax credit, which prevents a company from paying tax to two countries on the same dollar of income. The report said IBM not only paid no U.S. tax but actually received a \$123.5 million refund of past-year taxes.

Marty Easterbrook, an IBM spokesman, said the company paid substantially more than the \$10 million listed in its annual report as current tax liability. The total payment was increased by a new limitation on the disparity allowed between a company's profits as reported to shareholders and as calculated for tax purposes.

General Motors, with \$2.4 billion profit, received a \$742 million refund last year, according to the report. The report said the main reason was a faster write-off of special industry tools and tax deferrals because of a temporarily liberalized provision affecting vehicle installment sales.

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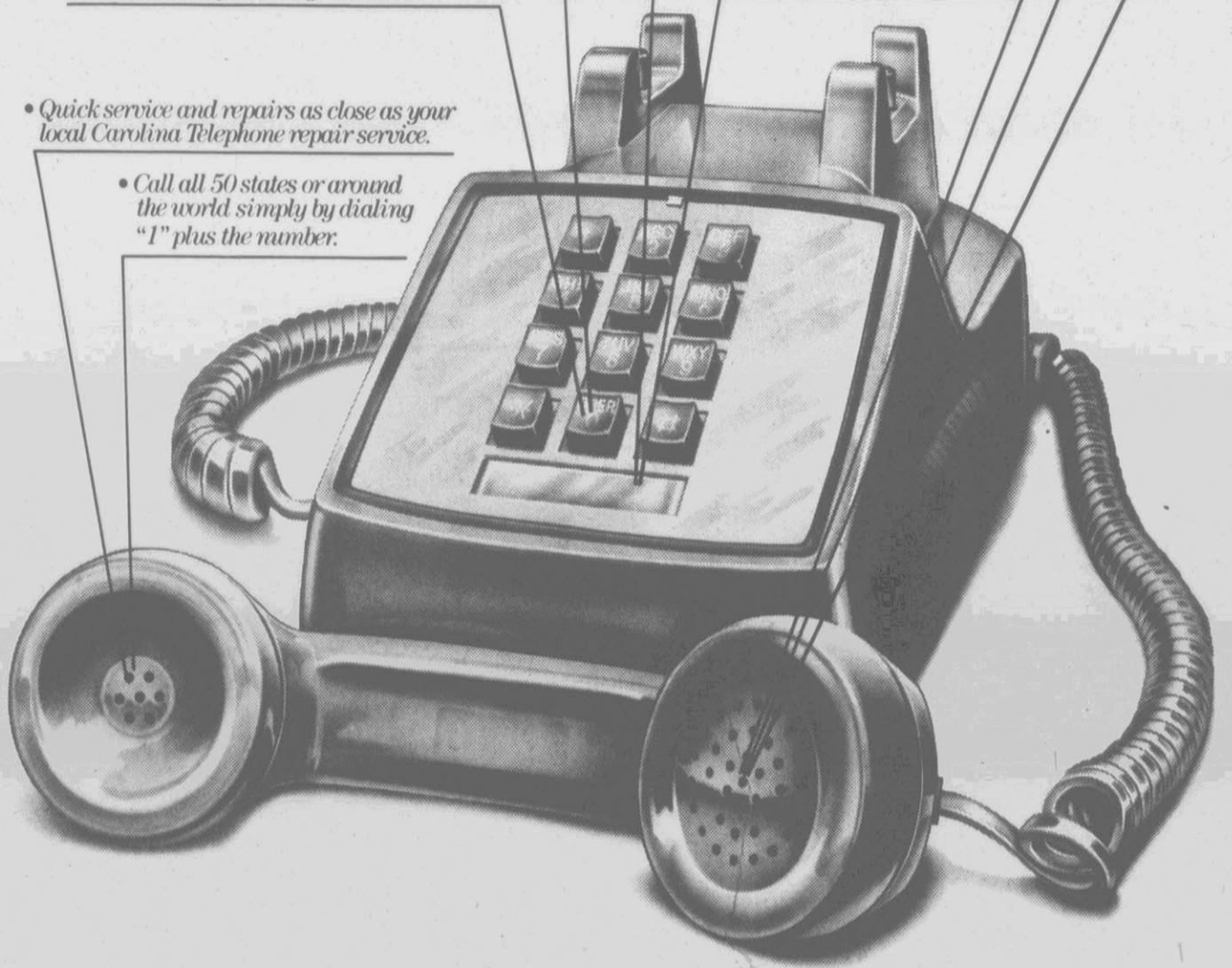
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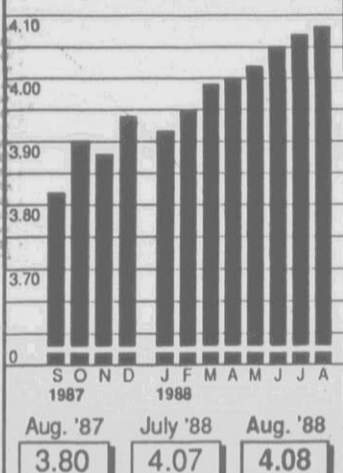
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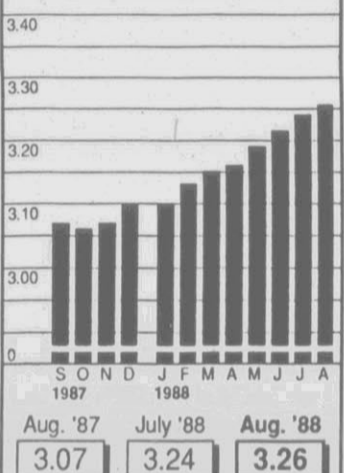
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Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce

### Personal Spending

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### Gilbert Gives Boost To Hawaiian Travel

HONOLULU (AP) — Hurricane Gilbert, which wreaked havoc on resorts in Mexico and the Caribbean, has given an unexpected boost to Hawaii's tourist industry during a normally slow month, tourism officials say.

Tourists, hearing of the devastation left in Gilbert's wake, are rearranging travel plans, officials said Wednesday. At least one company that books trips to Hawaii has employees working overtime to handle the demand.

Pleasant Hawaiian Holidays, the

leading seller of tour packages to Hawaii, is receiving 40 percent more phone calls than normal for this time of year, according to spokesman Ken Phillips. The company is headquartered in Westlake Village, Calif.

"I know that they have required overtime for reservationists, bringing people back from vacations early, adding as much as possible to the staff," to handle the increased Hawaii business, Phillips said.

September is considered a slow period for Hawaii travel, Phillips said.

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## Gunshots Threaten Race Peace

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — Occasional gunshots and scattered violence threatened a fragile peace today in an impoverished neighborhood where rioting by hundreds of blacks was triggered by an interracial, drug-related killing.

The almost exclusively black area known as Cedar Grove became the province of rioters and looters for about five hours Tuesday night and early Wednesday after a black man was killed by a white woman shopping for cocaine, according to police and witnesses.

Less intense violence surfaced again Wednesday night despite pleas for calm by black ministers and politicians. Police detoured traffic when cars passing by the neighborhood were pelted with rocks, bricks and bottles. Then they sealed off a 12-block area when gunshots were heard.

An estimated 300 to 500 people were on the streets at the height of the riot, during which three stores and several cars were burned. Police Chief Charles Gruber said about 200 officers waited for the violence to subside.

The riot was centered near a park where police said dealers provided "curb-service crack."

Ten years ago, the neighborhood was a mixed-race working-class area, but it has become increasingly poor, violent and dangerous, authorities said. Vacant buildings give the appearance of a war zone and drug dealers have intimidated the elderly and families.

High teen-age unemployment and



**RIOT DAMAGE** — Pet food store manager Jim Johnson surveys the damage by looters to his store in Shreveport, La., during rioting this week. Two stores next to Johnson's were burned during the violence that followed an interracial shooting. (AP Laserphoto)

a feeling that police had failed to provide equal protection for blacks have made the area "a time bomb waiting to explode," said State Sen. Greg Tarver, a black former city councilman.

"You can come through here any time, get robbed, get cut, get shot," added Richard Kenner, a policeman who has patrolled Cedar Grove from midnight to dawn the past seven years. "There'll be 100 people standing around and nobody saw anything."

There were no arrests or injuries Wednesday night, but a pickup truck containing three whites had its windshield shattered in three places and its passenger-side window smashed out.

Officials said the trouble was triggered by the Tuesday night slaying of William David McKinney, 20, who lived in the neighborhood. A witness

said McKinney just happened to be standing nearby when Tamala C. Vergo, who was shopping for cocaine, opened fire on some men who snatched her purse.

Vergo, 17, was being held today on a charge of second-degree murder, police said. Another woman, apparently a companion, was questioned but no charges were filed, said police Cpl. E.T. Rushing.

### Body Found

HENDERSONVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Employees of the North Carolina Department of Transportation discovered a man's body lying face-down in water under a bridge in Henderson County Tuesday.

The victim was identified as David Scott Owen, 19, of Flat Rock. The cause of death was undetermined.

## NBC Says CIA Let N. Korea Smuggle U.S. Helicopters

WASHINGTON (AP) — The CIA let North Korean agents smuggle 86 high-performance Hughes helicopters out of the United States and withheld the information from law enforcement officials for nearly a year, according to an NBC News report.

The agency was aware during the operation that shipments of the aircraft were being made through a West German trucking company between 1983 and 1985, NBC said Wednesday.

Authorities told NBC the trucking company had been bugged, and the CIA had listened to North Korean agents plan details of the smuggling operation.

The CIA believed its source of information was so sensitive that passing on details to law enforcement agencies might compromise CIA agents in Germany, NBC reported.

CIA spokesman William Devine told The Associated Press the agency had no comment on the NBC report.

"We neither confirm nor deny the report," he said.

Defense Secretary Frank C. Carlucci told NBC: "This is the kind of thing we've got to stop. Very damaging, no question."

The North Koreans protected their investment by obtaining a Lloyd's of London insurance policy against confiscation of the helicopters, according to the report. NBC said it obtained a copy of the policy which contained details of the smuggling routes from Los Angeles to North Korea. The choppers took a circuitous route that included stops in Belgium, the Netherlands and Hong Kong.

Authorities in California discovered the smuggling operation and seized the last shipment of 15 helicopters in 1985, but Dave Peters, the lead U.S. Customs agent on the case, told NBC: "Had different information been passed along, perhaps these shipments could have been stopped."

The helicopters were Hughes 500E models, commercial versions of the choppers used by U.S. forces to raid

an Iranian ship caught laying mines in the Persian Gulf. The United States supplies the South Korean army the same kind of helicopters to defend itself against North Korea.

Last Feb. 10, two brothers from Southern California pleaded guilty to charges in connection with illegally diverting aircraft to a communist country.

"The evidence at trial was that these two defendants knew from the beginning that these helicopters were going to North Korea, that they secretly owned the West German company that did the deal and that they hid the profits in Swiss bank accounts," Assistant U.S. Attorney Jeffrey Modisett said when the men were sentenced in U.S. District Court in Los Angeles.

Ronald Semler of Malibu was sentenced to pay a \$40,000 fine and serve three years in federal prison. His brother, Barry Semler of Santa Barbara, was fined \$40,000 and sentenced to one year in prison.

## Hunt Brothers File For Bankruptcy

DALLAS (AP) — Two of the Hunt brothers who once shared one of the world's wealthiest legacies have filed for personal bankruptcy protection, their latest attempt to recover from an alleged scheme to corner the world silver market.

Nelson Bunker and William Herbert Hunt filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy reorganization Wednesday because of a court's requirement that they post a \$225 million bond to appeal their loss in a New York federal court, said Tom Whitaker, a spokesman for the brothers.

A federal jury decided Aug. 20 that the two Hunts and brother Lamar Hunt must pay more than \$130 million in damages to Minpeco SA, the Peruvian government's mineral marketing company.

The company alleged in its civil suit that the brothers conspired in the late 1970s with Middle Eastern businessmen in a failed attempt to corner the silver market, ruining Minpeco's investments.

A U.S. District Court judge has temporarily stayed the bond.

"Given that Bunker Hunt was at one time one of the wealthiest men in

the world, it's absurd to imagine they've come to this point," Thomas Gorman, trial attorney for Minpeco, told The Dallas Morning News.

The Hunts also face class-action suits in New York on behalf of more than 17,000 silver futures traders who lost money when silver prices crashed in early 1980. In addition, the Commodities Futures Trading Commission has proposed an \$80 million fine against the brothers.

The brothers' separate bankruptcy filings, would could have the effect of blocking such lawsuits, list substan-

tial assets but no dollar figures.

The Hunts said raising \$225 million in the Minpeco case would force a "fire sale" of assets, and would result in non-payment to business and personal creditors.

The Hunts also said they chose bankruptcy to keep Minpeco attorneys from beginning foreclosure on their assets until their appeal can be made.

Hunt attorney Bob Wolin said the case may not even reach the appeal stage.

### Prison Crowding, 250

RALEIGH (AP) — The third prison population emergency of the year expired Wednesday when the number of people in the state's 87 prisons dropped below a legislatively mandated cap.

Special provisions of the Emergency Prison Population Stabilization Act were triggered Aug. 10 when the prison population remained above the cap of 17,460 for the 15th consecutive day. The law requires the Parole Commission to take steps to reduce the prison population to no more than 17,280 on or before Oct. 9.

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# Kurds Give Senators Graphic Account Of Poison Gas Attacks

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — "The Kurds dropped bombs," the Kurdish survivor said. "They did not produce a big noise. A yellowish cloud was created and there was a smell of rotten parsley or onions. There were no wounds. People would breathe the smoke, then fall down and blood would come from their mouths."

The speaker, one of 200 Kurdish refugees interviewed in Turkey earlier this month by two members of the staff of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, identified himself as a member of the Kurdish insurgent forces fighting Iraq's government.

The staff investigators, Peter W. Galbraith and Christopher Van Hollen Jr., called the refugee accounts, describing attacks on more than 30 villages, persuasive and said the symptoms they reported are "classically associated with mustard gas poisoning."

While acknowledging that some of the witnesses obviously were biased against Iraq, the two staff members concluded: "To dismiss the eyewitness accounts would require one to believe that 65,000 Kurdish refugees confined to five disparate locations were able to organize a conspiracy in 15 days to

defame Iraq and that these refugees were able to keep their conspiracy a secret not only from us but from the world press."

Kurds, a nomadic Moslem people, have fought unsuccessfully for years to gain autonomy for their region within Iraq. Kurdistan also extends into parts of Iran and Turkey.

Citing the interviews and other evidence, Galbraith and Van Hollen concluded that "overwhelming evidence exists" that Iraq subjected Kurdish villages to three days of poison gas attacks last month.

In a report to Foreign Relations Chairman Claiborne Pell, D-R.I., they conclude that the attacks were part of a deliberate policy by Iraq to depopulate the Kurdish regions of the country.

"We find no question that Iraq's policy in Kurdistan has the characteristics of genocide," the staff investigators said.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee, prompted by earlier reports of Iraqi attacks against the Kurds, is debating legislation to impose economic sanctions on the Baghdad government. The Senate already has approved sanctions legislation against Iraq.

Iraq, earlier accused of using mustard gas against attacking Ira-

nian soldiers, has denied it employed chemical weapons against the Kurds or anyone else.

The Foreign Relations staff report uses dozens of eyewitness accounts of the alleged chemical attacks against the Kurds to paint a graphic narrative.

"As described by the villagers, the bombs that fell on the morning of August 25 did not produce a loud explosion," the report said.

"Only a weak sound could be heard and then a yellowish cloud spread out from the center of the explosion and became a thin mist. The air became mixed with a mixture of smells — 'bad garlic,' 'rotten onions' and 'bad apples.'"

"Those who were very close to the bombs died instantly," the report said. "Those who did not die instantly found it difficult to breathe and began to vomit. The gas stung the eyes, skin and lungs of the villagers exposed to it. Many suffered temporary blindness."

"After the bombs exploded, many villagers ran and submerged their faces in nearby streams to escape the spreading gas. Many of those who made it to the streams survived. Those who could not run from the growing smell, mostly the very old and the very young, died."

"The survivors who saw the dead

reported that blood could be seen trickling out of the mouths of some of the bodies," the report said. "A yellowish fluid could also be seen oozing out of the noses and mouths of some of the dead. Some said the bodies appeared frozen. Many of the dead bodies turned blackish blue."

"Most of the villagers quickly abandoned the contaminated areas, leaving the bodies unburied in the sun," the report said. "In some cases they later returned to the poisoned villages to bury the bodies. ..."

"In every village where chemical bombs were dropped, the livestock — mostly donkeys and goats — died," the report said. "Birds are also reported to have 'fallen out of the sky.' Bees in the area are also said to have been killed by the gas."

Galbraith and Von Hollen say the chemical attacks on Kurdish villages continued on Aug. 26 and Aug. 27 and they concluded that "no area in the northeastern reaches of Iraqi Kurdistan was safe from chemical attack."

Thousands of Kurds fled across the border into Turkey, but on Aug. 28 the Iraqi army blocked a road parallel to the border, trapping Kurdish villagers inside Iraq, the report said.



GOAT CHEESE — Tom Doyle of Charleston, S.C., feeds his African pigmy goat cheese crackers during a stopover on Charleston's North Market Street. The goat, given to Doyle when it was a baby, follows Doyle much like a dog would. Its name is Scape. (AP Laserphoto)

## Education Chief To Fight Dropout Rate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Education Secretary Lauro Cavazos may have only four months on the job, but he says he'll use the time to fight the dropout rate and advocate education for all.

The first Hispanic member of a president's Cabinet, Cavazos said he is concerned about keeping all students in school, and points to a Hispanic dropout rate of about 30 percent.

"We can't afford to lose that many people," Cavazos told a news conference Wednesday, his first day on the job, as he answered questions in Spanish.

Cavazos said his mission would be to "get out there ... and really have people understand the seriousness of the issue. We've got to start now. We

can't delay. We've waited too long."

To get his message across, Cavazos said he would meet with local officials, professional education societies, and members of Congress.

"The next few months will give us the forum to talk about the issues that are vital to America," he said. "How do we position this country, this nation, to really be competitive at the turn of the century ... and I don't just mean economically."

"Rather, let us look to make sure every person in America today is educated to his or her full potential. My interest is to awaken America to recall that our strength really has come because we had an educated electorate," Cavazos said.

Cavazos was confirmed by the Senate and sworn in Tuesday by Vice President Bush. On Wednesday,

Cavazos said he had "struck absolutely no deal" with the Republican presidential nominee to remain in office if Bush wins the November election.

"We never even discussed the possibility of my staying beyond the January date," said Cavazos, who is taking a leave of absence from his job as president of Texas Tech University and its medical school.

But some Republicans have said they wouldn't mind seeing Cavazos in

the next administration, and Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah told fellow Republicans last week that Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., leaned over to him at the end of Cavazos' confirmation hearing and said that if Michael Dukakis is elected "I'm going to talk him into keeping him on as secretary of education."

Kennedy told the Senate on Wednesday that Cavazos "has the perspective to be a superb secretary of education."

## U.S. Educational Level At Record

WASHINGTON (AP) — More Americans have high school diplomas and college degrees than ever before, reflecting a continuing emphasis on education in society, a new Census Bureau study shows.

"The entire post-Second World War era has been characterized by an expansion of educational opportunities and structures in the country," Census demographer Robert Kominski commented.

His new study of educational attainment found that, as of March 1987, more than three-quarters of people aged 25 and over have completed high school and nearly one in five has finished at least four years of college.

Both shares have been increasing gradually over the years, said Kominski.

"In the 1960s the civil rights movement added another level of opportunity. And the expansion of college grant and aid programs in the '60s and '70s allowed this to continue," he said.

Kominski added that changes in the age breakdown of the population have also had an impact on education averages, as the less educated el-

derly are replaced by younger people who have spent more time in school.

For example, people in their thirties, with 80 percent to 90 percent completing high school, are replacing older folks who were raised at a time when completion of six to eight years of schooling was a major accomplishment, he explained.

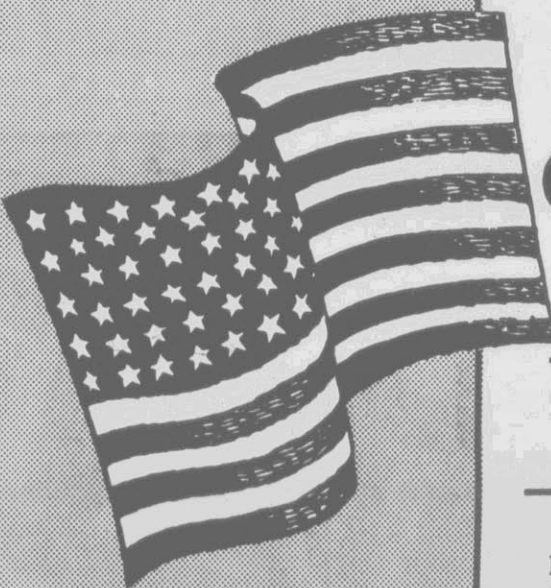
"Does this mean that Americans today are smarter than in the past?"

"Not necessarily," Kominski said. "We all like to think that we were raised in the generation which produced the best and the brightest."

The study found that, overall, 75.6 percent of Americans have completed high school and 19.9 percent had finished four years of college. That was up from 74.7 percent and 19.4 percent a year earlier and 68.6 percent and 17.0 percent in 1980.

By comparison, in 1940 only 24.5 percent of Americans aged 25 and older had completed high school and 4.6 percent were college graduates.

The 1987 report also noted that males were slightly more likely to have finished high school than women, 76.0 percent to 75.3 percent, a change from the early 1970s when women led in this category.



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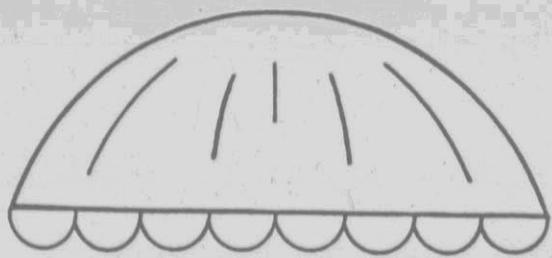
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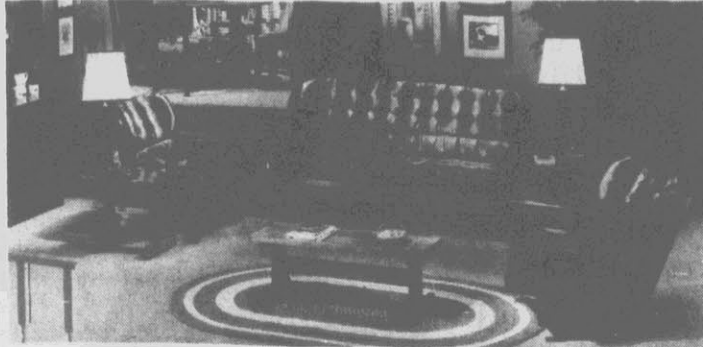


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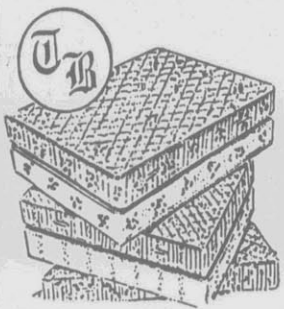


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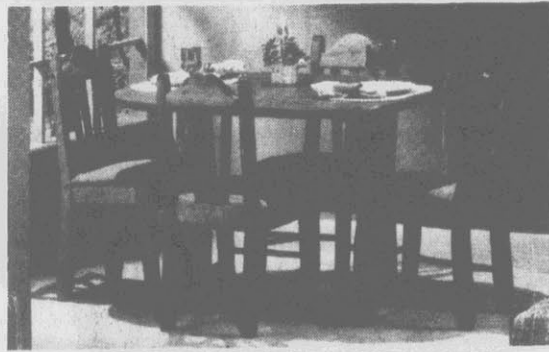
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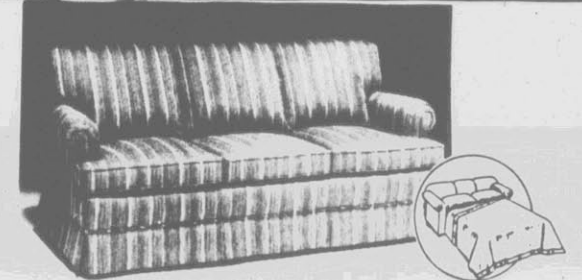


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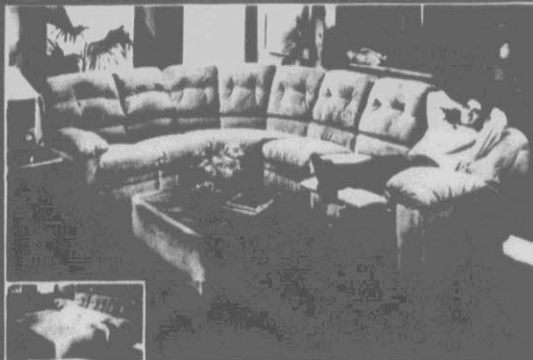


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# Noriega Aide Contradicts Bush Story On Drug Funds

By MAUREEN JOHNSON  
Associated Press Writer  
LONDON (AP) — A former senior aide to Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega says Vice President George Bush met with Noriega five years ago and complained about money laundering in Panama, according to a British television documentary.

The assertion by Col. Roberto Diaz Herrera contradicts Bush claims that the Reagan administration took action against Noriega, Panama's de facto leader, as soon as it learned that Noriega was allegedly involved in drugs.

Noriega was indicted in federal court on drug charges in February and U.S. sanctions began against him early this year.

James Baker, chairman of Bush's presidential campaign, responded to questions about the matter on the "CBS Morning News" today. "You're going to hear a lot of rumors and speculation as this campaign moves through its last 47 days," he said.

Diaz and Jose I. Blandon, a former senior intelligence officer in Panama, also said Noriega claims to have pictures and tape recordings that would link Bush or his aides to secret training of Nicaraguan rebels.

From October 1984 to October 1986, U.S. law prohibited any U.S. government aid to the Contras in their fight to topple Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government. The documentary did not say when the pictures were taken nor when the tape recordings were made.

"We have learned that as early as 1983 ... George Bush sat down with Gen. Noriega to complain about the laundering of drug money in

Panama," reporter Julian Manyon said on the Thames Television program, which was screened for reporters Wednesday.

"One of the vice president's concerns, according to Panamanians who were there, was an estimated \$3 billion of drug profits that had already been laundered through Panama," Manyon said.

Noriega was shown on the documentary saying he never met Bush nor had any contact with him. "Your source of information is mistaken," he said.

In Washington, Bush spokesman Steve Hart said Wednesday the vice president, during a stopover in Panama in 1983, met with Panama's then-President Ricardo de la Espriella and other officials, including Noriega. Hart said Bush spoke of drug interdiction efforts, but did not speak of any allegations against the general.

Manyon said the meeting took place Dec. 10, 1983 at the VIP lounge of Panama City's airport. According to a black-and-white photograph shown of the gathering, Diaz attended the meeting.

Manyon said the meeting raised "important questions" about Bush's claims the administration acted as soon as it learned of allegations against Noriega concerning the laundering of drug profits.

Diaz, who was interviewed in Venezuela, said he once saw Noriega examining photographs which apparently showed Contras being secretly trained in Panama under an arrangement with Col. Oliver North, the White House aide dismissed over the Iran-Contra scandal in which profits from arms sales to Iran were

allegedly funneled to the Contras. Noriega suggested that the tapes and photos gave him an advantage over Bush, according to Diaz, who has accused Noriega of corruption, electoral fraud and political murder.

In the TV interview, Blandon replied, "Of course" when asked if he believed "people inside the Bush campaign are aware of the threat that Noriega poses for them" by allegedly having tape recordings about the illegal training of Contras.

Blandon, a witness at a Senate Foreign Relations Committee hearing investigating Noriega, said the general has sent a message to Bush campaign officials that he has the tape recordings.

Hart said it was no secret the vice president was in Panama in 1983.

"George Bush was down in Argentina for the inauguration of President (Raul) Alfonsin. He did a refueling stop in Panama and he met with President de la Espriella at the airport," Hart said. "One of the persons in the group was Noriega, who was there to represent the Defense Forces."

"The vice president dealt with Espriella. One of the topics they discussed was money laundering in Panama," Hart said. "They also talked about drug interdiction efforts. ... There is nothing to indicate the vice president spoke with Noriega."

As for any picture showing Bush and Noriega together, Hart said, "When you meet with people in a meeting, you go around and shake hands."

The documentary was to be broadcast tonight on Britain's commercial Independent Television Network.

# Sniper Injures 5 People, Then Turns Gun On Self

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A sniper taking cover in a park opened fire on passing cars, injuring an 18-month-old child and four other people and prompting the evacuation of nearby residents before apparently killing himself, police said today.

A police search for the gunman ended at 3:45 a.m. when the body of the man was found in the back yard of a home, police said.

In an unrelated attack, an off-duty policeman and his 3-year-old son were wounded by gunfire on a freeway in City of Industry late Wednesday, police said. City of Industry is a town about 15 miles east of here.

No motive was known for either attack.

In the Los Angeles attack, a gunman started randomly shooting at cars at about 11 p.m. Wednesday in a park on the city's west side, said Officer D. Sharp.

The victims were taken to UCLA Medical Center,

where one was in critical condition with a gunshot wound to the chest, Molony said.

Two others were in stable condition, one with a gunshot wound to the jaw, the other with a gunshot wound to the hip. The 18-month-old and her mother were treated for minor gunshot wounds and released, he said.

Residents in about 10 homes were evacuated, police said.

Officer Frank Anguiano, 24, and his son Frank Jr. were treated for minor gunshot wounds at White Memorial Medical Center in Boyle Heights following the 10:05 p.m. shooting on a Pomona Freeway off-ramp in City of Industry, police said.

The shooting was apparently a random attack on the two, said Los Angeles police Lt. William Hall.

Police would not say whether any arrests had been made.

# Deranged Man Strips, Attacks Worshipers In N.Y. Cathedral

L.A. Times-Washington Post

NEW YORK — A deranged man ripped off his clothes, entered St. Patrick's Cathedral Wednesday night and beat an elderly usher to death with a heavy iron prayer stand that he pried from the church before being slain by police.

Panic filled the huge Fifth Avenue cathedral, an important New York City landmark that draws thousands of tourists, as the man struck worshippers. A policeman who attempted to subdue the attacker was hit over the head and later was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where he was reported in serious but stable condition. Police said the worshippers did not appear to be seriously hurt.

A police spokesman identified the dead church usher as John Winters, a man in his mid-70s, and the injured policeman as Jimmy McManus. The identity of the assailant was not immediately known.

Cardinal John J. O'Connor, looking shaken, appeared at a brief news conference in front of the church under heavy police guard and said he had attempted to comfort the man when he was confronted by him during Wednesday's 8 a.m. mass.

"He confronted me. I patted him on the shoulder. I said, 'God Bless you,'" O'Connor told reporters.

The cardinal said that while he was attempting to calm the man during the morning service, a priest whispered to him, "Be careful, he might be violent," O'Connor said the priest warned him.

"The man seemed to be completely deranged," the cardinal added.

Just about 12 hours later, the

assailant, after taking off his clothes near Rockefeller Center, returned to the massive gray stone cathedral. Shielding his lower body with red carnations, the man grabbed an iron prayer bookstand and began attacking people with the stand and with a belt.

Police said he repeatedly struck the usher before attacking an elderly woman praying in a pew.

"He had a belt in his hand and was hitting her in the back and all over," said Louis Gonzalez, 18, who was in the church at the time. "He was crazy hitting her with the belt. He must have hit her more than 10 times."

Gonzalez said the woman began screaming and other worshippers fled in panic.

Police spokesman Raymond O'Donnell said the man struck McManus, the police officer normally on duty in St. Patrick's, with the small podium he had ripped from the floor. The officer called for assistance and other officers rushed to the church. One of them killed the deranged man with a single shot in the chest.

Witnesses said the man, who seemed oblivious to other people, was chanting under his breath when he stormed into the church.

"He suddenly stopped, stripped and headed up the street," said Scott Lucas, 26, who saw the man disrobe before entering the cathedral.

Parishioners told detectives that McManus had tried to convince the man to leave before the violence erupted.

Police emergency vehicles and ambulances converged on St. Patrick's after the incident at 7:56 p.m. Ambulance attendants found the elderly woman not to be seriously injured. But they were unable to save the usher, whose body lay in front of the pulpit near the body of his assailant.

Over the years, there have been a number of instances of deranged people causing disruptions in St. Patrick's, which attracts not only worshippers and tourists but also some of New York's homeless. None of those disturbances compared to the violence after dinnertime on Wednesday.

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### Haitian Civilians Slaughter Macoutes

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — More soldiers turned on their commanders and civilian mobs slaughtered the henchmen of three decades of Haitian dictators in the spreading chaos of a popular soldiers' revolt.

Rank-and-file soldiers in at least 16 military units throughout the country have revolted against their commanders since ousting and exiling Lt. Gen. Henri Namphy in a weekend coup and naming Lt. Gen. Prosper Avril president.

Avril tried unsuccessfully to quell the uprising on Tuesday by naming a new armed forces chief and retiring nine unpopular commanding officers.

"The situation is precarious. After all, we are in the midst of a general mutiny," one Western diplomat said Wednesday, speaking on condition of anonymity.

In the capital of Port-au-Prince, a leftist coalition called for a popular show of support today for the mutineers. The Confederation of Democratic Unity urged people to meet outside the St. Jean Bosco Roman Catholic Church, where 13 worshipers were killed and 77 wounded by thugs attacking with guns, pikes and machetes during a Mass six days before the coup.

The demonstration was previously scheduled for Wednesday and confederation leaders had suspended it, saying they would meet instead with the leader of the military rebellion, Sgt. Joseph Heubrey, and Avril.

There was no confirmation the meeting was held.

A mob on Wednesday placed the smoldering body of a Tonton Macoute killed the previous day at St. Bosco's, where several hundred people gathered.

The Macoutes were the private army of the regime created by Francois Duvalier that ruled this impoverished nation for 29 years until mass protests forced his son, Jean-Claude, into exile in France in February 1986.

Namphy then headed a junta that promised a transition to democracy. However, independently run general elections Nov. 29 were thwarted when armed thugs supported by soldiers killed at least 33 people at polling stations.

Leslie Manigat, a civilian, was elected president in January in military-run balloting that was boycotted by leading presidential candidates and marred by widespread irregularities. Namphy ousted him in June.

Radio stations estimated Wednesday that up to 12 Tonton Macoutes had been killed by mobs and soldiers since Sunday.

Rebellious soldiers rounded up agents of Namphy's Bureau of Criminal Investigations Wednesday and dumped them — some in handcuffs — at army headquarters in Port-au-Prince. About 200 people gathered and cheered each jeepload of soldiers with their captives.

### Prince Put In Top Post

TOKYO (AP) — The Cabinet today temporarily passed the imperial mantle to Crown Prince Akihito as Japan fretted over the falling health of Emperor Hirohito, the world's longest reigning monarch.

Officials of the Imperial Household Agency, which runs palace affairs, set up booths today around the country and allowed people to sign their names in books for the emperor.

Crowds have gathered in front of the Imperial Palace in central Tokyo since Hirohito took to bed with intestinal hemorrhaging four days ago. Palace officials said today that he remained in serious but stable condition.

Across Japan, Shinto shrines held services to pray for the emperor.

Many older people still hold Hirohito in high regard, but younger Japanese typically give him little thought. A minority strongly opposes the imperial system, charging it represents the strongly centralized state control and militarism that characterized wartime Japan.

The United States forced the emperor, who has occupied the throne since 1926, to publicly renounce his claim to divinity after World War II. He remains a symbol of Japan without wielding any real power.

Chief Cabinet Secretary Keizo Obuchi said the Cabinet met today and agreed to put 54-year-old Akihito temporarily in charge of all imperial duties.

"Taking into consideration the emperor's illness and medical treatment, we have asked the crown prince to temporarily assume responsibilities," Obuchi said in a nationally televised press conference.

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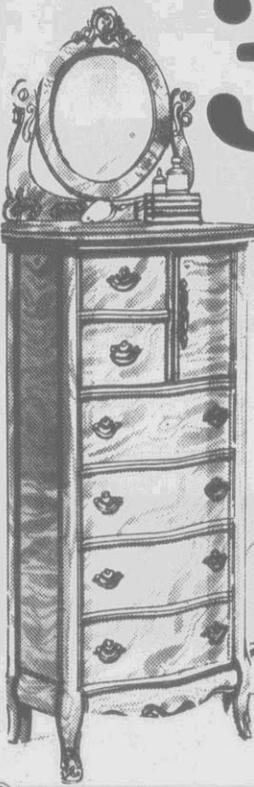
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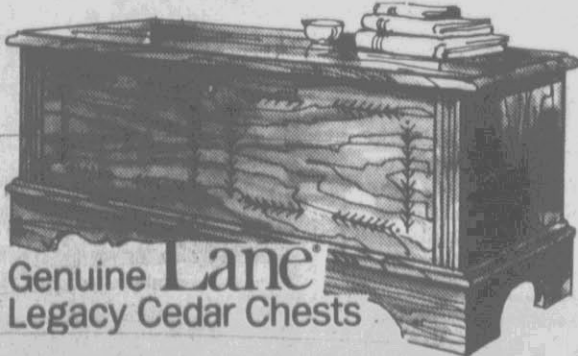
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Lifestyle

# Busy Travelers Coordinate A 'Few Clothes'

By MIKE WILSON  
L.A. Times-Washington Post  
News Service

Increasing numbers of men are leading lives that take them on the road and through the air. Be it a press conference in Los Angeles, a business meeting in New York or a weekend in Paris, one thing they can't afford to leave behind is attention to their wardrobes and daily grooming regimen.

Especially for a high-profile individual, traveling is no excuse for wearing just any suit and letting down one's customary sense of style.

No one knows that better than Jim Palmer, ABC broadcaster and former pitcher for the Baltimore Orioles. Palmer says that he has even "learned to sleep on the plane with my arms folded a certain way" so that he doesn't wrinkle his shirt. Between baseball playoff games and his appearance schedule for Jockey International, he once visited eight cities in eight days. The experience has taught him that "you have to buy clothes that will travel well," he says, adding that he often buys clothing made of fabrics that un-

wrinkle easily with shower steam. "You can't expect to take linen suits across the county. Getting from point A to point B is difficult enough without worrying if the clothes will be serviceable."

Two blazers and two or three pairs of slacks, a few shirts and a pair of loafers to go with any color slacks are Palmer's bare necessities, what he can pack comfortably in the expandable garment bag and suitcase that he carries on the plane.

Tom Julian, spokesman for the New York-based Men's Fashion Association, says that his job also dictates a hectic travel schedule and that he buys wool crepe suits because the fabric is "resilient, very textured and falls right back into shape after it's been unpacked." He prefers to travel with at least one single-breasted suit for business meetings and wears double-breasted suits for a more stylish look in the evening.

"I don't believe in going from day to evening in the same wardrobe," Julian says. "Especially when you're the type of person who spends a lot of time getting in and out of cabs all day."

A wardrobe with disposable components isn't uncommon for New York-based menswear designer Andrew Fezza. In the hotel room, he prefers to wear T-shirts, old sneakers and sweat pants that can be discarded easily so that he doesn't spend time lounging in his suits or worry about packing them for the trip home.

Fezza says that he used to load himself down with suitcases and bags, but now he'll usually make do with a single carry-on bag when flying. Fezza packs three pairs of dark trousers and a few shirts that all work together instead of packing an

entire wardrobe. His trick for packing efficiently is to lay out the different sets and pack them one set at a time, he says.

Small extras will usually be rolled tight into a ball to afford more room in the suitcase and "plastic is laid over anything I've packed flat to avoid wrinkles," Fezza says. If things are rumpled when he arrives at the hotel, he'll ask "hotel management to send up an iron that I can keep in the room for the length of my stay."

Jim Fox, a radio station general manager of radio station, says that he takes about six business trips a year and over the years he's grown used to traveling light. "I used to take a suitcase and a garment bag, but now I've found that the garment bags fulfill all my packing needs," he says. He travels with a dark or medium gray suit that can easily be used for business attire or evening wear. In addition, he always takes "an extra shirt, ties and a pair of shorts so that you're not in your suit or just underwear all the time in the hotel room."

Professional boxer Sugar Ray Leonard says that he will "individually store each suit in a plastic bag to help eliminate wrinkling" before packing.

His best tip for the fashion-conscious traveler is to carry an empty luggage bag.

Leonard says that on extended trips, he'll pack all the clothes he wore that first week and send them home. Because he wouldn't wear them again the next week, why bother being bogged down on the flight home, he says.

Stylish ties also top the list of must-haves for the business traveler. "You can be coordinated from top to bottom without a word from anyone, but when you wear a tie people comment," says Fox. "Unlike women's clothes, a man's business wardrobe is fairly bland, but the way you dress it up with colorful accessories can give you an entirely different look." Whatever else he needs to pack is usually secondary to the grooming bag with toiletries carried in case he "gets into the city late or on the weekend when everything is closed," he says.

Fezza agrees. A trip to the drugstore is the last stop he makes before driving to the airport. He buys miniature sizes of toothpaste, mouthwash, shaving creams and so on, leaving the unused portions in the hotel room. Palmer actually has a phobia of not having the product he normally uses to style his hair. "If I was traveling ... and (discovered I'd) forgotten to put my Alberto VO5 styling gel in my overnight bag, I'd turn around to get it. ... I've used it for years."



RENAISSANCE PAISLEY — This two-piece sweater dress by Ami Knits, made of Orlon acrylic, is the perfect complement to a fall wardrobe.

# Call-Waiting Feature: A Blessing Or A Curse?

DEAR ABBY: You agreed with a reader who said that a call-waiting signal was a "rude interruption." Picture this: A lonely wife, passing time on the phone with her mother, sister or friend, when her serviceman (or traveling) husband calls home. If he's in the service, he has probably stood in line for two hours to get his turn at the phone. But wait! Abby says it's "rude" to have her call interrupted — so let him get a busy signal.

How about the parents of a runaway finding comfort in a phone call from a dear friend; the child, in a moment of loneliness, decides to call home. The line is busy! The child has a change of heart and decides not to call after all.

In today's busy, hectic world, with so many two-job households, our time at home is limited, and we should all have the option of knowing who wants or needs to talk to us.

Call waiting allows us to know that someone is trying to reach us. If you happen to be on a call that is of vital importance and do not wish to be notified if someone else is trying to reach you, call waiting can be turned off during your conversation.

Please rethink your opinion, Abby. — PENNY RITTER, OLYMPIA, WASH.

DEAR PENNY: I plead ignorance. I was not aware that the call-waiting signal could be temporarily deactivated by the one who has the service. Thank you. Your letter was one of several hundred to promptly get that message to me.

DEAR ABBY: I am seven and a half months pregnant with my first child, and I cannot help thinking about the many horror stories I have been told since I became pregnant. Abby, even though I have withstood a tremendous amount of physical trauma and have been in and out of the hospital a good deal of my life, childbirth is still a bit unnerving. Just yesterday, a young woman in a store began to chat with me, and went on to tell me of the "horrible experience" she had with her first.

I realize that when a pregnant woman enters a room, all mothers must feel some sort of bond with her and feel it's necessary to "share" — with only good intentions, of course.

But I wish these women would think about what they are saying, and the effect it could have on someone who has never before gone through this experience. Let her doctor tell her the risks and complications that could arise. Just share with her the happiness and joy she is trying to feel. And if you must share something, please let it be courage, strength and hope.

Thank you, Abby, for letting me say this. I just had to tell somebody! — EXPECTING IN SILVERDALE, WASH.

DEAR EXPECTING: Glad to lend an ear. That's what I'm here for. Congratulations, and all good wishes for a healthy baby.

DEAR ABBY: I've been dating an older man for almost two years now. (He's 30 years older than me and has been divorced for three years.) He has a daughter who still thinks her parents will get back together again. (Not a chance.) He hasn't told her that he is dating me. He says he doesn't want to "hurt" her. Sometimes I wonder if he is ashamed of me.

We are very much in love, but have no definite plans to marry. I feel insecure about our future. What should I do? — INSECURE

DEAR INSECURE: You are insecure with good reason. Don't build your future around this man. Before

Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

you invest any more time in this relationship, ask him what his intentions are and give him a deadline.

DEAR ABBY: Maybe this is why some folks haven't been getting their mail: A postal inspector in Pensacola, Fla., used a front-end loader to remove the last five tons of undelivered mail found piled at the home of a rural mail carrier.

An estimated 500,000 pieces of mail up to 3 years old were discovered. — MAGNOLIA, KENTUCKY

DEAR MAGNOLIA: Now I suppose a lot of folks will be saying, "Your check was in THAT mail."

DEAR ABBY: May I reply to a reader's comment regarding the unprofessional behavior of some "office nurses"?

Most physicians' "office nurses" are medical assistants. Those who act in an unprofessional manner are usually hired off the street by physicians who do not want to pay for qualified, educated medical assistants.

The American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA) has been in existence for more than 20 years and

has been working for the education and certification of assistants. Certified medical assistants (CMA) are given similar education in handling delicate patient situations and law and ethics as registered nurses.

The medical assistant must complete two years of training, which includes 90 hours of internship in a physician's office. She must pass a nationwide certification exam that tests her knowledge in the administrative, clinical and general aspects of the medical office. CMAs must also earn continuing education credits in order to keep their certification.

I hope this explains why some "office nurses" behave in an unprofessional manner. — J.M., CMA, ROYAL OAK, MICH.

DEAR J.M.: It does, and I thank you for the clarification.

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Book meeting at First Presbyterian Church, Harvey-Webb room, Elm Street.  
Noon — Narcotics Anonymous open discussion at St. Paul Episcopal Church.  
1:30 p.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center.  
8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion group meets at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.  
8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous closed candlelight meeting at Arlington Street Baptist Church.

SUNDAY  
8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous closed book study at Arlington Street Baptist Church meeting.  
8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous open discussion at St. James Episcopal Church, Washington, N.C.

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wayne Russ of Route 1, Bath, announce the engagement of their daughter, Theresa Joan, to Lloyd Ray Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilson of Greenville. The wedding will take place Nov. 12.

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## Hepatitis

LEXINGTON, N.C. (AP) — Teachers are making younger children wash their hands before lunch and urging older students to do the same after two cases of hepatitis-A were reported in city elementary schools.

Richard Baxley, the Davidson County health director, said that a child at Pickett Elementary and another at South Lexington Elementary have become ill with the nausea, weakness, aches and jaundice that are the symptoms of the disease. Another unconfirmed case also has been reported, he said.

Hepatitis-A causes inflammation of the liver. Baxley said that these and two other cases in the county do not seem to be related to an outbreak of 23 cases earlier this year. Those cases all were traced to one woman.

## Couple Marries In August Ceremony

The wedding ceremony of Deidre Renee Anderson and Michael Keith King, both of Winston-Salem, took place Aug. 27 in St. John Free Will Baptist Church in Farmville. The Rev. Joe M. Dixon Sr. conducted the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Adell Batcher-Walker of Los Angeles and Richard Anderson of Greensboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward King of Farmville.

The couple is living in Winston-Salem.

The bridegroom is a student at Winston-Salem State University and is employed by North American Roto Engraves, Inc. in Winston-Salem.

## Mirrors Prompting Revolution

By EDWARD STILES  
The Tucson Citizen

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — A traditional 12-inch telescope weighs 50 pounds and looks like a water heater.

University of Arizona engineers and opticians have made a telescope that weighs 10 pounds and is just 18 inches long. As a bonus, it's more rigid, its mirrors can be made in less time, and it reaches thermal equilibrium with the surrounding air almost instantaneously, which is an important attribute in producing sharp images.

Mechanical engineer Dan Vukobratovich and his team in optical sciences appear to be poised for a breakthrough that could revolutionize optical systems in cameras, telescopes, laser communications, aircraft guidance systems, space-based laser systems and infrared sighting systems for tanks and other military uses.

The Defense Department pays \$7,000 a pound for mirrors made of beryllium, and each mirror weighs about eight pounds. Vukobratovich estimates that the university's mirrors of the same size eventually might be made for as little as \$125 a pound, and each mirror would weigh less than four pounds.

The key to all this is a new technology based on foam-core mirrors.

An ideal mirror would have a thin front plate to reflect images and a thin back plate to bolt the mirror to a mount. In between, the plates would be separated by "super air" that would transfer force between the two plates, Vukobratovich explained.

Metal foam cores are this "super air." They are an array of metal filaments with a lot of air between them. They're very light, yet rigid, Vukobratovich said. They can be machined and bent just like ordinary metal.

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# Home Product Designs To Aid Handicapped

By BARBARA MAYER  
AP Newsfeatures  
If you're making do with a chair you can't get out of, a faucet you can't turn on or any number of home products that don't make allowances for an aging body, hang on.

American industry may be coming to the rescue in the foreseeable future, and 1988 may eventually be known as the year attitudes began to change towards physical disability.

Several recent examples indicate growing interest in harnessing technology to permit an active lifestyle, even for those with disabilities. Products such as sports equipment, wheelchairs, crutches and ingenious utensils were shown this year in a museum exhibition and a product catalog.

While the current beneficiaries of specialized products are those with disabilities, ultimately there can be substantial benefits for the non-disabled population, says Cara McCarty, curator of "Designs for Independent Living," a recent exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art.

In the meantime, indications are that there is a growing acceptance of an active lifestyle for those with physical impairments.

The IBM Corp., for example, reports increasing use of a toll-free telephone number offering information on new technology for those with impairments.

IBM received more than 19,000 phone inquiries in 1987, after setting up the clearinghouse at the end of 1985, said Rita Black, a spokesman who added that an estimated 36 million Americans suffer some form of disability.

While the gradual aging of the American population may be one factor in what some authorities see as a greater acceptance of disabilities, another motive is that "businesses have become aware they are losing a

tremendous resource by not accommodating themselves to people with disabilities," Black said.

According to Jordan Bienstock, co-founder of Maneuverability, a Brooklyn-based retailer of "self-help" housewares, the number of special home products available for those with disabilities appears to be on the increase.

Some of the 90 or so products featured in the company's mail-order catalog include a voice activator which works off household current to turn on and off lamps and home entertainment components, easy-grasp cutlery and a variable-height sink.

Peter Axelson, a designer of wheelchairs and ski equipment, said that many new products and techniques make it possible for even a severely disabled person to live an active life.

A little over a decade ago when he wanted to renew an active life after an accident resulted in amputation of his limbs, he found he had to design the equipment he wanted.

"In the past 12 years there have been substantial improvements: lightweight wheelchairs made mobility easier; health care techniques made us healthier; computers have enhanced the ability to work and sports equipment has made recreation possible. We are now at the point where the technologies are available, but we need rehabilitation services to assist people," he said.

"The biggest problem of many individuals who want to be more active is gaining access to information and training in the use of the new products and in finding the money to pay for them," added Axelson.

One indication that this issue is about to enter the mainstream is the recent exhibition mounted at the Museum of Modern Art, "Designs for Independent Living."

Instead of thinking of disabled in-

dividuals as people who must lead a sedentary life, the emphasis now is on designing environments to help them be as active and independent as possible, according to curator McCarthy.

Approximately 45 products for use in the home were shown including mobility equipment such as wheelchairs and walkers, communication aids, clothing and household items, including sculpted cane handles and eating utensils and gadgets for people with limited hand strength.

McCarthy said the exhibit was a natural outgrowth of the increase in aids for the disabled. "There has been a definite change since the early 1980s when products tended to be makeshift and unsuited to mass production."

Today, by contrast, professional industrial designers are getting involved in new-product development for this growing market segment, she said.

One of the most dramatic changes in thinking about disabilities is in the area of mobility, according to McCarthy. "Instead of thinking of the wheelchair as a seat, we think of it as a means of transportation."

The change began in the 1970s when the rules for wheelchair sports were modified to permit greater design latitude in the chairs. Using bicycle technology in some cases and spurred on by athletes who wanted a more competitive vehicle, designers were able to produce faster, lighterweight and more portable and maneuverable wheelchairs which in turn influenced the design of everyday wheelchairs, added the curator.

McCarthy sees it as a hopeful sign for everyone that designers are now studying human needs before they formulate product prototypes.

# Pants Are Big Fashion News

Stately classicism in women's clothes is big news this fall, but with a twist: pants are back. Not since the seventies have designers been featuring pants as they have this season, dressed up as part of a suit or dressed down for casual wear.

What distinguishes the new pants from those of the past, explains the Soap and Detergent Association is that women now have a certain freedom of choice. Just as skirts can now be worn long or short, pants can be worn tight or full-cut. They may be full-length or cropped short. Whatever the style, they are usually high-topped at the waist to lend a slim sophisticated look.

So what makes this fall's clothes classic? The answer is threefold — neutral colors, luxurious fabrics and simple lines. The neutral colors that are especially popular are grey, navy, black and the warm tones of beige, brown and taupe. Neutral colors in suits, dresses and pants are brightened with jewels, brights or porcelain tints.

Porcelain tints are bright colors that have been softened to the point of becoming almost dull. The leading shades are salmon, orchid and

## Homemaker's Haven

Evelyn Spangler

periwinkle. They are combined with neutrals or darks for understated appeal. This fall's darks are not somber, but deep and jeweled. They include rust, wine, plum, teal, cognac, forest green and a blue purple.

Fabrics tend to be natural, with cotton and fleece as leaders. Many designers are blending spandex with other fibers not for stretch in a tight fit, but rather so clothes fall easily and move with the body. So read labels carefully to determine how to care for them.

This year's cottons are soft and drape easily. Cashmere and wool/cotton crepes are important, as are marled and hair-effect yarns. Cable stitching and argyle patterns add interest to knitwear. Plaids, both big and small, make up the major patterns of the season, with houndstooth a close second. Stripes and polka dots are popular as well.

Suits and sweater sets are important. Jackets may be cropped or long and figure-shaping. The cropped versions are often worn to offset high-

waisted pants. Perhaps boleros do the job best. Short, waist-hugging plaid jackets are seen with long pleated skirts or tailored pants. Boxy blazers set off snug pants.

Slim mid-calf skirts are often coupled with classic cardigans or tight sweaters. Scooped necks give the long lean look an added dimension. So do off-the-shoulder cuts, which are popular for long jackets. Turtlenecks extend the lean look as far as it will go.

Short is still alive, but skirts this fall are slim and flattering. The favorite length for short skirts is just grazing the knee, although some designers prefer variations that are a few inches longer. The favored length is mid-calf. Short-short minis are pretty much out. The fashion is to be elegant, not shocking.

Short skirts are worn with almost any kind of top — tight sweaters, short boxy or long shapely jackets.

Although the slim, Greek-column look is in, some designers still advocate more elaborate lines. The peplum is not dead, for example. The overall look is still body-conscious. Clothes are designed to show off the female form, yet some designers claim to have been inspired by the 18th century menswear or by traditional Amish garb. And although this season's slim look is reminiscent of the 30s and 50s, one designer reports her clothes are "sixties in feeling."

## Area Births

**Harrell**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Harrell, Oak City, a son, Samuel Turner, on Sept. 7, 1988, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Williams**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin E. Williams, 104-C Ridge Place, a daughter, Maria Leann, on Sept. 7, 1988, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Scott**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Julian W. Scott Jr., 203 Garner Road, a son, Lawrence Alexander, on Sept. 7, 1988, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Brown**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Brown, 6-A Greenridge Apartments, a son, Richard Graham, on Sept. 8, 1988, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Payne**  
Born to E. Sturgis Payne and Barbara Peoples, 803 E. Third St., a son, Isaac Peoples, on Sept. 6, 1988, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

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Wedding write-ups will be printed through the first week with a one column picture. During the second week, a one column picture will be used with a write-up giving less description and after the second week, just as an announcement.

Wedding forms and pictures should be returned to The Daily Reflector one week prior to the date of the wedding. All information should be typed or written neatly.

## Quilt Volunteers To Be Honored

RALEIGH — Quilt owners and volunteers participating in the North Carolina quilt project will be honored at a reception at the N.C. Museum of History Oct. 1 starting at 1 p.m.

Volunteers spent many hours examining and photographing quilts from across the state and recording the history of each quilt and quiltmaker. Over 10,000 quilts were studied in the two-year project and 67 were selected for the exhibit "North Carolina Quilts: Selections from the N.C. Quilt Project." The exhibit opened Sept. 16 and will continue through Jan. 15.

Authors of the book, "North Carolina Quilts," will also be present.

## Plastic Butyral Has Anniversary

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — A product credited with saving many lives through use in auto windshields recently celebrated its 50th anniversary.

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# Stock And Market Reports

**By The Associated Press**  
**HOGS:** Market steady at N.C. buying stations. Kinston, Spivey's Corner, Murfreesboro, Siler City and Robersonville, 40.00; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourne, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson 39.50; Wilson 39.50. Sows: (500 pounds up) Fayetteville 29.00; Wallace 29.00; Spivey's Corner 29.00; Rowland 29.00.

**BROILERS:** The North Carolina fob dock quoted price on broilers for this week's trading was 52.75 cents, based on full truck load lots of ice pack USDA Grade A sized 2 1/2 to 3 pounds birds. To a few percent of the loads offered have been confirmed. The market is about steady and the live supply is adequate for a light to mostly moderate demand. Average weights desirable. Estimated slaughter of broilers and fryers in North Carolina Thursday was 2,086,000, compared to 2,027,000 last Thursday.

**GRAIN:** No. 2 yellow shelled corn steady to 2 cents higher at mostly 2.87-3.00 in East and mostly 2.98-3.08 in the Piedmont; No. 1 yellow soybeans mostly 6-7 cents higher at mostly 8.13-8.32 1/2 in East and mostly 7.97-8.07 in the Piedmont; wheat 3.70-3.80; new crop soybeans 7.77-8.28. Exchange rates for P.I.K. certificates were steady and ranged from 97 to 100 percent of face value.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Stock prices drifted lower today in selling apparently prompted by impatience over the market's recent sluggish performance.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks dropped 5.15 to 2,085.35 by noontime on Wall Street. Losers outnumbered gainers by about 3 to 2 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues, with 488 up, 731 down and 564 unchanged.

Among actively traded blue chips, International Business Machines rose 1/4 to 113 1/2; American Express was unchanged at 27 3/4, and American Telephone & Telegraph slipped 1/8 to 26 3/8.

Reebok International, which reported a higher order backlog than a year ago, rose 3/8 to 11 in active trading.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks dropped .17 to 152.47. At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was down .63 at 298.34.

Volume on the Big Board came to 76.28 million shares at noontime, up from 57.29 million Wednesday, when activity was diminished somewhat by the observance of the Jewish holiday Yom Kippur.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Midday stocks: AMR Corp High 46 1/2 Low 46 1/4 Last 46 1/4

## AIDS Testing

**GREENSBORO (AP)** — At least two additional North Carolina universities soon may offer students anonymous testing for the virus that can cause AIDS.

Wake Forest began offering the service last year.

Officials at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill told the Greensboro News & Record on Wednesday they plan to offer the tests later this semester. While Duke University already offers voluntary testing for the AIDS virus, campus officials said they are considering making it anonymous.

# Tobacco Market

**By The Associated Press**  
 The following are the final gross figures for the Eastern Belt flue-cured tobacco markets for Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1988, as reported by the Federal-State Market News Service.

Market	Daily Pounds	Daily Value	Daily Avg.
Ahoscie	373,789	629,528	168.42
Clinton	345,615	595,502	172.30
Dunn			no sale
Farmvl	716,391	1,251,479	174.69
Gidsboro	747,375	1,291,906	172.86
Greenvl	788,397	1,358,631	172.33
Kinston	891,126	1,576,131	176.87
Robrsvl			no sale
Rocky Mt.	380,824	645,711	169.56
Smithfld.	791,214	1,358,858	171.74
Wallace	338,677	580,141	171.30
Wendell			no sale
Willmstn	368,595	627,914	170.35
Wilson	1,737,884	3,019,564	173.75
Windsor			no sale
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,479,887</b>	<b>12,935,365</b>	<b>172.94</b>
<b>Season Totals</b>	<b>198,246,277</b>	<b>314,532,151</b>	<b>158.66</b>

Average for the day was down \$1.00 from previous sale. Subject to revision. Averages do not reflect assessments.

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# Obituaries

**Baldree**  
**AYDEN** — Mr. Lyman Gray Baldree, 86, of Ayden died this morning. Arrangements will be announced by Farmer Funeral Home of Ayden.

**Knox**  
**BETHEL** — Mr. James Wiley Knox Sr., 82, died Wednesday in Raleigh. His funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Ayres-Gray Funeral Home Chapel in Bethel. Burial will be in the Bethel City Cemetery.

Mr. Knox was a retired farmer and former resident of Route 1, Tarboro. Surviving are his wife, Nannie L. Knox of Raleigh; a daughter, Lee Knox of Raleigh; five sons, James Wiley Knox Jr. and Roger Knox, both of Raleigh, Mark Knox of Lillington, Dennis Knox of Rock Hill, S.C., and Troy Knox of Atlanta; two sisters, Bertha Simmons and Irene Paul, both of Greenville; a brother, Edward Knox of Wilson; 11 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday at Ayres-Gray Funeral Home in Bethel.

**Little**  
**BALTIMORE** — A funeral for Mrs. Delia Austin Little, 66, was to be conducted by Bishop C.A. McNair at the Greater Harvest Baptist Church, Baltimore, today at 11:30 a.m. Interment was to be in Mount Zion Cemetery, Baltimore. Mrs. Little was a native of Pacolus, N.C., and had made her home in Baltimore for the past 25 years. Among her survivors are two brothers, Isaac John Austin and Sutton Austin, both of Greenville, N.C. Condolences may be sent to 314 Pulaski Street, Baltimore, 21217.

**McMillan**  
**PALM COAST, Fla.** — Mrs. Iris Joyner McMillan, 39, died Tuesday. Mrs. McMillan was a native of Greenville, N.C., and had lived in Florida with her family for the past 10 years. Her funeral will be conducted Friday at 11 a.m. at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Palm Coast. Burial will follow at Volusia Memorial Gardens. Surviving are her husband, Hawk McMillan; two sons, Greg McMillan and Jason McMillan; her parents, Leon and Ruby Joyner of Greenville, N.C., and two brothers, Phillip

Joyner of Chester, Va., and Randy Joyner of Palm Coast.

**Smith**  
 Mrs. Lillah Nelson Smith, 79, a resident of the Albemarle retirement home in Tarboro, died Wednesday. Her graveside funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Sunset Hills Memorial Park in Littleton by the Rev. Glenn Evans.

Mrs. Smith was a native of Pitt County and a member of the First Christian Church. She attended the Greenville schools and was a graduate of East Carolina University. A public school teacher, she retired from the Greenville schools in 1970, having also taught in Littleton, Fremont and Goldsboro. She was a charter member of the Iota chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa International Sorority for Women Educators and served as its second president. She was a life member of the North Carolina Education Association.

The family will receive friends at Wilkerson Funeral Home tonight. At other times the family will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Rouse, Route 1, Box 545, Ayden.

**Spruill**  
**FARMVILLE** — A funeral for Mr. Edward Ray Spruill of 1101 S. Main St., Farmville, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in the Joyner's Mortuary Chapel in Farmville by the Rev. Will Harris. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park.

A Farmville area native and a graduate of H.B. Sugg High School, Mr. Spruill had lived in New York, but had returned to Farmville recently. A member of Bibleway Holiness Church in Farmville, he had served in the U.S. Armed Forces and had been employed by an airline.

Surviving are two brothers, Tommy Lee Spruill and Raymond Earl Spruill, both of New York, and four sisters, Evelyn Cobb of Farmville, Dorothy Herring of Ahoskie, Melba Moffitt of New York and Shirley Rodgers of Greenville.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. today in Joyner's Memorial Chapel.

**Suggs**  
**SNOW HILL** — Mrs. Ora Suggs of Route 1, Snow Hill, died Wednesday in Pitt County Memorial Hospital. Arrangements will be announced by Norcott Funeral Home, Ayden.

# Wright Defends Actions Over CIA Report

(Continued from A-1)  
 said in a letter to ethics committee chairman Julian Dixon, D-Calif. In a separate letter to Rep. Louis Stokes, D-Ohio, chairman of the House intelligence panel, they asked for an immediate meeting of the committee "to discuss these matters, to ascertain whether any unauthorized disclosures have in fact occurred and to decide on an appropriate course of action."

House Republicans were meeting today to discuss the Wright matter and in particular to weigh its implications for legislation that would tighten congressional control over the CIA's covert activities. The Reagan administration opposes the bill, which is scheduled for floor consideration next week. A version already has been passed by the Senate, where sponsor William Cohen, R-Maine, rose on the floor today to chastise Wright.

"CIA people do not testify in open session," Cohen said. "There is the clear implication that the speaker's statement could only have been derived from classified information in the possession of the House Intelligence Committee. Where did he obtain this information? On what basis did the speaker believe he had the privilege to speak to reporters about this classified information?"

the substance of the speaker's disclosure, adding: "If I start going down that road, then I'm creating the same violation that he did."

"We simply cannot comment on covert operations or intelligence matters of this kind," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said. "And sometimes that means having to accept information that may or may not be true."

But Fitzwater told reporters that at the outset of a meeting with the Joint Chiefs of Staff on Wednesday, Reagan remarked that "there is nothing that we are doing anywhere that wasn't reviewed and approved by the House and Senate intelligence committees."

"That's an important point," Fitzwater said, "because if Wright has a problem, he ought to take it up with the intelligence committees." He added that Wright "has always been more than eager to take the position of the Ortega government, but it's impossible to say what the real damage might be in this case."

# Summer Passes On

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 And by that same standard, the drought played to record levels in Peoria and Pittsburgh, Billings, Mont., and Asheville, N.C. "Abnormally hot weather during much of June-August in the Great Basin, southern Intermountain Region, northern halves of the Rockies and Great Plains and Midwest sent seasonal temperatures averaging more than 4 degrees Fahrenheit above normal," the federal Climate Analysis Center said.

recorded their driest summer. They include Asheville, N.C., 5.39 inches of precipitation; Peoria, Ill., 3.04 inches; Sheridan, Wyo., 0.91 inches; Havre, Mont., 0.20 inches; Pittsburgh, 6.14 inches; Rockford, Ill., 4.81 inches; and Billings, Mont., 0.59 inches. For Peoria, for example, that represented only 27 percent of normal rainfall for the season.

Even more cities set records for the highest average summer temperature since 1951, ranging from 86.7 in Tucson, Ariz., to 68.4 in Cheyenne, Wyo. Average temperatures are derived from daily highs and lows, and the readings climbed as much as 6 degrees Fahrenheit above normal. Sheridan, Wyo., for example, was 6.3 degrees above normal, while at Billings, Mont., the average was high by 5.8 degrees.

# Rate Going Down

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 malpractice, police malpractice, and protection against false arrest. Those separate areas carry different levels of coverage. "We've also increased our overall ability to pay for major catastrophes such as hurricanes," he said. "We would even get paid money to reconstruct all the files in the computer if necessary." Knowles said he believes the reduction in rates is a good reflection of past and present city policies. He said the city's favorable risk rating extends back to 1980. "I think the city should be proud of the fact that we have taken care of business internally, we're taking care of our safety programs and whenever we spot (problems) we go

after it and try to resolve that issue so it doesn't continue," he said. As an example of those programs, the city conducts training classes for employees of the departments of fire/rescue, police, and public works. Classes teach fundamentals, such as how to properly drive public vehicles, as well as complicated technical procedures. "Many of those classes are underwritten by the insurance company because it helps keep our insurance premium down," Knowles said. "They would rather help us offset the cost of these classes than have the loss and then they have to pay us." "The bottom line on insurance is your experience," said City Attorney Mac Carley. "And the key to experience is good management."

The summer's greatest heat focused on the region from central Montana and northern Utah eastward to lower Michigan, with hundreds of record highs and many cities setting records for consecutive days of 90 degrees or more. It was the warmest summer in the last 58 years in the east north central states and the third warmest in the west north central region and the Mountain states. Drought, meanwhile, struck in the spring and persisted through much of the summer in the northern Great Plains and the Mississippi, Ohio and Tennessee valleys. By mid-July, about 45 percent of the 48 contiguous states were experiencing severe or extreme drought. Increased thunderstorm activity in the eastern portion of the drought area eased the problem somewhat in late July and August, but even so, several cities set records for dryness. Climate experts compile local records in 30-year chunks and use the period from 1951-1980 as a standard for comparison for current trends. They define summer as June, July and August. On that basis, at least seven cities

Others among the communities setting record high average temperatures for this summer were Newark, N.J., 77.7; Salt Lake City, 77.5; Baltimore, 77.2; Sioux Falls, S.D., 76.1; Dayton, Ohio, 75.6; Minneapolis, 75.6; Huron, S.D., 75.2; Waterloo, Iowa, 75.0; Billings, Mont., 74.7. Also, Rapid City, S.D., 74.7; Dubuque, Iowa, 74.3; Fargo, N.D., 73.8; Milwaukee, 73.8; Williston, N.D., 73.0; Lander, Wyo., 72.9; Sheridan, Wyo., 72.9; Akron, Ohio, 72.7; Casper, Wyo., 72.0; Reno, Nev., 71.6; and Green Bay, Wis., 71.2. As if to prove there are exceptions to every rule, some communities had cool and wet summers. Albuquerque, N.M., for example, recorded 6.81 inches of rainfall this summer, a record at 208 percent of normal for the period.

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# Biondi, Evans Win 2nd Medals

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Californians Matt Biondi and Janet Evans built up their medal hoard with another gold apiece Thursday night, swimming to astonishingly easy, record-breaking Olympic victories after a day of violence and scandal at the Games.

Peace, harmony, progress — the theme of the 1988 Olympics posted all over Seoul — lost some meaning when enraged Korean boxing coaches punched a referee and gave the Games a nasty black eye.

The International Amateur Boxing Federation banned five Korean box-

ing officials from the Games for their involvement in the melee.

The Seoul Olympic Organizing Committee apologized for the "disgraceful behavior" and endorsed the disciplinary action. It also promised security would be increased and declared "no irregular incidents will occur again."

The chaos and disgrace at the boxing arena cast a shadow over a day of swimming excellence, perfect 10s by Soviet men gymnasts, speed and hustle by American women in a basketball shootout, and a dramatic comeback victory by the defending gold medal U.S. men's volleyball team.

Biondi, winner of two golds, a silver and a bronze, needs three more medals to become the first Olympian to capture seven in one Games since Mark Spitz' all-gold feat of 1972.

Biondi, the world record-holder in the 100-meter freestyle in 48.42 seconds, set an Olympic record of 48.63 in his specialty, while fellow American Chris Jacobs won the silver in 49.08. Stephan Caron of France won the bronze in 49.62.

Biondi, 22, of Moraga, Calif., held the old Olympic mark of 49.04, set earlier in the day in the preliminaries.

Evans, who won the 400 individual medley earlier in the week, churned through the 400 freestyle in 4 minutes, 3.85 seconds, lowering the world mark of 4:05.45 she set last December.

When she saw the time flash on the scoreboard, her eyes popped wide and her mouth opened in disbelief.

"I couldn't believe it when I turned around and saw 4:03," she said. "The fastest I've ever gone was 4:05. I was just amazed. But it felt really good, it felt really easy."

Heike Friedrich of East Germany won the silver in 4:05.94 and East German Anke Moehring took the bronze in 4:06.62.

Evans, 17, of Placentia, Calif., beamed broadly on the victory stand, waved to the crowd, and sang the Star Spangled Banner while the American flag was raised. Moments later, Biondi did the same.

Kristin Otto of East Germany won her second gold, taking the 100 backstroke in 1:00.89. Igor Polianski of the Soviet Union won the men's 200 backstroke in 1:59.37.

East Germany won another gold with an Olympic record in the women's 400 freestyle relay, winning in 3:40.63. The United States was third in 3:44.25, finishing behind the Netherlands, which won the silver in 3:43.39.

The Soviets lead the medal race with 28, including 14 gold. East Germany has 19 medals, followed by the United States and Bulgaria with 13 each.

Some of the luster of the Olympic medals was lost amid the tension at the boxing arena and a scandal among the Bulgarians, who forfeited a gold when a weightlifter was found to have taken an illegal diuretic to lose a few pounds. The Soviets benefited when their weightlifter was awarded the gold.

Libyan leader Col. Moammar Gadhafi tried, too, to tarnish the Olympics with some criticism from afar. He called the Games too violent and brutal, but mistakenly cited bullfighting in his charge.

The only bull at these Games was the excuse offered by Korean boxing

officials to justify a melee in the ring after one of their fighters lost.

The coaches and a Korean Olympic official stormed the ring and threw several punches at referee Keith Walker of New Zealand, hitting him at least once, after a 4-1 decision by 119-pound Bulgarian Alexander Hristov over Korean Byun John-il.

"They were kicking and punching and pulling my hair out," Walker said at Kimpo Airport as he left to return to New Zealand. "I was punched in the back by the Korean coach."

Walker said he didn't believe he did a bad job in refereeing the fight.

"I've seen the bout again," he said. "I believe I controlled it in the way I should have. I have no regrets."

"The Korean man, he should win," said S.H. Yoon, a Seoul Olympic Organizing Committee official who was one of those who charged Walker. Yoon and the coaches claimed Walker unfairly deducted two points from Byun for butting.

That excuse didn't win much support from higher Korean authorities.

"It was very disgraceful behavior," said Shin Hyon-ung, spokesman for the organizing committee. "Necessary action will be followed by the authorities concerned

after a full investigation."

Kim Sung-hyun, president of the Korean Boxing Association, apologized for the brawl and said he would "resign from all boxing posts after the Olympics to take responsibility."

Kim said he had no plans to punish any South Korean officials involved in the brawl.

"I have no intention to hold anybody but me responsible for the incident. My resignation would be enough," he said.

Two chairs and a bottle also were thrown into the ring, but didn't hit anyone. It took dozens of police several minutes to move in, restore order and shield Walker as he left the arena.

However, Byun refused to leave.

In a silent protest after the ring was cleared, Byun, 19, sat in his corner with his arms on his knees. A few minutes later, clad in his blue and gold robe, he got up and sat on his stool and stared impassively across the empty ring.

He sat and he sat and he sat some more — 67 minutes in all, breaking an unofficial sitdown record of 51 minutes by South Korean boxer Choh Dong-kih at the 1964 Tokyo Games after he was disqualified.

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- Women's athletics 800-meter final
- Men's platform diving prelims
- Men's basketball quarterfinals
- Women's cycling road race
- Boxing prelims
- Men's volleyball prelims



Janet Evans



**Fighting Mad**  
Referee Keith Walker of New Zealand is protected by other referees and officials as South Korean boxing team coach Kim Sung-eun

struggles in the ring after boxer Byun Jong-il lost a decision to a Bulgarian in a 119-pound bout at the Seoul Olympics. (AP Laserphoto)

## Sports Calendar

Editor's Note: Schedules are supplied by schools or sponsoring agencies and are subject to change without notice.

- Today's Sports**
- Volleyball**  
North Pitt, Greene Central at Pamlico (4 p.m.)  
Farmville Central, Ayden-Grifton at South Lenoir (4 p.m.)  
Rose at Rocky Mount (4:30 p.m.)  
Conley at East Carteret (5 p.m.)
- Tennis**  
Conley at Farmville Central (3:30 p.m.)  
Rose at Kinston  
Williamston at Northampton East (4 p.m.)  
Plymouth at Roanoke  
Greene Central at C.B. Aycock  
Atlantic Christian at East Carolina women (2:30 p.m.)
- Soccer**  
Rose at Kinston
- Football**  
Washington at West Carteret JV (7 p.m.)  
Conley at Havelock JV (7 p.m.)  
Northern Nash at Rose JV (7 p.m.)  
Pamlico at Ayden-Grifton JV (7 p.m.)  
C.B. Aycock at Greene Central JV
- Softball**  
Fall League

- Piland vs. Family Practice (E1 - 7 p.m.)  
TCBY vs. Jim's Tires (E2 - 7 p.m.)  
Sub Station II vs. Conger Plumbing (E1 - 8 p.m.)  
Aldridge & Southerland vs. Winter-ville Machine (E2 - 8 p.m.)  
Cherry's vs. Holiday Shell (E1 - 9 p.m.)  
Bridal Boutique vs. 427 Auto (E2 - 9 p.m.)
- Friday's Sports**
- Volleyball**  
UNC-Greensboro at East Carolina (7 p.m.)  
Greenville Christian at Friendship (4 p.m.)
- Football**  
Farmville Central at South Lenoir (8 p.m.)  
Rose at Northern Nash (8 p.m.)  
East Carteret at Washington (8 p.m.)  
Havelock at Conley (8 p.m.)  
Creswell at Jamesville (8 p.m.)  
Chocowinity at Belhaven (8 p.m.)  
Plymouth at Roanoke (7:30 p.m.)  
Williamston at Northampton East (7:30 p.m.)  
Greene Central at C.B. Aycock (8 p.m.)  
Ayden-Grifton at Pamlico (8 p.m.)
- Soccer**  
Greenville Christian at Friendship (4 p.m.)

# Bynum Triumphed With His Dream

By TIM CHANDLER  
Reflector Sports Writer

East Carolina, struggling to reach its goal of having a winning football season, can learn a lot from walk-on Darren Bynum.

Bynum, considered by many to be a long shot to play on the collegiate level following his high school career, has realized his dreams of playing on a Division I college football team.

But it was far from easy for the 5-

11, 170-pounder from Wilson. Bynum was moderately recruited by North Carolina, N.C. State and East Carolina during his senior season at Beddingfield High School in the fall of 1984. Only ECU, however, had mentioned giving him a scholarship.

Bynum had his mind set on becoming a Pirate. But then came the bad news.

"My senior year was during the time when Ed Emory was the coach here," Bynum said. "I came home from practice one day and my mother told me he had been fired."

The dismissal of Emory as head coach also meant some of the assistants were packing up and leaving Greenville, including Tom Throckmorton, the Pirate aide that had recruited Bynum.

"It really took me by surprise and hurt me too," Bynum said. "I had my mind set on going here and then for something like that to happen, I didn't know what to do."

Not wanting to make his parents have to pay for him to go to college, Bynum signed a scholarship to play for Fayetteville State University.

The decision never set right with Bynum though. His heart and mind were set on ECU, so he decided to sit out a year and then walk on at East Carolina the following year.

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Darren Bynum

# Rose, Conley In Key Tests

By TIM CHANDLER  
Reflector Sports Writer

After having an open week off to prepare, Rose High School football coach Chip Williams hopes his team will be ready for its Big East Conference opener against Northern Nash Friday.

"It's kind of like getting your engine started again when you've had a week off," Williams said. "There's always the possibility that you may not be ready, but we fully expect to be ready and I'm sure that Northern Nash will be ready."

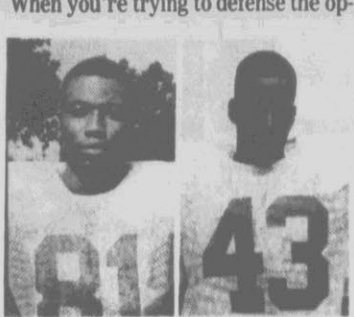
The game is already being billed by many as the game that will determine the Big East champion. Both teams enter the game with 3-0 records after breezing through their respective non-conference schedules.

"The winner (of the game) usually is the frontrunner," Williams said. "That is either fortunate or unfortunate for us, I'm not sure. We usually play two of our toughest games in the first two weeks of the conference season. (Rose will face Rocky Mount next week.) If I had my preference, I would rather play some weaker teams first. Not saying that any team in the conference is weak because I think the conference has better balance this year than it has had in a long time."

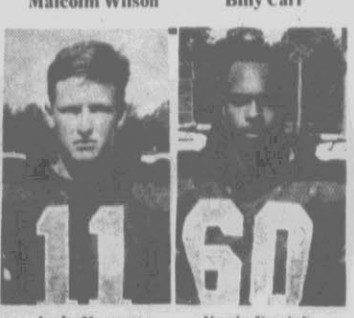
Williams said the key for the Ram-

pants will be to keep their offense on the field for as much time as possible.

"They run pretty much the same type offensive scheme as we saw against (Fayetteville) Terry Sanford (a 42-14 Rampant win)," Williams said. "They have a good quarterback (Darrain Jones) who runs the option real well and can throw quite well. When you're trying to defend the op-



Malcolm Wilson Billy Carr



Andy Fassett Kevin Daniels

tion scheme, it limits the type coverage you can put on their good receivers."

The Rampants' pass coverage against the Knights could be hampered even more with starting linebacker Malcolm Wilson listed as doubtful for Friday's game after suffering a knee injury in the Terry Sanford game.

"If Malcolm is out, we're not the same defensively," Williams said. "We'll have to make an adjustment. He was going to be on their best receiver."

Although the Rampants won last year's game fairly handily, recording a 33-14 victory, Williams expects a much tougher game this season.

"They're an excellent team," Williams said. "They've probably jelled better than any other member of the conference and I'm sure it's a game coach (Mickey) Bridges wants to win. I'm looking for a heck of a ball game with a lot of scoring."

### D.H. Conley

D.H. Conley head coach Steve Craft probably said it best when describing the Vikings Coastal 3-A Conference opener against Havelock Friday: "We're opening up against the big dog."

Havelock, ranked fourth in this week's state 3-A poll, brings a 3-0-1 record into the game, while Conley sports a 2-1 record after picking up a pair of non-conference wins last week.

"I feel like we've made improvements in every game we've played," Craft said. "We played much better in the Farmville (Central) game Friday than we did in the North Pitt game on Monday. And we played better against North Pitt than we did against Ayden-Grifton in our first game. And that's one thing we've got to do to improve each week."

To stop Havelock, the two-time defending conference champions, the Vikings must find a way to control quarterback Ledell George. Last week, in a 27-14 victory over Tarboro,

George rushed for over 100 yards on 12 carries and completed eight of 13 passes for over 100 yards. Defensively, George tallied 11 tackles and returned an interception for a touchdown.

"He's one super individual," Craft said. "He may be one of the best players in the east. He's as strong a player as we've seen this year. He's tough, but the bad news is they're not a one-man team. They've got a lot of strong supporting players to go along with him."

Although Craft admits he'd rather play the Rams later in the season, he's taking the game in stride and looking at it as a way to establish his team as the conference's frontrunner in the early going.

"I'd rather play them later after we get a little more seasoning, but it's on the schedule so we'll just get ready," Craft said. "The harder the task is the more opportunity for the team to get tougher and greater exists."

Conley played Havelock close last season losing only 20-6, after heading into the fourth quarter down only 7-6.

"We were really disappointed last year," Craft said. "We should have beat them, had them beat, but didn't get the win."

The Vikings will probably need a better offensive performance Friday than they had last week to have a shot at a win. Last week, Conley's offense sputtered, fumbling three times, in its 13-0 win over Farmville. The defense and the kicking game of the Vikings pulled the game out, however. Placekicker Andy Fassett connected on field goals of 22 and 32 yards respectively and the defense managed to set up all the scores by the Vikings.

"I've always said if you've got a strong defense and a solid kicking game you'll be okay," Craft said. "The fumbles can be taken care of with work on the fundamentals in practice and you can believe we'll concentrate hard on the basics of fundamentals this week."

# Sports Notes

## Pirates' Game AT FSU To Be Televised

The East Carolina-Florida State football game, to be played Oct. 15 will be telecast live from Tallahassee, Fla., to eastern North Carolina on WITN-TV, Channel 7, ECU athletic director Dave Hart Jr., and WITN-TV general manager Howard Meagle jointly announced Wednesday.

The game will be beamed back to eastern Carolina via satellite on the Sunshine Network with kickoff set for 2 p.m.

"This is an excellent opportunity to give our fans in eastern North Carolina a chance to see the Pirates in action against a nationally-ranked team on the road," Hart said. "We're happy to be working with WITN-TV in this project. It not only affords us an opportunity for excellent exposure, but also the opportunity to generate revenue which goes toward athletic scholarships at ECU."

Paul Kennedy, the play-by-play voice of the Sunshine Network, will handle those duties, with Keith Jones, a three-year letterman at defensive back for Florida State from 1978-80, providing the color commentary.

"We are delighted," Meagle said. "We heard that the game was being done in Florida and we asked a few questions and found ourselves with a great opportunity to bring the game back to eastern Carolina. We wanted to give the people a chance to watch the Pirates on the road."

The last time the Pirates appeared on television live in Greenville was Nov. 27, 1986, when TBS showed the Miami-East Carolina game nationwide.

## Pirate Linksters Finish Fifth In Cardinal

GREENSBORO — East Carolina finished in fifth place at the Cardinal Golf Tournament, which was played Monday and Tuesday in Greensboro.

The Pirates' John Maginnes, a sophomore, won the individual honors for the tournament by posting rounds of 67 and 73 for a 140 total in the 36-hole event.

UNC-Charlotte won the overall team title in the 15-team event with a score of 580. Virginia Commonwealth and Guilford College tied for second at 585, followed by East Tennessee State in fourth at 589. East Carolina, which led after the first round, was next with a team score of 590.

Other ECU finishers included Greg Powell, who carded rounds of 74 and 72 to finish with a 146 total, good for seventh place in the individual standings, Tee Davies 74-78 152, Paul Garcia 76-78 154, Simon Moye 75-79 154 and Jeff Craig 78-76 154.

The Pirates will be back in action Oct. 3-4 at the Hargrove-Davis Invitational at Buies Creek.

## ECU Netters Top UNC-Wilmington, 6-3

East Carolina University's men's tennis team defeated UNC-Wilmington, 6-3, on Tuesday.

The Pirates and Seahawks split the singles, each team winning three matches. But East Carolina then swept the doubles to come away with the win. The Pirates, 1-0 in dual matches, travel to UNC-Greensboro on Saturday. Summary:

Jon Melborne (EC) d. Eric Lutz, 6-2, 6-2.  
 Jon McLamb (EC) d. Troy Furbay, 6-1, 6-1.  
 Eric Norwood (W) d. Todd Sumner, 2-6, 6-0, 6-2.  
 Lee Dunn (W) d. Tim Morris, 6-2, 6-2.  
 Mark Kinkena (W) d. Mike Hudson, 6-2, 6-1.

Chris Terrell (EC) d. Dave Tedder, 6-1, 6-7, 6-3.  
 Melborne-Morris (EC) d. Lutz-Furbay, 6-4, 6-4.  
 McLamb-Hudson (EC) d. Norwood-Dunn, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.  
 Sumner-Terrell (EC) d. Dickerson-Wahlforth, 6-2, 6-4.

## Conley Wins Four-Team Cross Country Event

HOLLYWOOD — D.H. Conley's boys' cross country team captured first place in a four-way meet Wednesday, while the Valkyries took second in a three-way meet.

Conley's boys finished the day with 35 points while Currutuck finished second with 51. East Carteret was third with 66 followed by Washington with 85.

Conley's Adrain McLawhorn took first in the meet with a time of 18:44. Other Conley finishers included Jason Wing, second in 19:04; Mark Mallison, ninth in 20:21; Chris Weathington, 11th in 20:41; Jason Osborne, 12th in 20:44; Louie Holland, 13th in 20:51; Rodrick Walton, 18th in 21:51; Kareem Daniels, 19th in 22:00; Scott Hudson, 23rd in 22:28; John Dunn, 24th in 22:36; Nathan Wright, 26th in 22:58; Doug Hill, 32nd in 24:17; and Eddie Bonner, 36th in 27:06.

Washington's girls won their meet with 19 points while Conley was second with 40. East Carteret was third with 81.

Denise Wehrenberg of Washington took first place overall in a time of 22:28. Conley finishers included Gretta Harris, second in 22:48; Kim Colson, seventh in 24:37; Hope Harrington, ninth in 24:57; Tricia Smith, 10th in 26:11; Amy Allen, 12th in 28:08; Stacy Burhans, 15th in 30:08; Julie Smith, 16th in 30:29; Wendy Dixon, 17th in 32:19; and Kim Pakowski, 18th in 33:58.

Conley's boys are now 6-2 while the girls are 5-2. Conley travels to compete in the New Bern Cross Country Carnival on Saturday.

## Former Deacon Back Ramseur Killed

FORESTVILLE, Md. (AP) — Michael Ramseur, a former running back at Wake Forest who was the school's leading scorer in history, was shot and killed by a District of Columbia police officer after Ramseur allegedly assaulted the officer, authorities say.

The Prince George's County state's attorney is investigating the death Tuesday night, officials said.

Spokesman Mark Wright said youth division officer David Pigford shot Ramseur after he attacked him with a club in the northeast section of Washington about 10 p.m. Tuesday.

Wright said Pigford, a 17-year-veteran of the District's force, was on patrol near Kenilworth Avenue at the Maryland-District line when he was flagged down by an unidentified man who was being beaten by two men with a club.

The man pleaded with the officer to help him and says Pigford was assaulted by Ramseur as the officer tried to lend assistance. Wright said Pigford pulled his service revolver and fired two shots which hit Ramseur in the chest.

The other suspect then fled on foot. Ramseur was taken to the Prince George's Hospital Center, where he died shortly before 11 p.m.

Police identified Ramseur's accomplice as a 22-year-old black male who was still being sought Wednesday. The man who was being clubbed didn't require hospitalization, police said.

Ramseur scored 194 points at Wake Forest. He was the second leading rusher in the school's history behind James McDougald, gaining 3,325 yards in 753 carries, and he was tied with McDougald for most rushing touchdowns in a career with 30.

His 109 pass receptions in a career tied him with Kenny Duckett for fifth on the all-time Demon Deacon list.

# Pirates Set To Open Home Stand

By WOODY PEELE  
 Reflector Sports Editor

East Carolina's Pirates, who open a three-game home stand in Ficklen Stadium Saturday, must be wary of their first opponent in the series, Southern Mississippi.

The Golden Eagles will bring in a 2-1 record to the game, including a 35-13 victory over Virginia Tech, a team that beat the Pirates', 27-16, two weeks ago.

The Eagles are led by an outstanding young quarterback in sophomore Brett Favre, who connected on 11 of 17 passes for 148 yards and three touchdowns against Tech. Those three scoring aerials moved Favre to within one of tying USM's all-time mark in that department with 19. Favre also stands 11th on the career completions list with 114, ninth in attempts with 272 and 10th in yards gained with 1,691. He's only played in 13 games and has had at least one touchdown pass in nine of those.

Another strong standout for the Golden Eagles is kick return specialist James Henry, a man more than familiar to the Pirates. Twice last year, he returned punts for touchdowns against East Carolina, and it meant the difference in USM's 38-34 victory last season.

Saturday, Henry was the man of the hour once more, returning a kick 44 yards for a touchdown against Virginia Tech. Henry, a senior, has 50 punt returns for 667 yards, a 13.4 average. Five of his returns have gone for touchdowns.

This year, he has 10 kickoff returns

for 182 yards and nine punt returns for 111 yards.

In addition to Henry's touchdown return, the Eagles also scored off a blocked punt. William Kirksey got the block and sophomore Simmie Carter scooped it up and returned it 60 yards for the score.

Ironically, Virginia Tech blocked an Eagle punt and turned it into a touchdown to take an early lead in the game.

The blocked punt was the second in just 22 attempts for Southern Mississippi's kicker, Scott Bryant, a freshman.

The Eagles have won 10 of the previous 13 meetings with the Pirates, including the last four in a row. East Carolina's last win was in 1983, when the Pirates took a 10-6 win. East Carolina has not won in Greenville since 1976, when it took a 48-0 victory.

Southern opened the season with a 21-7 win over Division I-AA Stephen F. Austin at home, then was bowled over by Florida State, 49-13, in its only road game thus far, prior to playing Tech at Hattiesburg.

In three games, Southern Mississippi has rushed for 282 yards while allowing 310. The Golden Eagles have passed for 451 yards and allowed 573.

The top rusher on the team is back-up tailback Ricky Bradley, who has 152 yards on 32 carries, including two touchdowns. Shelton Gandy, the starter at tailback, has rushed for 192 yards on 57 carries, with one touchdown. No one else on the team

has more than 30 yards.

Overall, Favre has hit on 35 of 78 passes for 427 yards and four touchdowns. Two passes have been intercepted.

His top receiver has been back-up split end Alfred Williams, who has 10 catches for 140 yards and one touchdown. Michael Jackson has four catches for 70 yards while Gandy and split end Darryl Tillman each have five catches for 52 and 36 yards, respectively.

Southern's placekicker Chris Seroka has made good on all nine of his point after attempts and is two of four field goals. His two misses came on kicks of 40-plus yards, one of them over 50 yards.

Bryant, the punter, has averaged 42.6 yards a kick.

Southern's defense has been strong thus far, intercepting five opponent passes. Linebackers George Hill and Tony Pogue each have 25 tackles to lead the Eagles in that category while strong safety Vincent Rollins is next with 21.

Southern is still looking for its first score in the opening period of a game, having been shut out in its first three games in that quarter.

But in each of the remaining periods, they've outscored their opponents.

Saturday, against the Pirates, they'll be trying to repeat that performance in those final three, plus get their first score in their first.

## Greene Central Topped In Girls' Tennis Action

SNOW HILL — James Kenan High School gained a 9-0 tennis victory over Greene Central Wednesday.

Greene Central came closest to a win in the number one singles where Jennifer Roberts forced Beth Pope to three sets before bowing.

The loss drops the Lady Rams to 0-4 while James Kenan climbs to 4-0. Greene Central travels to Charles B. Aycock today.

Summary:

Beth Pope (JK) d. Jennifer Roberts, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2.  
 Leigh Ann Carlton (JK) d. Carmen Sugg, 6-0, 6-1.  
 Dawn Guy (JK) d. Megan Wyatt, 7-5, 6-2.  
 Britney Hasty (JK) d. Kim Pridgen, 6-1, 6-0.  
 Christy Kornegay (JK) d. Lisa Cullipher, 6-0, 6-0.  
 Rosemary Futrell (JK) d. Bridget Williamson, 6-2, 6-0.  
 Pope-Carlton (JK) d. Roberts-Sugg, 8-1.  
 Guy-Hasty (JK) d. Wyatt-Pridgen, 8-3.  
 Kornegay-Futrell (JK) d. Stacey Morgan-Sherry Griggs, 8-2.  
 Exhibition: Vanessa Mills (JK) d. Morgan, 8-1; Gretta Batts (JK) d. Grubbs, 8-1.

Roanoke.....5  
 Northampton E.....4

ROBERSONVILLE — Roanoke's girls tennis team used strong play from its lower-seeded players to score a 5-4 victory over Northampton East in high school tennis action Wednesday.

The win lifted Roanoke to 5-2 overall and 3-2 in the Northeastern Conference. The next match for the Lady Redskins' netters will be today against Plymouth.

Summary:

Polly John (NH) def. Amy Stegel 6-3, 6-4.  
 Marianna Gay (NH) def. Dawn Briley 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.  
 Donna Johnson (NH) def. Amy Oakley 6-4, 6-4.  
 Rhonda Bailey (R) def. Carol Lanier 6-2, 6-2.  
 Michelle Roberson (R) def. Anita Knight 6-2, 6-1.  
 Cindy Powell (R) def. Mary Coggins 6-3, 6-1.  
 P. Johnson-Gay (NH) def. Stigell-Roberson 8-5.  
 Briley-Oakley (R) def. D. Johnson-Lanier 8-1.  
 Krista Ayers-Powell def. Knight-Coggins 8-5.

## Bynum...

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"My mother kept telling me that if I waited a whole year that I might not even go back to school," Bynum said. "And then my friends started saying that I would never go back. But, deep down, I knew what I wanted to do and I knew it wouldn't bother me to wait for one year."

Bynum spent the year working for Cox Cleaning Service, a business owned by his father and a friend of the family. In his spare time, he would go to the Beddingfield gymnasium to lift weights and work out.

"It wasn't that bad," Bynum said. "I just kept thinking about how glad I would be when I got to play football again."

The moment of truth for Bynum came when he attended the walk-on practices in the early spring after getting his academic situation started and under control at ECU.

"I wanted to make myself known," Bynum said. "So I just came out here as a regular walk-on. I didn't even tell coach (Art) Baker that I had been recruited before. I just went through the tryouts and tried to impress them (the coaches)."

After grabbing the attention of the coaches and gaining a spot on the team, Bynum quickly moved up the Pirate depth chart and now sees time at both the wingback position and at the slot.

In fact, Bynum is the featured runner in "Coach Baker's Play." The play is a reverse set up to look like quarterback Travis Hunter is going to run the option. Instead of pitching to the trailing back, Hunter flips the ball to Bynum to swing around the other end.

"Initially, I think it (the play) was

set up (exclusively) for me," Bynum said. "But now all of the wingbacks are using it. It's a great play."

Bynum nearly had a perfect debut for the play in the Pirates' 52-13 home opening victory over Tennessee Tech. The play went for a touchdown, but Bynum was called for illegal procedure, wiping out the run.

"I hadn't been on the field in about four and a half years, so I was a little anxious," Bynum said. "But I promise it'll never happen again."

Even though the play was called back, Bynum felt it gained the success the coaches thought it could.

"Even before the play was run, I knew in the back of my mind it was going to be a wide open play. It was something Tennessee Tech had never seen us do and I felt like all I would see when I turned the corners was purple jerseys. And I was right."

With the accomplishments he has achieved personally, Bynum believes the Pirates can achieve their goal of having a winning year. The odds are stacked against the 1-2 Pirates with games still remaining against West Virginia, Miami, Florida State and Syracuse, but odds don't seem to bother Bynum.

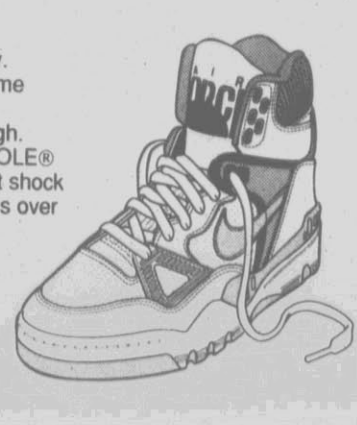
"A lot of people didn't expect me to come back to college after sitting out a year, but I not only came back to college I also am able to play football so I proved them wrong in two categories," Bynum said.

"A lot of people don't think East Carolina is going to have a winning season, but that is only including the people that are not out there on the practice field with us. Everybody on the practice field and everybody associated with East Carolina football believes we are going to have a winning season."

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# Boston Party Put On Hold By Toronto

**By HILLEL ITALIE**  
Associated Press Writer  
The Massachusetts Miracle is going to have to wait.

After taking three out of four against the New York Yankees last weekend, Boston seemed to have sealed its hold on first in the American League East and buried any memories of its collapse in 1978.

But thanks to the pesky Toronto Blue Jays, the Red Sox are suddenly vulnerable again. They dropped two out of three at Toronto and start a weekend series Friday at New York, which swept a three-game series from Baltimore to pull to within 4 1/2.

Milwaukee is just four games back and Detroit trails by five. The Red Sox have 10 games left to play.

"We still control our own destiny, boys," Boston manager Joe Morgan said after his team fell 1-0 to Mike

Flanagan and the Blue Jays Wednesday night. "It's been that way since April 1 or whatever. We're still out in front and they've got to catch us."

The Red Sox have dropped eight of 10 against the Blue Jays this season and must face them three more times next week. This weekend, Boston will have its top three pitchers — Roger Clemens, Bruce Hurst and Mike Boddicker — facing the Yankees.

"We'll battle 'em again, just like we've done before," Morgan said. "We just have to go in and take some games there. It looks like another hectic weekend with the pinstripers."

Elsewhere, it was Oakland 6, Minnesota 3; Kansas City 5, Seattle 4; Detroit 3, Cleveland 2; New York 3, Baltimore 2 in 12 innings; Chicago 6, Texas 1; and Milwaukee 10, California 3.

Flanagan scattered four hits in eight innings and did not allow a Boston baserunner past first. Duane Ward worked the ninth, retiring Jim Rice with two outs and two on to earn his 15th save.

"People said he hadn't been throwing too good, but the guy outpitched us by a run," Morgan said. "I had a hunch he'd be trouble, but I didn't think he'd shut us down."

The Red Sox must have seen something in the 36-year-old Flanagan. They tried to acquire him last month.

"It was a compliment in the sense that another team wanted me, but it was unsettling because I was happy here and I don't consider myself a mercenary," Flanagan said.

**Brewers 10, Angels 3**  
Milwaukee maintained sole possession of second place in the AL East, completing a three-game sweep at California as rookie Gary Sheffield drove in three runs.

The Brewers, who have just eight games remaining, play host to the Oakland Athletics this weekend.

Sheffield's RBI single in the sixth chased Willie Fraser, 11-12. In the eighth, Sheffield hit a two-run homer, his third of the season and second in two nights.

Don August, 12-6, allowed eight hits in five innings. Paul Mirabella, the third Milwaukee pitcher, worked 3 1-3 innings for his third save.

**Yankees 3, Orioles 2**  
New York made the most of its series with last-place Baltimore, taking all three games. Don Slaught's one-out homer in the bottom of the 12th inning Wednesday night completed the sweep.

The Yankees, held to one hit in the previous five innings, won when Slaught hit the first pitch from Mark Thurmond for his ninth home run. Thurmond, 1-8, entered in the 12th and struck out Gary Ward to start the inning.

Dale Mohorcic, 4-7, pitched two scoreless innings for the win. He escaped a first-and-third jam in the 11th when first baseman Don Mattingly fielded Mikey Tettleton's grounder and threw Cal Ripken out at the plate.

Orioles starter Jeff Ballard pitched nine innings and gave up two runs on

five hits. Baltimore has been swept in 14 series this season.

**Tigers 3, Indians 2**  
Darrell Evans' two-out double in the bottom of the eighth drove in Matt Nokes with the go-ahead run as Detroit beat Cleveland.

With two outs in the eighth, Nokes singled off reliever Brad Havens, 2-3. Evans hit a line drive to right center which got past a diving Cory Snyder, the right fielder, and rolled to the fence as Nokes came around to score.

Doyle Alexander, 13-11, scattered 11 hits, struck out five and walked none but was replaced by Eric King after giving up a leadoff single to Andy Allanson in the ninth. King retired the next three batters to earn his third save.

**Athletics 6, Twins 3**  
Oakland set a major-league record for saves in a single season, made possible, ironically, by shortstop Walt Weiss' first error in 59 games.

The error allowed Minnesota to score an unearned run in the top of the eighth inning, pulling the Twins within three runs and setting the

stage for Dennis Eckersley to earn his 43rd save of the season and the 61st for Oakland.

The old record of 60 saves in a season was held by the Cincinnati Reds, who reached that total in 1970 and 1972.

Bob Welch, 16-8, allowed five hits in seven-plus innings. Eckersley got the last three outs. The A's were down 2-0 at one point but scored three runs in the third and three in the fifth off Bert Blyleven, 10-16.

**Royals 5, Mariners 4**  
Bo Jackson homered twice and scored the go-ahead run in the ninth inning as Kansas City beat Seattle.

Jackson walked to lead off the top of the ninth against reliever Mike Jackson, 6-5, stole second and scored on Jim Eisenreich's double.

Mark Gubicza, 19-7, earned his fifth straight victory, allowing nine hits in 8 2-3 innings, striking out five and walking three. Israel Sanchez got the final out for his first save.

The Royals opened the scoring against Erik Hanson in the first inning on an RBI single by Bill Buckner.

**White Sox 6, Rangers 1**  
Shawn Hillegas allowed no hits for 6 1-3 innings before combining with Bobby Thigpen on a three-hitter to lead Chicago.

Hillegas, 2-2, allowed a single to center by Pete O'Brien in the seventh. The only Rangers to reach base prior to the hit were Jerry Browne, who walked in the first, and Geno Petralli, hit by a pitch in the second.

Ruben Sierra singled to follow O'Brien in the seventh and Browne singled in the ninth for Texas' only other hits. Hillegas, 2-2, allowed three hits, struck out five and walked three in 8 2-3 innings. Thigpen got the last out for his 32nd save.

Dave Gallagher connected in the top of the first against Jose Guzman, 11-13, for his fifth homer.

## Sportline

To The Sports Editor:

I was disturbed by the Sept. 15 Sportline written by Jeff Holoman of Greenville. "I hate to say it but 'Here we go again' Pirate fans" was the opening statement by Holoman.

Obviously, the Pirates have fallen on hard times, but how can we blame Coach Art Baker for all of the misfortunes. Coach Baker is just that, a coach. He can only instruct and teach his players; it's their job to perform.

If there is a problem, it is the pressure put on our former athletic director to make the Pirates' schedule the best in the nation.

As for the question about Coach Baker not taking chances, I think he takes a big chance every Saturday taking his team against those teams.

Also, Mr. Holoman says he does not understand why Charlie Libretto hasn't played more.

Does Holoman realize that Libretto has quit the team twice before rejoining them this year? Even if Libretto played like John Elway, you have to respect the other players on this team. There are many guys that hung around during the hard years without ever quitting. What kind of respect can you have for a coach that would start a guy who quit his school, fellow teammates, and self not once, but twice. If Libretto is the better quarterback, Coach Baker will give him a fair shot when the time is right.

The Pirates played a heck of a game at South Carolina on Saturday. I think they deserve a lot of praise for their effort and a full house Saturday against Southern Mississippi.

John W. Linton  
Greenville

(Letters to Sportline are welcome, but should be limited to 300 words. Letters must be signed and writers should include their telephone numbers.)

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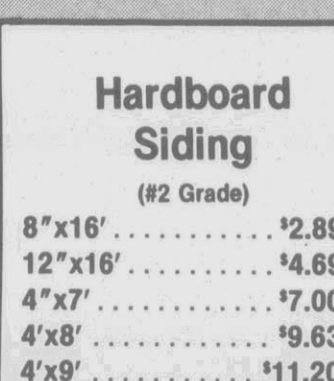
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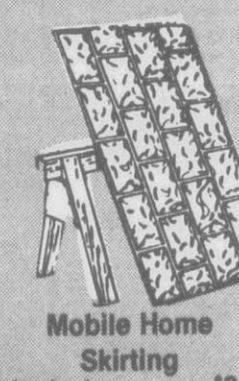
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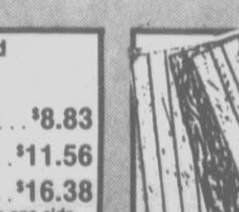
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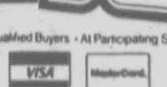
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### AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Boston	86	66	566	—	2-7	33-41	33-41
Milwaukee	83	71	539	4	2-8	2-2	39-39
New York	81	70	536	4 1/2	6-4	42-32	36-38
Detroit	81	71	533	5	5-5	47-31	34-40
Toronto	79	74	516	7 1/2	7-3	42-36	37-38
Cleveland	72	80	474	14	2-7	38-33	34-47
Baltimore	52	98	347	33	2-8	32-40	20-58

West Division

W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
x-Oakland	98	55	641	—	2-8	52-26	46-29
Minnesota	83	69	546	14 1/2	4-6	43-32	40-37
Kansas City	80	72	526	17 1/2	5-5	41-33	39-39
California	75	78	490	23	2-8	35-42	40-36
Texas	66	85	437	31	2-4	37-41	29-44
Chicago	65	86	430	32	2-4	36-39	29-47
Seattle	63	89	414	34 1/2	2-5	35-42	28-47

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	93	57	620	—	2-9	52-24	41-33
Pittsburgh	82	69	543	11 1/2	2-9	47-31	41-33
Montreal	76	76	500	18	2-5	40-34	36-42
St. Louis	73	80	477	21 1/2	3-7	40-38	33-42
Chicago	66	85	437	31	3-7	37-41	29-44
Philadelphia	60	91	397	37 1/2	2-4	35-39	25-52

West Division

W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	89	62	589	—	2-8	52-26	46-29
Cincinnati	80	71	530	9	6-4	42-34	38-37
Houston	79	73	520	10 1/2	2-3	43-34	36-39
San Francisco	79	73	520	10 1/2	3-7	43-33	37-40
San Diego	74	77	490	15	2-8	43-35	31-42
Atlanta	52	98	347	36 1/2	3-7	35-42	27-53

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Atlanta IP H R ER BB SO

Atlanta 7 1 1 1 1 5  
Houston 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Knepper W 14-5 9 1 0 0 1  
Umpires—Home, Bonn; First, Kibler; Second, Gregg; Third, Quack; T-2:04-A-7:31

PITTSBURGH ST. LOUIS

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Atlanta 7 1 1 1 1 5  
Houston 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Knepper W 14-5 9 1 0 0 1  
Umpires—Home, Bonn; First, Kibler; Second, Gregg; Third, Quack; T-2:04-A-7:31

San Fran CINCIATI

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Cincinnati 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Butler W 4-1 1 0 0 0 1  
Umpires—Home, Davis; First, Hohn; Second, Froemming; Third, Darling; T-3:01-A-3:50

San Diego LOS ANGELES

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Los Angeles 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Rasmus W 3-1 1 0 0 0 1  
Umpires—Home, McHenry; First, Thord; Second, Hirschbeck; Third, West; T-2:57-A-3:50

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## TANK McNAMARA



## by Jeff Millar & Bill Hinds



Minnesota IP H R ER BB SO

Minnesota 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Oakland 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Game Winning RBI—Hassey (9)  
E. Weiss; DP—Minnesota (1); LOB—Minnesota 6, Oakland 6; 2B—Javier, Weiss; 3B—Phillips

MINNESOTA OAKLAND

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Minnesota 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Oakland 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Game Winning RBI—Hassey (9)  
E. Weiss; DP—Minnesota (1); LOB—Minnesota 6, Oakland 6; 2B—Javier, Weiss; 3B—Phillips

CLEVELAND DETROIT

Cleveland IP H R ER BB SO  
Cleveland 2 1 1 1 1 1  
Detroit 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Game Winning RBI—DeVries (3)  
DP—Cleveland 1, Detroit 1; HR—Allanson (5); S—Zuvela

MILWAUKEE CALIFORNIA

Milwaukee IP H R ER BB SO  
Milwaukee 0 0 0 0 0 0  
California 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Game Winning RBI—Meyer (5)  
E—Howell; Gantner, DP—Milwaukee 1; LOB—Milwaukee 6, California 12; 2B—Gantner, CDavis, Ray; Yount, Molitor; HR—Sheffield (13); SB—Felder (6); Hamilton (7); Gantner (20); S—Boone; Gantner SF—Surhoff

Olympic Games

By The Associated Press  
Wednesday's Olympic Results  
BASEBALL (Demonstration)  
South Korea 5, Canada 3  
United States 12, Australia 2, 7 innings

BASKETBALL

Men  
United States 102, Brazil 87  
Canada 117, Egypt 91  
Spain 106, China 4  
Yugoslavia 104, South Korea 92

BOXING

Light Flyweight (105.6 pounds)  
Leopoldo Serantes, Philippines, stopped Mustafa Hassan, Egypt, 9:39 second  
Hyon Dang Hieu, Vietnam, outpointed Fred Wuteteja, Ireland, 4:21  
Samuel Stewart, Liberia, outpointed Darwin Angeles, Honduras, 5:0  
Hyon Dang Hieu, Vietnam, stopped Antonio Caballero, Spain, 2:28 second  
Thomas Chisenga, Zambia, outpointed Lu Hsin-Hung, Taiwan, 4:1  
Wayne McCullough, Ireland, outpointed Fred Wuteteja, Ireland, 4:59  
Robert Scott Olson, Canada, knocked out Washington Banian, Papua New Guinea, 1:15 first  
Beltré Herrera, Dominican Republic, outpointed Marcelino Bolivar, Venezuela, 4:1  
Chatchai Kasikul, Thailand, outpointed Las Hadas, Puerto Rico, 4:1  
Alexandre Markhoutov, Soviet Union, outpointed Carlos Mario Eluaza, Argentina, 5:0  
Maurice Maina, Kenya, outpointed Mohamad Haddad, Syria, 4:0  
Robert Isaszegi, Hungary, outpointed Colin Moore, Guyana, 5:0  
Ghazem Ibrahim, Algeria, knocked out Hund Kanika, Zaire, 2:21 first  
Henry Martinez, El Salvador, def. Yehuda Ben-Haim, Israel, disqualification  
Sedon Abou, Iraq, stopped Boumy Thephavong, Laos, 2:47 second  
Mahjoub M. Jirih, Morocco, outpointed Hui Dem-Hung, Mongolia, 3:2  
Manoj Pingale, India, outpointed Mark Chong, Zambia, 5:0  
Ivailo Hristov, Bulgaria, outpointed Joseph Britton, Jamaica, 5:0  
Flawlight (112 pounds)  
Mario Gonzalez, Mexico, outpointed Teboho Mathibane, Lesotho, 5:0  
Philippe Desavoie, France, stopped Anthony Ilegu, Kenya, 0:23 second  
Sam Almutairi, Kuwait, 2:43 first  
Melvin DeLeon, Dominican Republic, stopped Badie Oviemi, Niger, 1:33 first  
Benjamin Awangata, Tanzania, outpointed Peter Ayasu, Malawi, 5:0  
Andy Agosto, Puerto Rico, outpointed Hamed Halaboun, Syria, 5:0  
Ezmond Inyang, Uganda, knocked out Walid Salem obek, South Yemen, 2:32 first  
Timofei Skriabin, Soviet Union, outpointed Joseph Lawler, Ireland, 5:0  
Benissa Abd, Algeria, outpointed Aissa Moukrim, Morocco, 3:2  
Arthur Johnson, Minnesota, stopped Bishnu Bahadur Singh, Nepal, 1:04 second  
Sam Kwang-sun, South Korea, stopped Nkhotula Tshabangu, Zimbabwe, 0:59 second  
Janos Taradi, Hungary, outpointed Roberto Jalnuz, Philippines, 4:1  
Andreas Tews, East Germany, outpointed Wang Weiping, China, 5:0  
Seratin Tudorov, Bulgaria, outpointed Setsuo Segawa, Japan, 5:0  
Gameldeen Elkoumy, Egypt, outpointed Ramazan Gul, Turkey, 4:1  
Light Heavyweight (177.9 pounds)  
Damian Skala, Yugoslavia, outpointed Dean Kirilov, Bulgaria, 3:2  
Niels Madsen, Denmark, stopped Terry

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games  
Oakland 6, Minnesota 3  
Kansas City 5, Seattle 4  
Toronto 1, Boston 3  
Detroit 3, Cleveland 2  
New York 3, Baltimore 2, 12 innings  
Chicago 6, Texas 1  
Milwaukee 10, California 3

Thursday's Games  
Detroit 7, Tampa 14, 10 p.m.  
Baltimore 6, St. Louis 7, 7:35 p.m.  
Minnesota 1, Anderson 14, 7 p.m.  
California 1, Clark 5, 10:05 p.m.  
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games  
Boston at New York, 7:30 p.m.  
Toronto at Cleveland, 7:35 p.m.  
Detroit at Baltimore, 8:05 p.m.  
Kansas City at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.  
Oakland at Milwaukee, 8:35 p.m.  
Seattle at Texas, 8:35 p.m.  
Minnesota at California, 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games  
Montreal 8, Chicago 5  
Cincinnati 5, San Francisco 1  
New York 4, Philadelphia 3  
Houston 1, Atlanta 0  
Pittsburgh 5, St. Louis 0  
San Diego 9, Los Angeles 3, 1st game

Thursday's Games  
Los Angeles 6, San Diego 5, 10 innings, 2nd game  
New York at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.  
Atlanta (13-11) at Houston (13-11), 8:35 p.m.  
San Diego (10-11) at Los Angeles (17-9), 10:35 p.m.  
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games  
Chicago at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.  
Montreal at Philadelphia, 7:35 p.m.  
Cincinnati at Atlanta, 7:40 p.m.  
New York at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.  
Houston at San Diego, 10:05 p.m.  
Los Angeles at San Francisco, 10:35 p.m.

HOME RUNS—Canseco, Oakland, 40; McGriff, Toronto, 33; Gaetti, Minnesota, 28; McGwire, Oakland, 28; Carter, Cleveland, 27; J. Clark, New York, 27; Murray, Baltimore, 27.

STOLEN BASES—Henderson, New York, 86; Pettis, Detroit, 43; Molitor, Milwaukee, 41; Canseco, Oakland, 38; McDowell, Texas, 32; Reynolds, Seattle, 32; Wilson, Kansas City, 22.

PITCHING (14 decisions)—Hurst, Boston, 18.5, 7.81, 3.61, G.Davis, Oakland, 16.5, 7.62, 3.46; Viola, Minnesota, 16, 7.9, 3.42; Gabeza, Kansas City, 19.7, 7.31, 2.77; Robinson, Detroit, 13.6, 6.84, 2.8.

STRIKEOUTS—Clemens, Boston, 28; Langston, Seattle, 22; Viola, Minnesota, 18.6; Higuera, Milwaukee, 17.8; Mioreau, Seattle, 17.4.

SAVES—Eckersley, Oakland, 43; Reynolds, Minnesota, 40; DJones, Cleveland, 34; Thippen, Chicago, 32; Plesac, Milwaukee, 32.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING (450 at bats)—Gwynn, San Diego, 135; Palmeiro, Chicago, 107; Gibson, Los Angeles, 106; Galaraga, Montreal, 102; Dawson, Chicago, 298.

RUNS—Butler, San Francisco, 109; Gibson, Los Angeles, 105; Bonds, Pittsburgh, 96; Clark, San Francisco, 95; Galaraga, Montreal, 94; Van Slyke, Pittsburgh, 94.

RBI—Clark, San Francisco, 104; G.Davis, Houston, 96; Strawberry, New York, 96; Van Slyke, Pittsburgh, 93; McKeynolds, New York, 93.

HITS—Galaraga, Montreal, 175; Palmeiro, Chicago, 170; Dawson, Chicago, 167; Sax, Los Angeles, 165; Killebrew, Minnesota, 160; Larkin, Cincinnati, 160.

DOUBLES—Galaraga, Montreal, 41; Sabo, Cincinnati, 40; Palmeiro, Chicago, 38; Bream, Pittsburgh, 35; D.Murphy, Atlanta, 34.

TRIPLES—Van Slyke, Pittsburgh, 15; Coleman, St. Louis, 10; Butler, San Francisco, 9; G.Young, Houston, 8; Gant, Atlanta, 8; Samuel, Philadelphia, 8; Sandberg, Chicago, 8.

HOME RUNS—Strawberry, New York, 36; G.Davis, Houston, 29; Galaraga, Montreal, 28; Clark, San Francisco, 27; E.Davis, Cincinnati, 25; Gibson, Los Angeles, 25; McKeynolds, New York, 25.

STOLEN BASES—Coleman, St. Louis, 79; G.Young, Houston, 61; Smith, St. Louis, 54; Sabo, Cincinnati, 46; Sax, Los Angeles, 42.

PITCHING (14 decisions)—Cone, New York, 18.3, 8.57, 2.17; Parrett, Montreal, 11.3, 7.86, 2.17; Browning, Cincinnati, 17.5, 7.74, 3.34; D.Jackson, Cincinnati, 22.7, 7.59, 2.63; Knepper, Houston, 14.5, 7.37, 3.09.

STRIKEOUTS—Ryan, Houston, 228; Cone, New York, 195; DeLeon, St. Louis, 194; Fernandez, New York, 178; Scott, Houston, 177.

SAVES—Franco, Cincinnati, 34; Gott, Pittsburgh, 32; Worrell, St. Louis, 32; MaDavis, San Diego, 27; Bedrosian, Philadelphia, 25; DSmith, Houston, 25.

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League Leaders

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING (450 at bats)—Boggs, Boston, 362; Puckett, Minnesota, 351; Greenwell, Boston, 335; Winfield, New York, 330; Molitor, Milwaukee, 316.

RUNS—Boggs, Boston, 118; Henderson, New York, 111; Molitor, Milwaukee, 109; D.Henderson, Oakland, 98.

RBI—Canseco, Oakland, 117; Greenwell, Boston, 112; Puckett, Minnesota, 110; Winfield, New York, 106; Brett, Kansas City, 102; D.W.Evans, Boston, 102.

HITS—Puckett, Minnesota, 216; Boggs, Boston, 201; Greenwell, Boston, 186; Molitor, Milwaukee, 183; Canseco, Oakland, 179; Yount, Milwaukee, 179.

DOUBLES—Boggs, Boston, 41; Brett, Kansas City, 41; Greenwell, Boston, 38; Ray, California, 38; Puckett, Minnesota, 37.

TRIPLES—Reynolds, Seattle, 11; Wilson, Kansas City, 11; Yount, Milwaukee, 11; Greenwell, Boston, 8; 4 are tied with 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

MONTREAL CHICAGO

Montreal 1 0 0 0 0 1  
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Game Winning RBI—Gyongy (3)  
DP—Houston 1, LOB—Houston 5; 2B—Bass, Caminiti; S—Knepper

Atlanta HOUSTON

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Houston 1 0 0 0 0 1  
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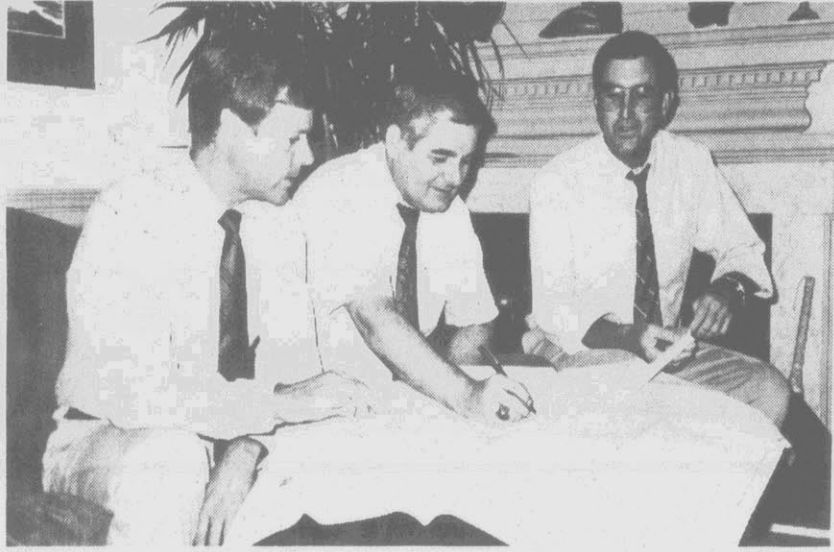
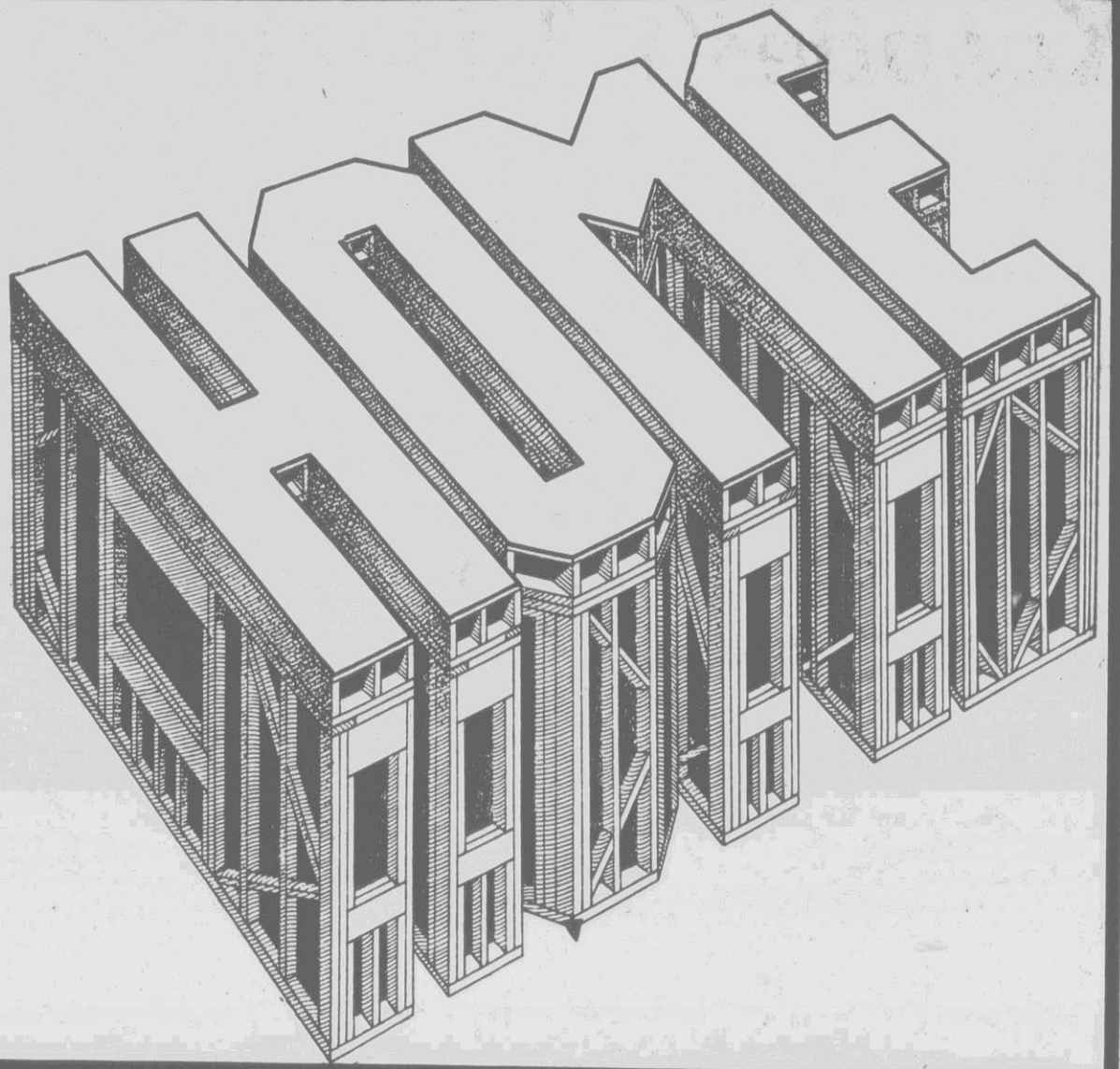
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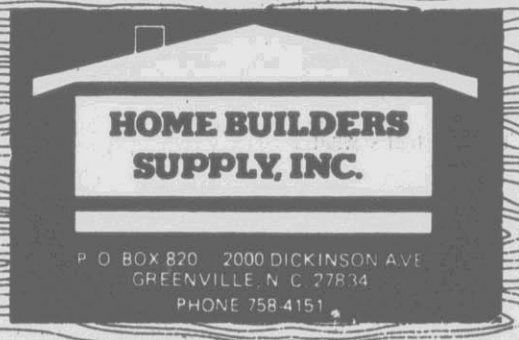
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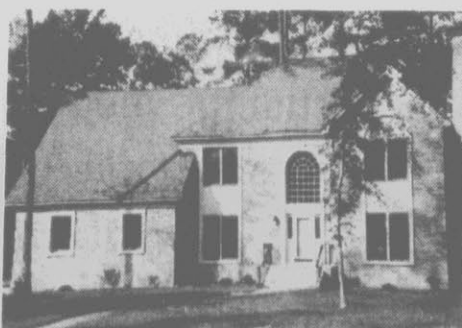


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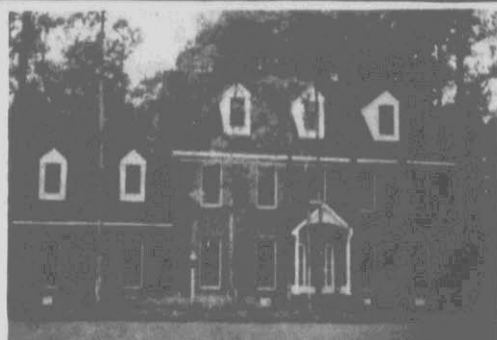
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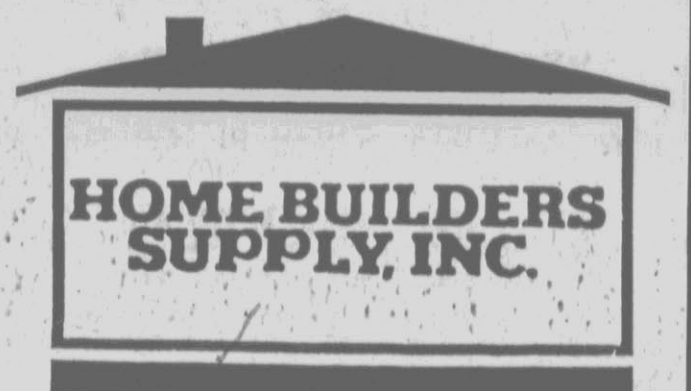
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# Knepper's 1-Hitter Leads Astros To Win

By The Associated Press  
Bob Knepper pitched the best game of his career, but it came too late to help the Houston Astros.

Knepper threw the first one-hitter of his major-league career Wednesday night and Houston beat the Atlanta Braves 1-0. Dale Murphy got the only hit, an infield single to third in the second inning that didn't draw a throw.

"I had a good sinker and a good fastball, and I kept the ball down," Knepper said. "I don't know if this is the best stuff I've ever had. Sometimes I've had good stuff and it

seems like I got bombed. But I had good location and they hit the pitches for ground balls when I needed it.

"It's real nice to have a good year. But, in a sense, what good did it do? The idea is to be on a playoff or World Series team. It's just nice to look back and know I didn't cost us anything."

Houston had lost six straight games to fall out of the National League West race. The Astros, tied with San Francisco for third place, trail first-place Los Angeles by 10 1/2 games and are 1 1/2 games behind Cincinnati.

"The way we've been going, maybe this will turn us around," Houston manager Hal Lanier said. "The bottom line is we stopped the losing streak. Maybe we will get a little more relaxed. I wish I knew our hitters problems. Maybe they're pressing too much."

In other games, New York beat Philadelphia 4-3, Pittsburgh beat St. Louis 5-0, San Diego beat Los Angeles 9-3 in the first game of a doubleheader and lost the second game 6-5 in 10 innings, Montreal beat Chicago 8-5 and Cincinnati beat San Francisco 5-1.

Knepper, 14-5, retired 20 in a row after Murphy's single until he walked Bruce Benedict to lead off the ninth. Knepper struck out seven and walked one in his second shutout and third complete game this season.

Gerald Young hit an infield single in the eighth inning, sending Atlanta to its eighth loss in 11 games.

Mets 4, Phillies 3  
Darryl Strawberry hit his league-leading 36th home run as New York clinched a tie for first place. But the Mets did in on a down note because left-hander Bob Ojeda nearly severed the middle finger of his

pitching hand earlier in the day.

Ojeda sustained the injury using a hedge-clipper in his garden. He underwent five hours of microsurgery to reattach the tip of the finger and damaged arteries, tendons and nerves. Doctors estimated he will take four to six months to recover.

Sid Fernandez, 10-10, gave up six hits, struck out seven and walked two in eight innings. Randy Myers finished for his 24th save.

Strawberry broke a 2-2 tie in the fifth when he homered off Marvin Freeman, 2-3.

Gregg Jefferies hit his sixth home run in the seventh to make it 4-2 before Ricky Jordan tripled in the ninth and scored on Juan Samuel's groundout.

New York has won seven straight, 12 of 13 and 22 of 27.

Pirates 5, Cardinals 0  
John Smiley pitched a two-hitter for his first career shutout and Benny Distefano hit a three-run homer.

Smiley, 12-10, struck out six and walked none in his fifth complete game, the 16th shutout against St. Louis this season.

Jose DeLeon, 12-9, had his six-game winning streak stopped.

Mike LaValliere and Felix Permin hit run-scoring singles.

Padres 9, Dodgers 3  
Dodgers 6, Padres 5  
Mike Devereaux's run-scoring single in the 10th inning of the second game gave Los Angeles a split and lowered the Dodgers' magic number to three.

In the first game, Dennis Rasmussen pitched a seven-hitter and Benito Santiago capped a seven-run second inning with his first grand slam.

Rasmussen, 15-9, won for the ninth time in 10 starts. He struck out two and walked one in his fifth complete game, ending the Padres' four-game losing streak.

Ramon Martinez, 1-3, walked three of the first four batters and John Kruk hit an RBI single to end the Dodgers' streak of 30 shutout innings. Santiago followed with a run-scoring groundout.

Jay Howell, 5-3, relieved in the 10th inning of the second game and struck out the side. Mark Davis, 5-10, relieved in the eighth.

Expos 8, Cubs 5  
Graig Nettles' pinch-hit double drove in Tom Foley with the winning run as Montreal rallied for six runs in the ninth.

Montreal opened the ninth with three straight hits off reliever Jeff Pico to cut Chicago's lead to 5-3.

An error by shortstop Angel Salazar and a wild pitch by Rich Gossage, 3-3, tied the score. Nettles, hitting for Otis Nixon, then doubled to put the Expos ahead 6-5 and give Joe Hesketh, 4-3, the win.

Vance Law drove in all five Chicago runs.

Reds 5, Giants 1  
Tom Browning, making his first start since his perfect game, allowed five hits in eight innings and Van Snider hit a three-run eighth-inning homer, the first home run of his career.

Browning, 17-5, came within one out of tying Jim Barr's major-league record of 41 consecutive batters retired, set in 1972. Will Clark broke up Browning's string with a two-out single in the first.

Rick Reuschel, 19-9, failed in his first attempt at his second 20-win season.

# Duke Hopes To Continue Streak

By TOM FOREMAN Jr.  
AP Sports Writer

Duke rides the momentum of a three-game winning streak into its first Atlantic Coast Conference action this weekend when it takes on Virginia.

The Blue Devils have come up with a formidable defense to go with their high-powered offense to post victories over Northwestern, Tennessee and The Citadel. For the second straight season and the third time in the last six seasons, Duke has a 3-0 record.

Last year, the wave of optimism crashed against the Cavaliers in Charlottesville, where Duke took a 42-17 loss and finished its year at 5-6.

This time, Coach Steve Spurrier hopes his team can maintain the pace.

"We went up to Virginia and got clobbered. I hope our players have learned from it," Spurrier says. "If we are not really mentally ready to play, we are just an average football team. If we're going to reach a level, we're going to have to beat a conference opponent."

Spurrier says despite the team's start and the way it achieved its record, the Blue Devils can't rely on their reputation to help them win ball games.

"Our players realize we've not

done much yet. I think we'll be ready to play with a lot of effort this week," Spurrier said.

Virginia Coach George Welsh says he's ready to get out of Scott Stadium after three straight home games. With a 2-1 record, Welsh wants improvement in his defense as it gets ready to face quarterback Anthony Dilweg.

"We're just so-so right now. We did a little better against Georgia Tech. We took more chances against Georgia Tech," Welsh said. "I haven't been real satisfied. I saw some signs last week that we might be getting a little better."

Welsh also is impressed with the Duke defense.

"I don't think it's the scheme. It's the people doing it," he said. "They stop people early in the game, and this has allowed them to get way ahead."

All eight ACC teams are in action for the first time this season. No. 12 Clemson goes to Georgia Tech and unbeaten North Carolina State is at Maryland. Outside the league, Louisville is at North Carolina and Wake Forest is at winless Michigan.

The Tigers are recovering from the shock of a last-second 24-21 defeat at the hands of Florida State. Georgia Tech lost a 17-16 decision to Virginia in the final minute.

"Both of us have difficult situations to overcome," Clemson Coach Danny Ford said. "They had it in their hands. We had it in our hands and we let it get away."

Georgia Tech's problem is compounded by the fact that it has not won an ACC game since Bobby Ross assumed control of the program last season. The lack of speed on offense and defense like that possessed by national powers makes ending the streak even tougher.

"Until we can get that type of speed, I think that we are going to struggle," Ross says. "We have to be very minimal in the mistakes we make, and we have to be very precise."

The Wolfpack goes for its second conference victory with its receiving

corps intact but with injuries to two offensive linemen. Coach Dick Sheridan's team hasn't enjoyed total health since spring drills, and that makes playing the Terrapins even tougher.

"Historically, Maryland has been very tough for us to beat," Sheridan says. "Before our win up there two years ago, I don't know how long it had been since State had won in College Park."

Before Sheridan's 28-16 victory over the Terrapins in 1986, the last Wolfpack victory at Maryland came in 1969.

Maryland was able to break some big plays in its 55-24 loss to West Virginia. But the defense couldn't stop the Mountaineer landslide.

"In some areas, we're playing a lot of young kids on defense," Terrapin Coach Joe Krivak said. "The longer

they play, the better we're going to get. That's the only thing we can do."

North Carolina had the weekend off, and Coach Mack Brown used it to try and raise his team's spirits following its 0-2 start. He also tried to unravel the quarterback problem, and it appears Brown will stick with Deems May as the starter and Jonathan Hall as the backup whose status could change with any sort of consistent effort.

"Somebody needs to stand out and be a starter," Brown says.

Bill Dooley says he hasn't tried to mislead his Demon Deacons about their chances against a Michigan team off to an uncharacteristic start.

"We're going up with the idea of having to play mistake-free football," Dooley says. "And we're going to have to force Michigan into some mistakes to have a chance."

# Olympics...

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Yow said. "You just go with the flow. That's this team's personality. I don't feel you can force something on a team, just because that's what I would want to do."

With a 2-0 record and only a Sunday game against China remaining in pool play, the United States is assured of getting into the medal round.

The Soviets, as expected, dominated men's gymnastics as Vladimir Artemov captured the all-around gold to lead a sweep of all three medals.

Artemov, 23, outlasted teammates Valery Lyukin and two-time world champion Dmitri Bilozerchev in a display of perfection.

Bilozerchev, 21, drew six 10s in three days of competition but ended up with the bronze because of one mistake on the high bar. Lyukin, 21, took the silver.

The Soviets added six perfect scores in the all-around finals to the seven 10s they posted in Tuesday's team optionals.

Charles Lakes, the U.S. national champion from Chatsworth, Calif., was the top American finisher in 19th place. His best score was in his speciality, the high bar, where he scored a 9.950 with a series of flying releases over the bar and a double somersault dismount.

The other Americans in the all-around finals, Kevin Davis and Lance Ringnald, finished 34th and 35th in the 36-man field.

Weightlifter Mitko Grablev lost his gold in the 123-pound class and was banned from the Games after testing positive for a diuretic he used to drop some weight. Bulgarian officials said they deplored his drug use and would send him home on the next available flight.

Australian Alexander Watson, competing in the modern pentathlon, also was booted for having an excessive level of caffeine.

British athletes had a superb day, winning one gold, three silvers and two bronzes. The medals came in shooting, modern pentathlon and equestrian events.

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North Lenoir	0	0	2	1	0	0
Conley	0	0	2	1	0	0
West Craven	0	0	2	2	0	0
West Carteret	0	0	1	3	0	0

### Last Week's Results

Havelock 27, Tarboro 14  
Ayden-Grifton 41, Washington 21  
East Carteret 21, Plymouth 7  
North Lenoir 51, C. B. Aycock 36  
Conley 13, Farmville Central 0  
West Craven 36, Pamlico 8  
Lejeune 19, West Carteret 18

### This Week's Games

Havelock at Conley  
East Carteret at Washington  
White Oak at North Lenoir  
West Carteret at West Craven

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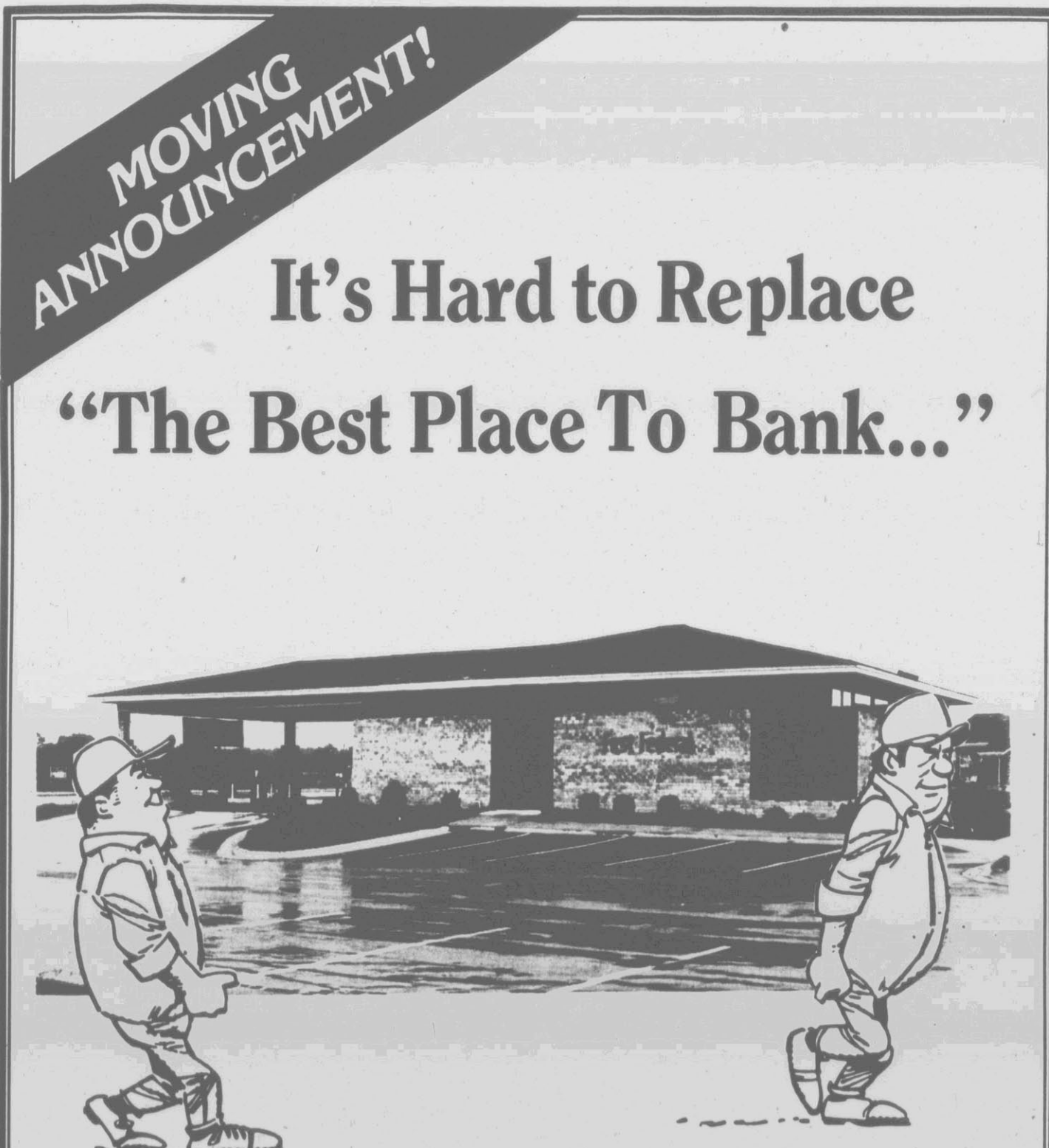
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Northeastern	0	0	2	1	0	0
Rocky Mount	0	0	2	1	0	0
Hunt	0	0	2	1	0	0
Beddingfield	0	0	2	1	0	0
Kinston	0	0	0	3	0	0

### Last Week's Results

Northern Nash 39, Southern Nash 0  
Hunt 18, SouthWest Edgecombe 15  
Beddingfield 12, Southern Wayne 0  
Jacksonville 31, Kinston 13  
Rose - Open Date  
Fike - Open Date  
Northeastern - Open Date  
Rocky Mount - Open Date

### This Week's Games

Rose at Northern Nash  
Fike at Northeastern  
Rocky Mount at Beddingfield  
Kinston at Hunt



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# Veteran Del Reeves Wants Fans To Recall Him As 'Great Showman'

By JOE EDWARDS  
Associated Press Writer  
NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Grand Ole Opry veteran Del Reeves is a singer, songwriter, musician, impressionist, humorist, television star and actor. He recently thought about an appropriate epitaph.

"I want to be remembered as a great showman and a nice guy," he said. "That's all I could hope for."

The amiable 54-year-old performer entertains about 1 million people a year as one of the most popular acts on the Grand Ole Opry, a 62-year-old live country music show.

He's been appearing on the show for 22 years, fulfilling a childhood dream as he grew up the youngest of 11 siblings in Sparta, N.C.

"I listened on the radio on Saturday nights and it was the ultimate," he said in an interview. "As a child, I told my daddy I was going to sing on the Opry one day. He said, 'Yeah, sure you are.' I kept my goal in mind and in '66 we achieved it."

He's currently involved in several projects, including an album entitled "Opry Legends." He and such fellow Opry stars as Little Jimmy Dickens will record an album whose proceeds

will go toward an Opry retirement fund.

"I'd like to see this be a success for my fellow man," Reeves said. "I'll do everything I can to make it a success. I'd like to see that accomplished more than a No. 1 record."

He's formed a production company within the past year to help aspiring singers record their songs and get professional advice without being ripped off. He wears a ring commemorating the Opry's 50th birthday and hopes a protege will eventually get the Opry's 100th birthday ring.

"I want them to get that ring and say, 'Del Reeves helped me get this,'" he said.

Reeves is especially known to Opry fans for his impressions of actors — Jimmy Stewart and Walter Brennan — and fellow country stars Johnny Cash, Roy Acuff, Hank Snow and Dickens.

"I'd try these out on the band on the road," he recalled. "If they laughed, I knew I had it. It's been a lot of hard work. I spent a lot of time doing (perfecting) them."

He admires the impressions of Rich Little and envies the time Little apparently has to concentrate on them. "He's darned good. He's had more time to rehearse and practice them than me. I had to learn 2,000 songs plus do impersonations. He doesn't do (Johnny) Cash too good, but the rest are fantastic."

Reeves turned to impressions and light material early in his career when he found those more to his liking than ballads.

"I couldn't really sell a ballad," he said. "It had to be material on the lighter side. Under this clown's face, there's a serious guy. But I never got to show it because I got tagged as that clown. I've been clowning as long as I can remember."

One of the breezier songs was his recent recording, "Dear Dr. Ruth," about sex counselor Ruth Westheimer. He appeared on her TV show to talk about country music and recalled the effect his humor had on her: "She fell plumb off that little box she sits on."

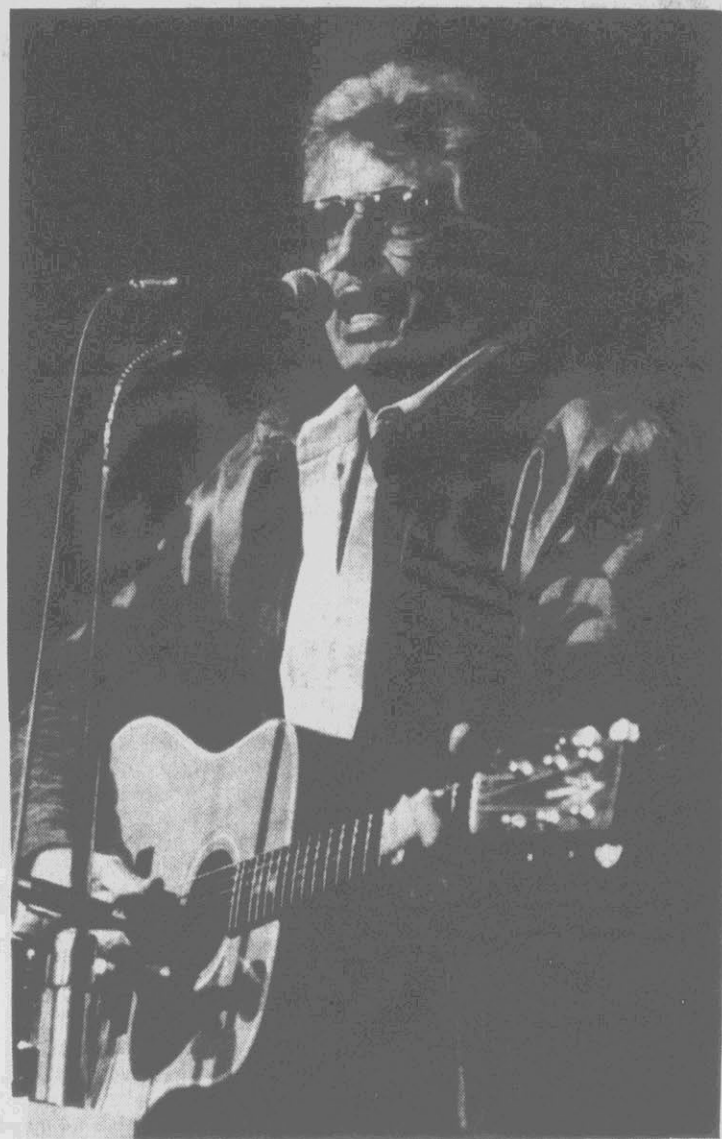
Del Reeves, named after President Franklin Delano Roosevelt, began singing and playing guitar as a small boy. By the time he was 12, he was playing with a band on a regular Saturday radio show. He had four brothers who left their guitars at home to serve in World War II. He began playing the instruments and gradually became proficient.

He's recorded nine No. 1 records, and two dozen made the Top 10 of the country music charts. He and Bobby Goldsboro were duet partners at one time.

In the late 1960s, Reeves had his own syndicated TV show, "The Del Reeves Country Carnival." He's just signed to be host of a new 60-minute syndicated TV show, "I Am Country Music," to be taped in Nashville.

He's also appeared in eight movies including "Sam Whiskey," starring Angie Dickinson, Burt Reynolds and Clint Walker.

"I loved doing movies," he said. "All you did was sit around and wait. We'd pair off and get guitars and write songs."



GRAND OLE SHOWMAN — Grand Ole Opry veteran Del Reeves says he wants his fans to remember him as "a great showman and a nice guy." He adds, "That's all I could hope for." (AP Laserphoto)



MAKING THE BREAK — Mark Harmon, shown with co-star Jodie Foster in "Stealing Home," has broken through the invisible barrier between television and movies with two major summer films. (AP Laserphoto)

# Actor Mark Harmon Scores With Two Summer Movies

By BOB THOMAS  
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Oh, he's a television actor," is a common Hollywood put down that Michael J. Fox, Tom Selleck, Bruce Willis and Ted Danson have managed to overcome. Now Mark Harmon faces the same sneer.

The former Dr. Bobby Caldwell of "St. Elsewhere" has broken through with two major films this summer: "The Presidio," co-starring Sean Connery, and "Stealing Home" with Jodie Foster.

"The Presidio," a big-budget production that basically bombed at the box office, featured Harmon as a San Francisco police officer investigating a murder on an army base. In the more modest "Stealing Home," he is a minor-league ballplayer on the skids, returning to his boyhood roots. Much of the film is told in flashbacks, and Harmon estimates he appears in only 30-35 minutes of the 93-minute running time.

"I'd like to think that being a part of bigger pictures gives you the opportunity to be a part of ones you feel more passionately about," he said. "They're the ones that almost didn't get made for a lot of reasons."

"Stealing Home" is a project that has been around for seven or eight years, long before I heard of it. It's a project that was the passionate consideration and concern of Steve Kampmann and Will Aldis, who wrote and ended up directing the piece as first-time directors."

Last summer, Harmon made his movie debut as a star in the raucous comedy "Summer School," directed by Carl Reiner. He called it a turning point.

"Before 'Summer School,' nobody was knocking on my door and saying, 'Hey, we want Mark Harmon to star in a major motion picture for a film company,'" he said. "It was Carl Reiner who actually took that by the horn and said, 'This is the guy I want to play the role.' The fact that Carl Reiner had that belief in me and was indeed directing this summer fun movie made me willing to throw my hat in the ring and say, 'OK, let's try to make this thing work.'"

Harmon was born into show business. His father is Tom Harmon, 1940 Heisman Trophy winner at the University of Michigan and a prominent sportscaster. His mother is Elyse Knox, actress in such 1940s movies as Abbott and Costello's "Hit the Ice" and "A WAVE, a WAC and a Marine."

Still, he resists the notion that he grew up in Hollywood.

"It's safe to say that I grew up in California," he said. "Certainly not Hollywood. Hollywood seems to me very mainstream, something I'm not too attuned to and never have been; my folks sure weren't. I'm much bet-

ter staying on the edge of it. I begrudgingly come into town when I have to. And yet I know this is where I work right now.

"My mother had stopped being an actress by the time I was born. I didn't even know much about my mom being an actress until I read about it in film books. I was 7 years old before some kid in the park told me that my dad was a world-class athlete and a great football player. I went home and asked him. That's the reality of how I was raised."

Harmon first achieved prominence as star quarterback for the University of California at Los Angeles football team in 1972 and 1973. He was asked if there is any correlation between playing football and acting.

"There's some," he said. "I know as an athlete I never played what I conceived as the perfect game, where everything went the way it was drawn on the chalkboard. That's

the reason I played. It loved it; it was beautiful to watch when it all worked well.

"As an actor, I don't see ever doing a role that you can't make better or change somehow. I like the fact that I can get up in the morning and hopefully grow and be better than when I started in the morning.

"Those are the same lessons I learned as an athlete. I don't think it hurts to be competitive in this business. It's best to work hard at what you do and try not to let the effort show. Underneath it all I'm pretty tough, and that comes from being an athlete."

Harmon made his acting debut in an episode of "Ozzie's Girls" and played 22 other TV roles before breaking into features with the 1979 "Comes a Horseman." His greatest exposure came as the AIDS-doomed doctor in "St. Elsewhere" and in the Coors beer commercials.

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# Canadian Robert Townsend Stages HBO Prom Special

By JERRY BUCK  
AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Comedian Robert Townsend, with a little help from an orchestra, singer and troupe of dancers, was on stage recreating the high school prom he missed 13 years ago in Chicago.

The orchestra played, the singer sang, the dancers danced, and Townsend, clad in his trademark black overcoat and brown hat, tried to generate the adolescent magic he missed in 1975.

Townsend and his cast took over the Wadsworth Theater, on the Veterans Administration complex in West Los Angeles, to rehearse his comedy special for Home Box Office. "We're doing a prom skit but we're

using modern music," he said as he took a seat to see how the show looked from out front. "Howard Hewitt is going to sing 'Once, Twice, Three Times.' I graduated from Austin High School in Chicago, but I never got to the prom. So I'll just pretend this is it."

The one-hour special, premiering Saturday, is one of a series of shows Townsend is doing for HBO. It's called "HBO Comedy Hour: Take No Prisoners — Robert Townsend & His Partners in Crime II."

"We have a theme in the shows of taking characters and breaking the rules," he said. "We want to make people laugh as hard as they can. I think with comedy there's a way to be funny that's totally clean. There's a way to be funny that's risqué. Some of the stuff I do is very clean. But some is borderline blue."

"It's not really dirty, but a network might look at it and say, 'What's happening here?' Cable gives you freedom. They let you play and have fun. It appeals to the artist side of me. I'm not motivated by money. Once my bills are paid, I want the freedom. That kind of freedom is a compromise, but I love that compromise."

"I think one of the themes to my comedy is bringing back morals. Bringing them back and laughing at the conditions — you know, making people aware of the problems and how ridiculous they are. Like having to go on strike to get a decent salary. It's a shame when you have to fight for everything."

The special also features a soap opera spoof called "The Bold, the Black, the Beautiful" and a very tough game show called "Street Wise." Townsend borrows the cowboy drifter from a few Clint Eastwood Westerns for a skit called "How the West Was Won — Maybe."

After his prom-less graduation in Chicago, Townsend joined the Second City comedy troupe. He later worked in the clubs in New York, where he met another rising young comedian named Eddie Murphy. Both auditioned for NBC's "Saturday Night Live." Murphy got it.

"I kept working in the clubs," he said. "I did some movies, like 'A Soldier's Story,' 'American Flyers,' 'Cooley High' and 'Streets of Fire.' Eddie and I stayed friends and supported each other. There wasn't any rivalry. I directed his concert (movie) 'Raw'."

"I don't think I was ready at the time. In retrospect, I think if I had gotten it ('Saturday Night Live') I wouldn't have become a writer and director."

Townsend is probably best known for his movie "Hollywood Shuffle." Not so much for the fact that he co-wrote, directed and starred in it as for how he paid for the production.

"I financed nearly half of it with credit cards," he said, naming the various cards he used. "The picture cost \$100,000, and I put \$40,000 on credit cards. It earned \$8 million at the box office."

"Hollywood Shuffle" is a satire on the way movie industry treats blacks and the compromises they face if they want to be a part of it. "Hollywood Shuffle" got Townsend some serious attention from the studios — which suggests the most important color in Hollywood is green.

He recently completed "Finding Maubee," a suspense story in which he co-stars with Denzel Washington. Next, he'll do "The Five Heartbeats," a comedy-drama about a black singing group. He wrote the script with his partner, Keenen Wayans, who also worked with him on "Hollywood Shuffle."

Now, why does he wear the hat and coat when he performs comedy?

He smiled and said, "It's just good luck. I've had it for six years. It's always brought me luck."

## Candidates Stage Events For Camera

By RITA BEAMISH  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — George Bush's press secretary says the campaign is not interested in anything that would "garble our message," and that includes cluttering it up with questions from the news media.

So the Republican presidential campaign is wending its way toward the November election with an eye toward maximizing canned events that look good on television and minimizing contact with reporters who might ask questions that are not on the Bush agenda.

Bush's Democratic rival, Michael Dukakis, has tried to take a page from the same strategy playbook but so far with less success as his TV shots often find his back to the cameras.

Even his recent celebrated tank ride, aimed at projecting himself as strong on defense and widely photographed, turned out to be a flop at convincing viewers, a poll showed.

Still, both candidates are engaged in an election game plan that keeps reporters at a distance so as not to detract from their state-of-the-art visual events that they wrap around their campaign message of the day.

Bush press secretary Sheila Tate said the idea is that the campaign is trying to communicate with voters and, "We're not going to purposely garble our message by everyday discussing" what reporters put forth as an "agenda as opposed to our own."

Thus when Bush recently went to New Jersey to appeal to Hispanic and blue-collar voters, the traveling press was ushered into the Goya food plant to watch him sample Hispanic foods.

Although the reporters were stationed only a few feet from him, Bush waved off their questions because he was engaged in "food tasting" at the moment. "We gotta get the message out," he said.

The orchestrated days with little opportunity to question or challenge the candidates on topical issues has engendered frustration among the press corps whose job it is to cover the campaigns. Some TV and print journalists have begun including regular statements in their Bush stories such as, "Bush as usual refused to respond to any questions."

The Bush campaign generally is keeping the candidate so far from reporters that "We're even out of shouting distance now," said USA Today reporter Jessica Lee.

Reporter Ellen Warren of Knight-Ridder has taken to wearing a monocular — a field glass with a single eyepiece — so that she can observe Bush from her far-away perch.

Dukakis remains more accessible than Bush, but the access is generally at late-night airport arrivals when most media deadlines are already past.

Both candidates occasionally chat on the record with reporters flying with them. But most reporters agree that these casual sessions do not lend themselves to the more probing question-and-answer typical of a more formal news conference, and the candidates tend to close it off when the questions take on that tone.

Dukakis has an average of one or two news conferences a week, considerably less than before a campaign survey found his TV coverage was centering not on his tailor-made message but on his responses to reporters' questions about Bush's latest allegations.

Since Bush was nominated in mid-August, his scheduled question-and-answer sessions with reporters have dwindled to an average of one a week, and chances to shout questions at airports and rope lines are significantly fewer.

Campaign officials don't deny the hold-the-press-at-bay strategy. "In these last weeks of the campaign we have to have a clear message," said Tate. "It is important to us that we set the agenda. We have a need to be responsive to the press. We also have a need to run a successful campaign. The only way to do that is to get your message out and your agenda."

Senior Dukakis aide Kirk O'Donnell recently complained that the TV networks weren't covering Dukakis' speeches, and said the campaign would alter its media strategy to get on the networks.

Bush's advance team diligently escorts camera crews around factories and behind podiums for the best shots of the GOP nominee.

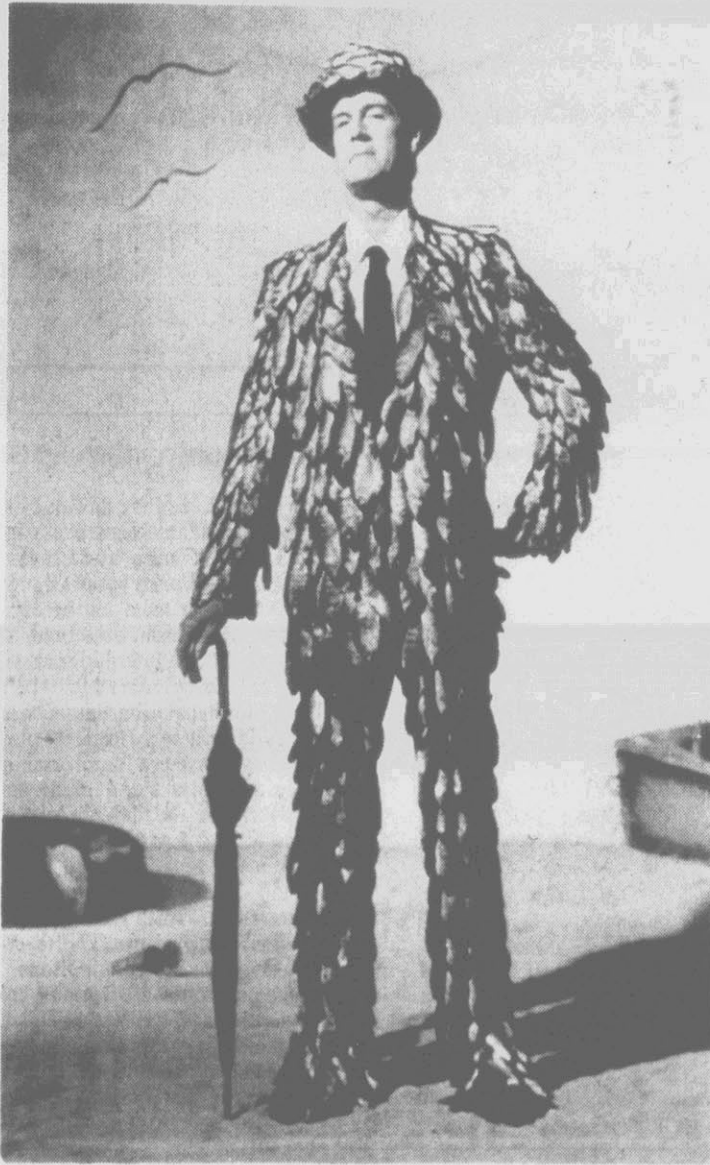
The results are picture-perfect TV, a series of events where Bush has stood amid waving American flags, has spoken against the backdrop of majestic columns on Capitol steps and been flanked by colorful school bands, cheerleaders and choirs.

The Dukakis visuals are improving since the media adviser Francis O'Brien began traveling with the candidate two weeks ago.

But the Democrat has had a string of events where cameras saw only the back of his head or where the lighting obliterated what should have been a good shot.

That was the case when he went to Yellowstone National Park to stand before a blackened forest. The singed background was so dark it was impossible to tell what it was.

Another time Dukakis lined up a group of teen-agers on a San Francisco beach to talk to them about the environment.



A FISH CALLED JOHN — Actor-comedian John Cleese models a suit made from 400 African cichlid fish for an illustration to his upcoming interview in Playboy magazine. Cleese wrote and stars in the movie "A Fish Called Wanda." (AP Laserphoto)

### Amnesty Tour Has Its Hassles

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Clarence Clemons, saxophonist for Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band, feels good about his part in the Amnesty International Human Rights Now! tour, but admits it comes with some global hassles.

"One day we had breakfast in Italy, lunch in Hungary and supper in Paris. That's how hectic it's been," he said during the group's stop in Los Angeles this week. "Then you're talking about 250 people going through customs and everyone being on the same plane four hours at a time. It's like you play, you travel, you play."

But the rewards are worth it, he said.

"There are people out here waiting to be executed or have been brutalized. Knowing that makes me feel like my job is really important."

Springsteen, Clemons and the rest of the group started the global tour in London on Sept. 2 with such entertainers as Sting, Peter Gabriel, Tracy Chapman, Youssou N'Dour and Joan Baez.

The tour is aimed at raising awareness about the Declaration of Human Rights, adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in 1948.

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 20 Trap follower  
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 29 Dine  
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 31 War god  
 32 The works  
 33 In current state  
 34 Actress Thompson  
 35 Singer Yoko

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**53 Pound of poems**  
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 4 Decanters  
 5 Crime  
 6 Ending  
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 11 Beast of burden  
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**32 Actress Ursula**  
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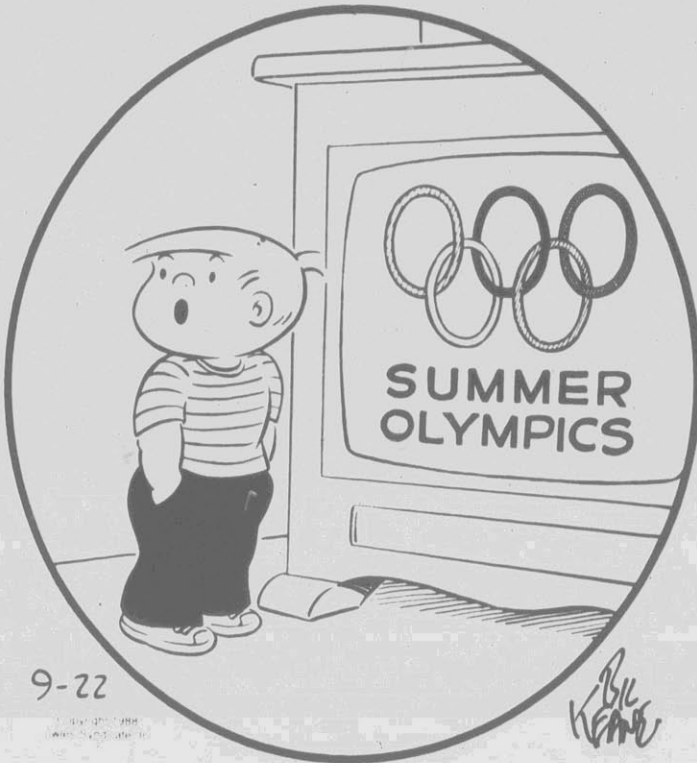


**The Family Circus**

By Bil Keane

**Horoscope**

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"How come spring and fall don't have Olympics, too?"

**FORECAST FOR FRIDAY Sept. 23**

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19): Bring color into your life. Family and friends are congenial and cooperative, setting the stage for fun and games in the evening.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20): A growing appetite for serious thinking is in order. Laying plans for the distribution of your money will help solve the money squeeze.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21): Your current desire for stimulation stems from an innate need to be forever young. Surround yourself with active people.

**MOON CHILDREN** (June 22 to July 21): Worrying too much over security and family is wasting time. Survey your horizons, and you will see things are moving along fine.

**LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21): Love and romance is flowing in your direction. Trust in fate to bring you the contacts you have been dreaming about. Cozy up and relax.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22): Feel satisfied with yourself today. That same confidence can be applied to business contacts and personal relationships to bring rewards later.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Feeling very needy socially can be an opportunity to discard some old friends who have been ignoring you. Making new friends is your choice.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): You have the power to open up and converse. Use this energy at work, home and play to discuss matters which you have been ignoring.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): You are like a magnet attracting others who may be well-off. Put your doubts aside, and step out in the arena. Think before speaking.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): A pause can be refreshing. It is okay to want to be alone. Rely on the strength of those close to you. Focus on the inspiring side of life.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): Study matters that involve home and property. Stretching the purse too far now can complicate your plans for the future.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to March 20): It may feel as though things are moving along too slowly. Make up a schedule, and keep to it. You need time for yourself.

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**Bridge**

By CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

**A HEART IN THE RIGHT PLACE**

Both vulnerable. South deals.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ K Q J 8 7  
 ♥ 8 6  
 ♦ 2  
 ♣ K 10 8 5 3

**WEST**  
 ♠ 10 9 4  
 ♥ Q 5 4 2  
 ♦ J 10 7 3  
 ♣ J 7

**EAST**  
 ♠ A 5 2  
 ♥ K 10 7 3  
 ♦ A 9 6  
 ♣ 9 4 2

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ 6 3  
 ♥ A J 9  
 ♦ K Q 8 5 4  
 ♣ A Q 6

The bidding:  
 South West North East  
 1 NT Pass 2 ♥ Pass  
 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣ Pass  
 3 NT Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Three of ♦  
 The semifinal of the Spingold Team Championship, played last

month in Salt Lake City, saw one of the most remarkable comebacks in bridge history. Trailing by 65 International Match Points with only 15 boards to play, a team led by Jim Mahaffey of Florida outscored a team of East Coast internationalists 96-0 to win easily.

This hand helped the East Coast squad build their early lead. At one table, they played a comfortable four-spade contract and made an overtrick when the defenders did not find a heart lead. At the other, the Mahaffey squad reached three no trump on an auction similar to the one above. North's two hearts was a transfer to spades, and three clubs showed a distributional, game-going hand with interest in slam. South had the wrong hand and signed off in three no trump.

West led his fourth-best diamond and East, Richard Pavlicek of Ft.

Lauderdale, won the ace. Since he and his partner were making normal leads, East knew that declarer had started with five diamonds. Obviously, therefore, the only hope for the defenders lay in the heart suit, and a shift to that suit was urgent.

Most players would lead a low heart, and the contract would be secure. Declarer would insert the nine, West would win the queen and the ace of spades would be the only other trick for the defenders. Pavlicek shifted to the king of hearts!

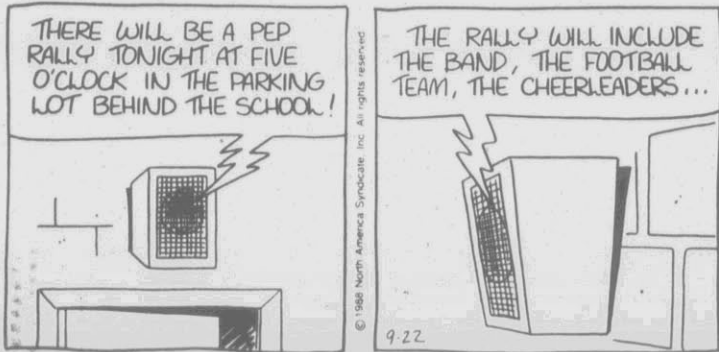
Not surprisingly, declarer thought East was leading from a king-queen combination, so he ducked. He tried the heart jack on the continuation, but West won and forced out the ace. The defenders collected three heart tricks and two aces for down one.

Note that, had declarer won the first heart, he would have been faced with the same guess when East, in with the ace of spades, led another heart. We think he would have gone wrong!

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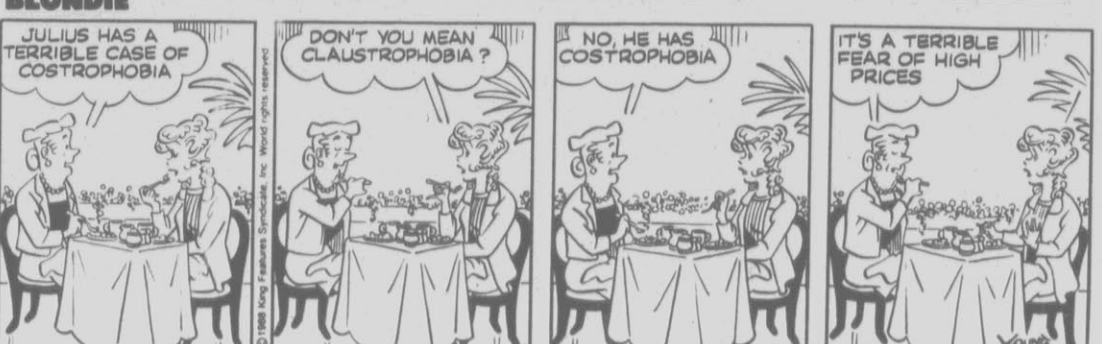
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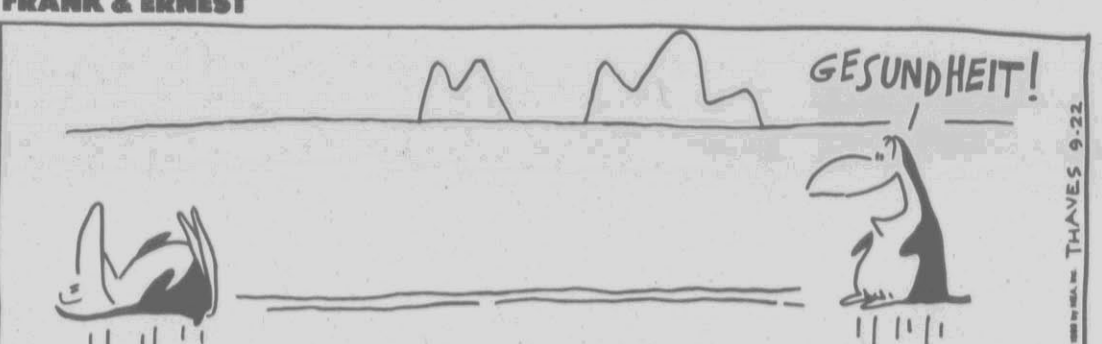
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# Armenian Strike Closes Schools, State-Run Businesses

MOSCOW (AP) — Radio Moscow said today that protesters attacked a prosecutor's office in widespread ethnic unrest plaguing an Armenian enclave of the southern Soviet Union that officials have sealed off and put under curfew.

The radio also said a strike in the territory had closed schools, transportation and many state-run enterprises. Public gatherings were banned.

In Yerevan, the capital of the neighboring republic of Armenia, soldiers today blocked streets around government and Communist Party

buildings and protesters rallied again to demand annexation of the enclave, an editor of the local Tass affiliate said in a telephone interview.

The disputed enclave, Nagorno-Karabakh, is a predominantly Armenian region of mainly Moslem Azerbaijan. Armenians, who are mostly Christian, began pressing in February for its transfer to Armenia.

Radio Moscow, reporting on the situation in Nagorno-Karabakh's main city of Stepanakert, said "an attack on the regional prosecutor's office was provoked." It did not say when it occurred or give other details.

The radio also reported several arson attacks on cars and scattered shooting. The radio said there were casualties, but gave no numbers.

The official Tass news agency reported Wednesday that there had been no casualties in violence Tuesday and Wednesday.

"Law enforcement agencies took steps to put an end to mass-scale disorders," the radio said without elaborating.

Tass reported that protesters had insulted authorities and humiliated Interior Ministry soldiers and police. It did not provide details.

Telephone calls to Stepanakert have not been getting through.

The editor of Armenpress, the local Tass affiliate, said Yerevan protesters were seeking to force the republic's parliament to take up the question of annexation of Nagorno-Karabakh.

Speaking on condition of anonymity, he said soldiers of the Internal Affairs Ministry had taken up positions in the city center.

"There isn't any disorder, and there won't be," the editor said.

He said food stores were open in Yerevan, but public transportation was paralyzed and many people were in the streets. A general strike began there Sept. 16 to back annexation demands.

Hundreds of thousands of people also demonstrated Wednesday outside the Armenian parliament to press for annexation, activists said.

Tension sharply escalated in Nagorno-Karabakh after a shootout between Armenians and Azerbaijanis on Sunday in the village of Khadzhal near Stepanakert. One man was killed and at least 25 wounded. Activists also said a bomb exploded Monday at a dormitory for Armenian construction workers near Stepanakert.

Andrei Volsky, a representative of the national Communist Party, went on local television and radio to appeal for calm, Tass reported.

The government closed Azerbaijan to foreign journalists today, a day after barring travel to Armenia.

Tass said officials in Nagorno-Karabakh imposed the curfew and banned gatherings after rioters burned homes and fired guns Tuesday and Wednesday in and around Stepanakert.

It said the mountainous enclave's Stepanakert and Agdam regions were placed on a "special status" lower than a state of emergency.

In Copenhagen, Denmark, Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze

said the Kremlin was considering the use of "some emergency action" to deal with the rising unrest. He did not elaborate.

In Yerevan, officials on Wednesday rejected protesters' demands for a new meeting of the republic's Supreme Soviet, or parliament, to renew a petition for annexation of Nagorno-Karabakh.

"There are hundreds of thousands of people in front of the Supreme Soviet," Arpenay Popoyan, wife of activist and former political prisoner Rafael Popoyan, said Wednesday by telephone. "The city is very tense."

Her husband said Armenians were demanding that annexation be reconsidered because the government "can no longer guarantee the safety

of Armenians living in Nagorno-Karabakh."

The ethnic tensions led to rioting in the Azerbaijani city of Sumgait in February, when 32 people were killed. Some calm returned after the national Supreme Soviet on July 18 turned down a request by the Armenian parliament and rejected annexation.

Tass said homes and cars were set afire in Nagorno-Karabakh Tuesday night and Wednesday morning and that shots were heard.

Popoyan said soldiers patrolled Stepanakert and received permission to search houses at will. "People are simply sitting home and not going anywhere. Naturally, they're not going to work."

## Incorporation

FLETCHER, N.C. (AP) — Residents of the Henderson County community of Fletcher are preparing to ask the General Assembly next year for permission to form their own town.

They will need a three-fifths majority of both houses of the Legislature for permission to incorporate under terms of a new state law.

Fletcher residents appeared before the Asheville City Council this week to ask the city to endorse the plan. But Asheville council members defeated the proposal by a 4-2 vote.

The community, which contains a number of large industries, lies in northern Henderson County, within five miles of Asheville's city limits. Under the law enacted two years ago, communities must first seek the endorsement of any city of 50,000 or more located within five miles. If Asheville officials had endorsed the request, only a majority vote would be necessary to incorporate the town.

Asheville officials say they're not planning to annex the area.

## U.S.-Soviet Venture Focuses On Copiers

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A landmark U.S.-Soviet venture will bring copying and printing services to citizens of the Soviet Union, where at one time possession of a mimeograph machine might have meant a one-way trip to Siberia.

In addition, the profit-oriented partnership will sell computers, software, audio-visual products, advertising advice, and American souvenirs, books and magazines in the Soviet Union, according to those involved.

California businessman Martin B. Lopata, chief executive of the U.S. side of the project, said the idea came from the Soviets last winter and flows from the policies of glasnost and perestroika, or openness and restructuring, begun by

Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

"This is a truly pioneering event," Lopata told a crowded news conference Wednesday. "This will also be one of the first facilities to allow printing to the average Soviet citizen."

He said the new business will be open to all Soviets, charging rubles and dollars. The Soviets agreed to the deal as "an experiment, on the basis of 'let's see if it actually works,'" with plans to open offices in Moscow in January, Leningrad next summer and Kiev a few months later.

The Soviet Union has long exercised tight control over access to copiers, duplicating machines and printing presses, all of which are owned by the state. Lack of access to such services has been an obstacle to

the many unofficial newspapers and journals that have sprung up under glasnost.

"It's a very, very major political advance," said Jerry Hough, a Soviet expert at Duke University. "Copying machines have been under lock and key and it's been virtually illegal for most people to make copies in the Soviet Union."

Laura Frazer, program officer at the U.S. Information Agency in Washington, called the venture "extremely radical because even most Soviet government bureaucrats do not have access to copying machines."

The joint venture is an outgrowth of the Gorbachev-Reagan Moscow summit meeting earlier this year, when "both sides reiterated their

strong support for development of economic ties between the two sides," said Soviet Deputy Consul General Gennadiy I. Zolotov, who sat next to Lopata.

It also is the result of the Soviet Union's new "joint project" laws, he said, which encourages joint Soviet ventures with foreign firms.

"We greet you on a special occasion which does not happen too often in the Soviet-American relations, but is very indicative of the things which are happening... we hope, beneficial to both sides," Zolotov said.

He said a contract for the joint venture was signed recently by MIR, the Soviet publishing house; the Soviet cooperative Sintez; and Unicorn Investments International, a California corporation.

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**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION FOR VARIOUS NATIONAL, STATE AND COUNTY OFFICES TO BE HELD IN PITT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, ON NOVEMBER 8, 1988**

Pursuant to G.S. 163-33(8), notice is hereby given that there will be a general election conducted within the County of Pitt, North Carolina for the purpose of electing:

(a) President and Vice President

(b) State Officers and Judges of Court of Appeals

(c) Judges of Superior Court

(d) Member of Congress First District

(e) Member of State Senate, Sixth District

(f) Member of State Senate, Ninth District

(g) Member of State House of Representatives, Sixth District

(h) Member of State House of Representatives, Ninth District

(i) Register of Deeds

(j) County Commissioner for Districts 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6

2. A nonpartisan election of one member of the Pitt Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors, to be voted upon at large.

Said general election will be conducted in Pitt County, North Carolina, on Tuesday, November 8, 1988, and voting places will be open between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The last day for new registration of those not now registered to vote in said general election under Pitt County's permanent registration system is Monday, October 10, 1988. Registration is continuous for subsequent elections. Voters who are not certain whether they are properly registered should contact the Pitt County Board of Elections, 201 E. Second Street, Greenville, North Carolina, telephone 830-4121.

The last day on which registered voters who have moved within Pitt County may transfer registration to new precincts and districts in Monday, October 10, 1988 in order to avoid the inconvenience under the Election Day Transfer Law.

Registrations and changes on voting records may be made during office hours at the Election Office, 210 East Second Street, Greenville, in Pitt County municipal town halls; libraries, including Joyner Library at ECU, at High Schools, and by contacting Special Registration Commissioners authorized to register voters at large within Pitt County.

The registration books will be open to public inspection by any registered voter of Pitt County between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday each week at the office of the Pitt County Board of Elections, 201 East Second Street, Greenville, N.C., and such are Challenge Days.

The registrars, judges and other officials for said election will be the twenty-five (25) precinct polling places in Pitt County, North Carolina.

This the 19th day of September, 1988.

**NELSON B. CRISP, CHAIRMAN, PITT COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 6, 1988

**NORTH CAROLINA PITT COUNTY**

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY**

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Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by RUBY VINES KEECH (Widow) to GARY A. GOERS, Trustee, dated August 27, 1987, and recorded in Book 159, Page 715, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina; and under and by vir-

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tue of the authority vested in the undersigned, as Substitute Trustee, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and the said Deed of Trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, and the Holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, the following parcel of land more particularly described as follows:

BEING all of Lot 10 of the Robert Hill Property according to a map by McDavid Associates dated February, 1971, and recorded in Map Book 20, Page 153, of the Pitt County Registry. The property to be sold subject to any City/County ad valorem taxes, any special assessments that are a lien against the premises and any prior deeds of trust, or liens of record in the Pitt County Court-house.

The Substitute Trustee, after sale, shall require the highest bidder immediately to make a cash deposit of 10% of any amount of his bid up to and including \$1,000.00 plus 5% of any excess over \$1,000.00.

The Notice of Sale hereby given is in satisfaction of the requirements of the aforementioned Deed of Trust and the requirements contained in North Carolina General Statute 45-21.17 with respect to posting or publishing notice of sale.

TIME: 12:00 o'clock noon on the 27th day of September, 1988.

PLACE: Courthouse Door, Greenville, Pitt County, N.C.

TERMS: Cash

This the 24th day of August, 1988.

D.W. McPherson, Substitute Trustee  
121 W. 4th Street  
P.O. Box 3435  
Greenville, NC 27836-3435  
Telephone: (919) 752-7333  
September 15, 22, 1988

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Having qualified as Executor of the Will of Elic Powell, late of Route 1, Box 288, Grimesland, Pitt County, North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned at P.O. Box 91, Stokes, North Carolina 27884, on or before the 10th day of March, 1989, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 2nd day of September, 1988.

Charles Clemmons, Executor of the Will of Elic Powell  
Danny A. Harrington  
Attorney at Law  
P.O. Drawer 3028  
110 Arlington Blvd.  
Greenville, NC 27835-5028  
(919) 355-0300  
September 8, 15, 22, 29, 1988

**NOTICE**

Having qualified as Co-Executors of the estate of Rosa Lee Coggins Spain, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to present them to the undersigned Co-Executors on or before March 8, 1989, or this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate

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please make immediate payment.

This 6th day of September, 1988.

Allon O. Spain  
1802 S. Elm Street  
Greenville, NC 27834  
Shirley S. Russell  
Rt. 4, Box 99  
Greenville, NC 27834  
Co-Executors of the estate of Rosa Lee Coggins Spain, deceased.  
September 8, 15, 22, 29, 1988

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Eleanor Rogers Collins, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned, whose mailing address is Route 1, Box 330, Ayden, NC 28512, on or before the 11th day of March, 1989, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons having claims against said Estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 9th day of September, 1988.

Bernice Speir Cannon, Executrix of the Estate of Eleanor Rogers Collins  
Route 1, Box 330  
Ayden, NC 28512  
Kenneth G. Hite  
James, Hite, Avery and Duke  
Attorneys at Law  
P.O. Drawer 15  
Greenville, NC 27835  
Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 1988

**NOTICE OF SALE**

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PITT

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Kay F. White, to James O. Buchanan, Trustee, dated the 20th day of April, 1979, and recorded in Book V. 47, Page 738, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, and a certain Deed of Trust executed by William Godard, Jr., to Barbara A. Parker, Jr. Trustee, dated the 23rd day of June, 1981, and recorded in Book B-50, Page 445, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and failure to carry out or perform the stipulations and agreements therein contained, and the holder of the indebtedness hereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, and the Clerk of Court granting permission for the undersigned Trustee to offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:15 pm on the 4th day of October 1988, the land, as improved, conveyed in said Deeds of Trust, the same being and being in Belvoir Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows: BEING all of Lot No. Seven (7), Block "D" of the Oak Grove Estates, as shown on a map of McDavid Associates, dated November, 1972, and recorded in Map Book 21, at page 194 and 194A of the Pitt County Registry; and also shown on a map entitled "Oak Grove Estates, Sections I & II, As Revised, by McDavid Associates, Inc.," dated July 22, 1973, and recorded on June 12, 1973, in Map Book 22 at page 66 and 66A of the Pitt County Registry.

This conveyance is made subject to those certain restrictive covenants appearing of record on Deed Book J.41, page 731 in

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The Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to the same extent and as fully as if copied herein verbatim.

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Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Russell Bryan, Jr. and wife, Dorothy Lamar R. Bryan, to James O. Buchanan, Trustee, dated the 15th day of April, 1980, and recorded in Book X 48, Page 700, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and failure to carry out or perform the stipulations and agreements therein contained, and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, and the Clerk of Court granting permission for the foreclosure, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:45 pm on the 4th day of October 1988, the land, as improved, conveyed in said Deed of Trust, the same lying

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and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows: Lying and being situate in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being Lot No. 42, in Block E, of Wealthington Heights Subdivision, Section III, as shown on map thereof made by Stroud Engineering & Land Surveying Co., dated November, 1978, and recorded in Map Book 28, at Page 20 and 20A, of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is made for a more complete and accurate description. Subject, however, to the proper taxes for the year 1988. The record owner(s) of this property as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds of this county is/are Russell Bryan, Jr. and wife, Dorothy Lamar R. Bryan.

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2nd day of September, 1980, and recorded in Book H 49, Page 500, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and failure to carry out or perform the stipulations and agreements therein contained, and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, and the Clerk of Court granting permission for the foreclosure, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:00 Noon on the 4th day of October 1988, the land, as improved, conveyed in said Deed of Trust, the same lying and being in Carolina Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows: Being all of Lot No. 6 shown on survey entitled "Subdivision for Survey of the Undeveloped Land of Donald R. Warren" drawn by Dickerson-Adams & Associates, P.A., dated May 2, 1981, and recorded in Map Book 28 at Page 57 of the Pitt County Registry, reference to which is hereby made for a clear and accurate description. Subject, however, to the proper taxes for the year 1988.

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TAKE NOTICE THAT A pleading seeking relief against you has been filed on September 16, 1988 in the above-entitled special proceeding. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Termination of parental rights. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than November 1, 1988 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought. This is the 20th day of September, 1988. OWENS, ROUSE & NELSON BY JAMES A. NELSON, JR. PO Box 302 Greenville, NC 27834 919 758 4276 \*Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 6, 1988

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NOTICE OF RESALE OF LAND

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PITT
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Ben Foreman, Jr. (Deceased) and wife, Wanda E. Foreman, to Bertie A. Parker, Jr., Trustee, dated the 27th day of July, 1981, in Book E, Page 369, of the Office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and failure to carry out or perform the stipulations and agreements therein contained, and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, and the Clerk of Court granting permission for the foreclosure, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:30 pm on the 4th day of October 1988, the land, as improved, conveyed in said Deed of Trust, the same lying and being in Arthur Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and being all of Lot Number 7 of Twin Pines, Section II, as the same appears on the map of said subdivision prepared by Triangle Engineering & Surveying, Inc., dated January 19, 1981, and recorded in Map Book 29, at Page 80 of Pitt County Registry, reference to which is hereby made for a more complete and accurate description. Subject, however, to the proper taxes for the year 1988. The record owner(s) of this property as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds of this county is/are Ben Foreman, Jr. (Deceased) and wife, Wanda E. Foreman. Terms of the sale, including the amount of the cash deposit, if any, to be made by the highest bidder at the sale, are: Five percent (5%) of the amount of the highest bid must be deposited with the Trustee pending confirmation of the sale. Dated this 6th day of September, 1988. THURMAN E. BURNETTE, Trustee, substituted by the instruments recorded in Book 166, Page 115, Pitt County Registry, NC. September 22, 29, 1988.
NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PITT
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Thomas E. Mullins and wife, Annie M. Mullins, to James O. Buchanan, Trustee dated the

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Evinrude, Omc, Mariner and MerCruiser service center. All Evinrude and Mariner motors and Cox trailers at clearance prices!

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17' SAILBOAT with trailer, sail and rigging. Asking \$450. Days 830-2766; 753-2997 after 6:00 p.m.

18' BAY BOAT. Center console, 55 horse power, trim, trim, galvanized trailer, excellent condition. \$4500. Call Harry, 756-8359 9-6 p.m.

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1980 HONDA CX 500 Custom, 18,800 miles, new tires, great condition. 2 helmets with bike. Call 830-0494, ask for Donald.

1982 YAMAHA Seca 550, 4 cylinder, 6 gears and helmet. Low miles, good condition. \$875 firm. 737-1436

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1983 FORD Econo line customized van, loaded. 31,000 miles. Excellent buy for \$6700. Call 927-3484.

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**041 Trucks**

1982 CHEVROLET pick-up truck with new rebuilt motor. 758-3598.

1973 FORD Pick-up for sale. Engine trouble, asking \$450 negotiable. Call after 6:30 p.m., 355-5169.

1981 TOYOTA SPORT, loaded, excellent condition. Call 1-524-5289.

1984 MAZDA B 2000, air, bedliner, 5-speed. \$3500. Call 752-4517.

1985 GMC 7000 Diesel truck, 75,000 miles, 18' Mackney insulated body. 756-2425.

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**041 Trucks**

1987 MAZDA CLUB CAB, 4 wheel drive, SE5. \$9,300. 355-5340.

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**044 Child Care**

**BABYSITTER/HOUSEKEEPER** wanted. Must be dependable, honest and loving to 8 month old child. Full time. Hours will vary. Must have own transportation. Call after 6 p.m. 756-8899, ask for Mrs. Stewart.

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**WANT TO KEEP CHILDREN** full time in my home. Griffin area. Ages 2-4. Call 524-4268.

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**044 Child Care**

**WILL KEEP** children in my home Monday-Friday. Prefer ages 2, 3 and 4. Call 756-0088.

**050 Pets**

**A 3 MONTH OLD** Male Shitzu. Call evenings. 756-3269.

**AKC Bassett Hound** puppies. 5 male, 1 female. \$150 each. Call 752-5874.

**AKC BOXER** 6 months old. Ears cropped, all shots, and wormed. \$250. Call 752-2991.

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**AKC COCKER SPANIELS**, wormed and shots, 7 weeks old. Buff, black and red. \$100 each. 927-4870 after 8:00 p.m.

**AKC REGISTERED** Bassett hound puppies. 6 weeks old. 1-751-2824.

**CFA HIMALAYAN** kittens. \$125. Call 752-1809 after 5:00 p.m.

**FOR SALE** German Shepherd puppies. Championship bloodline. 792-3568 after 5 p.m., Jamesville, N.C.

**FOR SALE** AKC Registered Bassett hound puppies. Call after 5 p.m., 946-1907.

**FOR SALE** BLACK and tan dachshund puppies, 3 females, 2 males. \$150. 746-4805 after 5:00.

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**050 Pets**

**FOR SALE TO GOOD HOME.** Must have a fenced yard. Half golden retriever, half yellow labrador male. Shots and neutered. \$50. 355-0733.

**GERMAN SHORTHAIRED** pointer puppies, 10 weeks old, solid liver and liver and white ticked. AKC, all shots, hunting stock, championship bloodlines. Call after 6:00, 1-585-1146.

**REGISTERED ABYSSINIAN** female kitten, 2 months old. Looks like mini cougar. \$500 negotiable. Call 753-5467.

**058 Help Wanted Clerical**

**BOOKKEEPER** We have an opening for a bookkeeper whose responsibilities shall include the processing of billings, accounts receivable and accounts payable. Computer experience helpful, related work experience required.

Applicants must be well organized and demonstrate accuracy and attention to detail and deadlines.

Please respond to: Bill Hall, Controller Whites Stores Ltd. PO Box 1506 Greenville, NC 27834

**LEGAL SECRETARY.** Lawyer needs a secretary with good typing skills and good with people. Part time morning or after noons. Call 752-0952.

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**058 Help Wanted Clerical**

**MEDICAL Transcriptionist.** Guaranteed salary plus incentive and benefits. Work at home or in our office. Call 919-237-8428 or write to Office Services Unlimited, P.O. Box 158, Wilson, NC 27893, for appointment.

**POSITION AVAILABLE** for secretary/receptionist. Must be able to meet and talk with the public, with good typing skills and good telephone voice. Telemarketing experience helpful. Interviews by appointment only. Contact Mrs. Prinz, 758-4586.

**SECRETARY:** full time. Must enjoy working with people, involved in general office work as well as receptionist. Excellent opportunity, good benefits. Please apply at Greenville TV & Appliance.

**SECRETARY/Receptionist/** filing clerk needed. Hours 8:5 Monday-Friday. Call for an appointment 758-0667.

**SECRETARY/Receptionist** with experience in medical office preferred. Salary negotiable depending on experience. General office duties, variety of responsibilities and opportunity to work with people is involved. Send resume and references to: Carolina Occupational Therapy, 640 Medical Drive Suite E, Greenville, NC 27834.

**SECRETARY:** full time, good typing skills required, computer and legal experience helpful. 757-0651.

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**058 Help Wanted Clerical**

**WANTED-SECRETARY:** experience preferred but not required. Accounting skills and a genuine love of animals and people are an asset. Call 753-2612 between noon and 5:00.

**059 Help Wanted Medical**

**PSYCHOEDUCATIONAL THERAPIST**  
Teaching position. 20 hours per week  
College degree with major in Special Education, Child Development, Social Work, Psychology or related field and 2 years of related teaching and/or therapeutic experience in autism or mental retardation and consultation. Excellent location on your application. Salary, \$10,884-\$17,352. Starting salary commensurate with education and experience. Comprehensive benefits package. Excellent work environment with rewarding and challenging work. For an application contact:  
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Chapel Hill, NC 27599-1040  
919-962-2991  
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**059 Help Wanted Medical**

**RN's/LPN's.** Would you like every weekend off, competitive salary based on experience, excellent benefits, with alternate pay options? If so, you may be the person we are looking for to complement our staffing needs on 3:00-11:00 p.m. shift.

**NURSE MANAGER.** Are you dedicated to quality care of the elderly? Do you have management skills necessary to guide and direct other nursing personnel in giving quality nursing care? If so, you could be the person we need in a nursing management position.

We offer a professional environment with individualized orientation and growth opportunity. Contact DNS, Triad Health Care Center of Greenville, Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 p.m., 758-7100 for interview appointment.

**WANTED:** Insurance Examiner, NURSE or TECHNICIAN in Greenville to complete reporting vital signs, medical history and venipuncture. P.O. Box 5864, Winston Salem, N.C. 27103, 919-761-0416.

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**059 Help Wanted Medical**

**WEEKEND NURSE:** for 15 bed ICF/MR unit located in Greenville. Provide nursing services and assist direct care staff in activities. Work Saturday and Sunday 8 am to 8 pm, total of 24 hours per weekend. Two paid half hour meal breaks. Starting at \$8.25 per hour, to \$8.50 after 6 months. Minimum requirement - N.C. LPN License and good references. Experience with the mentally retarded a plus. Qualified persons with an interest in every weekend or every other weekend should apply at Skill Creations of Greenville located at 2701 W. Fifth Street (next to Alcohol Rehabilitation Center) or call Linda Moeschel at 752-8869 EOE.

**TRIAD HEALTH CARE** Center of Greenville is looking for qualified and caring individuals to give direct patient care. Must have nursing home experience, NA certificate or be enrolled in nursing school or NA Program. Excellent opportunity to give of yourself to elderly of our community while working for a top notch company with competitive wages and benefits and the possibility of progression within a company. Contact Lisa Nelson DNS at 758-7100, Monday-Friday, 9-4.

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Complete TIE Electronic telephone system with 36-phones, 12 trunk line capability, power supply and cards with control panel. Purchased new from Carolina Telephone. Perfect for small business-\$3,000. Please telephone Steve Grant, 756-3228.

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Will Deliver  
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**HELP WANTED**  
PrepShirt Manufacturing Company now hiring Sewing Machine Operators and a Spreader. Experience preferred, but not required. Starting pay above minimum. Apply Tuesday-Thursday, 9-11 and 1-3 to:  
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**SERVICE MANAGER**  
Progressive Eastern North Carolina dealership has immediate opening for Service Manager. GM experience preferred. Excellent earnings potential and benefits package. Please send resume to GM Service Manager, PO-Box 776, Greenville, NC, 27834.

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America's #1 replacement window. We're expanding our sales territory. Needed immediately: sales people with management potential.  
We offer:  
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1983 Ford Escort Automatic with air.	\$2,495
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A COMPLETE RESUME AND writing service. Cover letters, business letters, reports, graphs etc. C.R. Writing 355-6390.

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ASSISTANT MANAGER needed. Also employees needed full time and part time. Apply from 112 Monday Thursday at Pili Theater, Carolina East Center

**ATTENTION GIRLS AND GUYS 17 AND OVER**

National firm has openings for several neat, young people to assist me in my

**NATIONWIDE TRAVEL PROGRAM**

No experience needed, but must be able to leave immediately and travel extensively to U.S. beaches and resort areas. High pay and casual conditions make this extremely desirable for the younger set. Transportation provided and return. For immediate placement contact Mrs. Kopic, Friday only at 758-5544 between 10:00 and 3:00 only. Parents welcome at interview.

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**CHEMLAWN**

LAWN SPECIALIST seeking outgoing individual who desires working outdoors and meeting people. Minimum qualifications: require good driving record and high school diploma, turf experience desirable. Full time year round position with seasonal hours. Starting salary, \$275 per week with hospitalization, dental and life insurance, paid holidays and vacation. For those interested in a rewarding career, send resume to 120 E. 14th Street, Greenville, NC 27858.

CHOIR DIRECTOR/Organist needed. Baptist church on Highway 264 East 8 miles from Greenville. Call 757-3153.

**COSMETOLOGISTS**

Hair stylist needed for busy salon. Guarantee hourly pay plus commission, bonus, paid vacation, benefits and more. Experience not required. Must have current cosmetologist's license. Call 1-800-872-6626 EOE.

COUNTER HELP needed. Apply 2105 Charles Street, Korekore Cleaners. Full time. Pre employment polygraph required.

CUSTODIAL SERVICES 12 1/2 hours per week. Call 753-7111, 8, Monday Friday.

DELIVERY DRIVER, full time. Must know city and county areas well. Apply in person, Jefferson Florist, Greenville.

**DELIVERY**

Need person to do light delivery work. Monday Friday from 6:30-9:30 and Saturday afternoons from 12 noon-2:30 p.m. Must have good knowledge of Greenville and surrounding areas. Must be reliable and have own dependable vehicle with good gas mileage. Great job for second income or retired person. Guaranteed salary plus gas allowance/commission. Apply in person only. Monday, September 26, 6-9 p.m. EOE/M/F.

Olan Mills Portrait Studio. Buyer's Market Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC.

DRIVERS NEEDED to transport straight trucks and some tractors. Must be 25 and DOT qualified. 753-5143 or 752-6724.

DRYCLEANING AND Laundry presser. Experience required. Also part time laundromat attendant. Call 758-6621.

DUMP AND BACK HOE Operators. Only qualified operators with no driver's violations should apply. Permanent position. Pay commensurate with experience. Apply in person Boyd Associates, 308 Raleigh Avenue, Greenville.

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS wanted. Bissettes, 416 Evans Street Mall.

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**ATTENTION**

New photography studio in town would like to take all of your pet portraits, family portraits, and baby portraits in your home or in our studio. We also can do special effect portraits. Call Everlasting Memories Studio & Gallery for appointment, 355-6862.

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Experience not necessary. Individual must have willingness to work, a good personality and be committed to making money. Benefits include dental and health insurance, management potential within one year, paid vacation and earnings in excess of \$30,000 per year for the right individual. Call or come by Quality Used Cars, 3006 South Memorial Drive, Greenville N.C. or call 355-5099. Ask for Mike Morris.

**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

FLORAL DESIGNER, full time, mature individual, 1 year minimum experience. Apply in person, Jefferson Florist, Greenville.

FLORAL DESIGNER. Apply in person, Julieanne's Florist, 1703 West 6th Street.

FULL AND PART-TIME Weekend waitresses and hostesses needed. Apply at Szechuan Garden, 3 S. Nophone calls.

**INTERMEDIATE OPENINGS**

GENERAL LABORERS FOR INDUSTRIAL ASSIGNMENTS. We have jobs now for male or females with transportation, phone and a desire to work.

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GOLF DRIVING RANGE located on Highway 43 south. Call 355-6745 for information.

HEADS UP IS NOW taking applications for licensed hair stylist. Apply in person, 318 S. Evans Street, 758-8553.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for experienced offset press operator. Salary negotiable based on qualifications. Send resume to PO Box 67, Washington, NC 27889 or call 946-4911 for appointment.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for warehouse personnel. Excellent pay, many benefits with profit sharing and 15 year retirement. No phone calls. Richard Zook, Lowes of Greenville.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for mature individual. Must be ambitious and want to help serve people. Salary plus commission. Call 830-1113 for appointment for interview.

LIGHT DELIVERY PERSON needed. Call 830-9291.

LP GAS DELIVERY MAN. Must be 21 years of age. Apply in person. Daughtridge Gas Company, 2107 Dickinson Avenue between 8 & 9, Monday-Friday.

MAINTENANCE Superintendent needed immediately for 180 unit apartment complex! Requires good working knowledge of HVAC, plumbing, electrical, carpentry. Call 355-2198 between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

MAINTENANCE HELPER, full time! Responsible for cleaning, painting, maintenance on apartments! Call 355-2198 between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

MEN AND WOMEN NEEDED in our office for phone work. Call 830-9291.

NAIL TECHNICIAN NEEDED. Experience preferred, but will train. Call The Nail Company, days 355-4596, evenings 756-3792.

NANNY NEEDED. References required. Must have own transportation. Call 355-6862.

NEED SEWING MACHINE Operators. Apply at Personnel Office, Belvoir Manufacturing, 758-9710.

NEEDED: Attractive females, Velvet Touch Massage. Earn \$250-\$500 a week. Call 1-972-9082.

OFFSET PRESSMAN. Must be experienced, quality conscious and dependable. Alco Graphics, Kinston, 523-5866.

**"OPPORTUNITY"**

TRI COUNTY HOMES, INC., is expanding its sales force throughout eastern North Carolina. If you are energetic, enthusiastic, honest and in need of income of \$25,000 per year here is your chance. If you are looking for a company that offers benefits like life insurance, health and dental insurance, disability insurance, as well as a retirement program call 1-800-672-4503 and ask for Karen Lambert. A confidential interview will be arranged.

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**We Do Renovations, Additions, Decks And Outside Work.** For a job well done call **752-3739** **Lancaster & Associates** J.G. Lancaster III (Smoke)

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1978 Chevrolet wrecker. Electric winch, dollies, emergency light. Completely rebuilt engine and transmission with shift kit for towing. Great for small operation—\$6,000. Call Steve Grant 756-3228.

**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

PART-TIME Counter help needed. Apply Stadium Cleaners, 205 E. 10th.

POLISH YOUR Interviewing Skills through our Professional Evaluation Program. Video taped simulated interviews and written evaluation of skills. Call Personnel Profiles, Division of Atlantic Personnel Service, 355-7921.

POSITION AVAILABLE for Public Health Educator I to work in Health Promotion program at the Bertie County Health Department. College degree required in Health related field. Submit state application to Employment Security Office, 1102 N. King Street, Windsor, NC 27983. Closing date October 1, 1988.

PROFESSIONAL RESUME Composition. Atlantic Personnel, 355-7921.

RESIDENTIAL CARPENTER Pay based on qualifications. 752-6563.

RIGGAN SHOE SHOP. Help wanted. 111 West 4th Street, downtown Greenville.

S & S CAFETERIA, Carolina East Mall, is now accepting applications for full time positions in all areas. Apply in person, Monday Friday, 8:10 a.m. and 3:40 p.m. No phone calls.

SHENANIGANS - Now accepting applications for cocktail servers. Please apply in person at Comfort Inn, Goldsboro, 909 North Spence Avenue.

**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

SMALL ENGINE MECHANIC: lawn mowers, chain saws, etc. Must have experience. Call 756-6058 or 756-2557.

SMELLING & SMELLING specializes in sales, management trainee, accounting and clerical positions. Call 758-0541.

SURVEY PARTY CHIEF, Instrument men, Washington Office. Apply to DR1164, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

TRACTOR TRAILER Drivers. High pay, new equipment. 2 years experience or Tractor Trailer School graduate. Call J. 800-682-6574.

VACANCIES IN GREENE County Schools. Primary Math Lab Teacher, in School Suspension Teacher, Assistant Principal at high school. Contact Personnel Office, Greene County Schools, 301 Kingold Blvd., Snow Hill, NC 28580. 747-3425.

WAITRESSES, waiters, bartenders and bus boys wanted. Apply at Mandarin Restaurant.

WANTED: Receptionist and dental assistant. Experience preferred but not necessary. Send resume to DR1161, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

WANTED: LP Gas bulk truck driver. Must pass DOT physical and have a good driving record. Working hours, Monday-Friday, 8-5. Call 753-3124 or 753-3679.

**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

WANTED: Professional driver for 18 wheel oil transport. Must have good DMV record. Apply in person to Hatchell Oil Company, US 64 Bypass East, Tarboro, NC. No phone calls.

WE REQUIRE THE SERVICES of a highly motivated money hungry sales representative to canvas new business. Follow up on leads, be prepared to work in an 8 hour day for which we will give an excellent commission scheme. Call Southeastern Exteriors, 756-1317 or 1-800-682-5332.

WESTERN SIZZLIN' accepting applications for day cashier and salad prep. Apply after 2 p.m.

WRITERS NEEDED for freelance, non-fiction assignments. Some advertising writing. Williams & Simpson Inc., 2409 S. Charles Street, 756-8617.

061 Help Wanted Sales

IMMEDIATE OPENING. part time sales. Must be aggressive. Telemarketing experience helpful. Call 752-6838.

LICENSED INSURANCE Representatives to market our life and Medicare Supplement Programs. We provide leads and training vested commissions. All responses confidential. Investors Network and Security Services, 355-3794.

MANAGER FOR FURNITURE Store. Must be hard working, dependable. Send resume to Manager, PO Box 309, Ayden, North Carolina 28513.

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- A valid driver's license, and
- A social security number,

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Simply cut out the credit application we've provided below. Fill it out and bring it to Leith Olds/Nissan. We'll be ready to start you on the road to your new car! And when you use your manufacturer's rebate, with absolutely no cash down!



**Credit Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ How Long? \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_ Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

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**WANTED:** Small investors to invest \$250, 25% potential in 6 months. Sales and management experience helpful, but not required. Call Thursday, September 22 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. for evaluation appointment. 919-291-2323, Ext 106.

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**068 Antiques**

**ANTIQUES BOUGHT** and sold daily. Woodside Antiques, Allen Road. Please call 756-9929.

**ANTIQUES AND OLD THINGS.** Mac's Old Things, Evans Street Extension. Phone 756-8777. Located at Carr Motor Co., Inc.

**ANTIQUE DEALER** at home sales. Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 9:30-4. 1303 Airlee Drive, Kinston. 523-3727.

**DOUBLE ESTATE AUCTION.** Saturday, September 24, 10 a.m. The Estate of Ovid Pierce of Greenville plus another local estate. Approximately 450 lots of fine quality antiques including Chinese Chippendale mirror, Southern 2-board top stretcher, base dining table (ca. 1800), Cherry candle stand (ca. 1830), Windsor settee, 18th Century large oil portrait, Cherry Sheraton butlers secretary, fine reproduction Heppelwhite sideboard, sterling flatware, walnut Victorian hi-back bed, several other pieces of walnut Victorian furniture, 12 pieces Cherry furniture (ca. 1830-1850), 2 Louis Orr etchings, bamboo Windsor side chair, Pine pencil post bed, cut glass wine decanter, 16" cut glass vase (Harvard pattern), quilts, etc. This estate auction has a lot of good quality antiques, glassware, prints, etc., so plan to attend. Preview Thursday and Friday, 2-6. Auction starts at 10 a.m. Saturday. Auction to be held Woodside Antiques, Allen Road, off 264 West, Greenville, NC. 756-9929. Bring a chair and a friend! Rain date: October 1. Michael Cable NCAL 3303. Food available.

**IN RESPONSE** to numerous requests Johnsen's Antiques will again offer quality restoration of antique furniture, repairs and refinishing. 315 E. 11th Street, phone 758-4839.

**WALL TO WALL** Antiques and Stuff. Open Saturday, 12:00-5:00. 818 Dickinson Ave. Collectibles.

**075 Computers**

**COMMODORE 64,** 1571 disk drive, color monitor, software. \$300. Call 355-3122.

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**081 Furniture**

**DARK OAK ANTIQUE** dining room suite. Table/4 chairs, mirrored buffet and glass paneled china cabinet. Excellent condition. \$1,000. 756-5410.

**FOR SALE** living room suite. Couch, 2 chairs, 2 end tables, party ottoman and dinette set. Brand new. \$650. Queen mattress and boxed springs and frame, brand new. \$250. Call after 6 p.m., 753-4175 or 753-5229.

**FULL SIZED** Pencil post pine bed with lasset canopy and mattresses. Call 355-5158 between 7 and 10 p.m.

**FURNITURE STRIPPING** Paint and varnish removed from wood and metal. All items returned within 7 days. Tar Road Antiques & Fireside Shop, 1 mile south of Sunshine Garden Center, Winterville. 355-6003.

**WANTED:** 2 USED office desks and chairs. Needed immediately. Call 752-3574.

**082 Garage-Yard Sales**

**COME ONE, COME ALL!** Dixie's Flea Market, Highway 11 North of Kinston and register for a free gift (No purchase necessary, need not be present to attend). Outside sales, free. Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

**MULTI-FAMILY** yard sale. Toys, baby items, contemporary furniture, ladies coats, sewing material, miscellaneous household. Saturday, 8-12. Westhaven Road.

**REMODELING YARD SALE.** Bring your truck or trailer. Used appliances, sofas, chairs, lamps, tvs, filing cabinets, typewriter, headboard, refrigerators, ovens, dishes. New stove pipes and range hood. Location: backyard of Fleming Furniture Company, Saturday, September 24.

**WALL TO WALL** Antiques and Stuff. Open Saturday, 12:00-5:00. 818 Dickinson Ave. Collectibles.

**YARD SALE** Saturday, 7-12 a.m. Corner of Charles and Brook Road.

**YARD SALE** Saturday, off Hooker Road in backyard. Singletree Subdivision, just down from telephone company. Furniture including old antique buffet and oodles of cheap clothes all sizes, miscellaneous.

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**086 Farm Equipment**

**2 POWELL BULK BARNs,** 126 racks, 1 MF 135 tractor. Phone 753-5692 after 7:30 p.m.

**40,000 BUSHEL GRAIN STORAGE BINS** FOR LEASE. CONTACT BILL BLOUNT, 756-3000 OR 756-7911 NIGHTS

**089 Fruits & Vegetables**

**NEW SWEET POTATOES,** Georgia Reds and Puerto Ricans. Call 746-6150.

**092 Livestock**

**COASTAL BERMUDA HAY** 758-9454 after dark.

**HORSEBACK RIDING.** Jarman Stables, 752-5237.

**HORSES FOR SALE** and boarded. Thoroughbred 8 year old mare, 1st level dressage. Evented hunter, jumper. Morgan, 14 month old filly. Pleasure driving and English pleasure prospect. 2 year old stud colt. Ready to be trained. Sired by Adonis. Call for appointment at 753-5467.

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**BRAND NEW** Westinghouse heavy duty washer and dryer less than \$26.00 per month. Furniture Liquidators, 2818 E. 10th Street, Greenville, 758-8093.

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**GAS DRYER** for sale. \$75. Call 756-9185 after 6:00 p.m.

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**MATTRESS SALE** Thomasville mattress sets 1/2 price, twin \$189.00, full \$139.00; queen \$189.00. Furniture Liquidators, 2818 E. 10th Street, Greenville, 758-8093.

**MUST SELL!** 12" black and white tv \$30. Night/iv stand \$5. Small electric heater \$5. Stereo \$25. Portable travel iron \$5. Electric razor \$2. AM/FM clock/radio/telephone \$5. 4 drawer chest \$10. AM car radio \$2. Antique living room set \$10. Swimming pool \$2. Childrens record player \$5. Grill \$5. Blue bookshelves \$2. 3-piece suit, navy blue, \$15. 2 speed fan \$7. Chair \$10. 4-piece cup set with rack \$3. 756-8117.

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**NEW 2-PIECE** living room suit, \$189.95.

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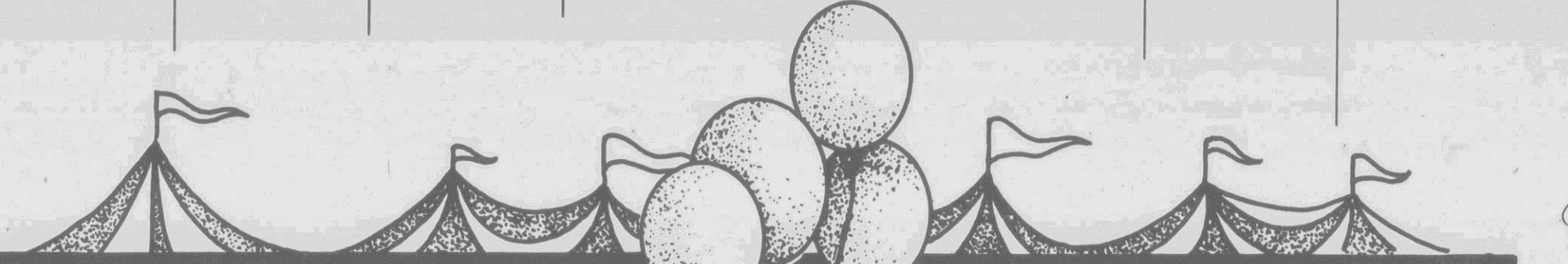
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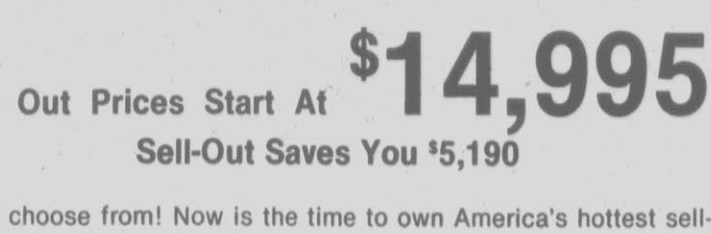
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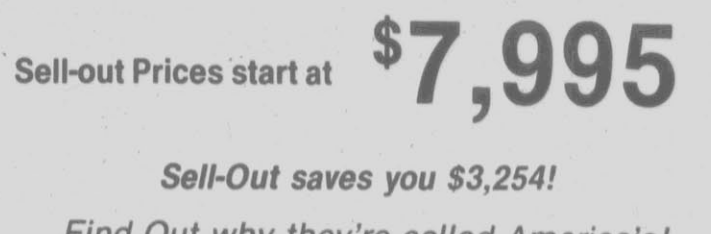
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# Prosecutors Try To Add Additional Hijacking Charge

By KEVIN COSTELLO  
Associated Press Writer

FRANKFURT, West Germany (AP) — Prosecutors are seeking to step up charges against confessed TWA hijacker Mohammed Ali Hamadi to include a count of attempted murder of an American passenger, a court spokesman said today.

The Lebanese Shiite Moslem defendant already is on trial for murder, air piracy and other charges stemming from the June 1985 ordeal in which a U.S. Navy diver was killed.

Court spokesman Falk Thomas said that after recent dramatic testimony from American passengers and crew members, Frankfurt prosecutors have asked the court to include a charge of attempted murder of American passenger Kurt Carlson.

Witnesses have testified that Hamadi and his accused fellow hijacker, Hassan Ezzeddine, mercilessly beat the Rockford, Ill., man during the hijacking that kept 39 Americans captive for 17 days.

"The prosecutor's office has asked the court to formally notify Hamadi that his actions can be judged as attempted murder," Thomas told The Associated Press in an interview.

"The court will still have to decide whether such a charge is included," Thomas added. He said "there is no time pressure" for the court to make such a decision.

Thomas said that the maximum sentence for attempted murder is a life prison term.

In the latest testimony regarding Carlson, chief flight attendant Uli Derickson on Wednesday described how Carlson was attacked by both hijackers, and said that he lay quietly near the cockpit.

"I was convinced he was dead, because I had to step over him several times," the 44-year-old Mrs. Derickson said. "But then I touched him and he moved."

The flight attendant said she then told Hamadi of Carlson's family, and Hamadi apologized to the beaten Army Reserve officer saying "I didn't mean to kill you."

Carlson survived the ordeal and has also testified at Hamadi's trial about his beatings.

On Wednesday, Mrs. Derickson broke down in sobs as she talked about the lasting psychological impact of the hijacking.

"I can imagine everyone on that flight is suffering," she told the court. "I suffered deep psychological effects, and I am still under therapy."

Hamadi, who prosecutors say is 24 years old, has admitted taking part in the hijacking but has denied killing U.S. Navy diver Robert Stethem of Waldorf, Md.

But John Testrake, the pilot, testified last week that he believed Hamadi was the hijacker who shot and killed Stethem.

Hamadi was arrested at Frankfurt airport on Jan. 13, 1987, after customs officials found liquid explosives in his luggage.

In the week following his arrest, two West Germans were kidnapped in Beirut in a failed scheme to win his release. Kidnappers have since released both West German hostages.

In addition to murder and air piracy, Hamadi has also been charged with hostage-taking, causing bodily harm and robbery. He also is on trial on charges of smuggling explosives and use of falsified documents stemming from his arrest at Frankfurt airport.

The TWA jet was hijacked to Beirut on a flight from Athens in June 1985.

# Fourth Activist Enters Consulate

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A fourth anti-apartheid activist escaped detention and took refuge in the U.S. Consulate, where three others have been holed up for 10 days, a U.S. spokesman said today.

The fourth man escaped detention Wednesday, went to the consulate on the 11th floor of an office tower in Johannesburg "seeking temporary refuge" and was allowed to remain, U.S. Embassy spokesman William Zavis said in Pretoria.

It was not immediately possible to clarify the man's identity.

Zavis identified him as Clifford

Ngcobo. However, several other activists identified him as Chris Ngcobo, former head of the Black Students Society at the University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg. They said they did not know a Clifford Ngcobo.

Zavis said he could give no details of the escape and declined to say if American diplomats had contacted the South African government about the newcomer. There was no immediate comment from government officials.

The activists said Chris Ngcobo was detained in June, 1986, and later spent time in the psychiatric ward at Baragwanath Hospital in Soweto, Johannesburg's black satellite township.

Two leaders of the banned United Democratic Front, the country's largest multiracial anti-apartheid alliance, and another activist have been inside the consulate since Sept. 13.

They eluded guards while receiving physiotherapy at Johannesburg Hospital.

The three, two black men and an ethnic Indian, have issued statements demanding release of all political detainees and have refused to leave the consulate despite a promise from the white minority government that they will not be arrested again or restricted.

They have given no indication of how long they plan to stay.

U.S. officials have said the activists will not be expelled from the consulate, despite a worldwide U.S. policy of refusing asylum in its diplomatic missions.

Winnie Mandela, wife of jailed black nationalist leader Nelson Mandela, visited the three activists on Wednesday, apparently before the new one arrived.

She complained that U.S. officials won't let the activists make direct contact with reporters.

Under apartheid, South Africa's 26 million blacks have no say in national affairs.

## Law School

RALEIGH (AP) — The board of trustees of Campbell University announced Wednesday night that the university's law school will officially be named the Norman A. Wiggins School of Law in honor of the school's president.

Wiggins, a Burlington native and graduate of Wake Forest University Law School, has been president at Campbell since 1967.

The Campbell Law School has approximately 300 students enrolled.

Wiggins was president of the N.C. Baptist State Convention from 1984-85 and currently serves as president of the National Fellowship of Baptist Men.

## Isbell Dies

WAKE FOREST, N.C. (AP) — Robert Nevill Isbell, a former chemistry professor at Wake Forest University who played a role in the nation's first atom bomb tests, died Wednesday. He was 87.

Isbell started his career in 1918 as a 17-year-old enlistee in the Aero Squadron, a forerunner of the Air Force. By 1948 he had climbed to the rank of colonel in the Air Force and was involved with the famed Manhattan Project, the nation's venture into nuclear weaponry in the 1940s.

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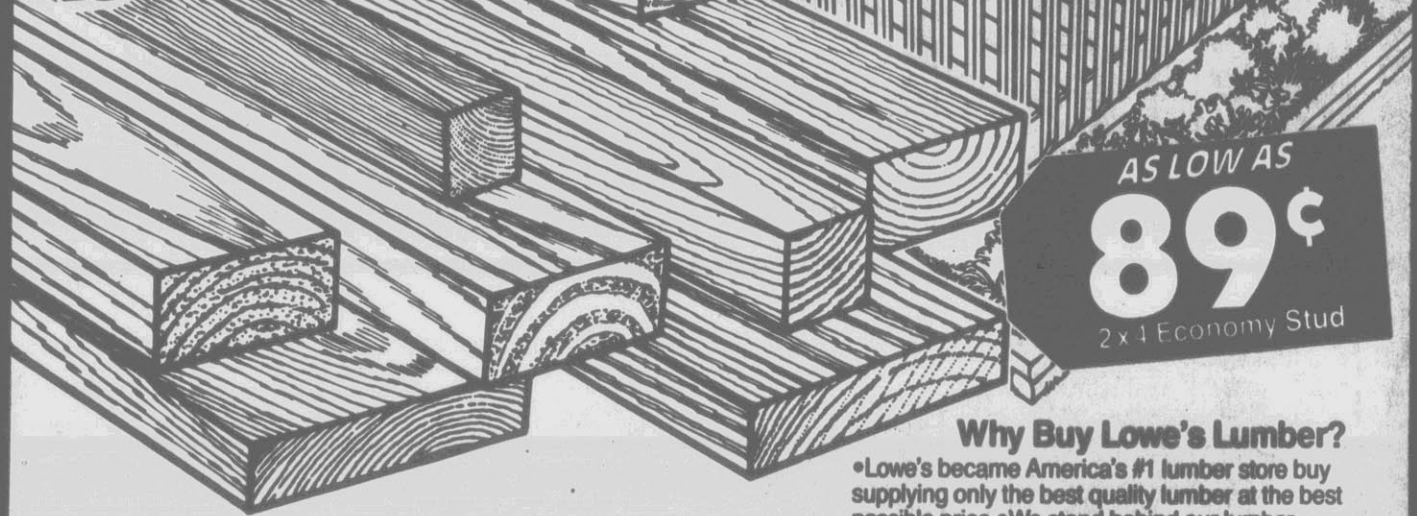
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