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## Spirited Soviet Congress Opens On Raucous Note

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MOSCOW — The first competitively elected Soviet congress convened today and immediately plunged into spirited debate over its agenda and powers, with the once-banished Andrei D. Sakharov among the first to take the floor.

In the first hour of the nationally televised proceedings, Sakharov and another liberal Moscow deputy, economist Gavril Popov, argued for changing an agenda that was set during a stormy nine-hour meeting Wednesday.

Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the president and Communist Party chief, led the proceedings of the Congress of People's Deputies, sitting behind two microphones with a giant statue of Vladimir I. Lenin at his back.

Sakharov, banished from Moscow until December 1986 for human rights activities that won him the Nobel Peace Prize, praised Gorbachev for changing the face of Soviet society and said he should be re-elected president, noting: "I don't see another person who could lead the country at this time."

But he demanded that Gorbachev give congress an account of the mistakes and achievements of his reform efforts before deputies vote on his re-election.

Sakharov also proposed that the 2,250-member congress, elected in the country's first contested elections in seven decades, act as the Soviet Union's principal law-making body.

That is supposed to be the job of a new 542-member Supreme Soviet, to be elected by the congress.

Gorbachev cut Sakharov off after five minutes, set a

time limit on subsequent speakers, and moved to end debate on the agenda.

It was adopted by a wide margin. However, in a country where legislative proceedings traditionally have been by unanimous consent, there were 379 votes against the agenda and nine abstentions.

The agenda calls for Gorbachev to be elected president and then address the parliament.

Gorbachev frequently intervened in the debate amid shouts from the floor, guiding and controlling the assembly in the vast auditorium of the Kremlin's marble-and-glass Palace of Congresses.

Not all parliamentarians were happy with the morning session.

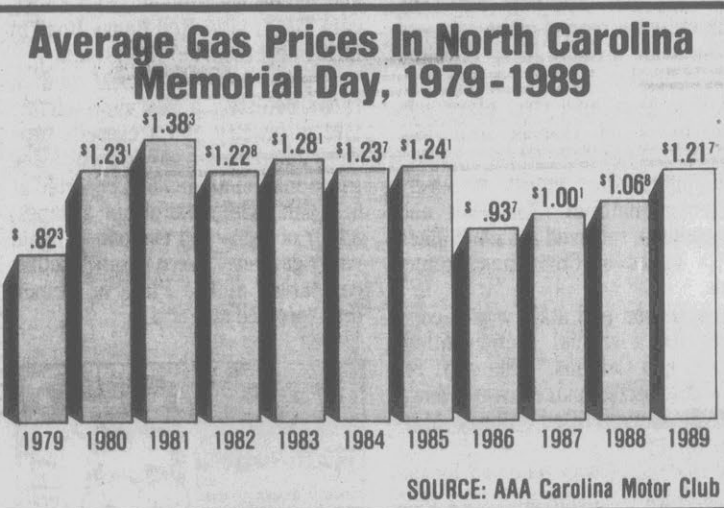
"It's not at all democratic," said Egidijus Klumbys, a member of the Lithuanian reform group Sajudis. Klumbys said he doubted other sessions would be different.

But another deputy, independent Marxist historian Roy Medvedev, approved of Gorbachev's style as chairman, saying he "doesn't want to seem tough."

Viktor Mironenko, a deputy representing Komsomol, the communist youth organization, said he was dismayed there was not more organization.

At least 80 percent of the deputies are Communist Party members, but a small band of reformers assured the congress will differ sharply from the docile, rubber-stamp assemblies of the past.

Formally, the congress has little power other than to elect the president and members of the Supreme Soviet and review the president's appointments for top government posts.



## Wright Offers Job For Dismissal

### Democrats Begin Drive To Have Foley Named House Speaker

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — House Speaker Jim Wright, in a riveting spectacle of political abdication, is offering to relinquish his powerful leadership post in exchange for dismissal of ethics committee charges that involve his wife.

Republicans today toughened their stance that any "plea bargain" would be improper. Democrats, however, already have begun speaking of a succession in which Rep. Thomas Foley, D-Wash., the majority leader, would move up to speaker as early as next week.

"There is near unanimity of support for Tom Foley," Rep. Pat Williams of Montana said Wednesday.

Foley himself said today he knew of "no plans for the speaker to retire."

Publicly, Wright insisted he would "press ahead" with his defense against the charges in the House ethics committee.

At the same time, he dispatched his lawyers to explore alternatives to what could be weeks of trying to change the minds of committee members who brought the charges against him.

The speaker's lawyers, meeting Wednesday with attorneys for the ethics committee, offered his post in exchange for dismissal of the charge that he accepted improper gratuities

from a developer friend, according to sources familiar with the talks.

Some sources said Wright might subsequently resign from the House, where he has served since 1955.

One alleged gift was a job for Betty Wright. The committee's outside counsel says she did little if any work for her salary. Wright says she did, and has vowed in sometimes dramatic statements to protect her honor.

The talks on Wednesday included suggestions that the conflict-of-interest charges could be narrowed to eliminate the years when Mrs. Wright's job was involved.

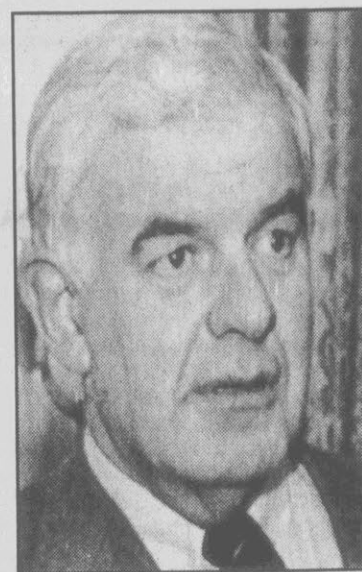
Rep. John Myers of Indiana, ranking Republican on the ethics committee, said today he "would not be party to such a deal."

Rep. Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., the House minority whip, said of Wright, "As long as he's a member of the House I think our position is that it is totally inappropriate for the ethics committee to engage in plea bargaining."

"On the other hand, if the speaker thinks the ethics committee has a sound case he has every right to collapse," Gingrich said on ABC-TV's "Good Morning America" program.

House GOP campaign officials have said Wright's ethics will make a juicy campaign issue for them in 1990.

Myers said ethics committee



THOMAS FOLEY

members Wednesday afternoon authorized outside counsel Richard Phelan to hold discussions — but not negotiations — with Wright's lawyers. Phelan met with Rep. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J., a member of the speaker's defense team.

House Republican leader Bob Michel, R-Ill., who was keeping tabs on the talks, told reporters that, "Quite frankly, the integrity of the ethics committee might very well be undermined if they were to succumb to that kind of entreaty" from the speaker.

He said if he were up against the kind of charges facing the speaker, he would have resigned already.

Still, one congressman familiar with the talks, speaking on condition of anonymity, said a majority of the ethics committee favored some sort of negotiated settlement. The committee is made up of six Democrats and six Republicans.

Publicly, Wright himself refused to concede his 35-year legislative career might be nearing an end, or even that Democrats were losing confidence in him. "I don't feel that at all," he told reporters.

The speaker's search for a political solution to his dilemma came only one day after his lawyers made a dramatic televised pitch to the committee that the charges should be dropped for legal reasons.

The committee recessed Wednesday until June 1 without making a decision on the legal arguments.

Committee chairman Julian Dixon met privately with Majority Leader Foley to discuss the situation. Neither man would discuss their talks publicly.

Some said they expected a deal would be made before that next committee meeting.

"What I know is that negotiations are taking place that deal with resolving this issue very soon," Rep. Bill Richardson said Wednesday. Richardson said he expected an ar-

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## Gasoline Prices Up For Holiday

By J. Ward Best  
 THE DAILY REFLECTOR

Area motorists will face higher prices at the gas pump during this year's Memorial Day holiday period. The average price per gallon jumped nearly 15 cents statewide compared to this time in 1988, according to an AAA Carolina Motor Club report.

The average price per gallon for all fuel grades in North Carolina now stands at \$1.217, according to the AAA report. The majority of the increased cost has been added since Easter.

But all Greenville service and filling stations surveyed checked in under the state average for the most popular seller — self-service unleaded gas. And most stations will remain open throughout the long holiday weekend.

Most area stations reported a general decrease in prices over the past month, and nearly all indicated they plan to remain open to meet the needs of Memorial Day motorists.

Stations offering only self-service came in under the price reported by most full-service stations.

Lajuan Phillips, manager of the Trade station on Fifth Street, said she always expects price increases, but the nationwide jump in prices a few months ago did not increase prices or slow business at the filling

station and convenience market. In fact, Ms. Phillips said she has added customers since last month.

Trade offers self-service regular unleaded, the best seller according to AAA, for \$103.9.

"If it goes to a dollar fifty-seven, you're going to pay for it if you want to ride," Ms. Phillips said.

Most managers and owners agreed that business has not slowed, but most reported that their prices have decreased over the past month.

"We've seen increases and decreases and increases — it just keeps going up and down," said

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## West Is Finalist For Hanover Job

By Jerry Raynor  
 THE DAILY REFLECTOR

Dr. Eddie West, superintendent of Pitt County schools, is one of four finalists under consideration for the post of superintendent of the New Hanover County school system.

New Hanover also includes the schools in the port city of Wilmington.

West, in a prepared statement issued Wednesday afternoon by Pitt County schools, cited an opportunity for "beneficial professional advancement" as his basic reason for applying for the New Hanover position.

Other than through the prepared release, West has declined to comment on his candidacy for the post.

Barry Gaskins, public information

officer for Pitt schools, said this morning, "At this time, Dr. West is awaiting an invitation from the New Hanover Board of Education to appear for a personal interview. It is my understanding that the New Hanover board will make their decision by early June."

West said in the prepared statement, "For the past seven years, it has been my privilege to serve the citizens of Pitt County as superintendent of schools. I continue to consider it a privilege to serve in that role. During this period of time and due to the efforts of many dedicated individuals, much has been accomplished.

"During the past seven years as merger has occurred, and as inquiries from other school systems were made regarding my availability, I felt that professionally and personal-



EDDIE WEST

ly it was important for there to be continuity and minimal disruption in order that merger might be successfully completed.

"While I enjoy my work immense-

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## Li Denies He Called In Army

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BEIJING — Premier Li Peng spoke publicly today for the first time since declaring martial law, denying on state-run television that he had called the army to Beijing to crush the pro-democracy student movement.

Earlier today, in yet another mass demonstration, more than 100,000 workers and intellectuals marched to join students in demanding Li's ouster. An intense power struggle within the political leadership appeared unresolved.

Li's apparent attempt to end the upheaval with martial law in Beijing on Saturday has met with widespread resistance and exacerbated divisions in China's political and military leadership.

He said in the appearance on state-run television news that the army had not yet entered the city because "our government is a people's government and our army is a people's army."

Over the weekend, tens of thousands of people had stymied the army's advance on students occupying central Tiananmen Square by building street barricades that kept them out of Beijing.

The television news quoted Li as saying during a meeting with three new ambassadors that the thousands of troops surrounding Beijing would only enter the city once local citizens understand their purpose.

He denied claims that the army was called in to crush the month-

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## State Legislators Honor Leo Jenkins

By John Bare  
 THE DAILY REFLECTOR

The late Dr. Leo Warren Jenkins would have celebrated his 76th birthday Sunday, and today state lawmakers presented a gift to Jenkins and his family.

Legislators passed a resolution honoring Jenkins as a man who lifted the spirit and pride of eastern North Carolina and catapulted East Carolina Teachers College into its role as a major university.

"That, to me, is the essence of the leadership and statement of Leo Jenkins' life, was to say to the people of eastern North Carolina, that

they could be more than a second-class rural area," state Sen. Tom Taft said. "And I think he sparked and ignited a spirit that's made eastern North Carolina what it is today — a thriving, progressive region of N.C."

The three-page resolution, which was introduced by the five-member Pitt County legislative delegation, was read into the record today in both the House and Senate.

Jenkins, who died Jan. 14, served ECTC and East Carolina University for 31 years.

In 1947, Jenkins came to Greenville from New Jersey to take over as dean of East Carolina Teachers College and held that post until 1960

when he was named president of the college. Jenkins served as president of ECU from 1967-1972. When ECU joined the University of North Carolina system, he served as chancellor for the university.

Jenkins spearheaded the drive to fund ECU's medical school, which has a mission of training family physicians for service in eastern North Carolina.

Today's resolution included a comment from Jim Shumaker, journalism professor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, regarding Jenkins' contribution to the quality of life in eastern North Carolina.

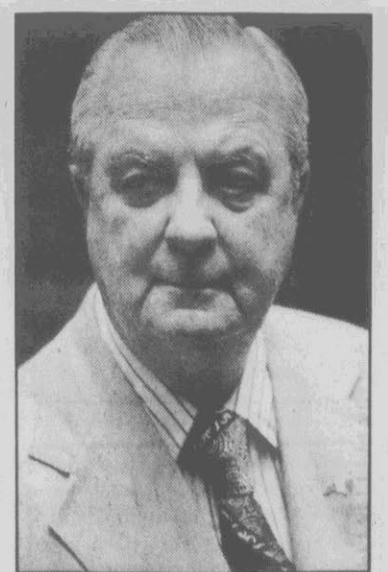
"(Jenkins) is one of the greatest

things that ever happened to eastern North Carolina. He gave eastern North Carolina a whole new attitude about themselves and their region. He must have spoken to every civic club east of Raleigh at least twice, telling these people how great they were and how great their region was.

"What he did was as much a lifting of their spirit as of their economy," Shumaker said.

UNC President C.D. Spangler Jr. said today in a telephone interview from Chapel Hill that Jenkins was the perfect man for the job at ECU.

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DR. LEO JENKINS

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Fair tonight. Low in mid 60s. Hot and humid Friday. High in mid 90s.

**Looking Ahead**

Chance of rain Saturday, cloudy Sunday and Monday. Highs in 80s. Lows near 60.

## In The Area

### Larceny Charge

Sandra Barrett, 27, of Route 8, Greenville, was arrested on a larceny charge by Greenville police Wednesday.

Officer E.T. Butts said Ms. Barrett was charged in connection with the theft of \$268 worth of clothes from JC Penney at The Plaza at about 8:36 p.m.

### Drug Charges

Greenville police arrested John Thomas Woodley Jr., 27, of 1933 W. Greenville Blvd. on drug charges Wednesday.

Officer K.P. Woods said Woodley was charged with possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia following a traffic stop on U.S. 264 West at about 1:45 a.m.

### Holiday Observed

There will be no mail delivery Monday by rural and city carriers and no window service will be provided by the Post Office in observance of Memorial Day.

Express mail and special delivery mail will be delivered. A special 3 p.m. holiday collection will be made Monday from all boxes with 5 p.m. collection times with the mail dispatched at 5:30 p.m.

### Knight Scholarship

Wendy Brewer of Greenville has accepted a Knight Scholarship from Chowan College for the 1989-90 term.

Knight Scholarships are provided by the Knight Charitable Trust and named in honor of James Knight, chairman of the board of Knight-Ridder Newspapers Inc.

Ms. Brewer, the daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Jimmy Brewer, is a rising sophomore studying printing technology.

### Apprentice Program

Nikki Tucker and Jessalyn Woods, both of Ayden-Grifton High School, will participate in the 1989 Student Apprentice Program, sponsored by the Center for Student Opportunities at East Carolina University.

Ms. Tucker, the daughter of Linda Tucker of Ayden, and Ms. Woods, the daughter of Connie Nicholson of Ayden, are two of six students who will be involved in research projects in the pharmacology department at the ECU School of Medicine.

### Dean's List

Edwin L. West III of Greenville has been placed on the dean's list for the spring semester at Hampden-Sydney College.

Students placed on the dean's list must make a minimum grade point average of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale.

### Church Program

The North East Original Free Will Baptist Conference Deacons will hold a program Friday at 7:30 p.m. at Corey's Chapel F.W.B Church in Winterville with Vice Bishop Roger Hooks in charge.

### Shop Closing

The Closeline Thrift Shop at Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church will be closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day. The shop will also be closed for the summer after June 7.

## Evergreen Cites Reflector Design

The Daily Reflector has been recognized by Evergreen of Greenville Inc., a downtown improvement organization, for the "excellence and superiority of design" put into recent additions to and renovation of its building at 209 Cotanche St.

John S. Whichard, vice president and co-publisher of the newspaper, accepted Evergreen's first Downtown Design Award during ceremonies Wednesday.

Complete rehabilitation of the existing newspaper production facility was completed this year, along with the addition of nearly 10,000 square feet of new production and office space, and a two-

story atrium lobby with an angular floating stairwell to second-level administrative offices.

Property adjacent to the building was acquired to provide additional parking. Landscaping on the grounds recently received an award from the Greenville Community Appearance Commission for its "enhancement of the visual appearance of the city."

In presenting the award, Louis Clark, Evergreen board president, said, "It is our pleasure to give thanks to The Daily Reflector for this outstanding addition to downtown. We trust your commitment to excellence will be followed by others considering making downtown property im-

provements, large or small. Although not directly responsible for your project, we are most appreciative of your adherence to high standards reflective of our goals for the area."

Jordan Whichard, general manager of the newspaper, said, "We are pleased to have been able to complete this project and are appreciative of this recognition. We believe that the revitalization of downtown is important to the continued economic development of Greenville and Pitt County."

Whichard said the public will be invited to tour The Reflector's renovated facilities at a public open house on June 4.

## Reflector Ad Unit Wins Press Award

The Daily Reflector advertising department has been honored with this year's Metro Business Award for having the best balance of entries in the North Carolina Press Association's 1989 Best Ad Contest.

In addition, Reflector staff members won 11 other awards.

Lynn Sullivan, Jane Hudson and Donna Clark received a first-place award in the real estate division for a Century 21 ad. Ms. Sullivan and Ms. Clark also received second place in the division for a Jeannette Cox Realty ad.

Ms. Hudson received first place in the automotive division for an Oak Tree Acura ad. A food division entry by Mary Herman, titled "Dine with Your Valentine," received a first-place award.

Diane Williams and Ms. Sullivan were first-place winners in the institutional division for a Literacy Day ad. Ms. Sullivan and Joe Jenkins were second-place winners in the same division for a Carolina East Mall ad.

A best newspaper first place was won by Todd Harris and Ms. Sullivan for Reader's Fare, a weekly free distribution digest of Daily Reflector material. Tim Holt and Ms. Sullivan received a second place for a series of Christmas promotions.

Sue Hinson and staff won second place for a special section titled, "Town and Campus." The staff received a second-place award for a special section titled, "Money Matters."

A first place was received by the classified advertising staff for a best classified section.

Ms. Sullivan and Patti Frank received an honorable mention in the best small ad division for an At Barre ad.

In the best ad campaign division, Ms. Sullivan and Ms. Clark received a first place for an Aldridge and Southerland campaign, while Ms. Sullivan and Harris earned a second place for a series of promotional ads for special sections.

Harris, Reflector sales coordinator, accepted the awards on behalf of the Reflector at a luncheon in Charlotte.

## Legislature Honors Leo Jenkins

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"Dr. Jenkins was a very effective chancellor. He came along at exactly the right time, when it was possible for East Carolina to make significant strides in improving services and reaching a higher academic standard," Spangler said.

"I think it's a marvelous idea that the General Assembly is passing this resolution honoring Leo," Spangler said. "I don't know how anyone could have done a better job."

Earlier this month, the ECU Board of Trustees also passed a resolution honoring Jenkins, and ECU Chancellor Richard R. Eakin said Jenkins will always be recognized as a leader in eastern North Carolina.

"He has been, and in many ways will continue to be, a major force in eastern North Carolina," Eakin said.

"I think one of the greatest things he accomplished was helping the people of eastern North Carolina realize the region is important, and there is hope for them to accomplish great things."

"He inspired them, literally, to greater heights. That will probably be his legacy for eastern North Carolina," Eakin said.

The General Assembly regularly approves resolutions honoring distinguished citizens, and the move usually begins with a push of support from the local community, lawmakers said. The secretary of state will send a certified copy of the resolution to family members, and the resolution will be published in legislative bulletins and journals just as other bills are.

"The idea to do this was a joint decision by our delegation after Dr. Jenkins' death, because we felt his death was probably the greatest loss eastern North Carolina had experienced in years," Taft said.

Rep. Ed Warren of Greenville said Jenkins' wife, Nancy, was to be on hand in the General Assembly today. Also, the League of Municipalities met in Raleigh today, thus mayors and elected officials

from Pitt County towns had the opportunity to visit the Legislative Building for the passing of the resolution, he said.

"Throughout his almost 42 years in eastern North Carolina, Leo challenged the region to be confident and to fight for its due by using logic, facts and politics to succeed," Warren said in a prepared statement.

"Members of the General Assembly knew him as a champion for ECU — (for the nursing school, university status and medical school developments which he pushed, in spite of opposition in state media and other groups in the Piedmont. These are all major achievements, but, equally, or more important, is his role as a leader of the east."

"In this role, he challenged the complacency and apathy widespread in the east," Warren said.

The resolution outlines Jenkins' life, from the time he was born in Succasunna, N.J., on May 28, 1913, through his military service, his education at Rutgers University, Columbia University and New York

University, and his contributions to North Carolina.

"Leo Warren Jenkins worked tirelessly in transforming East Carolina Teachers College into East Carolina University, as shown by his role in establishing several professional schools, gaining a medical school, attaining university status and becoming part of the University of North Carolina System" the resolution said.

"During Leo Warren Jenkins' 31 years at ECU, the growth of the university can be shown by the increase in its student enrollment and faculty, by the increase in the number of its academic programs and by the establishment of the Regional Development Institute," the resolution said.

### Correction

An Associated Press photo caption on May 14 concerning the Atlantis space shuttle transportation aboard a NASA 747 incorrectly placed Kelly Air Force Base. The base is at San Antonio, Texas.

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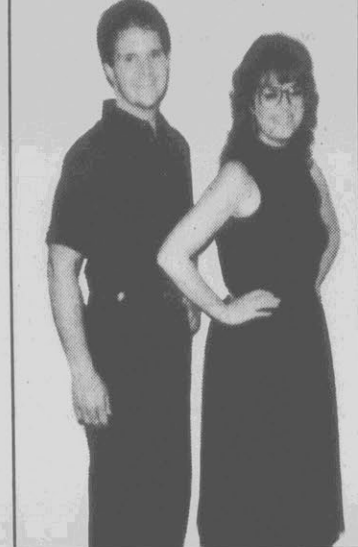
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## Car Parts, Lawn Items Missing

Investigators said eight thefts, ranging from car parts and cash to lawn furniture and clothes, were reported to Greenville police on Wednesday.

Officer J.G. Bridges said a large flower pot valued at \$100 was taken from a porch at 1400 Charles St. in an incident reported at 7:03 a.m., while Officer Alexander Batts said an electric typewriter and \$64 in cash was taken from Dougherty Equipment Co. at 307 Spruce St. in a break-in reported at 7:42 a.m.

Batts also said \$207 in cash was taken from a purse in a third floor room at Pitt County Memorial Hospital in an incident reported at 9:04 a.m., while \$250 worth of lawn furniture — a table and two chairs — was taken from a patio at 16 West Hills Townhomes in an incident reported at 10:20 a.m.

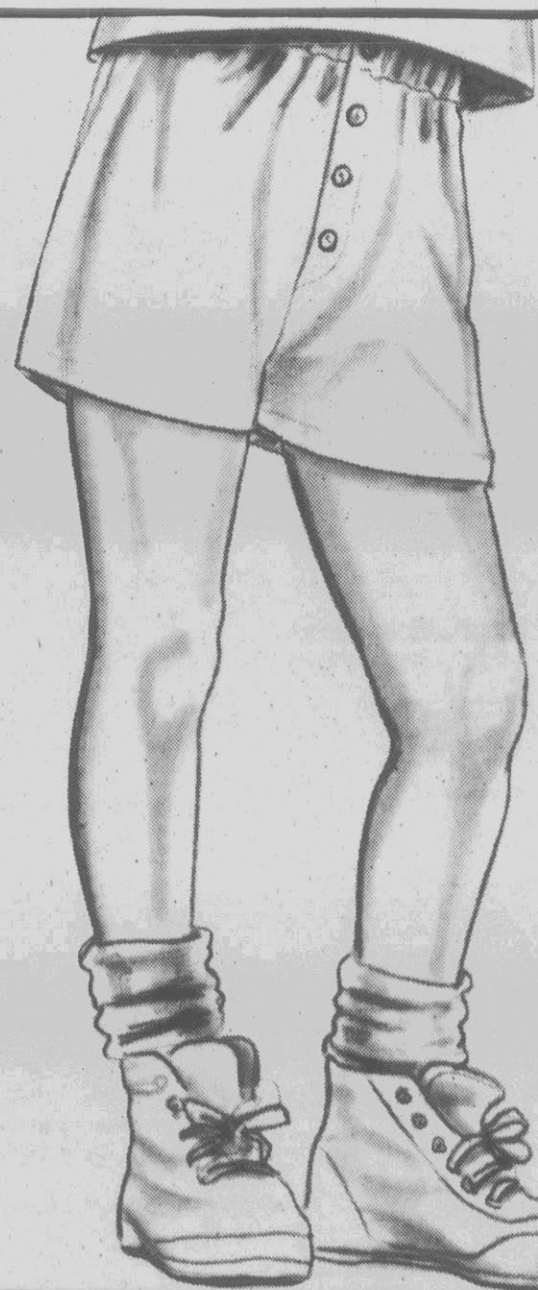
Officer C.A. Curtis said an intake manifold valued at \$247 and a carburetor valued at \$316 were taken from the Car Quest auto parts store at 2800 E. 10th St. in an incident reported at 10:21 a.m., while a shirt and blouse were taken from Fabricate Too at 919A Red Banks Road in an incident reported at 11:41 a.m.

Officer R.C. Allbrook said a radar detector, a rearview mirror, \$192 in jewelry and a cassette tape were taken from a car parked at The Plaza mall in an incident reported at 8:17 p.m., while four shirts, 22 tapes, a pair of pants and two pairs of gold earrings were taken from another car parked at The Plaza in an incident reported at 9:10 p.m.

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# Census Bureau Says The 'Good Life' Needs Two Pay Checks

By Spencer Rich  
LAT-WP NEWS SERVICE

WASHINGTON — The good life, the Census Bureau reported Wednesday, is founded now on two paychecks.

Venturing into the statistical quicksand of measuring "lifestyle," the federal enumerators calculated that nearly two-thirds of the American households that had "discretionary" or "luxury" income in 1986 had at least two people bringing home a paycheck, a reflection of the vast increase in the proportion of working wives.

The study, done in conjunction with The Conference Board, a non-governmental think-tank, also dispelled the idea that such discretionary income comes more easily to the young, the 25-year-old investment bankers and yuppie couples

celebrated in contemporary culture. Households headed by the young were least likely to have discretionary income and middle-aged families with job skills and seniority most likely.

Households with discretionary income tended mainly to be in the 35-to-60 age bracket, usually people's best years in earnings, although a substantial number were older, reflecting improved Social Security and pension income for the aged, among other things.

Overall, according to the study, about 26 million of the nation's 89.5 million households, or 29 percent, had enough left over for luxuries after payment of all basic costs to provide a comfortable style of life, as defined in Labor Department studies. The average before-tax income of the 26 million households was \$56,605, the average discre-

tionary amount was \$12,332, and members of the households tended to be disproportionately white, college-educated, suburban and residents of New England and the West Coast.

"We took as our starting point the amount of money needed to provide a comfortable living, based on various Labor Department studies of the past," said Gordon Green of the Census Bureau, describing how the study was done. "The idea was to find out what people have left for discretionary purchases" after they pay for a "comfortable" life.

The amount needed for a comfortable living, Green said, was defined as after-tax income equal to 130 percent of the average expenditures for households of the same age and size. For example, a family of four headed by a person 45-49 was at the 130 percent cutoff if it had income after

taxes greater than \$49,430. Discretionary or luxury income was then defined as any income in excess of the 130 percent.

Aside from the obvious — that households with high incomes were most likely to have discretionary income — the discretionary income was affected by the following variables:

**Size of Household:** Generally small households have more discretionary income left per capita after paying for a comfortable basic living. The study found that two-person households with discretionary income averaged \$6,476 per person and this dropped steadily to \$2,183

for those with six or more.

**Number of Earners:** Families with several earners were the most likely to have discretionary income. Of the 26 million households with such income, 15.5 million had two or more earners.

**Education:** About a tenth of those lacking high-school degrees had discretionary income, but the proportion rises steadily and reaches 60 percent for those with five years of college or more.

**Region:** 33.9 percent of households in New England, 30.5 percent of those on the Pacific Coast and 30.1 percent of those in the South Atlantic region had discretionary income.

The Middle Atlantic, non-Atlantic Southern states, Midwest and Mountain states all had lower percentages.

**Race:** While 31 percent of white households had discretionary income averaging \$4,769 a person, only 15.9 percent of black households did, averaging \$3,258 per person, and only 14.1 percent of Hispanic-origin, averaging \$2,525.

How much water must a person consume per day to maintain health? 2 1/2 quarts from all sources, i.e. water, food, etc.

## Terrorists Kill 3 Missionaries

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LA PAZ, Bolivia — Two U.S. Mormon missionaries were shot and killed in downtown La Paz, and a group that tried to kill former U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz last summer claimed responsibility.

Todd Ray Wilson, 19, and Jeffrey Brent Ball, 21, both of Utah, were returning home late Wednesday when unidentified men shot them with machine guns. One of the victims died immediately, the other died en route to hospital.

A radical leftist group, Zarate

Willka Armed Liberation Front, claimed responsibility in a written statement distributed to La Paz newspapers.

"The violation of our sovereignty cannot go unpunished," the front said in a statement. "The Yankee invaders who come to massacre our fellow farmers, be warned. We the poor have no other road than to rise up in arms. Our hatred is implacable and our war is to the death."

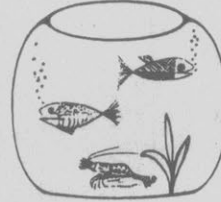
Police said they have no suspects in the killings. No further details on the shooting were immediately available.

The Liberation Front was unknown until the group claimed responsibility for an August assassination attempt against Shultz who was in La Paz for talks with government officials. A bomb exploded near vehicles carrying him, his wife and members of his delegation. No one was injured in the attack.

"It is a tragedy that we condemn and feel terrible about," said a spokesman for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on condition of anonymity. He said several churches have been damaged by bomb attacks in recent months.

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## New Space

### Relief Ahead For A Crowded Resource

Pitt-Greenville Airport, splitting its seams due to the rapid increase in commercial air travel, will soon have a \$1.3 million expanded terminal.

As with most capital outlay projects in Pitt County, it won't come a day too soon. The airport is an important community resource. It provides a vital transportation link with larger metropolitan areas in the state. That fact makes it an economic lifeline — a successful one.

No one could have guessed a decade ago that the growth of PGV would be so dynamic. Business has increased tenfold in just five years. The facility is important to the county's future.

But that rapid growth has threatened to overwhelm the airport and shackle it unless its facilities can grow concurrently.

In the next few months a 10,700 square foot terminal will be constructed adjacent to the present terminal and the two buildings together will provide over 14,000 square feet of space. This elbow room is badly-needed.

The addition will mean a lot to the 100,000 passengers who arrive or depart each year from the airport. Currently they must squeeze into a small lobby where ticket counters for two airlines and three car rentals are located. Baggage must be picked up outside.

In the future the counter area will be much more spacious and will provide adequate room — for now — for the lines of passengers which form. A carousel conveyor will bring baggage to the arriving passengers, making the process of obtaining luggage more convenient. Offices for security and other needed space will be provided.

For a few months the steadily growing number of passengers at Pitt-Greenville Airport will still be using the present terminal facilities. However, they will see the addition under construction and it will be obvious a more convenient space arrangement is just ahead.

*'The addition will mean a lot to the 100,000 passengers who arrive or depart each year from the airport.'*



## Keep The Fish House Punch Flowing

LONDON — The best story of the birth of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) I know is the one Walter Isaacson and Evan Thomas tell in their splendid book, "The Wise Men." It was the end of 1947, the Marshall Plan had begun the economic rescue of Europe, but nothing much was being done to form a military alliance strong enough to resist Soviet aggression.

Then, on New Year's Eve, as the story goes, John Hickerson, the head of the State Department's Office of European Affairs, "a Texan and a staunch Cold Warrior, stumbled into the department, drunk on Fish House Punch from the Metropolitan Club, and declared to his deputy, Theodore Achilles, "I don't care whether entangling alliances have been considered worse than original sin since George Washington's time. We've got to negotiate a military alliance with Western Europe in peacetime, and we've got to do it quickly."

That does not sound like the phrasing of an inebriated Texan would use, even if he were a trained diplomat. But it is a fact that Hickerson prodded his superiors, Secretary of State George C. Marshall and Undersecretary Robert A. Lovett, into action on the military side of the trans-Atlantic relationship.

David Broder



Soon there were secret meetings taking place — compromised, Isaacson and Thomas note, by the presence in the British delegation of Soviet spy Donald Maclean. In time, Sen. Arthur Vandenberg (R-Mich.) was persuaded by emissaries of President Harry Truman and the flattery of such eminent journalists as Walter Lippmann and James Reston to give the necessary bipartisan blessing to the new arrangement. By the spring of 1949, the formalities of creating NATO were completed.

Next week, the leaders of the United States, Canada and the Western European nations will gather in Brussels to celebrate the 40th anniversary of NATO. Their meeting is overshadowed by troubling questions of how the alliance should respond to the new tactics of Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

There is talk of serious division within NATO, of a loss of the

perceived threat which bound the allies together. All of that is true, but nonetheless the occasion truly is one for celebration. For the NATO Alliance, that figment of Hickerson's liquor-inflamed imagination, has proved to be one of the great peace-keeping inventions of recorded history.

For two generations, it has stabilized Europe and contained Soviet expansionism. It has permitted a great burst of economic prosperity west of the Iron Curtain and kept alive the hope of greater freedom east of the Elbe. It has done that at great expense, but with no loss of lives, save for occasional training accidents.

The question now is whether the successors to "The Wise Men" can come up with anything nearly so effective to keep the peace for another 40 years. What makes the query particularly pertinent is that those now managing America's destiny are, in so many personal ways, the successors of those who created NATO and the whole postwar "containment policy" it symbolized.

President George Bush and Secretary of State James A. Baker III are the living embodiment of the American Establishment which shaped and built our postwar foreign policy. Prescott Bush, the President's fa-

ther, was a senior officer of W.A. Harriman & Co., Averell Harriman's investment bank. The elder Bush's friendship with Lovett, a fellow member of Yale's Skull and Bones and an officer of Brown Brothers investors, facilitated the merger of the two firms into Brown Brothers Harriman. Later, Harriman and Lovett became partners with the other Yale, Princeton and Harvard Law School alumni — Dean Acheson, John J. McCloy, George Kennan and Charles (Chip) Bohlen — who developed the guidelines of America's successful postwar foreign policy.

As Lovett said back then, always before "the United States had sought peace through weakness....After many heartbreaks, it had reversed its policy and was seeking to deter aggression by proof of determination. The only question was how its determination should be implemented."

The problems are less frightening now than they were 40 years ago, but that does not guarantee the answers will be more easily forthcoming. Someone should check to see that the White House and State Department are well-supplied with Metropolitan Club Fish House Punch.

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## Deep Subject

### World Class Potholes In Greenville

The topic of potholes isn't a deep subject — unless you're talking about the ones in the parking lot of the Post Office on Tenth Street in Greenville. Those holes are quite cavernous, as any motorist who's hit them will tell you.

There's nothing new about those craters. A couple of years ago they were patched, but they're back again — and bigger than ever. Their depth and breadth may set a world record. It's entirely possible that a compact car or a cyclist could disappear into one of the pits, never to be heard from again.

The reappearance of those potholes raises questions about why the U.S. Postal Service can't keep a better house. With the cost of mailing a letter equal to the cost of a local phone call, it seems absurd that the money can't be found to keep a constantly-used parking lot from deteriorating into a mine field — one where the mines have already exploded.

For motorists it's not just a matter of convenience, it's a matter of safety. Hitting one of those holes even at a slow speed can jar the steering wheel right out of a driver's hand. That's dangerous.

For pedestrians, navigating the parking lot is even more scary — especially at night. Imagine someone unfamiliar with the terrain walking into one of those pits. They'd be lucky just to get a skinned knee or elbow. More likely, they could suffer a broken bone.

It seems reasonable to expect an operation that serves the public — as the post office does — to maintain safe facilities. That obligation includes providing a parking lot free from hazards. There is no doubt the yawning chasms at the Tenth Street Post Office are such hazards.

So when can postal patrons expect some asphalt in these potholes? A little paving might keep someone from being seriously hurt and prevent needless accidents.

## Too Soon To Tell About China

WASHINGTON — The year 1989 — bicentennial of the French Revolution and ratification of the U.S. Constitution, the codification of the American Revolution — may be commemorated in 2089. That year may be the centennial of a regime-topping echo of Occidental revolutions in the Orient.

Chinese protesters speak Jefferson's, Lincoln's and Thoreau's words, and have built a small replica of the Statue of Liberty, underscoring the relative sterility of the French Revolution as a source of vocabulary and symbols. (Robespierre's rhetoric? A replica of a guillotine? Please, no.) America is still the fuse that ignites the world, by 18th-century moral ideas and 20th-century material example.

But Western analogies are perilous. One reason for skepticism about the transforming power of China's protests is the memory of Paris, 1968. Remember Daniel Cohn-Bendit, the sandbox Lenin of the student "revolution"? That bubble arose from the boredom and vanity of privileged, badly educated and over-praised students who believed democracy should mean juvenocracy. It offered feckless prattle about the "oppressive tolerance" of the West's open societies; then the bubble burst, leaving no institutional traces.

In China, the oppression occasioning the protests is real. That, paradoxically, enlarges the chances for change. But the chances are limited precisely because the stakes are so large.

China's protesters have studied America's civil-rights movement. Here again, differences, not similarities, are most instructive. And they are not encouraging.

That movement was essentially conservative, in this sense: Just as the American Revolution was a conservative claim of ancient liberties, the civil-rights movement criticized American society for not living up to its professed values. Once segregation was stigmatized as contradictory of America's public philosophy, it was doomed.

The civil-rights movement challenged the performance, not the fundamental legitimacy, of America's political arrangements. China's protesters, although polite and aspiring to prudence, cannot help but be radical, striking at the roots of the regime.

The protesters' moral and material desires are inextricably entwined. They want freedom and progress; they understand that the latter presupposes the former. But both, then, presuppose the over-

George Will



throw of the core institution of a communist society, the party.

A Communist Party exists for two reasons, one ostensibly elevated, the other obviously mundane. The elevated purpose is to administer a monopoly of interpretation — of morals, art, the unfolding of history, everything. The party's mundane purpose is to serve as a substitute for a price mechanism, administering the allocation of wealth and opportunity and energies by fiat rather than economic rationality.

Furthermore, a Communist Party administering an economy is holding a wolf by the ears. Letting go is dangerous because all prices having been subsidized, freedom's first fruit is inflation.

While watching China, remember Panama. Noriega knows something: Brutality works. Not always and never forever, but often long enough for the brute's purposes. Fifteen months ago, Ambassador Juan Sosa, the mild man who pretends to represent Panama, but not Noriega, in Washington, was asked how Panama's opposition could prevail when all force is on the other side. Sosa replied, "The force of reason is on our side; and we can win with that." Abundant pages of history, not least of China, refute that sweet liberal theory of life.

It is too soon to say if China's public has done what Panama's has not — if it has generated a critical mass of insurgency. The survival of all nonconsensual governments depends on inertia. The totalitarian enterprise has been to produce inertia by atomizing the masses, allowing no independent intermediary institutions between individuals and the state.

But the result of that is social enervation. And if enough people surge into enough streets for long enough, even if for no precisely defined purpose, the regime is reduced to impotence and hence is demoralized.

Will China's protesters produce a Madison — a constitutionalist, a codifier of liberty — before there emerges a Napoleon whose riposte to philosophy is artillery? Probably not. But a 20th-century Chinese thinker said when asked the significance of the French Revolution, "Too soon to tell."

Looking back on 1989 from, say 2005, as Wordsworth looked back on 1789 from 1805, many Chinese, young no more, will surely think, "Bliss was it in that dawn to be alive, but to be young was very heaven!" However, many may then feel as Wordsworth did about the long gone "hour of universal ferment" when "the soil of common life (was) too hot to tread upon." They may say as he did, "Now do I feel how I have been deceived."

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# Soviets Sought U.S. Computers To Boost Air Defenses

MIAMI — A West German pilot's daredevil landing in Red Square prompted an embarrassed Soviet Union to try to buy U.S. computers on the black market to bolster its air defenses, a federal official charged.

Patrick O'Brien, the Customs Service's top agent in Miami, made the allegation Wednesday after a federal

grand jury indicted five people and two companies on smuggling charges. The smuggling operation was based in Belgium and involved \$1.8 million worth of sensitive computer equipment, which was seized by U.S. authorities before it was shipped overseas, he said.

A Dutch citizen arrested last year while working for the network provided the basis of the government's

case, O'Brien said. Eddy Haak told investigators that others in the network told him they were working on behalf of East bloc countries to smuggle the computers into the Soviet Union, the Customs agent said.

U.S. computers were needed "to shore up their air defense after they found that it was ineffective and in disrepair," O'Brien said. "They discovered this when a West Ger-

man pilot landed in Red Square." West German Mathias Rust, then 19, penetrated Soviet air defenses in a small plane in 1987, buzzed the Kremlin and landed the aircraft before a startled crowd in Red Square. Soviet authorities imprisoned him for 14 months.

Haak, recently convicted of federal charges of trying to divert a similar system to Bulgaria, was lured to the United States and arrested,

O'Brien said. Customs agents then infiltrated the smuggling ring.

The indictment charges illegal export of sensitive U.S. materials and conspiracy to export two Digital Equipment Corp. VAX 8820 computer systems through Canada to Bulgaria, a routine channel for Soviet bloc procurements.

The indictment named Steve Smylie, 39, and his wife, Carole, 36, of Houston, and their Technology In-

ternational Consultants Inc.; Warren Wetstein of Toronto and his Asset Conversion Specialists Inc.; and computer company employees Jerry Blalock, 52, of Houston, and Rick Parish, 44, of Dallas.

The four Texans were taken into custody last week; Wetstein is being sought. The suspected Belgian ring-leader identity was not released.

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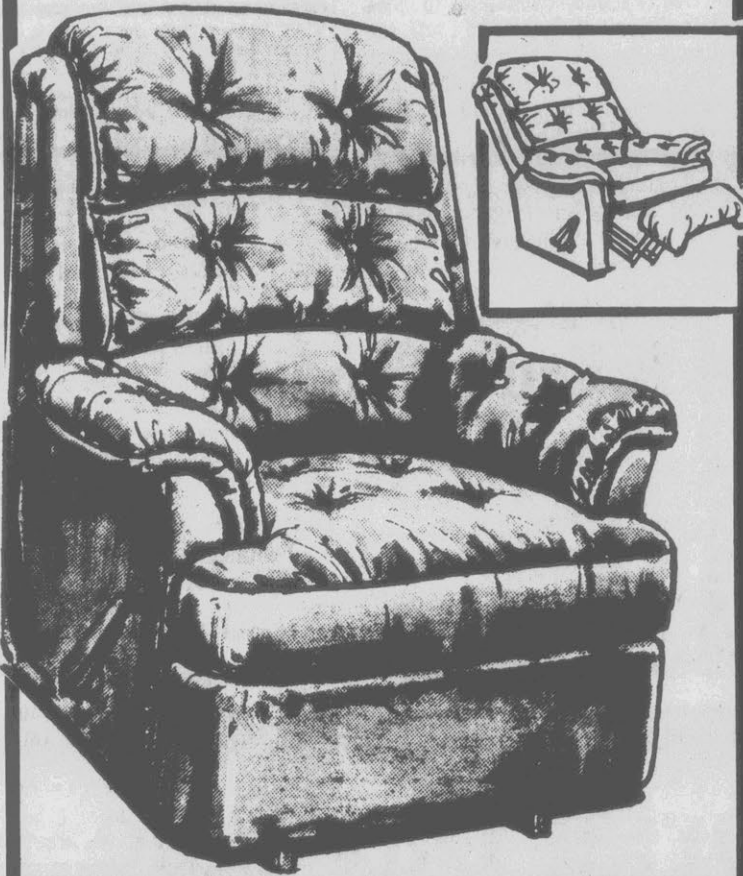
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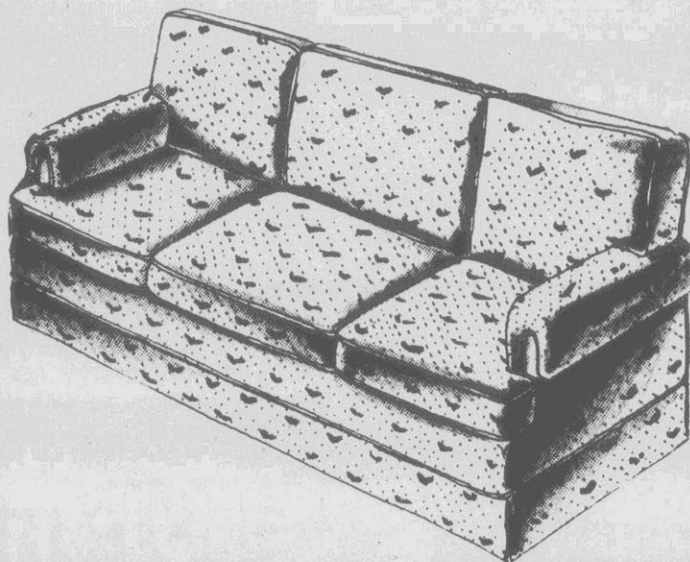
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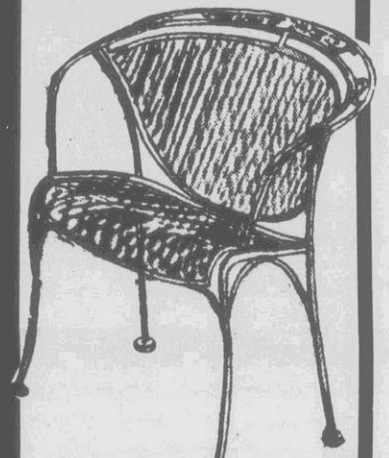
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# West

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ly and am very happy in Pitt County, I believe the consolidation process is now fulfilled. Therefore, as beneficial professional advancement opportunities are presented, I feel I would be remiss if they were not initially explored."

On Tuesday, West distributed an advance memorandum to school principals, the central office staff and the executive team (associate superintendents and other key school staff personnel), informing them of his selection as one of the four finalists for the New Hanover post.

In the memo, he said, "Rather than your receiving this information through the media, I wanted you to be aware of it first."

West also informed the school people that "the New Hanover County Board of Education has been making telephone inquiries in Pitt County regarding my professional and personal attributes. This procedure was part of its superintendent selection process."

West on Tuesday also sent a similar memo to all members of the Pitt County Board of Education.

## Court Clears Trump's Bid

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Developer Donald Trump says he's "ready to go" with upgrading Eastern Airlines' Northeast shuttle after a judge approved the \$365 million sale of the jewel in the strikebound carrier's crown.

U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Burton R. Lifland on Wednesday approved in principle Trump's agreement to buy the shuttle after rival suitor America West Airlines withdrew a \$415 million offer.

Lifland was to hold a hearing today to discuss the sale of the Boston-New York-Washington shuttle.

Trump's contract with Eastern parent Texas Air Corp. expires at midnight Friday. The deal should be closed in about two weeks, Trump said in a telephone interview.

America West said it withdrew its offer after failing to arrange financing terms it considered acceptable before Eastern's Wednesday afternoon deadline.

Miami-based Eastern initially agreed to sell the shuttle to Trump last October. The deal was delayed by court challenges from Eastern's unions and the need for bankruptcy court approval.

Any Eastern asset sales must be approved by the court. Eastern filed for bankruptcy protection from creditors March 9, five days after a strike by Machinists that has been supported by pilots and flight attendants.

Latin America has made major strides in the field of biotechnology, particularly in the development of tissue cultures, according to the Inter-American Development Bank. In Brazil, for example, this technique is being used to produce orchids for export.



Beijing student sounds off during rally today

The Associated Press

## Li Denies He Called Army To Crush Protesters

(Continued from A-1) long student movement, the largest in Communist China's 40 years.

A Foreign Ministry spokeswoman denied today that either Communist Party chief Zhao Ziyang — who had shown sympathy for the students' cause — or Li had lost their posts. She refused to comment on strife within the leadership.

Today's marchers converged on Tiananmen Square, China's symbolic center of power, two days after an estimated 1 million people held a similar protest demanding Li's ouster.

The banner-waving procession chanted, "We won't stop until Li Peng steps down!" They also demanded the resignation of senior leader Deng Xiaoping, believed to have been behind Li's crackdown.

"This is the first time I've demonstrated in my life," said Zhang Cilong, 54, a composer. "But today I have to express my feelings. My country is facing a crisis."

Some marchers were led by the newly formed Independent Union of Beijing Intellectuals: teachers, researchers and artists joining civil servants from city offices and the ministries of Railways, Forestry and Foreign Affairs.

Another procession was led by the Beijing Independent Workers' Union, a new group challenging government bans on non-official trade unions.

"The movement no longer belongs to the students," a machine factory

worker said. "Intellectuals and workers must unite and carry it on."

The marchers, cheered on by 100,000 onlookers, proceeded around the square, which has been occupied since May 13 by tens of thousands of students, who are pressing for reforms including a free press and an end to official corruption.

China's leaders were believed to be holding secret meetings to decide how to cope with the government's worst crisis since the 1966-76 Cultural Revolution.

Western diplomats said today that Zhao, a relative liberal, had been strongly criticized in recent meetings of the party's ruling Politburo and was in danger of being publicly humiliated.

The pro-democracy student demonstrations have exposed a long-smoldering rivalry between Zhao and the conservative Li.

The diplomats said Li is following the lead of Deng, who had urged putting Beijing under martial law and having troops crush the student movement.

A Foreign Ministry spokeswoman, Li Jinhua, insisted at a weekly briefing that there had been no leadership changes.

She said that "because of the new arrangements of his work" President Yang Shangkun was postponing a Latin American visit next week. She refused to answer questions about the Politburo or whether Zhao was under fire.

Because of his decision to try to

## Wright Offers To Give Up Job

(Continued from A-1) rangement to be made within a day or two.

While dropping all or part of the conflict-of-interest charge was discussed, sources said the committee was not receptive to any arrangement that would clear Wright of charges that he evaded House limits on outside income through bulk sales of his book, "Reflections of a Public Man."

Wright was something other than a public man on Wednesday.

He skipped a Democratic Party event staged to highlight their fight with President Bush over the minimum wage bill, which Bush has promised to veto.

He spoke briefly with reporters

who threw out questions as he entered a meeting with his Texas House colleagues, and spent most of the day in a series of meetings with his supporters and his leadership team before leaving the Capitol early in the evening.

He issued a statement insisting on his innocence.

"I very firmly believe that my position is right. I hope and trust that the committee will consider the matter on its merits and dismiss the charges."

"I eagerly await the time and opportunity when my side of this whole question may be heard clearly by my colleagues and the American people. To this end, I shall press ahead."

Richardson, reflecting the weariness of House Democrats, agreed with the speaker that it was important "that his case be made." But he added: "That was done yesterday," referring to Tuesday's televised hearing.

While Foley was considered a sure thing for the speaker's job, Rep. Richard Gephardt of Missouri did not dampen speculation that he might seek the speaker's job or perhaps Foley's current position. The Democratic whip, Tony Coelho of California, caucus chairman Bill Gray of Pennsylvania, deputy whip David Bonior of Michigan, and Rep. Lee Hamilton of Indiana were also mentioned as seeking to move up in the leadership.

## FAA Accused Of Ignoring Changes

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The nation's air traffic controllers complain they are handling too many planes, working too many hours and suffering from low morale in a system that has changed little since the same problems were cited four years ago, a congressional report said today.

"In short, the (Federal Aviation Administration) simply ignored recommendations for change," said Rep. Guy V. Molinari, R-N.Y., referring to the General Accounting Office study that showed 43 percent

of controllers characterize their morale as low.

FAA officials said their own surveys painted a brighter picture.

The GAO study said that while most controllers were concerned about working conditions, the increasing traffic they have to handle and "other aspects of air traffic control that affect system safety and operating efficiency," their supervisors were far less concerned.

The survey, released at a House subcommittee hearing, was based on 5,098 questionnaires filled out by controllers and supervisors at the

FAA's largest facilities late last year.

Molinari, ranking minority member of the Public Works and Transportation subcommittee on investigations and oversight, said the results were "nearly a replica" of a similar 1985 GAO survey and show that many of the problems that contributed to a 1981 air traffic controllers strike still exist.

More than 11,000 controllers were fired for the illegal walkout, and Molinari said the system still has 3,600 fewer fully qualified controllers than it did before the strike.

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# 13-Year-Old's Joy Ride Has Fatal Ending

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ASHEBORO, N.C. — A 13-year-old girl and her friend took a car for a pre-dawn joy ride Wednesday, led a state trooper on a chase at speeds of 90 mph, then crashed into an oncoming car that killed its 33-year-old driver, authorities said.

Brenda Marie Glenn, of Asheboro, died at Randolph Hospital about 4:20 p.m. Wednesday, more than 12 hours after her car was hit by the teenager, police said.

Authorities would not release the name of the driver — a seventh-grader at Farmer Elementary School — or her friend and neighbor, who is 12, because they are juveniles. Both live in Asheboro.

The car belonged to the mother of the 12-year-old, who was working a third-shift job at the time, state trooper John Brinkley said. The girls were staying at the empty house.

"No one was at home. ... The kids got the car keys and took off," Brinkley said.

The 13-year-old was charged with speeding 90 mph in a 45-mph zone, speeding in excess of 15 mph over the speed limit to elude arrest, driving with no driver's license, failing to stop for a blue light and a siren and careless and reckless driving.



The Associated Press

Crash heavily damaged car driven by 13-year-old girl during chase by trooper in Asheboro

# Nixon Agrees To Appear At N.C. GOP Fund-Raiser

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

RALEIGH — Former President Richard Nixon has agreed to attend a GOP fund-raising event in Winston-Salem next month, and proceeds will be used to help elect Republican legislators in 1990 and to underwrite Martin's political activities.

"We feel Richard Nixon will be a big drawing card," said Phil Kirk, Martin's chief of staff. "I personally think if he ran for president again, he'd carry North Carolina. He is very popular in this state."

Nixon is the only president ever to resign from office, but GOP strategists think he will help attract contributors.

The former president's appearance illustrates the high stakes involved in the legislative races of 1990, when Republican and Democratic strategists are planning to pour record amounts of money and effort into those races.

The legislative elections are being given such priority because the 1991 legislature, armed with new census figures, will be drawing new district lines for legislative and congressional seats.

U.S. Rep. Cass Ballenger, R-N.C., said the GOP is trying to avoid "10 more years of North Carolina as a gerrymandered jigsaw puzzle."

During the 1988 elections, the Republicans picked up 13 legislative seats, more than in any other state. Currently the House has 74 Democrats and 46 Republicans, while the Senate is composed of 37 Democrats and 13 Republicans.

The Democrats also are planning to intensify their efforts to elect lawmakers.

In 1988 the Democratic Legislative

Campaign Committee spent \$80,000 to help elect lawmakers. This year the group plans to raise at least \$250,000 for state House candidates alone, and probably a like amount for Senate candidates, according to Rep. Martin Nesbitt, D-Buncombe, the House chairman of the committee.

"We are at the point in this state where the Republicans control the executive branch with the governor and lieutenant governor," Nesbitt said. "Now they are trying to take over the legislative branch. That is the battlefield. That is the only thing left for the Democrats."

The Democratic committee has scheduled a \$100-per-ticket fund-raiser for June 15 at the Montague Farm in Cary and hopes to raise \$20,000 to \$30,000.

For the Republicans, getting Nixon was regarded as something of a

coup. The former president attends very few political events.

Martin wrote a letter to Nixon in March inviting him to a fund-raiser, and he received word on Tuesday that Nixon would attend the event in June.

Martin has had a good relationship with Nixon, dating back to the days when he was first elected to Congress in the 1972 Nixon landslide. Both were members of the Republican Chowder and Marching Society, a Washington social group.

When Nixon was forced to resign during the Watergate scandal in 1974, it nearly wiped out Republican gains in North Carolina. Then-Sen. Sam Ervin, D-N.C., led the Senate investigation into Nixon's activities.

But Kirk doesn't expect a backlash from the former president's visit.

# Board Didn't Vote On Study Of Port

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WILMINGTON — Members of the N.C. State Ports Authority's board of directors said Wednesday they never voted on a \$140,000 marketing study of the Wilmington port, despite a regulation that requires the board's approval.

Booz-Allen & Hamilton Inc., a Bethesda, Md.-based consulting firm, is halfway through the six-month study.

At the board's meeting Tuesday in Wilmington, board member William Maready said he didn't remember voting on the Booz-Allen contract. Maready's motion to the board, which was approved, asks the board's three-member executive committee to investigate the sequence of events that led to the awarding of the contract to Booz-Allen, one of 14 firms that submitted bids.

Maready said he discussed the

issue with the 10 other board members, none of whom could remember a vote.

"We don't have any direct recollection of approving it," said Maready, a Winston-Salem attorney. "I've had Alzheimer's disease since I was 5 years old, and maybe I forget a few things. But I'm looking at a \$140,000 contract that I don't remember voting on. But I stand to be corrected if I'm wrong."

Ruth Adams, who seconded Maready's motion, said she remembered voting on a facilities management study for the Morehead City port by Temple, Barker and Sloane Inc. of Lexington, Mass., but did not recall discussing the Booz-Allen contract.

According to ports authority regulations, consultant contracts and amendments to them must be approved by the ports authority board, the state Office of Purchase and Contract, the Council of State and the governor's office.

Bill Giles, purchasing administrator for the N.C. Department of Administration, said the Booz-Allen contract was approved by Purchase and Contract, the Council of State and the governor's office.

## Dogwood Planting

RALEIGH (AP) — The men's garden club of Wake County is sponsoring a program to plant 140,000 dogwood trees along Raleigh's beltline, the club announced Wednesday.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation will supervise and manage the project, but the \$200,000 cost will be paid by the club. The club will raise some funds through public solicitation.

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# Police Defend Crowd Control

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MOCKSVILLE, N.C. — Law enforcement officers took the necessary steps recently when they used a fire hose to disperse an unruly crowd that gathered in front of a local apartment complex, the Mocksville police chief said.

About 50 residents of the Glen Apartments met with town and county officials at the Mocksville Public Library Wednesday night to discuss the incident.

Police said that they were called to the apartment complex shortly before 11 p.m. May 13 over a complaint of loud music coming from an apartment.

When police asked a teenager to turn the volume down, he refused and began cursing the officers, authorities said.

Within minutes after police arrived, several people had gathered in the parking lot, shouting obscenities at the officers and refusing to leave.

Police said that several of the residents began heckling the officers, and that's when the officers called for assistance from the Mocksville fire Department.

Tim Blackwelder, a Mocksville police officer, used the fire hose to disperse the residents.

"That was a decision made by the officers on the scene," said Mocksville Police Chief Tom Foster. "Sometimes you only have a few seconds to do that."

Foster said he plans no investigation of the officers' actions.

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## Grand Jury Drops Probe Of Death

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — A Wayne County grand jury has decided not to seek criminal charges against two Goldsboro police officers in the death of a man in police custody last February.

After a 2½-day investigation, the grand jurors notified court officials Wednesday that they recommended no action be taken in connection with the death of James Swan of Goldsboro. The grand jury could have asked prosecutors to submit indictments charging the two officers with manslaughter.

District Attorney Donald Jacobs said the outcome demonstrated that the judicial system can protect people as well as convict them.

A medical examiner ruled that Swan's death Feb. 1 was a homicide caused by lack of oxygen because of pressure on his neck. Swan, 27, had been arrested on a charge of obstructing and delaying an officer during a drug raid at an apartment complex.

Investigators said one officer placed his knee on the man's neck while putting handcuffs on him, but police officials said the man was not beaten as critics charged.

Jacobs, the chief prosecutor in Wayne County, had asked the state Attorney General's Office to handle the case because his office has a professional relationship with police officers. When the attorney general declined to take the case, Jacobs prepared a legal outline of the incident which allows the grand jury to determine whether indictments or formal charges should be filed.

The two officers were placed on administrative duties during an investigation of the incident. Goldsboro Police Chief James Morgan said he did not know when the men would be returned to patrol duty.

## USAir Has New Logo

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — A new corporate design for USAir was unveiled Wednesday by Edwin I. Colodny, company chairman and president in ceremonies at Washington National Airport.

Ceremonies also were scheduled for Pittsburgh and Charlotte.

The logo features a polished silver aircraft emblazoned in blue and red, along with a restyled USAir "word-mark." It will be used on every visual representation of the airline following its Aug. 5 merger with North Carolina-based Piedmont Airlines.

"USAir has been on a steady course of growth and change over the past several years, highlighted by our mergers with PSA last year and with Piedmont on Aug. 5," Colodny said.

"It is appropriate that we take on a fresh, contemporary look that defines the new USAir, a blending of three major carriers, PSA, Piedmont and USAir, under the USAir name."

USAir's new design was developed by San Francisco-based SBG Partners.

About 70 of the fleet of 428 aircraft will have the new design by the Aug. 5 merger date. Repainting the balance of the post-merger fleet will take about two years. All airport signs will be changed at the close of business on Aug. 4.

## Gasoline Leak

NORTH WILKESBORO, N.C. (AP) — About 2,500 gallons of gasoline leaked out of storage tanks Wednesday morning at L.M. Nelson Oil Co., forcing the evacuation of some neighboring businesses, authorities said.

North Wilkesboro firefighters had contained the leak by noon and covered the gasoline with foam to prevent an explosion or fire, said Kenneth Walters, the Wilkes County fire marshal.

A spokesman for Nelson Oil said much of the gasoline had been removed by a crew from Four Seasons Industrial Services of Greensboro. The rest is to be removed Thursday, the spokesman said.

He said that the North Wilkesboro Fire Department was monitoring the site.

The leak was discovered about 8 a.m. Firefighters then sealed off the area around the building for most of the day.

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# Senators Get Close Look At Camp Lejeune

By John Flesher  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C. — Gaily enduring bumpy helicopter rides and helmets that mussed their hair, state senators took a break from legislative combat to tour this sprawling U.S. Marine complex that pumps more than \$1 billion annually into the North Carolina economy.

"It's a whole lot of public relations from the military personnel and vice versa," Senate President Pro Tem Henson Barnes told reporters during Wednesday's field trip to Camp Lejeune and Cherry Point. "It's important for us to have a good relationship with the military in North Carolina."

Lt. Gov. Jim Gardner and 34 of the 50 senators made the trip, which participants called worthwhile although the only business conducted was a brief session consisting of approval of two resolutions praising the armed forces.

And although the senators sometimes looked out of place as they donned flak jackets and clambered aboard amphibious assault vehicles, Maj. Gen. O.K. Steele said they shared a kinship of sorts.

"Someone told me being a lawmaker is about the closest thing to unarmed combat you ever get," said Steele, commander of the 2nd Marine Division.

"It's not always unarmed," replied Sen. Sandy Sands, D-Rockingham.

Senators also toured an aircraft maintenance facility, flew in helicopters to an infantry training camp, watched a howitzer artillery gun demonstration and attended a colorful retirement ceremony for two Navy hospital corpsmen.

"It's a chance for us to kind of say thank you and ... to continue to remind North Carolina that over 4,700 (civilians) work aboard the base. That's a pretty good sized industry," said Maj. Gen. Donald R. Gardner, commander of Camp Lejeune. The base pumps \$1.3 billion into the region's economy annually, he said.

Gardner said he did not know how much the day's activities had cost. "Taxpayers in North Carolina deserve to know what their Marine Corps is doing, and that probably more than justifies the cost," he told reporters.

Although the armed forces are federally funded, they sometimes request help from the state government. Another Senate visit six years ago built support for legislation that gave military personnel more favorable insurance rates and granted their children in-state tuition status at state universities, Barnes said.

The Marine Corps had no pet issue on which to lobby this year, Gen. Gardner said. But during the

howitzer exhibition, he reminded senators the Marine Corps is trying to acquire 39,000 acres of land adjacent to Camp Lejeune to expand its artillery-training range. Currently, the base is only large enough for marines to fire their powerful howitzer shells about half as far as the gun's 24-mile range.

Some residents whose homes would be uprooted are fighting the proposed expansion.

During the session, Sen. A.D. Guy, D-Onslow, pledged the Senate's support for a new military cemetery in North Carolina. The state's other four are almost full, he said. Guy, whose district contains Camp Lejeune and Cherry Point, is sponsoring a bill to appropriate money for the cemetery.

Sen. Betsy Cochrane, R-Davie, said the tour illustrated the interdependence of the public and private sectors in building North Carolina's economy.

But LeRoy Clark, the Senate reading clerk, valued the outing for a simpler reason: "Sure beats staying around the (Legislative) Building all day."

Senators were given red-carpet treatment from the moment they boarded a military C-9 passenger jet at Raleigh-Durham Airport for the 24-minute flight to the Marine Corps Air Station at Cherry Point. Stepping onto the tarmac under brilliant

sunshine, they were greeted by a military band playing "Nothing Could Be Finer Than To Be In Carolina."

The lawmakers, many of whom are military veterans, were escorted through the repair facility, where F-4, A-4 and H-46 fighters were being overhauled.

Afterward, they donned hearing-protective head gear and boarded six CH-46E transport helicopters for the flight to Camp Lejeune. Twenty minutes later, the thundering whirlybirds swooped from the sky and landed at the isolated School of Infantry, where new Marines live in tents under field conditions as they undergo 28 days of combat training.

After the floor session and a chicken cordon bleu lunch in the officer's club, the senators put on combat helmets and piled into Am-track amphibious assault vehicles, which drove them to the howitzer firing range.

"I feel like Michael Dukakis right now," wisecracked Lt. Gov. Gardner, a Republican. He referred to the unsuccessful 1988 Democratic presidential nominee, whose ride in a military tank was ridiculed in one of President Bush's campaign commercials.

Fifteen senators put on flak jackets and helmets for a close-up view of the huge guns, whose ear-splitting booms sent shock waves

through the crowd. Gen. Gardner said the exercise was genuine, not a staged "dog and pony show."

Later, the senators took part in the retirement ceremony. Lt. Gov. Gardner and Sen. Kenneth Royall, D-Durham, a retired marine who fought at Iwo Jima in World War II, reviewed the troops.

## Soldier Found

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — The body of a Fort Bragg soldier was recovered from the Lower Little River on Wednesday afternoon, authorities said.

The body was spotted partly submerged in the river about 500 yards from a dam by an Army helicopter pilot flying overhead, an Army spokesman said.

The soldier was identified by his commander, but the soldier's name was withheld pending notification of his relatives, the spokesman said.

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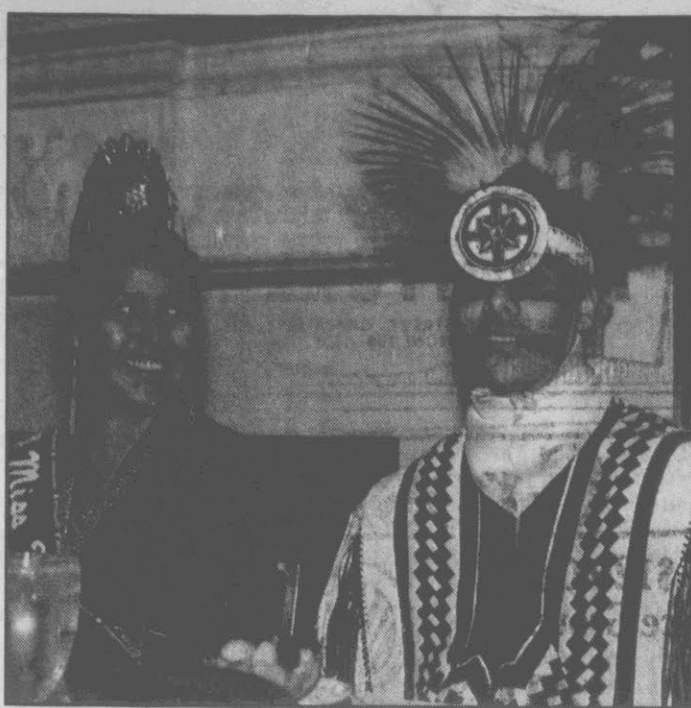
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**Indian Luncheon**

The Associated Press

Dora Roanhorse, a Navajo from Chinle, Ariz., glances at the headdress worn by Rob "Swift Arrow" Rose, a North Carolina Cherokee, during an American Indian luncheon on Capitol Hill in Washington on Wednesday. Rep. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, D-Colo., organized the luncheon and invited embassy wives to sample American Indian culture.

**NCAE Split Over Retaining Group's Executive Director**

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

RALEIGH — One faction of the board of directors of the state's largest teachers' group has gone to court to stop the other from firing the group's executive director, officials say.

"We have a clear disagreement on how things should be handled," said Karen Garr, president of the 47,000-member North Carolina Association of Educators.

Ms. Garr's faction filed suit Tuesday in Wake County Superior Court and won an order to temporarily stop 13 of the board's 24 voting members from firing Thomas Husted, the executive director.

The court action represents a long-standing rift on the board that has become more intense in the past six months, board members say. The elected and administrative leaders have alienated 13 board members by failing to always carry out the board's directions, said Geraldine McNeill, a Fayetteville teacher and one of the 13.

The division was heightened in January, board members say, when Husted and Bernard Allen, a lobbyist for the association, got into a physical scuffle over Allen's request to speak to a group about corporal punishment.

The two sides apparently had differences about how to resolve the incident. The 13 members dominating the board voted to have Allen reinstated after a 60-day suspension. But although he has been reinstated, he is not lobbying in the General Assembly as he was before, said board member Ernest Brooks, a principal in Robersonville.

Husted and all but one member of Ms. Garr's group are white, while Allen and all but three members of the rival faction are black. But board members said they do not see racial tensions as the cause for division between the two factions.

"It is not a racial issue to us," Ms. McNeill said. "But I believe we do have some racial issues that need to be addressed."

Only 14 voting members met in Raleigh on Saturday when 13 of them voted against renewing contracts July 1 for Husted and Frances Cummings, associate executive director. They voted after suspending "all policies, procedures, rules and regulations dealing with personnel." Cecil Banks, a member of Ms. Garr's group, attended the meeting, but abstained from voting.

Ms. Garr's group — which includes Gladys Graves, past president, and Julia Kron, vice president and president-elect — names the 13 rival board members as defendants in the complaint filed Tuesday. The complaint asks the court to declare their action invalid because the meeting was improperly called.

"The meeting Saturday was not an authorized meeting," Ms. Garr said. "We acted because we felt the corporation will be jeopardized."

Ms. McNeill, however, said NCAE leadership in its current form did not respond to the concerns of the majority of the board.

"Karen (Garr) does what Karen wants to do," Ms. McNeill said.

Ms. McNeill said Husted, whom the board hired in March 1987, had allied himself with Ms. Garr, sometimes defying the board in doing so.

"We need someone who is a stronger leader than what we have," Ms. McNeill said. "We also need someone who can divide himself from such a close alliance to governance that he will do what is best overall for the association."

Ms. Garr, however, said Ms. McNeill and other rival board members had tried to exceed their authority as policymakers by meddling in administrative actions.

"They would like to be involved in all hiring decisions," she said.

Brooks, a board member who helped organize the meeting Saturday, doesn't see it that way.

"The board has asked the director or executive director to do certain things, and no action was taken," he told The News and Observer of Raleigh. "I feel that Karen wants to dictate to everyone."

Ms. Garr asked board members to leave the NCAE building during their meeting Saturday, Brooks said.

Ralph Robertson, a board member and principal in Rockingham, said he had not found Ms. Garr an unresponsive or overly dictatorial leader.

"It is kind of difficult to get a handle on exactly what the problem is," he said.

Ms. Garr said that although the association had internal problems, it was outwardly strong and united on most issues such as its opposition to teacher merit pay and support for the state's Basic Education Program.

She does not think the internal rift will damage efforts of the group to lobby the legislature for higher salaries.

"The legislature has had enough internal controversy of itself to understand," she said. "I'm counting on them to be the most empathetic."

**Mortgage Fraud Charges Filed**

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

RALEIGH — Two Pinehurst residents have been charged in connection with a scheme that might have defrauded mortgage companies of more than \$500,000 in the past two years, officials said.

Denise Patton, 37, and Joseph Hertzler, 24, both of Pinehurst, were charged this week with conspiring in an attempt to obtain property by false pretense. Each was released under a \$100,000 bond.

Arrest warrants charged that the two tried to obtain \$130,000 from Northwest Mortgage Co. of New Jersey for the mortgage on a property in Pinehurst. However, a sav-

ings and loan held the deed of trust on that property, the warrants said.

Earlier this month, Mrs. Patton and her husband, Christopher Patton, were named in a court complaint filed by the secretary of state's office. The complaint accused them of securities fraud. Among the allegations were that the couple exaggerated the size of properties to be bought for investors and pocketed funds they accepted for those sales.

Mrs. Patton, acting on behalf of her husband who lives in Florida, agreed to a court injunction that prohibited the couple from selling securities. She admitted no guilt in the agreement.

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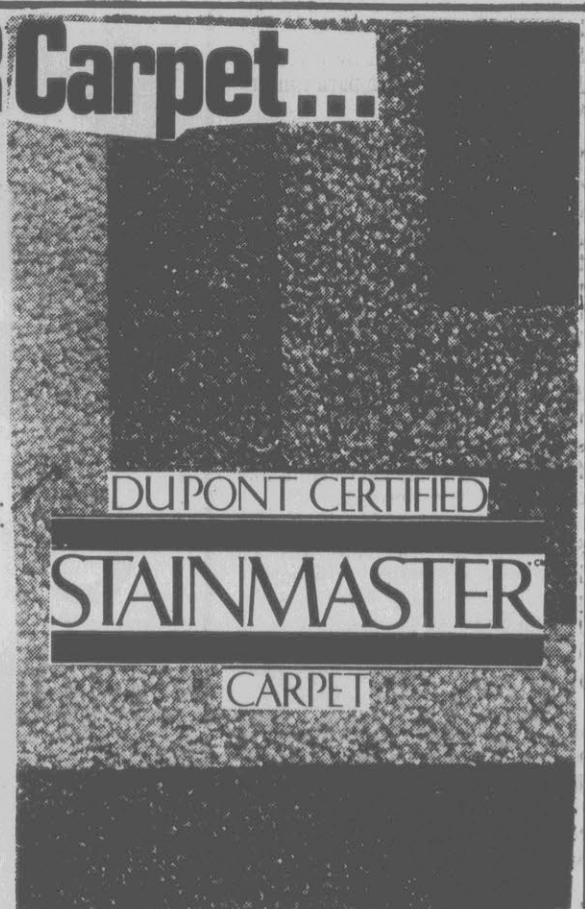
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GLENN MILLER

# Miller Testifies Against Friend

By Martha Waggoner  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

When Glenn Miller decided to announce his declaration of war against minorities and homosexuals, he sought out his close friends Robert Eugene Jackson and Douglas Sheets for help.

That was in March 1987. This week, Miller testified against Sheets, saying he and Jackson had told him they had killed three men and injured two others at an adult bookstore in Shelby.

Miller had come full circle, from a man who had vowed war on the federal government to one who is now in the witness protection program and testifies for the federal government at the trials of white supremacists.

"Loyal and hard-working friends." That's how Miller described Sheets and Jackson, whom he said laughed as they described the murders of the three who were killed so brutally that Jackson said he slipped in the blood.

Miller said he believed Sheets and Jackson were the right people to help him "execute the plan."

"They could be trusted and they were competent," he said in Cleveland County Superior Court earlier this week.

Miller said Jackson and Sheets had been on the payroll of the White Patriot Party, a white supremacist group founded by Miller, and were taken off only when expenses got too high.

Miller said the three men and their families were close friends.

"His (Sheets') wife and daughter knew my wife and daughter, who was about the same age," Miller said. The two families met weekly, sometimes twice a week, and worked together on rallies.

He said he had a similar relationship with Jackson.

During his testimony, Miller did not appear to look at Sheets, his former good friend.

Sheets is on trial for murder in connection with the bookstore slayings. Jackson is scheduled to be tried later this month.

Miller's declaration of war was the final act of white supremacy by a man who said his dislike of minorities began when he was in the Army. Before that, he said, he was "white dummy liberal."

"I saw the Army going downhill every year I was in it and that paralleled with the increase in the number of blacks and other minorities," he said.

In 1985, Miller, his former KKK group, the Carolina Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, and the White Patriot Party were prohibited by a federal judge from operating a paramilitary organization.

But in April 1986, Miller and the WPP were brought back into court on a complaint alleging violation of that order. At Miller's trial, testimony was offered that Miller sought to overthrow the government by obtaining weapons and conducting training exercises in their use for WPP recruits.

Miller, who formerly lived near Angier, was free on bond on the contempt-of-court conviction when he stopped reporting to a probation officer, left his home in Virginia and issued his declaration of war.

"I was mad," he said during Sheets' trial, describing why he issued the declaration. "I spent six years of my life building the White Patriot Party, and they took it away. I wanted to have my rights restored."

He said he sought out Sheets and Jackson because he realized he needed help in distributing copies of the declaration.

The three, along with another white supremacist, were arrested in Missouri.

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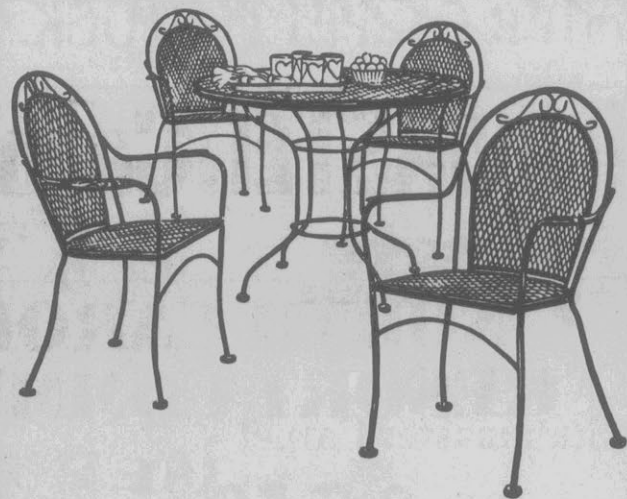
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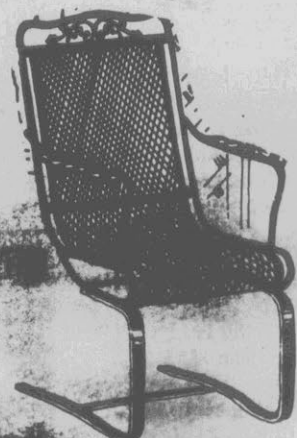
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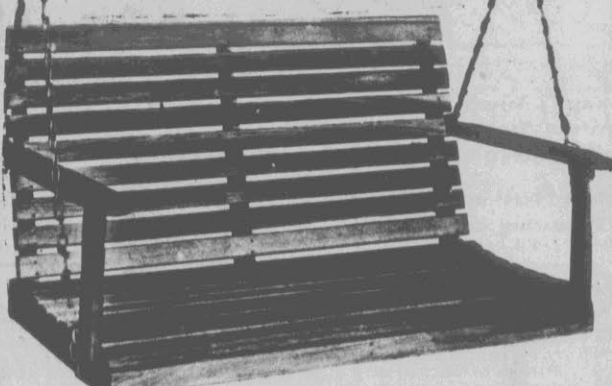


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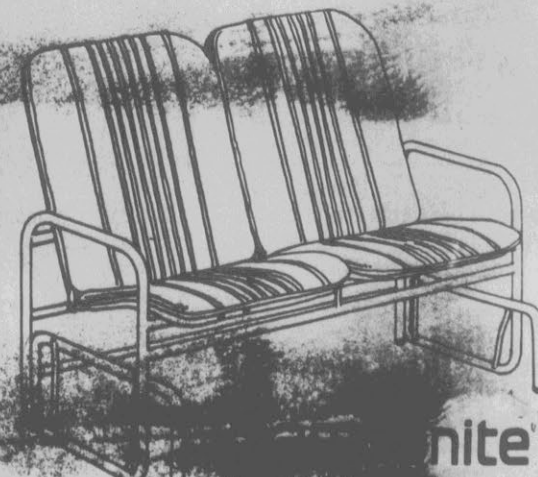
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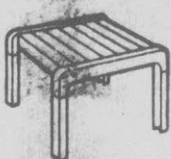


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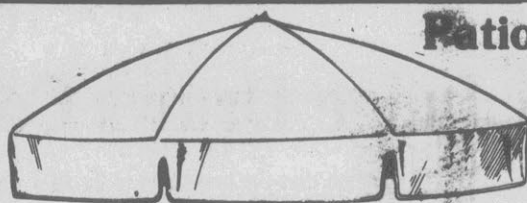
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# Hospitals Seeking Uniform Medicare Pay For Helicopters

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KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — An inconsistent system of reimbursing hospitals for the costs of transporting Medicare patients by helicopter could eventually limit that service, according to a consortium of Southeastern hospitals.

The 14 hospitals in six Southeastern states, including Pitt County Memorial Hospital in Greenville, N.C., have banded together in an effort to recover more of the costs of helicopter ambulance services from the Health Care Financing Administration, said Clyde Spillenger, a Washington attorney representing the consortium.

"I don't think anybody is threatening to stop transporting patients," Spillenger said. "But I think there is a genuine concern in the industry that there may be parts of the country where this inadequate reimbursement could result in a program being financially unable to continue."

The consortium has enlisted the aid of Sen. Jim Sasser, D-Tenn., who this week sent a letter on the hospitals' behalf to Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan.

The cost of collecting a patient by helicopter and transporting him or her back to the hospital, obviously, is greater than the cost of driving an ambulance.

But, according to Spillenger, HCFA often reimburses Southeastern hospitals only for the cost of ground transportation, if that.

"That is generally 10 to 15 percent of what a charge for air transport would be," he said. "Any business person who routinely takes 10 to 15 percent on his actual costs would not be in business very long. So there is a substantial amount of loss taken by the hospital."

The reason for the lack of reimbursements, he said, is the guidelines were written before helicopter ambulances became an accepted part of emergency medical treatment.

Spillenger said a recent meeting with HFCA officials was "positive." "HFCA has acknowledged quite explicitly to us that their guidelines need to be changed," he said.

The regional difference in reimbursement for helicopter ambulances is simply a matter of the interpretation of the guidelines, which Spillenger described as "vague and obsolete, leaving room for very disparate interpretations."

In his letter to Sullivan, Sasser said he is "persuaded that current Medicare reimbursement policies are impeding medically necessary air transport," and he urged a "reasonable resolution."

Although hospital officials said they are not stopping or cutting the service, they say the strict interpretation is definitely costing them money that hospitals in other parts of the country can recover.

"We're committed to providing the service, and knew going in we would have a problem with Medicare reimbursement," said Rick Mace, vice president of Florida Hospital Medical Center in Orlando. "We were willing to accept whatever Medicare paid, but over time that's become a significant issue."

He said the Orlando hospital flies about 100 patients a month, 50 percent to 60 percent of whom are Medicare patients.

"If we do a thousand flights a year, that's \$1.5 million to \$2 million. If half of that is not reimbursed, you can see the significance of the issue," he said.

The standard for Medicare reimbursement generally is whether or not something is medically necessary.

Reimbursements also depend on such things as where the patient is when stricken, how many hospitals are bypassed to get to the helicopter's home base, and whether or not the transportation could have been accomplished on the ground.

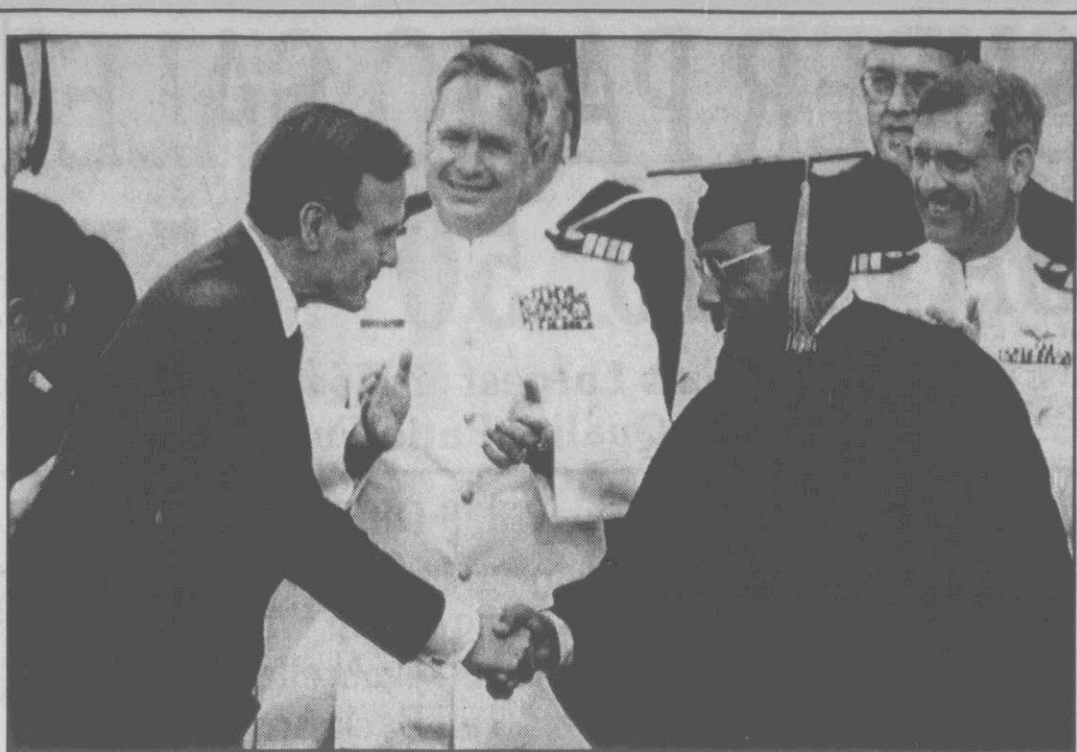
Lisa McNeal, spokeswoman at the University of Tennessee Medical Center in Knoxville, said it has been reimbursed for the helicopter transportation of only three or four Medicare patients since the service began in 1984.

The hospital applied for, but did not get, \$158,000 in reimbursements for flying 145 Medicare patients in 1988, she said.

The hospitals in the consortium, in addition to the two mentioned, are Memorial Medical Center in Savannah, Ga.; Jewish Hospital in Louisville, Ky.; and University of Kentucky Hospital in Lexington.

Five are in North Carolina: Charlotte Memorial Hospital and Medical Center; Duke University Hospital in Durham; North Carolina Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem; North Carolina Memorial in Chapel Hill, as well as Pitt County Memorial in Greenville.

Also, the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston; Erlanger Medical Center in Chattanooga, Tenn.; Regional Medical Center at Memphis; and Vanderbilt University Hospital in Nashville.



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## Greeting

President Bush greets author and U.S. Coast Guard veteran Alex Haley as Bush arrived at the Coast Guard Academy graduation ceremonies in New London Wednesday. Bush was the main speaker and Haley received an honorary doctor of humane letters degree.

# Highway Package Drawing Support

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

RALEIGH — The latest version of an \$8.6 billion, 12-year highway funding program appeared to have widespread support as it was discussed by a House subcommittee Wednesday.

The package, which may be voted on later this week, would rely mainly on a 5/4 cents-per-gallon increase in gasoline taxes and a 3 percent "highway use tax" on the sale of cars and trucks, up to a maximum of \$1,000 the first three years and \$1,500 thereafter. It also calls for a 10 percent increase on vehicle registration fees, higher fees for truck loads and a higher title fee.

Many of those provisions were included in a legislative study commission's proposal, while others came from rival proposals put forward by Rep. Thomas Hardaway, D-Halifax, chairman of the Finance Subcommittee on Highways, and Rep. Alex Hall, D-New Hanover, Finance Committee chairman.

Transportation Secretary James Harrington said the package is "fair to the highway users and still meets the objectives of the Highway Study Commission proposal."

He also read a statement from Gov. Jim Martin endorsing the plan. The governor said the package "of-

fers a well-structured funding mechanism that would support the funding proposal recommended by the Highway Study Commission."

Rep. Sam Hunt, D-Alamance, added, "Most people feel pretty good about the direction we're headed on the House side."

A similar Senate bill is in the Senate Finance Committee awaiting action.

The money would pay for an intrastate network of four-lane highways, paving at least 10,000 miles of secondary roads and building loop highways around seven major urban centers.

## Blacks Challenge Election Proposal

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SMITHFIELD — Four black voters have filed charges against Smithfield and town officials, alleging that a new election plan for the town council does not go far enough to ensure fair representation for the town's blacks.

The suit in U.S. District Court claims the current system of electing town council members dilutes and cancels minority voting strength. All seven members are elected at large. Only one black has been elected to the council, although the town's population is 33.4 percent black.

The council voted in April to change the election system to have three members elected from single-member districts and the other four at large.

## Logger Killed By Falling Tree

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

DANBURY, N.C. — A 29-year-old Virginia man was killed Wednesday in a logging accident about 2 1/2 miles east of Danbury, the Stokes County Sheriff's Department said.

Kenneth Paul Ring, of Ferrum, Va., suffered massive head injuries when a tree fell on him, Detective Jeff Lemons said. The accident was reported about 8:20 a.m.

"I think what happened was that this guy and his boss-man were cutting trees," said Lemons, adding that Ring was cutting limbs off trees, already on the ground. "The boss man cut a tree, but it sat on its stump and didn't fall. He went down the hill and told Ring to keep an eye on it. A short time later the tree fell."

Ring died at the scene. His death has been ruled an accident, Lemons said.

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# Pro-Life Judge Draws Complaints

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CHARLOTTE — A Charlotte judge who has a bumper sticker reading "I am a pro-life Democrat" says he acquitted six anti-abortion protesters on trespassing charges based on the evidence, not his own opinions, but some people say he should have disqualified himself from the case.

"The people who know me know I go to great lengths to be fair. I try to do what is fair and right and proper under the law," said Mecklenburg County District Court Judge Bill Costangy.

Mecklenburg Public Defender Isabel Day and Mecklenburg District Attorney Peter Gilchrist said Costangy should have withdrawn.

"When you put on a robe and step into the courtroom, you're sworn to uphold the law as it is — not as you think it could be, should be or ought to be," Gilchrist said. "If he has an

opinion that the law ought to be different than it is, I think he ought to withdraw."

Said Day: "It's absolutely necessary that everybody who goes into court has an impartial forum. There's certainly some indication that that was not the case."

Mecklenburg Superior Court Judge Frank Snapp agreed that Costangy should have disqualified himself from the case.

"There is concern in the legal community about the propriety of this action — hearing the case in view of his public position on the abortion issue," Snapp said.

Besides acquitting the six trespassing, Costangy dismissed charges against 19 other anti-abortion protesters on Monday.

And, in a decision that surprised prosecutors, he allowed the protesters' attorney to present the "necessity defense" — that his clients broke the law to protect human life. It is a defense 22 protesters were not allowed to use in a

jury trial before a different judge last month.

North Carolina's Judicial Code of Conduct says judges should conduct themselves "at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the integrity and impartiality of the judiciary."

"A judge should disqualify himself in a proceeding in which his impartiality might reasonably be questioned."

Constangy was appointed to the bench in February by Gov. Jim Martin.

Charlotte lawyer Tom Bush, who represents the anti-abortion protesters, called the criticism of Constangy absurd.

"Anybody who criticizes him is probably pro-abortion," Bush said.

"Any judge has the absolute right to his own political beliefs and a right outside the courtroom to express those beliefs. What a judge may not do is have such strong political convictions that prohibit him from giving a fair trial," Bush said.

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# Parents Reunited With Baby Stolen By Befriended Woman

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SPARTANBURG, S.C. — Wanda Kay Bailey had renamed the baby she allegedly stole to Jordan Rae, but that wasn't enough to keep authorities from finding her and returning the baby to her rightful parents after a nearly two-week ordeal.

Officials say Jordan Rae was a new name given to April Danielle Henson, a 1-month-old baby abducted May 12 from the Inman home of Tim and Sheila Henson. From there, she was reportedly brought to Lesslie.

April Danielle Henson was reunited with her parents at the Spartanburg County Sheriff's Department Wednesday afternoon. She had been missing for 1½ weeks.

"I feel like a new father just about," Henson said during a Wednesday news conference. "It's a feeling hard to explain, hard to put in words."

Shortly before the reunion, the 22-year-old Ms. Bailey was taken to the jail.

"She showed no reaction — she didn't say anything," said Sgt. Stanley Wells of the York County Sheriff's Department. Two Rock Hill city police cars assisted in the 3 p.m. arrest.

A hairstylist at the Rock Hill Mall, Ms. Bailey is charged with kidnapping in connection with April's abduction.

The sheriff's department said Ms. Bailey was being held in the county jail until her bond hearing, which had not been scheduled Wednesday night.

The Hensons told police the baby was kidnapped after they let a troubled woman spend the night in their home. The woman, who only identified herself as "Kay," had come to the Hensons' door asking to use the phone and said she had been abused by her boyfriend.

The Hensons said they agreed to

let her spend the night on their couch.

The next morning as the baby's mother, Sheila, prepared breakfast, the baby and the woman disappeared.

"This is completely opposite from the type of person Wanda is," said her boyfriend, 27-year-old Rick Blanks. "She is well-liked and has lots of friends. ... She's very ambitious and a real go-getter."

Blanks last saw Ms. Bailey — who told him last fall she was pregnant with his baby — on May 16. As far as Blanks knew, the baby was 4 days old.

Blanks and Bailey had broken up in December of 1987 after a three-year relationship. In September of 1988, Ms. Bailey told Blanks she was pregnant with his child.

"I didn't want her to have it but she wanted it, so we decided we'd go our own separate ways," he said.



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Father Tim Henson holds April as other family members gather around during reunion

## Kevin Will Leave PTL

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT MILL, S.C. — The boy who inspired former PTL leader Jim Bakker to build a house for the handicapped at Heritage USA is leaving the ministry's grounds.

Kevin Whittum and his family said they will leave June 1 for a rented home in Grand Rapids, Mich., where they had lived before. They said they are frustrated by the problems with PTL and by the difficulty of carrying Whittum up and down the stairs in the Victorian-style house.

Whittum, 20, suffers from a brittle-bone disease. He is about 28 inches tall and uses an electric wheelchair most of the time.

"In a way, I guess I'm kind of relieved, because we're going on with our lives, and if the Lord wants us back, we'll come back," Whittum said Wednesday.

Whittum's father, David Whittum, is Jim Bakker's cousin. During the family's 1986 visit to Heritage USA, Kevin Whittum cried that he did not want to leave. Bakker promised him PTL would build a place for him and other handicapped youngsters to live at Heritage USA.

The July 4, 1986, festivities included dedication of Kevin's House, Heritage Island water park and Fort Hope, a residential facility for street people and former convicts.

The 13,260-square-foot, two-story Kevin's House was to have been custom-built for handicapped youngsters. It cost \$700,000 and was built in a 30-day effort by more than 200 workers.

But it drew scrutiny after Bakker resigned in a sex and money scandal. It did not meet requirements to house the handicapped. An elevator was never installed. And only Whittum's family — including Kevin and his sister Carolyn, who also is handicapped — lived in the house.

PTL filed for bankruptcy reorganization in June 1987, and Bakker and three former PTL aides were indicted Dec. 5 on federal fraud and conspiracy charges. Toronto businessman Stephen Mernick has been granted permission to buy PTL's assets and is operating the ministry jointly with trustee M.C. "Red" Benton.

Benton said Wednesday he is aware of the Whittums' plans to leave and is trying to arrange for them to take the blue "Kevin's Van" with them.

"It is tied up in the bankruptcy court, and we're trying to find a way to let them take that van," Benton said.

## Science Grants

DURHAM (AP) — Duke University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill have each received a \$1.5 million grant from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute to support undergraduate science programs.

Duke and UNC-Chapel Hill were two of 51 universities selected for the five-year grants, which range from \$1 million to \$2 million each and total \$61 million. The awards were announced Wednesday at the National Institutes of Health campus in Bethesda, Md.

The Hughes Institute is a scientific and philanthropic organization that conducts biomedical research and has laboratories at Duke and other medical centers across the country.

Duke president H. Keith H. Brodie said the grant would be used to support development of introductory biology and other science and math courses. He said it also would be used to broaden laboratory and science career development for undergraduates, especially minority and women.

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## Stock And Market Reports

By The Associated Press

**HOGS:** Kinston, Spivey's Corner, Murfreesboro, Robersonville, Siler City are closed; will reopen Monday. Clinton, Fayetteville Dunn, Pink Hill, Chadbourn, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson are closed; will reopen Monday. Wilson is closed; will reopen Tuesday. sows: (500 pounds up) Fayetteville 32.00; Wallace 34.00; Spivey's Corner 33.00; Rowland 33.00.

**Broilers:** The North Carolina fob dock quoted price on broilers for this week's trading was 58.50 cents, based on full truck load lots of ice pack USDA Grade A sized 2 1/2 to 3 pounds birds. Too few of the loads offered have been confirmed with a final weighted average of xxx cents. The market is steady and the supply is adequate for a mostly moderate demand. Average weights are desirable. Estimated slaughter of broilers and fryers in North Carolina 2,121,000 compared to 2,074,000 last Thursday.

**GRAIN:** No. 2 yellow shelled corn mostly 3 cents lower, at \$2.71-\$2.87 in the East; mostly \$2.92-\$2.97 in the Piedmont; No. 1 yellow soybeans mostly 2 cents lower, at \$6.87-\$7.20 in the East; mostly \$6.87-\$6.90 in the Piedmont; new crop wheat is 4 cents higher, at \$3.59-\$3.69; new crop corn \$2.20-\$2.60; new crop soybeans \$6.07-\$6.38. Exchange rates for P.I.K. certificates were steady and ranged from 97 to 98 percent of face value.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — The stock market showed some spotty gains today. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials edged up 1.10 to 2,484.97 by noon on Wall Street.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Midday stocks:

High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	63 3/4	62 1/2	62 1/2
Abbott Labs	58	57 1/4	57 1/4
Alcoa	65 1/2	65	65 1/2
AmBrands	68 1/2	68 1/4	68 1/2
AmCyan	55	54 3/4	55
Ameritech	59 1/4	59	59 1/4
AmlntGrp	82	82	82
Amer T&T	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Amoco	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/2
BellAtlan	86 1/2	86 1/4	86 1/2
BellSouth	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Beth Steel	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Boeing	79	78 3/4	79
BoiseCascad	44 1/4	44 1/2	44 1/4
Borden	65 1/4	64 3/4	65 1/4
CSX Cp	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
CaroPwLt	38 1/2	37 3/4	38 1/2
Champ Int	34	33 3/4	34
Chevron	56 1/4	55 3/4	56 1/4
Chrysler	24 1/4	23 3/4	24 1/4
Coca Cola	58 1/2	57 3/4	58 1/2
Colg Palm	51 1/2	51	51 1/2
Comw Edis	35 1/4	35 1/2	35 1/4
ConAgra	34 1/4	33 3/4	34 1/4
DeltaAirl	70 1/2	69 3/4	70 1/2
DowChem	94	93 1/2	94
dPont	112 1/4	111 1/2	112 1/4
Duke Pow	48 1/2	48 1/4	48 1/2
EstKodak	45 1/2	44 3/4	45 1/2
EatonCp	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/2
Exxon	44	43 3/4	44
FPLI Cp	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
FstUnionCp	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
FstWachov	46	45 3/4	46

FlaProgress	36 1/4	36 1/4	36 1/4
FordMotor	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
Fuqua	31 1/2	30 3/4	31
GTE Corp	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/2
GenCorp	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4
GenDynam	58 1/4	58	58 1/4
GenElec	53 1/2	53 1/4	53 1/2
GenMills	66 1/4	66 1/2	66 1/4
GenMotors	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/2
GenMotr E	51 1/2	50 3/4	51 1/2
GenPart	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4
GenPack	46 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
Goodrich	55 1/2	55	55 1/2
Goodyear	54 1/2	54 1/4	54 1/2
GraceCo	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
GTNorNek	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Greyhound	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
HerculesInc	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
Honeywell	77	76 1/4	76 1/4
ITT Corp	58 1/4	57 3/4	58 1/4
Inspand	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
IBM	110 1/4	109 1/2	109 1/2
IntlPaper	50 1/4	49 3/4	50
IntlReet	4 1/4	4	4
JamesRivr	26 1/2	25 3/4	26 1/2
K Mart	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/2
KanebSvc	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Kroger n	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Lockheed	48	47 3/4	48
LoewsCp	107 1/4	106 3/4	107 1/4
McDermInt	21	20 3/4	21
McKess	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
MeadCp	40 1/4	39 3/4	40
MercantStr	47 1/4	46 3/4	47 1/4
MinnMng	74 1/4	73 3/4	74 1/4
Mobil	52 1/2	52	52 1/2
Monstano	103 1/2	102 1/4	103 1/2
NCNB Cp	42 1/2	41 3/4	42 1/2
Nacco	39 1/4	39 1/4	39 1/4
Navistar	5 1/2	5 1/4	5 1/2
NorfolkSou	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Nyx	77 1/4	77 1/4	77 1/4
OlinCp	51 1/2	50 3/4	51 1/2
PacTelesis	40 1/2	39 3/4	40
PenneyJC	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/2
Phelps Dod	51 1/2	51 1/4	51 1/2
PhillipMor	139 1/2	137 1/2	139 1/2
PhillipPet	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Polaroid	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
Primerica	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
ProctGamb	103 1/4	102 3/4	103 1/4
QuakerDat	59 1/4	58 3/4	59
Quantum	45 1/4	44 3/4	45 1/4
Ralstn Pur	87 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/2
Rockwell	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
SPX Corp	41	41	41
ScottPaper	46 1/4	45 3/4	46 1/4
SearsRoeb	47 1/4	47 1/4	47 1/4
ShawInd	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
Skyline Cp	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
Sony Corp	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/2
Southern Co	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
SwstBell	51 1/2	51 1/4	51 1/2
TRW Inc	46 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
Texaco	56 1/2	55 3/4	56 1/2
TexEastn	50 1/4	50	50 1/4
Textron	27 1/4	27	27 1/4
USX Corp	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
UnCamp	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/2
UnCarbde	27	26 3/4	27
US West	69 1/4	68 3/4	69 1/4
Unocal	46 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
WalMart	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/2
WestPep	55 1/2	55 1/4	55 1/2
WestghEl	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/2
Weyerhae	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
WinnDix	50 1/2	49 3/4	50 1/2
Woolworth	52 1/2	51 3/4	52 1/2
Wrigley	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4
Xerox Cp	65 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4

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

Ashland Oil	41 1/2
Unisys	24 3/4
Fieldcrest Mills	28
Flowers Inds	18 1/2
Hatteras Inc. Securities	15 1/4
Hilton Hotel Corp	81 1/2
Jefferson Pilot	34
John Deere	57
Lowe's Company	24 1/2
Interstate Securities	6
Southmark Corporation	11 1/16
United Telecommunications	65 1/4
Dominion Resources	43 1/2
Piedmont Natural Gas	24 1/2
Johnson & Johnson	49 1/2
Vermont American	25 1/4

**OVER THE COUNTER**

Branch Bank	19 1/4 to 19 1/2
Planters National Bank	16 1/2 to 17
Integon	5 1/4 to 5 1/2
Southern National Bank	21 1/4 to 21 1/2
Peoples Bank	15 to 15 1/4
North Carolina Natural Gas	18 1/4 to 19 1/4
Cooper LaserSonic	5 3/4 to 6
Burroughs Wellcome	7 to 7 1/4
Food Lion A	10 1/2 to 10 3/4
Food Lion B	11 1/2 to 11 3/4

# Democrats Want S&L Bailout Tied To 'Affordable Housing' Package

**LAT-WP NEWS SERVICE**

**WASHINGTON** — To Democrats on the House banking committee, the complicated task of rescuing the nation's troubled savings and loan industry is startlingly simple in one respect: any taxpayer bailout, they say, should also include a plan to save the nation's affordable-housing stock.

But for many House Republicans and members of the Senate banking committee, there is a sweeping counter-argument. Any item — including an untried housing program — that could delay enactment of the \$50 billion savings and loan rescue bill is not worth the cost of compromise, they maintain. The Bush administration, by way of example, has estimated that the cost of the

S&L bailout is rising at the rate of \$10 million every day.

The Senate has made no provisions for housing in its version of the S&L measure, and Congress watchers are beginning to speculate, that the House Democratic amendments are little more than an effort to guarantee that some sort of housing legislation emerges from Capitol Hill this year.

The House version of the bailout measure would establish an "Affordable Housing Program" at each of 12 Federal Home Loan Banks to subsidize interest rates for low- and moderate-income housing. The program would cost \$75 million in the first year, rising to \$150 million by 1995. It would also include special incentives for S&Ls to devote more investment to residential mortgage lending.

Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy II, D-Mass., who voted against his committee's bill because the housing provisions were not stronger, took his argument to the "Donahue" television program last week and said in an interview that he hopes to renew the battle on the House floor.

"The whole purpose of the savings and loan industry was to provide (mortgage) loans," said Kennedy. "That issue is hardly even getting mentioned. We end up providing huge amounts of government funds

Kennedy has a tough gantlet to run, however. Opponents who have called for Congress to send a "clean," unencumbered bill to President Bush for his approval issued a report concluding that the committee "has seized this opportunity to avoid the discipline of the budget and appropriations process by diverting funds intended to recapitalize the insurance fund and protect depositors in our nation's thrift industry, to the creation of a new subsidized housing program."

On a more practical level, W. Donald Campbell, staff director of the Senate Banking subcommittee on housing and urban affairs, said there is some danger that the housing amendment could be dismissed as a "real weak issue hitching a ride on a much bigger bill."

Lobbyists for the mortgage-lending industry have adopted a wary approach to the House plan.

## Obituaries

**Dickens**  
Mr. Richard "Saint" Dickens, 71, died Tuesday in Heritage Hospital in Tarboro.

His funeral will be conducted at Weeping Mary Missionary Baptist Church on N.C. 44, east of Tarboro, at 2:30 p.m. Saturday by the Rev. George Smith. Burial will be in Dancy Memorial Cemetery in Princeville.

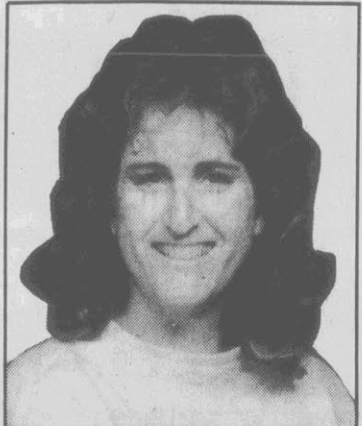
Mr. Dickens was a retired employee of the city of Tarboro and a member of Weeping Mary Church and its home missions organization.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Lena Dickens; two daughters, Ethel

Graham of Greenville and Elizabeth Jones of Plainfield, N.J.; a son, James Smith of Tarboro; three sisters, Cora Bryant of Scotland Neck, Susie Knight of Baltimore and Amanda Everette of Norfolk, Va.; 11 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends in the chapel of Dickens Funeral Home from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday.

**Jones**  
Mr. Kay M. Jones of 1005 Taylor St. died Wednesday in Pitt County Memorial Hospital. Arrangements will be announced by Flanagan Funeral Home.



### Obituary

**Dilts**  
**GRIMESLAND** — Mrs. Carlene Marie Dilts, 32, died Wednesday at Pitt County Memorial Hospital from injuries received in an automobile accident. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, 307 Martinsborough Rd., Greenville, with Bishop John O. Nelson officiating. Interment will follow in Greenwood Cemetery. Mrs. Dilts was the daughter of Mr. Dale and Ruth Trabert Dilts. She was born in Albuquerque, New Mexico where she graduated from Dell Notre High School. She attended Brigham Young University in Salt Lake City, Utah, and was an honor senior in the Science Education Department at ECU and had been on the Dean's List there since 1987. She was employed with Enterprise Video in Grimesland and attended the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints. Survivors include: her husband, Thomas Santana of the home; two sons, Jeremy L. Gual of the home, Eric Fink of Minneapolis, Minnesota; one daughter, Bonnie Ruth Fink also of Minneapolis, Minnesota; two step-daughters, Jennie Santana and Martha D. Santana, both of the home; three brothers, Bryan Dilts of Elona, PA, David Dilts, Provo, Utah and 1st Lt. USAF Thomas Dilts, Weisbaden, West Germany.

Mrs. Dilts will lie in state in the Gold Room at Norcott Funeral Home, Greenville, from 6 p.m. Friday until carried to the church before the funeral. Family visitation at the chapel will be from 8 to 9 p.m. Friday.

The family will receive friends at the home, Rt. 1, Grimesland, near Black Jack at other times.

(Paid Announcement)

## Gas Costs More

(Continued from A-1)

Jean May, manager of Fuel Doc on Memorial Drive. "Everything is relating to the oil spill," she said, referring to the oil spill in Alaska's Prince William Sound that has been blamed for the increase in prices.

But she also said the fluctuations in price have not hurt business at the self-service station and convenience market.

Fuel Doc now sells regular unleaded for \$103.9.

Wanda Best, manager at Sav-A-Ton on Greenville Boulevard, said she has also seen prices fluctuate, but no decrease in sales.

Ms. Best said Sav-A-Ton always tries to stay under the market price, and the self-service station now offers one of the lowest reported prices on regular unleaded, \$101.9.

The manager at Briley's Exxon on Memorial Drive, who asked that his name not be used, said "I've actually seen a decrease in the past two weeks — twice," he said.

Briley's, a full-service station, also sells regular unleaded at its self-service pump for \$101.9.

Cheyenne Buck, owner of South Park Amoco on Greenville Boulevard, said she saw some decrease in sales and some change in buying habits because of the higher prices. Sales dropped slightly, Ms. Buck said, but more customers began pumping their own fuel.

South Park Amoco reported one of the highest prices among those surveyed with self-service unleaded selling for \$1.159.

South Park Amoco plans to remain open for the weekend, and offers regular unleaded for \$109.9.

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## Tom Morris

### At The East Regionals:

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — East Carolina's baseball team arrived here Tuesday to prepare for play in the NCAA East Baseball Regional and assumed a familiar post-season role of underdog.

The Pirates (37-9), seeded fifth in the six-team regional, take on second-seeded host school Florida (43-20). The Gators are ranked 16th by Baseball America and 15th in the ESPN/Collegiate Baseball Top 30.

Florida coach Jim Arnold had nothing but nice things to say about the Pirates, almost too nice.

"I don't know much about them," he said at a pre-tournament press conference late Wednesday afternoon. "From what I'm told, East Carolina has some tough, scrappy kids. You just have trouble shaking them. They're similar to Western Carolina (whom the Gators swept three straight from this season to open the year).

"You look back and it's 4-1, then it's 6-1, then 6-3 and in the eighth it's 7-5. You look back and they're still there. If you're not careful, a team like that can be very successful. We're not going to be looking past East Carolina."

Assuming an early lead by the Gators, that might be true, but the game isn't set to begin until 7:30 p.m. tonight.

Arnold expects to use senior Jeff Gidcumb (9-4), a right-handed control pitcher who relies on a sinker and a slider.

(See ECU, B-5)

## Pirates Facing Stiff Challenge

By Woody Peele  
THE DAILY REFLECTOR

The University of Florida, East Carolina University's first round opponent in the NCAA East Baseball Regionals at Gainesville, Fla., Thursday, provides a stiff challenge for the Pirates.

"It will be a tough challenge playing the host team," Coach Gary Overton said. "Yet it's one I think this team can meet. Playing Florida will get us into the flow of the tournament very quickly since we'll be playing before a large contingent of fans."

The hosting Gators are expected to draw a full-house to McKethan Stadium at Perry Field, which holds 4,000 fans.

Florida finished the regular season with a 43-20 record, but lost its final two games in the Southeastern Conference tournament. The Gators beat Alabama in the first round of the double elimination event, 7-6, then slipped past Louisiana State, 8-6. But eventual

champion Auburn, coached by former ECU coach Hal Baird, topped them 4-2, and Georgia sent them packing with a 16-1 rout.

The Gators' 14-10 SEC record placed them third in the regular season standings. Auburn, Mississippi State and Louisiana State also received bids to other regionals from the SEC.

The two teams played only one common opponent, Virginia. The Gators swept a pair of games, 13-6 and 18-0 over the Cavaliers early in the year, while the Pirates bowed to the Cavs, 3-2, late in the season.

The two will meet in the third game of the day today, starting at 7:30 p.m. Miami, Fla., the region's top seed, met Villanova at 11:30 this morning, while Georgia Tech, the number three seed, was to face Central Florida at 3:30 p.m.

Should the Pirates win, they will advance on Friday to face the winner of the Georgia Tech-Central Florida game at 7:30 p.m. Should they lose, they will face the loser of the Miami-Villanova game at 11:30 a.m.

The double-elimination tournament will continue through Sunday and the overall winner will advance to the NCAA Finals in Omaha, Neb., in early June.

Winning the Colonial Athletic Association tournament the way the Pirates did should be helpful to the team, Overton believes. The Pirates lost the first round game and had to struggle back through the losers' bracket to win it.

"The CAA helped us in a lot of ways," Overton said. "First, we proved that we can come back from behind and win. We can win with the pressure on us. We proved that we can win the big games with a great deal at stake."

Overton also doesn't plan to go from the lineup that brought the Pirates to the NCAA — unless pitching forces it. If the Pirates face a right-hander in the opening game, they'll stick with the lineup that has Tommy Eason behind the plate, Mike Andrews at first and Kevin Riggs at second. If they go up against a left-hander, Andrews will move back to his more-acustomed

spot at second with Eason at first. Chris Cauble will then handle the catching duties. Riggs, however, could move to the outfield in place of John Adams, who struggled through the CAA tournament both offensively and defensively after leading the Pirate hitting in the regular season.

Jonathan Jenkins, 12-2, is likely to start the game, but Overton said that if Florida's lineup is heavy with left-handed hitters, Jake Jacobs, 9-1, or Tim Langdon, 3-3, might get the call. Brien Berckman, the CAA tournament's most valuable player, leads the bullpen contingent.

"A win against Florida would be huge," Overton said. "Of course, all of the teams here are good teams. I am sort of surprised at Georgia Tech. I figured that they and N.C. State were on the bubble for being selected. Central Florida is a good team too, but they lost twice late in the season to UNC-Wilmington."

"So I feel good about playing here," Overton added.

The Pirates will be making their

(See ECU, B-2)

## Rose Tops Westover, 4-0

### Hines' Two-Run Homer, Pitching Paves Way

By Woody Peele  
THE DAILY REFLECTOR

Maurice Hines provided the spark both on the mound and at the bat for Rose High School in a 4-0 victory over Fayetteville Westover in the first round of the State 4-A baseball playoffs Wednesday night.

The win boosted Rose, the defending Eastern champion, into the district round on Friday, when the Rampants will travel to Wilmington Hoggard.

Game time for that contest is expected to be 7 p.m.

Hines, who went the distance for Rose on the mound, was shaky at times, but was in control just enough to keep the Wolverines off balance. He struck out eight and walked five as he scattered three hits. Only twice were balls hit out of the infield against him, and two of the three hits were of the infield variety.

With his bat, he and John Bolen

accounted for all of the scoring, each banging a two-run homer.

"Maurice was the story of the game," Rose coach Ronald Vincent said. "He made some great pitches at the right time. When he hit his home run, it took a lot of pressure off the team and Bolen's homer really relaxed things a lot."

The Rampants got only five hits on the night and generally never threatened except for the two homers. Vincent attributed that to some first game playoff nerves. "But it didn't hurt us to have a tight game early," he said. "We were much too tense."

"They pitched an ideal pitcher to get us up on our front feet. He threw change-ups and moved the ball in and out quite well."

Westover's pitcher, Pat Bugarin, also went the distance, striking out four and walking two.

"But Maurice throws hard and his ball moves good. It's tough to dig in on him," Vincent said.

Westover came opened up bunting

the ball, getting their first man on base via an error when the bunt was misplayed. The next man also laid it down.

"We're not a real good hitting team," Westover coach Stuart Hobbs said. "We figured that if they had a weakness, it was their defense. We came in trying to get people on base and into scoring position, and they swing away. We can't hit with them so we had to bunt."

It almost worked. Using the bunt and the walk, Westover twice loaded the bases on the Rampants, but they failed to make it pay off.

"I'm proud of the kids," Hobbs said. "No one gave us a chance, but we played hard. We just left people on base. We just couldn't get the big hits."

If Hobbs and the Wolverines were looking for a weakness on defense, they were barking on the wrong tree. Rose came up with several gems of plays. The first was an

(See ROSE, B-2)



The Daily Reflector/Thomas Forrest

Rose High's John Bolen belts a two-run homer during the Rampants' 4-0 win Wednesday

## SouthWest Edgecombe Nips Conley

### Seventh-Inning Squeeze Play Gives Cougars 1-0 Triumph Over Vikes

By Tim Chandler  
THE DAILY REFLECTOR

PINETOPS — D.H. Conley's season ended Wednesday just as it began back on March 15 — with a one-run loss to SouthWest Edgecombe.

The Vikings were ousted by the Cougars, 1-0, in the first round of the state 3-A baseball playoffs much the same way they were beaten, 3-2, in their season opener.

William Rhodes led off the bottom of the seventh inning Wednesday with a double to right field. After Tim Pollard was intentionally walked, Ken Lewis advanced the runners to second and third with a sacrifice bunt.

The Vikings then opted to load the bases by giving Scott Tharrington an intentional walk.

Scott Norville then delivered the

RBI for the Cougars when he put down a bunt in front of home plate to score Rhodes on a squeeze play.

"In the bottom of the seventh when Rhodes led off with that hit, I told our guys that history repeats itself," Cougar coach Dallas Rhodes said. "Back in the first game when we beat them this year he (Rhodes) led off the seventh inning with a hit and we scored him to win the game."

The win pushes SouthWest to 19-2 for the year and into the second round of the playoffs against East Wake Friday on the road, while Conley's season comes to a end with a 12-7 record.

"I knew the squeeze play was on (in the seventh)," Conley coach Allan Wilson said. "You second guess yourself when it's over. Maybe we should have pitched to the lefthander (Tharrington), but I was trying to get a force out anywhere."

The dramatic finish by the Cougars overshadowed a tremendous pitching duel by both the Vikings' Travis Clemons and the Cougars' Phil Arrington.

Clemons went the distance giving up only two hits and striking out eight. Arrington gave up four hits and struck out four.

"That was probably one of the best high school pitching games that you're going to see," Rhodes said. "Both pitchers did an excellent job."

The Vikings had several opportunities to put some runs on the board, but could never come up with the key hit.

The biggest threat came in the sixth inning when they had runners at second and third with only one out.

Gray Mills led off the inning with a single and then stole second. One out later, Kervin Vines then reached on

a fielder's choice which moved Mills to third.

The Vikings were then caught in a double pickoff as Clemons stood at the plate and the runners moved as if a squeeze play was on.

"The bad thing about that play was that we had miscommunication on the play," Wilson said. "I think it hurt us, but we came back in the bottom of the inning and got three up and three down to stop them."

In each of the first three innings, Conley advanced runners to third base also, only to come up empty.

William Crandall led off the game with an infield single, stole second and moved to third on a sacrifice fly by Gray Mills.

Andy Fassett then struck out for the second out and Vines grounded out to second to end the threat.

In the second inning, Scott

(See CONLEY, B-2)

### Sports Calendar

Editor's Note: Schedules are supplied by schools or sponsoring agencies and are subject to change without notice.

**Today's Sports**  
Tennis

**State Tournament**  
Baseball  
Little League  
Aldridge & Southerland vs. Kiwanis (ES — 5:30 p.m.)  
Fickling Insurance vs. 1st Federal (GS — 5:30 p.m.)  
Little League Minors  
Computerland vs. Wellcome (6 p.m.)  
Babe Ruth League  
Wachovia vs. Coca-Cola (7 p.m.)  
Softball  
District Playoffs  
Edenora at Williamston (7:30 p.m.)  
Greene Central at South Granville (5 p.m.)

**Rec Leagues**  
Industrial League  
Collins & Aikman #1 vs. Firefighters (E2 — 6:30 p.m.)  
Coed League  
Gardner vs. B. Wellcome #2 (E1 — 6:30 p.m.)  
Sports Galore vs. GAF (E1 — 7:30 p.m.)  
Memorial vs. Tapscoff (E2 — 7:30 p.m.)  
Diet Coke vs. Peeler's (E1 — 8:30 p.m.)

Ready Mix vs. B&J (E2 — 8:30 p.m.)  
Chico's vs. B. Wellcome #1 (E1 — 9:30 p.m.)  
Hilton vs. Ferguson's (E2 — 9:30 p.m.)

**Church League**  
1st Christian vs. St. Paul (WM — 6:30 p.m.)  
Mt. Pleasant vs. 1st Presbyterian (JC — 6:30 p.m.)  
Black Jack vs. Memorial (WM — 7:30 p.m.)  
1st Pentecostal B. vs. Salem (JC — 7:30 p.m.)  
Oakmont vs. Immanuel (JC — 8:30 p.m.)  
St. James vs. Grace (JC — 9:30 p.m.)

**City League**  
Hot 104 vs. Carolina Window (8:30 p.m.)  
Byrd's vs. American Credit (8:30 p.m.)

**Winterville League**  
Winterville Girls vs. Temple Girls (6:30 p.m.)  
Winterville Pentecostal vs. Red Oak (7:30 p.m.)  
Temple vs. Winterville FWB (8:30 p.m.)  
Rose Hill vs. Piney Grove/Marlboro (9:30 p.m.)



The Associated Press

WFL head Tex Schramm shakes hands with Indiana governor Evan Bayh at NFL meetings

## Not Even Rozelle Knows Who May Take His Spot

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW ORLEANS — The identity of Pete Rozelle's potential successor is being so tightly guarded that not even the NFL commissioner knows the names of the 11 finalists for his job.

But like almost everyone else involved with the league, he has a pretty good idea of the identity of a few — starting with Jack Kemp, Jim Finks and Paul Tagliabue.

"The winter book favorites are on there," said Wellington Mara, president of the New York Giants and co-chairman with Kansas City's Lamar Hunt of the six-owner selection committee that on Wednesday pared the list of contenders for the job to 11.

And Rozelle, in a reference to those same favorites, said: "I know some of them. I don't know all of them."

The some include Kemp, the

former quarterback and congressman who is now the secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Finks, the president of the New Orleans Saints; and Tagliabue, the former Georgetown basketball player who has been a key behind-the-scenes figure as the NFL's Washington lawyer for a decade.

The owners worked quickly at their meeting, taking just one day to wrap up business.

It included an update on plans for the new Worldwide American Football League and the selection of Minneapolis as the site for the 1992 Super Bowl over Seattle, Indianapolis and Detroit.

But the main business was the selection of a new commissioner, which could be done as early as late June or early July as the candidates are pared down from 11 to perhaps three or four.

It went from 23 to 11 on Wednesday in top secrecy. None of the 22 owners not on the search committee were

told, and the candidates themselves didn't know — Finks, for example, continued to insist no one had approached him.

In fact, no one could even be sure all the candidates were men — Hunt and Mara continually referred to "candidates" and "prospects" and a gender designation was ever used.

The list was compiled this way: — Each team was asked to submit recommendations and any name entered by more than franchise made the list. This accounted for 10 names.

— The committee, which also consists of Cleveland's Art Modell, Pittsburgh's Dan Rooney, Green Bay's Robert Parins and Buffalo's Ralph Wilson, also hired the management search firm of Heidrick & Struggles to look for candidates from outside football.

— They then met Tuesday night with a list of 23 — their 10 and 13

(See NFL, B-3)

# Jay Tibbs Snaps Losing Streak

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The drought is over for Jay Tibbs but the deluge continues for Mickey Tettleton.

Tibbs scattered seven hits over six-plus innings to end a personal 10-game losing streak and Tettleton hit his 10th home run of the season and fourth in 10 games as the Baltimore Orioles defeated the Chicago White Sox 8-0 Wednesday night and moved into a first-place tie with Boston in the American League East.

After beating Texas last July 9, Tibbs lost nine straight starts and a relief appearance, finishing 4-15. But Baltimore manager Frank Robinson

said Tibbs has what it takes to be a consistent winner.

"I think sometimes he underestimated his own ability," Robinson said. "He's getting his fastball over. He's getting his slider over. What I liked tonight, he went after the hitters a lot more."

Tibbs didn't bother to use his curveball and said it "did not hurt me at all. I had two relief appearances before this, and my two pitches, the fastball and slider, were working then. It's been getting better and better for me every time I went out. But I think the transition in dropping the curveball had made a big difference."

Mark Williamson allowed one hit

over the final three innings for his fifth save as Baltimore, which won only nine of its first 44 games a year ago, evened its record at 21-21. The Orioles didn't win their 21st game in 1988 until June 24.

## Red Sox 6, Mariners 5

Wade Boggs went 3-for-3 with two doubles and a single, scored two runs and drove in one. Winner Mike Boddicker, 3-4, allowed three runs, one unearned, and seven hits in 6 2-3 innings.

The Red Sox capitalized on the wildness of Erik Hanson, 4-4, for two runs in the first inning. They added two more in the third and two in the fifth. Boggs, nursing a pulled hamstring and battling a slump, raised his average from .288 to .301.

Boggs had an RBI double and Jim Rice lined a run-scoring pinch single in the fifth for what proved to be the decisive run.

## Angels 11, Yankees 4

Rookie Jim Abbott won his second straight game. Johnny Ray drove in four runs and Lance Parrish and

Chili Davis homered as California won for the 14th time in its last 18 times. Abbott, 4-3, allowed 10 hits but only three runs in 5 1-3 innings.

Ray singled in the game's first run in the first inning and doubled in three more in the ninth. Davis led off the second with a single and Parrish followed with his fifth home run. The Angels chased Dotson, 1-2, in the fourth when Wally Joyner hit a two-run double to make it 5-1.

Davis hit his sixth homer off Lee Guetterman to start the Angels' five-run ninth. The runs were the first off Guetterman this season after 30 2-3 scoreless innings.

Don Mattingly had four hits for the Yankees, including his first home run of the season. Mattingly had gone 171 at-bats since his last homer on Sept. 29, 1988.

## Athletics 6, Brewers 2

Mike Moore pitched a five-hitter over eight innings and Stan Javier's two-run triple keyed a four-run third. Moore, 5-3, allowed Rob Deer's two-run homer in the fourth

inning and four singles.

The Athletics hammered Milwaukee starter Mike Birkbeck, 0-3, for five runs and six hits in 2 2-3 innings. Dave Henderson, Dave Parker and Mark McGwire singled for a run in the first. In the third, Henderson and Terry Steinbach walked and Carney Lansford made it 2-0 with a single.

## Royals 6, Rangers 4

Frank White went 3-for-4 and drove in the go-ahead run with a fourth-inning double, helping Kansas City break a six-game losing streak.

Royals starter Bret Saberhagen, 4-4, fell behind 2-0 in the first inning but went 6 2-3 innings before getting relief help from Tom Gordon, who went the final 2 1-3 innings for his first major-league save, striking out six of the seven batters he faced.

The Royals, after trailing 3-1, took a 4-3 lead with a three-run fourth, highlighted by Danny Tartabull's two-run single. White followed with a run-scoring double that chased Jamie Moyer, 3-4, who got into trou-

ble by walking the first two batters in the inning.

## Twins 10, Blue Jays 4

Kirby Puckett paced Minnesota's 13-hit attack with his second four-hit game of the season and 30th of his career, driving in three runs and scoring two. Puckett singled three times and doubled in six at-bats in support of Frank Viola, 3-6, who gave up eight hits and four runs in six innings.

The Twins took a 5-0 lead in the top of the first, sending 10 men to the plate and rapping out six hits. Dan Gladden led off with a double and scored on Puckett's one-out single. Gary Gaetti's triple made it 2-0.

Gene Larkin hit a grounder back to the mound. Loser Mike Flanagan, 3-4, tried to nail Gaetti at the plate but catcher Bob Brenly lost the ball for an error. Larkin took second and scored on a single by Carmen Castillo.

## Tigers 2, Indians 1

Lou Whitaker's 10th-inning single over a drawn-in outfield scored Gary Pettis with the winning run.

Pettis led off the 10th against Scott Bailes, 1-2, with a ground ball up the middle that second baseman Luis Aguayo deflected into shallow center field and the fleet Pettis stretched into a double. Pettis went to third on Fred Lynn's fly ball and scored when Whitaker drilled a 1-and-1 pitch into left-center.

## ECU-Florida ...

(Continued From B-1)

second trip to the regionals in the last three years, thus most of the players have been there before. "It's a distinct advantage," Overton said. "Two years ago, we just happened to get hot at the right time and went into the NCAA lacking confidence. We came down here (to Tallahassee) feeling that the other teams were better and came out thinking they were not that much better."

"This year, we'll take that confidence with us along with the experience (of having been here before), and experience and confidence run hand-in-hand," Overton said.

Kevin Riggs, who had an outstanding tournament, leads the Pirate hitting with a .371 average while Adams is right behind at .349. But Adams got only one hit in the tournament and dropped his average from .400 going in.

Calvin Brown, who will again be used only as a designated hitter because of a knee injury, is hitting .347 while Eason has a .340 average.

No other Pirate is over .300. In addition to those pitchers already mentioned, John White, 8-1, could see action either in a starting role or from the bullpen.

Florida's leading hitters is third baseman Herbert Perry, with a .365 average. But the Gators have only

one other hitter over .300, that being leftfielder Brian Reimsnyder at .305.

The top slugger, however, is Ned Brigham, who will play either in right or centerfield. Brigham has a .298 average with 18 doubles and 11 home runs, both leading the team. He's also the top base stealer, with 11 of 18.

Florida overall has stolen but 48 of 83 bases, whereas the Pirates have been successful on 86 of 106 tries.

Other starters for the Gators are expected to be Brent Addison at short (.293), Dave Maješki in right (.282), Bill Minnis at second (.271), either Steve Zerr (.259) or Tim Oxley (.254) at first, Jose Fernandez (.245) behind the plate, and Mario Linares (.228) at designated hitter.

The Gators have not yet announced whom they will go with on the mound, but it is expected to come from Jamie McAndrew, Jeff Gidcumb, Todd McCray or John Wiggs. All are righthanders except Wiggs, a southpaw.

McAndrew, 8-5, has the top earned run average of 1.85, giving up only 14 earned runs in 68 innings.

Gidcumb, 9-4, has a 3.51 ERA, while McCray, 4-2, is at 3.82, and Wiggs, 11-3, has a 4.00 ERA.

Overall, Florida is hitting .284 as a team, while ECU has a .292 average. Florida's team ERA is 4.24, while ECU's is 2.67.

## Conley Falls ...

(Continued From B-1)

Seymour belted a one-out double to left and moved to third on a fielder's choice by Bill Jenkins. Seymour was stranded, however, when Paul Jackson grounded out.

Crandall received a one-out walk

in the third inning, stole second and moved to third on a sacrifice bunt by Mills. Crandall was stranded there, however, when Fassett flew out to right to end the inning.

D.H. Conley.....000 000 0-0 4 1  
SW Edgecombe.....000 000 1-1 2 1  
Clemmons and Seymour, Arrington and Lewis.

North Pitt.....000 001 00-1 6 3  
Williamston.....000 010 01-2 11 1  
WP - Donna Hardison.

Jamesville.....9  
Gates County.....4

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## Rose ...

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across-the-field double play in the first inning when a baserunner tried to go from second to third on a grounder to short. Rose's Chris Christopher threw to first for the first play and Jamie Brewington then threw back to third for the tag by Travis Williamson on the runner.

The next two came in the third when Westover had a real threat going. Robert Owens opened the inning with a single and Brad Alleman laid down a bunt. The ball was thrown to second, but was too late. The next batter also laid it down, but catcher Derrick Clark pounced on it and threw to third for the force of the lead runner.

Then, on the next play, the batter grounded into the hole between first and second. Brewington dove for the ball, but only succeeded in knocking it toward second base. Heath Clark, who had headed into the hole, reversed himself, scooped the ball up bare-handed and flipped it to second in time for the force.

After a walk loaded the bases, Hines made a diving catch off the back of the mound for the third out, saving a sure run.

Westover again loaded the bases in the sixth with an infield hit and two walks, but the final batter popped up to Hines to end the threat.

Rose finally got something going in the fourth when it scored its first two runs. David Leisten, who, along with Hines, had two hits on the night, opened with a bunt single. Hines then followed by poking the ball out of the park in left center for a 2-0 lead.

It stayed that way until the sixth, when Rose added the two insurance runs. With one out, Hines singled to center. Bolen then rifled the ball out of the park in right field, upping the lead to 4-0 and there it stayed.

Rose, ranked fifth in the nation by USA Today, improved its record to 22-0 on the season while Westover ended its year at 12-10.

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P. Bugarin and C. Bugarin; Hines and D. Clark.  
Leading hitters: Westover - Robert Owens 1-3, Chris Bugarin 1-3, Brad Alleman 1-2; Rose - David Leisten 2-3, Maurice Hines 2-3 (HR), John Bolen 1-3 (HR).

## Williamston, Jamesville, Greene Central Advance

WILLIAMSTON - Williamston scored a run in the bottom of the eighth to slip past North Pitt 2-1 in the first round of the state 2-A softball playoffs Wednesday.

Valerie Peele reached on an error to start off the inning. Lynn Coward then singled and Dana Hardison followed with a fielder's choice, which got Peele out. Melissa Coltrain, however, delivered an RBI single to score Coward and end the game.

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# Sports Notes

## Baywood Defeats Ayden-Grifton Netters

AYDEN — The Baywood Racquet Club defeated the Ayden-Grifton tennis team, 6-0, in the first Roanoke League match of the season. Other teams in the league are Tarboro, Snow Hill, Washington Racquet Club, Greenville and the River Birch Tennis Center of Greenville.

Singles: Jon Day (B) d. Chico Spruill, 6-1, 6-2; Tom Sayetta (B) d. Gil Davis, 6-2, 6-4; Steve Creech (B) d. Paul Cannon, 6-1, 6-1; Al King (B) d. Miles Huggins, 6-4, 6-3.

Doubles: Day-Creech (B) d. Spruill-Cannon, 6-2, 6-1; Sayetta-King (B) d. Huggins-Trey Ormond, 6-3, 6-1.

## Overton In Masters' Tournament

Kristi Overton of Greenville will be competing in the Masters' Water Ski Tournament at Callaway Gardens, Ga., this weekend.

The Masters' Tournament will feature the top 15 men and top 15 women in the world in tricks, slalom and jump competition. Champions will be selected in each of the three events as well as an overall champion.

Overton, a world-class water ski competitor and current Pro Tour slalom champion, will be the youngest competitor at 19. She is currently featured on the cover of the June issue of Water Ski Magazine.

## Special Olympians At State Games

Seventeen Greenville and Pitt County Special Olympics athletes will be competing this weekend in the North Carolina State Games in Charlotte.

The group was honored Wednesday at a "Good Luck" party at Sportsworld.

This year marks the first time that Greenville/Pitt County will be competing in tennis, roller skating and the 4x25-meter swimming relay. Others will compete in track and field and the soccer team will be attempting to successfully defend its state championship of last year.

The athletes include: Swimming — Billy Davis, Alice Quiggins, Dennis Mercer, Elizabeth Williams; Tennis — Gary McGowan; Roller skating — Deborah Heath; Track and Field — Basnight Pilgreen, Christy Phillips, Ronnie Foggs, Donald Grimes; Soccer — Shawn Nelson, Barbara Tyson, Tony Harris, Julius Murphy, Moses Ward, Malachi Grimes and Scottie Washington. Coaches accompanying them include Rowan Davis, David Nelson, Ken Midyette, Shane Wells, Greg Epperson, Jody Yankowski, Sarah Hickingbotham and Connie Sappenfield.

## Farmville Central Has Awards Banquet

FARMVILLE — Farmville Central had its annual athletic awards banquet Wednesday at the school.

Senior Scott Gardner was awarded the Vickie Newton Memorial Award as well as the most outstanding football player award.

Other football winners were Brent Ellis, best all around lineman; Darryl Wilkes, most valuable back and Neal Jefferson, John Moore Memorial Award.

In JV football, the coaches award went to Bartrell Fields.

In men's basketball, Jarvis Lang was named team MVP, while Derrick Barrett was awarded the Team Before Self Award. Top defensive honors went to Morris Foreman and Williams Carr.

In JV basketball, the coaches award went to Kevin Reid.

Brenda Reid was named the MVP of the girls' basketball team, while Wanda Bullock was named the most improved and Lucretia Dixon was given the coaches award.

Diane Hudson was honored as the volleyball team's MVP, while Felicia Barrett received the Team Before Self Award.

In track, Most Outstanding Field went to Scott Crisp, while Most Outstanding Track went to Reggie Barrett. Derrick Barrett was given the coaches award.

In women's track, Most Outstanding Field went to Darlene Vick and Most Outstanding Track went to Tawanda Moore. The coaches award went to Erika Barrett.

George Burnette was recognized as the most outstanding baseball player, while Johnny Phillips was honored as the most improved baseball player. The coaches award went to Eddie Little.

In JV baseball, Dwayne and Wayne May were honored with the coaches award.

The most improved softball player was Tonya Little with the coaches award going to Melissa Jarman.

In tennis, Chris Wade was given the MVP award and Tommy Murphy the most improved, while the most improved golfer was David Baker.

The Farmville Central Scholastic Athletic Award was given to Allen Lewis.

In cheerleading, the most improved award went to Tinasha Forbes and the coaches award to Tonya Little.

## Lakers Still Craving Third Title

PHOENIX (AP) — "Threepeat" is the watchword of the Los Angeles Lakers, who are trying for their third consecutive NBA championship.

The Phoenix Suns would settle for a repeat of the regular season.

The Lakers lead the Suns 2-0 in the best-of-7 Western Conference finals as the series moves to the Arizona Veterans Memorial Coliseum for Games 3 and 4 Friday and Sunday.

Phoenix swept Los Angeles in its three regular-season visits to the Coliseum, with no game closer than 15 points. The Suns have to duplicate that feat to stand any chance of derailing the Lakers, who've won all nine of their playoff games this year.

"We have to protect our home turf and then find a way to win one on the road," Phoenix coach Cotton Fitzsimmons said. "I wish it were different. Only a fool would not rather be 1-1 at this point. But we didn't get it done in L.A. So now, instead of having four chances to win one in the Forum, we only have two chances left. L.A. took care of its home turf."

## Pistons Want To Upgrade Their Play

CHICAGO (AP) — To the Detroit Pistons, winning isn't everything. It's also the way you do it that counts.

"I don't like the way we're playing," said guard Isiah Thomas, whose 33 points in Detroit's series-tying victory over Chicago Tuesday night weren't enough to make him happy.

"We're not executing," he said. "We're not screening, we're not catching the ball, we're not passing it."

Maybe not, but the Pistons did contain a flu-weakened Michael Jordan to get a 100-91 victory over the Bulls, sending the Eastern Conference finals to Chicago for Game 3 on Saturday tied 1-1. Jordan, averaging 37.1 points a game in the playoffs, made just nine of 20 shots from the field.

Not good enough, according to Pistons center Bill Laimbeer, who had plenty of time for reflection Tuesday after getting ejected near the end of the third quarter for a pair of elbowing fouls.

"We're not in the proper mental frame of mind needed to win," Laimbeer said. "It's an individual and collective frame of mind. It's not something that I'm going to elaborate on, but we were very fortunate to win Game 2."

# Chargers Bow; Rams Win

LITTLEFIELD — Roanoke Rapids scored six runs in the second inning to pace the way to a 8-6 win over Ayden-Grifton in the first round of the state 2-A baseball playoffs Wednesday.

Roanoke Rapids scored the runs on four hits and a trio of Charger errors in the inning.

The Chargers managed to trim the led to 6-3 in the bottom of the second and got as close as 6-5 in the bottom of the sixth inning before Roanoke Rapids scored a pair of runs in the eighth inning to push the lead to 8-5.

Roanoke Rapids was led in hitting for the game by Tripp Ellis, who went 3-4. Tony Clary and Dale Cannon each went 2-4.

The Chargers were led by James Woodard, who went 2-3, and Brian

Haddock, who went 2-3. Ronnell Peterson and Gene Stancil both went 2-4.

The loss ended Ayden-Grifton's year with a 10-12 record.

"I know that we didn't have a powerhouse team this year," Charger coach Chris Ross said, "but I feel that this was a team of overachievers just for fighting their way into the playoffs when it looked like they didn't have much of a chance."

Roanoke Rapids.....060 000 2-8 10 1  
Ayden-Grifton.....030 011 1-6 9 3  
Oliver, Smith (7) and Elias; Haddock, Tripp (7) and Woodard.

Greene Central.....8  
WF-Rolesville.....1

SNOW HILL — Greene Central scored four runs in the first inning and then went on to roll to a 8-1 win over Wake Forest-Rolesville in the first round of the state 2-A baseball playoffs Wednesday.

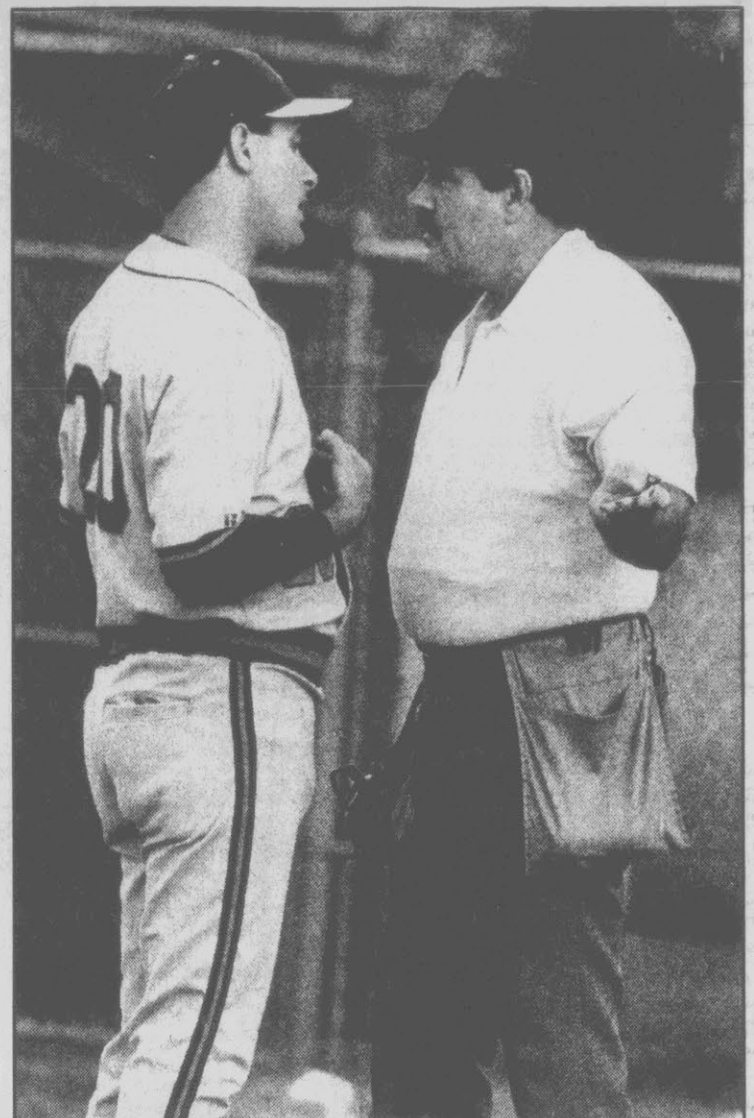
Jimmy Hardy sparked the four-run first inning with a two-run homer.

The Rams, 16-6 overall, were led by Rob Davis' 3-4 batting, while Cedric Collins was 2-4. Cornelius Hill had a solo roundtripper for the Rams in the sixth inning.

Reggie Hill went the distance on the mound for the Rams to pick up the win, striking out nine and walking only one. The win improved Hill's record to 7-2 for the year.

Greene Central will play Clayton Friday on the road at 7:30 p.m. in the second round of the playoffs.

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# NFL ...

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pared from an original list of 59 that Heidrick & Struggles had found.

"I understand the search guys came up with some very impressive people," said Rozelle, whose surprise retirement in March after 29 years on the job set off the search. But the consensus seemed to be that Kemp, Finks and Tagliabue were at the top.

Mara, for example, was asked if someone who had publicly said he didn't want the job — Kemp has said he wants to stay at HUD — was on the list.

"I don't know what he's said to others but he hasn't been asked by us," Mara said although neither the question nor the answer contained a specific name.

The next task is to narrow the list further, though not necessarily to one.

"It could come down to one, but it may be three or four," Hunt said. "Then we'd present the names to the membership and let them decide."

That could take quite a while — the new commissioner needs 19 of the 28 votes to get elected.

Rozelle was elected to succeed the late Bert Bell in 1960 as a compromise candidate after 29 ballots. At the time, he was the 33-year-old general manager of the Los Angeles Rams and, as he put it this week, "I hadn't been around long enough to make enemies."

That could open the way for other candidates — even those not on the list.

One who seems to be moving up his Robert Mulcahy, executive director of the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority. He is a favorite of Mara and the Jets' Leon Hess, who are his tenants at Giants Stadium.

Among the others mentioned have been Roone Arledge, the president of ABC News and Sports; Neal Pilson, president of CBS sports; Jack Donlan, executive director of the NFL Management Council; former Democratic National chairman Paul Kirk; former Heisman Trophy winner and Army general Pete Dawkins and Jay Moyer, the NFL's executive vice president and in-house counsel.

But Hunt didn't seem to think there would be a protracted struggle.

"I think we'll have a man in place by the time training camps open," he said.

The selection of Minneapolis as the 1992 Super Bowl site came on the sixth ballot by a simple majority over Detroit after Indianapolis and Seattle were eliminated on the first two.

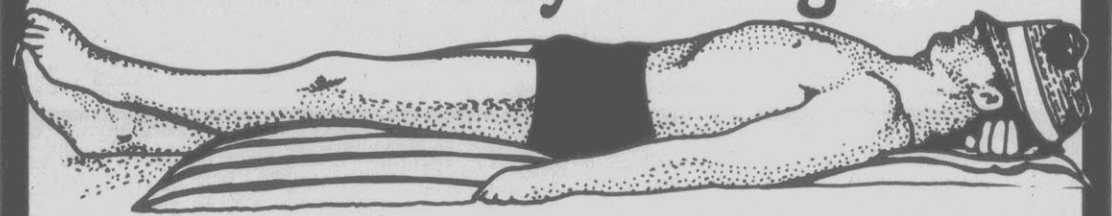
On the first five ballots, a three-quarters majority — 21 votes — is necessary. On the sixth, it's only 15, a simple majority.

Norman Braman, owner of the Philadelphia Eagles and chairman of the selection committee, said the determining factor was "that Minneapolis had the best practice facilities away from the Metrodome, where the game will be played."

In 1982, when the game was played at Pontiac, both teams had to practice in the Silverdome, the site of the game and the San Francisco 49ers complained that their early practice time caused problems because of the time-zone change.

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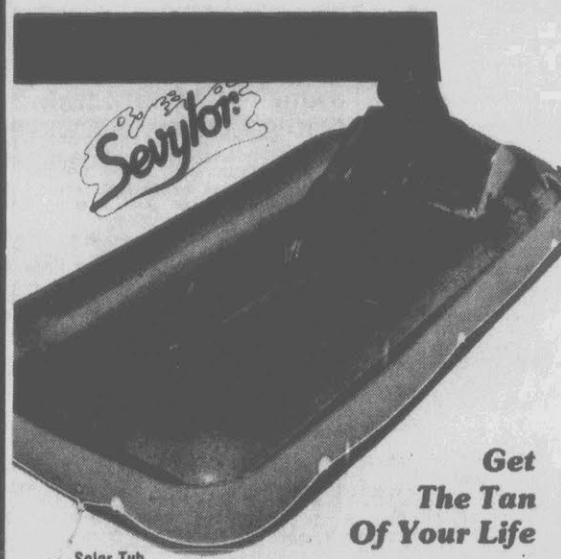
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# ECU Baseball ...

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Gidcomb has struggled with arm problems this year after winning 16 games last season as the Gators advanced to the College World Series in Omaha, Nebraska. For his career, Gidcomb is 25-11. With one more win, he will be the Gators' career record holder in individual wins.

"If he's ready to go, he'll be our pitcher," Arnold said. "He's lost a few miles per hour (due to a stiff shoulder), but he's able to throw it for strikes. If he can give us six or seven (innings), I'd be happy with that, but he will go nine if possible."

Two years ago at this time, ECU was in Tallahassee for the NCAA South Atlantic Regionals before losing two straight to end the season.

It was a quick exit for the Pirates, but ECU coach Gary Overton is quick to point out the differences between that squad and this year's.

"In '87, we opened with Florida State in Tallahassee and we were not a very good team," he said. "We finished fourth in the Colonial and happened to get hot at tournament time. We went in the regional just happy to be there because of the poor showing we had that year."

"This is a better ballclub. There were weaknesses in terms of depth on that '87 team. The pitching staff was experienced, but did not give us the type of performance that we got (from our pitchers) this year. This team is more ready to play in the NCAA Tournament than that team in 1987."

Jake Jacobs, a senior right-hander, will get the start for the Pirates against the Gators.

He is 9-1 on the year. ECU coaches had contemplated starting left-hander Tim Langdon (3-3) since Florida often uses as many as four or five left-handed hitters.

But, according to assistant coach Billy Best, from most of the scouting reports ECU got on the Gators, it didn't really matter who pitched as long as you threw strikes. That left either Jacobs or junior Jonathan Jenkins (12-2) and Overton gave Jacobs the nod on the basis of experience.

ECU shortstop David Ritchie, who played all the way through the CAA Tournament despite a shoulder injury, is apparently healed.

"It's perfectly fine," he said. "It did hurt in Wilmington (but) I haven't run into any problems."

Ritchie said he has had no problems swinging left-handed but felt a twinge recently in practice hitting from the right. "It was still just a little bit tender," he said.

Since Ritchie originally hurt his shoulder in early April, he has hit .175. Prior to the injury he was hitting .321. Two weeks ago at the CAA Tournament, the injury reduced him to almost swinging the bat one handed.

Georgia Tech coach Jim Morris said the Yellow Jackets were able to earn an at-large bid because the NCAA selection committee actually paid attention to teams' difficulty of schedule.

The third-seeded Yellow Jackets, 37-24, played 20 games on the road, many of them against the likes of nationally-known squads such as Florida State, New Orleans, Wichita State, Arizona and Oklahoma State, not to mention the regular Atlantic Coast Conference road slate.

"We probably have as many losses as anybody here," Morris said. "I didn't know how much insight they would have as far as difficulty of schedule. In a way, that was the one thing that really helped us to get here."

Central Florida had an eventful week getting prepared for the tournament. The Knights, 40-20 and seeded fourth, are from nearby Orlando, but almost lost four players to freak circumstances in the past week.

First, pitcher Elton Barks had acne surgery where doctors scraped his face to clear up a severe problem with blemishes. "But the doc says he can pitch, preferably at night," CFU coach Jay Bergman said.

Then, pitcher Jimmy Still had a contact lens get stuck on his eye and he had to be taken to the hospital to have it removed. The next injury befell backup catcher Greg Turner, who injured his hand and will likely miss the tournament.

The final mishap occurred when outfielder Mike Josephine was called home to Caraco, the Netherlands, for a family emergency. On his return, he was detained at the Miami Airport Customs Office and almost didn't make it to the tournament at all.

"We've had the shortest distance to travel and we've probably had the hardest time getting here," Bergman said.

A number of people are calling it a two-team regional with Miami and Florida set up for an inevitable showdown Sunday to decide who will win the berth in the College World Series.

"Miami and Florida would have to be the two teams favored, but I think Central Florida has an outstanding ballclub," Georgia Tech's Morris said diplomatically. "I'm not concerned with Miami and Florida. I'm concerned with one game and that's Central Florida (set to play today at 3:30 p.m.)"

Miami coach Ron Fraser, who led the Hurricanes against sixth-seed Villanova in the early game at 11:30 this morning, said looking past the first round is a mistake for any favored team.

"In tournament play, I've seen some of the most bizarre things in the first round," Fraser said. "I don't think anybody can take a first-round game lightly."

Keep in mind, the Hurricanes are 44-16 and ranked third by both major polls.

# Gibson's Blow Lifts L.A.

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Kirk Gibson put some punch in the Dodgers' punchless offense.

In his second game back since coming off the disabled list, Gibson homered to help Los Angeles beat Philadelphia 4-2 Wednesday night.

Gibson's return provided a physical and psychological boost for the Dodgers, who are last in the majors in runs scored with 134.

"I think I can contribute, but I'm not a savior," said Gibson, who also made a diving catch of Chris James' fly ball to right center in the eighth inning.

"I just want to be part of the team. I have certain strengths and I try to do well. The other guys have certain strengths and they try to do well, too."

Gibson, who missed 22 games with a hamstring injury, gave the Dodgers a 2-1 lead with a leadoff homer in the fourth off Phillies starter Larry McWilliams, 2-4. It was Gibson's first homer at Dodger Stadium since his dramatic, game-winning blast in Game 1 of last year's World Series.

McWilliams threw a 3-and-1 fastball to Gibson.

"I just challenged him, and if it's in his zone he's going to hit it," McWilliams said.

Dodgers starter Tim Lary, 3-3, allowed six hits, struck out six and walked four in eight innings for his first win since April 16. Jay Howell relieved after Lary gave up a hit and a walk in the ninth. Howell gave up a run-scoring single to Tom Herr, but got out of the jam to earn his seventh save.

**Cubs 5, Cardinals 1**  
Tom Browning won his first game in four weeks and Barry Larkin had two triples and two RBIs as the Reds continued their mastery of the Cardinals.

Browning, 4-4, snapped a personal three-game losing streak with his second complete game of the season.

The left-hander gave up eight hits, including five doubles, struck out three and walked three.

The Cardinals, 0-5 against the Reds this season, stranded six runners in scoring position in the first five innings.

Cincinnati scored two runs before making an out against Ken Hill, 2-3. Chris Sabo led off the Reds' first with his second homer in two games. Ken Griffey then singled and scored on Larkin's triple.

**Pirates 4, Braves 1**  
Glenn Wilson hit a tie-breaking, two-run double in the 14th inning as the Pirates won their third straight game for the first time this season.

It was Atlanta's fourth straight loss and ninth in 11 games. The Braves have only scored 10 runs in their last 85 innings.

Jim Aker, 0-2, walked Andy Van Slyke with one out in the 14th. Van Slyke moved to third on Bobby Bonilla's single and both runners scored on Wilson's double. Wilson then scored on a single by Benny Distefano.

Bill Landrum, 1-1, pitched two scoreless innings of relief to pick up the victory. Pittsburgh manager Jim Leyland was ejected in the ninth inning for arguing a checked-swing third strike called on Van Slyke.

**Cubs 3, Astros 1**  
Shawon Dunston singled in two runs as the Cubs completed a three-game sweep in the Astrodome. The victory was Chicago's eighth in nine games.

Greg Maddux, 3-5, had a shutout until Gerald Young singled in a run with two outs in the ninth. Reliever Mitch Williams came in and struck out Rafael Ramirez with men on first and third for his 12th save in 15 opportunities.

Maddux allowed eight hits, struck out three and walked four.

Bob Knepper, 2-6, took the loss, allowing three runs on seven hits in 5-2-3 innings. Houston's Bill Doran

single in the eighth to extend his hitting streak to nine games.

**Mets 3, Padres 0**  
Kevin McReynolds and Mark Carreon homered as New York snapped a three-game losing streak with its first shutout of the season.

Ron Darling, 3-3, allowed four hits in six innings, walked three and struck out seven. He is 3-0 in his last six starts and hasn't lost since April 18.

Rick Aguilar struck out six in the final three innings to earn his second save. He hasn't allowed an earned run in his last 11 outings.

Bruce Hurst, 4-3, took the loss,

allowing two runs and seven hits in seven innings.

**Expos 1, Giants 0**  
Kevin Gross pitched a five-hitter and Hubie Brooks drove in the only run with a first-inning sacrifice fly for Montreal.

Gross, 5-3, struck out 11 and walked four in his best performance since the Expos obtained him in an off-season trade with Philadelphia. He outdueled San Francisco starter Don Robinson, 2-4, who gave up only three hits in seven innings.

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# U.S. Economy's Growth Slows In First Quarter

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WASHINGTON — The U.S. economy grew at a 4.3 percent annual rate in the first three months of 1989, much slower than previously thought, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department's estimate of growth in the gross national product, the broadest measure of economic health, was well below an initial estimate a month ago that put the GNP increase at 5.5 percent.

The slowdown was even more pronounced when the effects of a rebound from last year's drought in the farm sector were removed.

That rebound added 2.5 percentage points to growth in the first quarter after the drought had subtracted 1.1 percentage points in the last quarter of 1988.

Thus, growth in the nonfarm economy slumped to a lackluster 1.8 percent in the first three months of the year, down from a nonfarm growth rate of 3.5 percent in the fourth quarter and the slowest quarterly GNP advance in more than two years.

At the same time, inflation grew at an annual rate of 5 percent during the January-March quarter, unchanged from the earlier estimate.

The 4.3 percent overall GNP increase was substantially lower than expected. In advance of today's report, many forecasters were looking for only a slight downward revision to 5.4 percent GNP growth.

The GNP report did serve to emphasize the general view that the economy is headed for a period of markedly slower growth this year.

Even with the effects of the drought, the GNP expanded last year at a four-year high of 3.9 percent. That rapid pace helped to drive unemployment down sharply and the overall prosperity was credited in part with helping the Republicans hold onto the White House.

However, the expansion, which has lasted a peacetime record of more than six years, is expected to slow this year under the impact of the credit-tightening engineered by the Federal Reserve in an effort to keep inflation under control.

Economists say it is still an open question over whether the Fed's intervention will succeed in achieving slower growth and lower inflation or a more severe weakening that could topple the country into a recession.

A price index tied to the GNP rose at an annual rate of 5 percent from January through March, reflecting higher wage costs for federal employees and higher food and energy prices.

The inflation advance, while unchanged from the initial estimate a month ago, was up from a 4.2 percent rate of inflation in the final three months of 1988.

The sharp downward revision in overall growth reflected in large part a slower buildup in business inventories than previously believed. The Commerce Department said part of this reduction in estimated inventories came from \$1 billion lower growth in the value of unsold autos.

This development was viewed positively by economists because it means automakers may not have to cut back production as sharply as previously believed.

The lower inventory growth was offset somewhat by a better-than-expected decline in the U.S. trade deficit. As measured by the GNP, it narrowed at an annual rate of \$17.6 billion in the first quarter, the first quarterly improvement since the spring of 1988. Exports shot up at a 15.3 percent rate, while imports rose a slight 0.9 percent.

In other developments, consumer spending rose at a modest 1.1 percent rate in the first three months of the year, down sharply from a 3.5 percent fourth quarter increase.

Consumer spending, which accounts for two-thirds of overall economic activity, is expected to slow sharply this year. Economists thus are pinning their hopes for avoiding a recession on continued improve-

## Gross National Product

Trillions of dollars, annual rate

1st quarter (revised)  
**\$4.08** ↑ **4.3%**

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce



The Associated Press

### Landmark Destroyed

Los Angeles firefighters battle flames Wednesday night that gutted the historic Pan Pacific Auditorium. The spectacular sunset blaze sent a column of black smoke nearly 1,000 feet over the city, making it visible throughout the Los Angeles basin.

## Odd-Shaped Building Forces Employees To Get Out Of Seats

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — Many managers cringe when they hear employees caught up in casual conversation, but such on-the-job chatter is music to the ears of executives at Steelcase Inc.'s new office furniture research center.

After five years of planning, Steelcase on Wednesday unveiled its \$111-million Corporate Development Center.

The pyramid-shaped building is designed to create "functional inconvenience," where employees are forced to get out of their seats and interact with colleagues in different departments.

The building represents not only a change in location for 675 employees of the world's largest office furniture manufacturer, but also a drastic shift in management philosophy.

Employees will be divided into groups by project areas so that an engineer may be sitting next to a marketing executive, a quality control employee next to someone in the purchasing department. The task of all will be to design office furniture for the future.

"We're moving from the relay team to the rugby team approach to product development," said Frank H. Merlotti, Steelcase president and chief executive officer. "We're getting everybody involved up front and letting them lock in like a rugby team does, all moving toward the goal."

Three organizational psychologists were involved in designing the ultramodern, 575,000-square-foot, seven-story pyramid, which is surrounded by prairie grass and wildflowers. The interior is light and airy and features kinetic sculptures to symbolize change and creativity.

"It's all designed to shorten the product development period," said Tom Allen, an organizational psychologist and professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. "That's where the Japanese have beaten the pants off us."

The way to shorten product development time, Steelcase officials believe, is to create an environment in which employees working on the same and different projects are constantly bumping into one another.

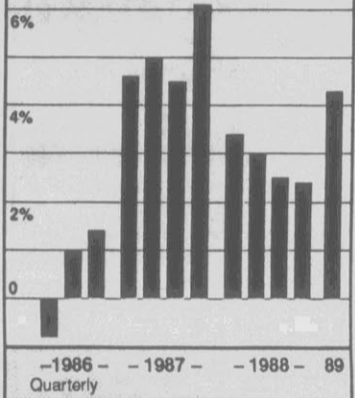
Elevators, where people rarely talk, are replaced by escalators, and all four entrances to the pyramid lead to the "town square" or atrium. Employees must pass through this area on their way into and out of the building.

Employees will have the option of remaining at their work stations or moving to any of 10 laboratories, 11 informal break areas, conference rooms, terraces that surround each floor or one-person "think tanks" that are equipped with computers but no telephones.

Managers are located in a central, circular group of offices, while their departmental employees are likely to be spread out across the building.

## Gross National Product

Percent change from previous quarter at annual rate



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce

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# Settlement Reached In Teachers' Strike

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES — Teachers today tentatively agreed to end a strike that had crippled the nation's second-largest school district for more than 10 days, officials said.

The three-year pact would give teachers eight percent annual raises and more power in deciding curricula, officials said.

"I hope this signals a new era of working together, of cooperation, rather than confrontation," said school board President Roberta Weintraub.

Wayne Johnson, president of United Teachers-Los Angeles union, said he expects the strike would leave no hard feelings between the union and district, but said a rift would remain between striking teachers and those who crossed picket lines.

"I think it will take a considerable amount of time to heal those wounds," he said.

Just Wednesday, a striking teacher was booked on assault charges after he allegedly threw a rock at a substitute teacher. Sheriff's deputies said the rock missed the teacher's car and instead struck a 12-year-old girl outside Andrew Carnegie Junior High School.

Teachers had been earning between \$23,440 and \$43,319 a year, depending on experience and level of education. The new pact would raise those salaries in the first year of the contract to \$25,316 and \$46,594.

It also would give teachers a bigger hand in deciding what goes on in their classrooms, with the district no longer enjoying veto power on curricular decisions.

But Johnson said the union made several compromises that could

prove to be stumbling blocks, including an agreement that teachers would work extra hours to recover pay docked during the dispute.

"Docked pay was a serious problem and may remain a serious problem," Johnson said.

The walkout officially would continue today, the strike's 11th day, pending the outcome of a noon ratification vote. Johnson would not say whether he would recommend that pact be accepted.

Education in the district had been disrupted since the union representing 22,000 of the district's 32,000 teachers struck May 15. It was the first teacher's strike here since a 23-day walkout in 1970.

Negotiations had collapsed Sunday with both sides accusing each other of lying and bargaining in bad faith.

But Johnson said that the impasse broke following meetings Tuesday in Sacramento in which officials from both sides spoke to Los Angeles-area lawmakers.



KENDALL TRUITT

CLAYTON HARTWIG

# Navy Investigators Exploring Death Link To Explosion

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Navy investigators looking into the explosion aboard the USS Iowa are reportedly exploring a possible homicide or suicide attempt as the cause of the blast that killed 47 sailors.

Investigators have found no evidence that an accident caused the April 19 explosion in the No. 2 gun turret while the battleship was off Puerto Rico, according to NBC News and The Washington Post.

The reports said investigators are scrutinizing the relationship of two sailors, 25-year-old Gunner's Mate Clayton M. Hartwig, who died in the blast, and Gunner's Mate 3rd Class Kendall Truitt, who survived.

NBC's report Wednesday and a story in today's Post cited information from sources they did not identify.

Atlantic Fleet headquarters in Norfolk, Va., on Wednesday referred questions about the case to the Navy Office of Information in Washington. Lt. Bruce Cole of the information office said the investigation of the blast was continuing and "nothing is categorically rejected."

Family members said Hartwig and the 21-year-old Truitt had been best friends, and had named each other as the beneficiary of \$100,000 life insurance policies they took out before the Iowa went to the Middle East in 1987.

Their friendship waned when Truitt was married last year, according to Hartwig's sister, Kathleen Kubicina, of Cleveland. Truitt had dropped Hartwig as the beneficiary on his policy and Hartwig intended to change his beneficiary, too, she said.

Truitt was quoted in reports last week as saying the Navy created homicide or suicide scenarios involving him and Hartwig to make them scapegoats for an explosion investigators cannot otherwise explain.

"I think they are trying to find an easy way out," Truitt told the Daily Press of Newport News, Va.

"Right now, they've got a closed mind. They've decided I somehow was the cause of the explosion, which isn't true. Or two, that Clay committed suicide. And that, too, I can't believe is true."

Truitt has said that in response to investigators' questions, he denied a homosexual relationship with Hartwig.

Truitt, from Tampa, Fla., is on leave from the ship. Mrs. Kubicina said her brother was not a homosexual.

"He was a loner," she said. "He did a lot of reading."

NBC said the Navy is investigating the possibility that a detonating device was placed in a burlap patch that gunners insert between bags of powder. The patches are designed to clean the barrels of the battleship's 16-inch guns during firing.

Truitt escaped from the lower magazine levels of the seven-level turret after the blast.

NBC said gunpowder and blasting caps were found in a search of Truitt's belongings two years ago after he was arrested for allegedly stealing a car. In a search of his home after the explosion, investigators found one of the burlap patches, the network said.

Hartwig's family reportedly told NBC he was depressed when his friendship with Truitt broke down last year. The family also said that at age 17, Hartwig threatened suicide when another relationship ended, NBC said.

NBC said other sources have learned that before the Iowa went on maneuvers off Puerto Rico, Hartwig wrote several letters that could be construed as farewell messages.

But Mrs. Kubicina told The Virginian-Pilot and The Ledger-Star of Norfolk that Hartwig was upbeat in a letter he wrote to his family three days before the explosion, and he was looking forward to a visit with this family.

"He was so totally up about things," she said.

Mrs. Kubicina said he was also excited about his next assignment as a driver for the U.S. Embassy in London.

"He was really into this job thing," she said. As a joke to a friend, he wrote he was "going to be the new James Bond of the Navy."

# College Trustees Reject Auction Bid

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CARTHAGE, Ill. — The Robert Morris College campus, including its fabled "kissing rock," is for sale again after school trustees rejected the only bid made at last week's auction.

But school officials are still hopeful they can negotiate a deal with the spurned bidder, who offered \$400,000.

"The board simply felt the bid was not right," Michael Violt, the school's vice president for financial affairs, said Wednesday. "Instead, the board proposed terms which would be acceptable and submitted that to the bidder."

The College Education Foundation, a non-profit association of a dozen Carthage-area businesses, bid for

the 20-acre campus, which includes 484 dormitory rooms, four classroom buildings, a library, gym and even the "kissing rock," which folklore says will bring a kiss to whoever sits on it.

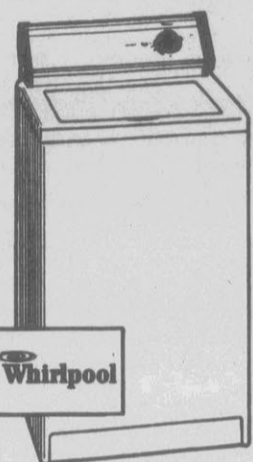
"I thought we were safe, since \$400,000 was the suggested opening bid. But sometimes in business deals you have offers and counteroffers," said Terry Newell, the foundation's president.

Newell said the school's trustees suggested the campus should go for slightly less than \$2 million.

"I don't think it's outrageous," Newell said. "But I've got to get together with the foundation board and we'll decide what to do."

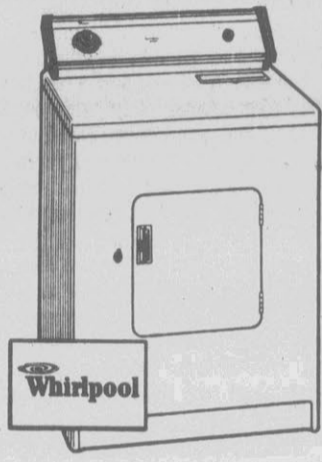
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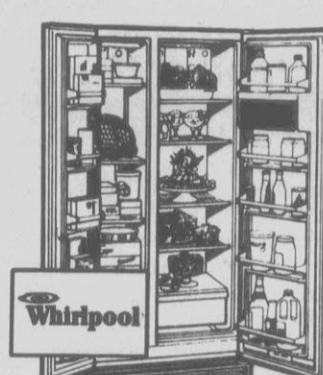
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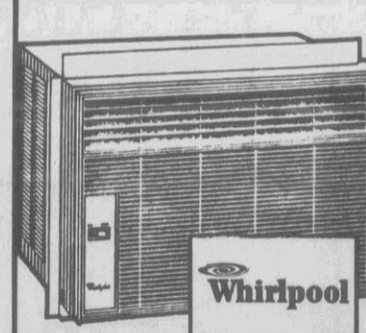
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# Hacker Suspended

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Cornell University has suspended the first-year graduate student whose software virus last year infected thousands of computers hooked up to a national network, The New York Times reported today.

The Times said Cornell officials notified Robert Tappan Morris, 23, that he had violated the school's Code of Academic Integrity and was being suspended.

In a letter to Morris dated May 16, the dean of the graduate school and the university's Academic Integrity Hearing Board said Morris would be suspended until the beginning of the 1990 fall semester.

Dean Alison P. Casarett said that if Morris wanted to reapply, the decision to readmit him would be made by the graduate school's computer science faculty.

Casarett said the decision to suspend Morris was an academic ruling and not tied to any criminal charges that Morris might face.

Morris faces no criminal charges. A federal grand jury earlier this year forwarded its recommendations to the Justice Department, but the department has not taken any action.

Morris' attorney, Thomas A. Guidoboni, would not comment on the suspension.



**Cadet Graduation**

Two female cadets laugh in the rain as they hold their diplomas following graduation ceremonies at West Point on Wednesday. They are among the 1,011 cadets at the U.S. Military Academy who received degrees and commissions.

The Associated Press

# Study Shows Bike Helmets Cut Risk

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BOSTON — Bicycle helmets are so effective at preventing head injuries that a major campaign should be launched to encourage riders to wear them, a study published today concludes.

Although many people have long assumed that helmets are an important part of bike safety, there has been little scientific data to back this up. Now, a study has shown that riders with helmets had an 85 percent reduction in their risk of head injury and an 88 percent reduction in their risk of brain damage.

Yet despite their value, the report found, children who are involved in bicycling accidents rarely wear them.

"Safety helmets are effective, but they are not being used enough," the researchers wrote. "The time has come for a major campaign to increase their use."

They said that stated another way, their results suggest that people who ride without helmets are seven times more likely to suffer head injuries and eight times more likely to get brain injuries than riders who do.

The report, based on injuries treated at five Seattle area hospitals over a one-year period, was directed by Dr. Robert S. Thompson of the Group Health Cooperative in Seattle. It was published in the New England Journal of Medicine.

They noted that in 1985, bicycle injuries accounted for an estimated 574,000 emergency room visits and 1,300 deaths in the United States. The most common cause of death and serious disability in biking accidents is head injury.

Among the findings:  
—Sixty-eight percent of the severe

brain injuries occurred in children under age 15.

—Only 4 percent of those with brain injuries were wearing helmets.

—Of the children under age 15 who were involved in biking accidents, 4 percent wore helmets.

—Use of helmets increased substantially in those over age 25.

"Physicians are not always aware of the importance of helmets, and they are seldom part of health education efforts," the researchers wrote. "These factors certainly contribute to their lack of widespread use."

The study was based on 235 people who suffered head injuries while bicycling. They were compared with 433 people who received emergency care for other biking-related accidents and 558 members of a health maintenance organization who said they had been involved in biking mishaps.

In an accompanying editorial, Daniel Callahan, head of the Hastings Center in Briarcliff Manor, N.Y., said bicyclists should wear helmets. But he opposed making them mandatory.

"In general," he wrote, "we should resist but not totally oppose the use of the coercive power of the state to force us to behave in a healthful way."

On May 15, the federal Consumer Product Safety Commission and the National Highway Safety Administration announced plans to improve bicycle safety, including increasing the use of helmets.

The agencies said they will seek to coordinate local and national efforts to increase public understanding of bicycle safety requirements. And the commission is testing available helmets designed for bicycle riders for effectiveness.

# Navy Allegedly Did Not Report Three Mishaps Involving Nuclear Weapons

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The Navy has not reported at least three accidents involving nuclear weapons, according to documents released by an environmental group and an interview with a retired admiral.

In the most thoroughly documented case, a raging fire aboard the USS Belknap in the Mediterranean Sea in 1975 came within 40 feet of nuclear weapons aboard the missile cruiser, according to a military cable released Wednesday by the Greenpeace environmental group.

Despite the disclosures, the Navy maintained its policy of refusing to confirm or deny the presence of nuclear weapons on its vessels.

The admiral who commanded the carrier task force to which Belknap belonged confirmed the incident and told The Associated Press that he had witnessed two additional accidents that threatened nuclear weapons aboard ships.

"I have seen firsthand a live nuclear weapon caught in a fuel fire. I have seen a nuclear weapon crushed in a hoist, an elevator that carries nuclear weapons to the flight deck," said retired Adm. Eugene Carroll, who commanded the task force that included the Belknap.

"The military does not announce

every time they have had a dicey accident. They do so when the knowledge becomes public," Carroll said.

In one case, he said, fire broke out on the hangar deck of an aircraft carrier, and "the crew battled the fire, spraying water on an airplane carrying a nuclear bomb, trying to keep it cool until they could get the thing off."

In the three accidents, he said, "we never faced the danger of nuclear explosion. ... The warheads are configured in such a way they a fire could not cause a nuclear detonation. But it could spread a lot of radiation around."

He declined to disclose further details of the elevator and aircraft fire incidents, but was willing to discuss the Belknap accident because Greenpeace released a previously classified document describing the event.

The collision in the Mediterranean between the Belknap and the aircraft carrier USS John F. Kennedy was widely reported, but the Navy did not note the nuclear aspect of the accident at the time or in lists released in 1981 and 1986 of incidents involving nuclear weapons.

William Arkin, a naval analyst working with Greenpeace, said, "The Navy's purposeful exclusion of the Belknap accident is a violation of

the public's right to know."

Eight sailors were killed and 46 were injured when the Belknap and the Kennedy collided 70 miles off Sicily on Nov. 26, 1975.

A cable written by Carroll hours after the accident alerted superiors to the "high probability that nuclear weapons" on the missile cruiser "were involved in fire and explosions subsequent to the collision."

Aviation fuel from the carrier rained down on the cruiser, knocking out its firefighting equipment.

"It was pretty hairy out there. As we viewed the Belknap, it seemed to be a fairly total involvement. As it turned out, the fire gutted the midships," Carroll said.

The destroyer USS Claude V. Ricketts came alongside, in heavy seas and driving rains, and helped extinguish the fire, the commander of the Ricketts, Robert C. Powers, said in a 1976 article published in the U.S. Naval Institute Proceedings.

Carroll's cable, stamped "Secret," said that an unknown number of W-45 warheads were aboard the cruiser and alerted the Atlantic Command "of high probability that nuclear weapons on USS Belknap were involved in fire and explosions subsequent to the collision."

The cable said officers aboard the Kennedy had "no direct communications with Belknap at this time. No positive indications that explosions were directly related to nuclear weapons. No repeat no Kennedy weapons involved. Fires on Belknap diminishing at this time."

It also said "casualties recovered thus far show no repeat no exposure to radiation" but that "monitoring teams and medical personnel alerted possibility of contamination."

Carroll, now deputy director of the liberal Center for Defense Information in Washington, said, "The idea that this is a 'broken arrow' never released is incorrect. I sent subsequent messages that the nuclear weapons were not endangered." A "broken arrow" is an accident involving nuclear weapons.

Arkin said other documents showed that there were six W-45 warheads, used by Terrier anti-aircraft missiles aboard the Belknap. He said he based his 40-foot estimate on photographs of the damaged ship; Carroll said that estimate was correct.

The ship, severely damaged, was decommissioned, returned to the Philadelphia Navy Yard, and recommissioned after four years of repair work.

The Navy, responding to Arkin's report, said no nuclear weapons were involved in the fire, and adhered to its policy of refusing to comment on reports of nuclear weapons aboard vessels.

"It is U.S. government policy neither to confirm nor deny the presence of nuclear weapons on ships, aircraft or U.S. military installations," said Lt. Bruce Cole, a Navy spokesman. "That policy applied in 1975 as it does now."

Cole confirmed that the Belknap was capable of carrying Terrier anti-aircraft missiles, a weapon that can be armed with nuclear or conventional warheads, but said, "The 1981 Department of Defense report is correct in that no nuclear weapons were affected by the 1975 Belknap-Kennedy collision."

# Satellite Launch Called Off Again

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — Engineers analyzed radio data and inspected a failed engine valve today to learn why the launch of a high-tech navigation satellite was aborted at the last second.

Wednesday night's postponement was the fourth in five days for the launch of the Delta 2.

After the engine ignition command was given, a computer sensed a stuck fuel valve and stopped the Delta 2 rocket's main engine from firing.

"We have a main engine cutoff," reported Lt. Col. Ron Rand, the Air Force launch commentator.

The 12-story-tall rocket remained locked firmly on the launch pad. Rand said the launch team used remote controls to stabilize pressures and make the vehicle safe.

"At no time were we in a hazard-

ous condition," said the launch test director, Air Force Lt. Col. Bob Tayloe.

The Delta 2 was to have boosted into orbit a \$65 million Navstar satellite that will enable U.S. and allied military units such as ships, planes, submarines and tanks to determine their location within 50 feet anywhere on the globe.

Tayloe said no new launch date would be set until experts learn what went wrong and the problem is fixed. He said the delay would be at least a few days.

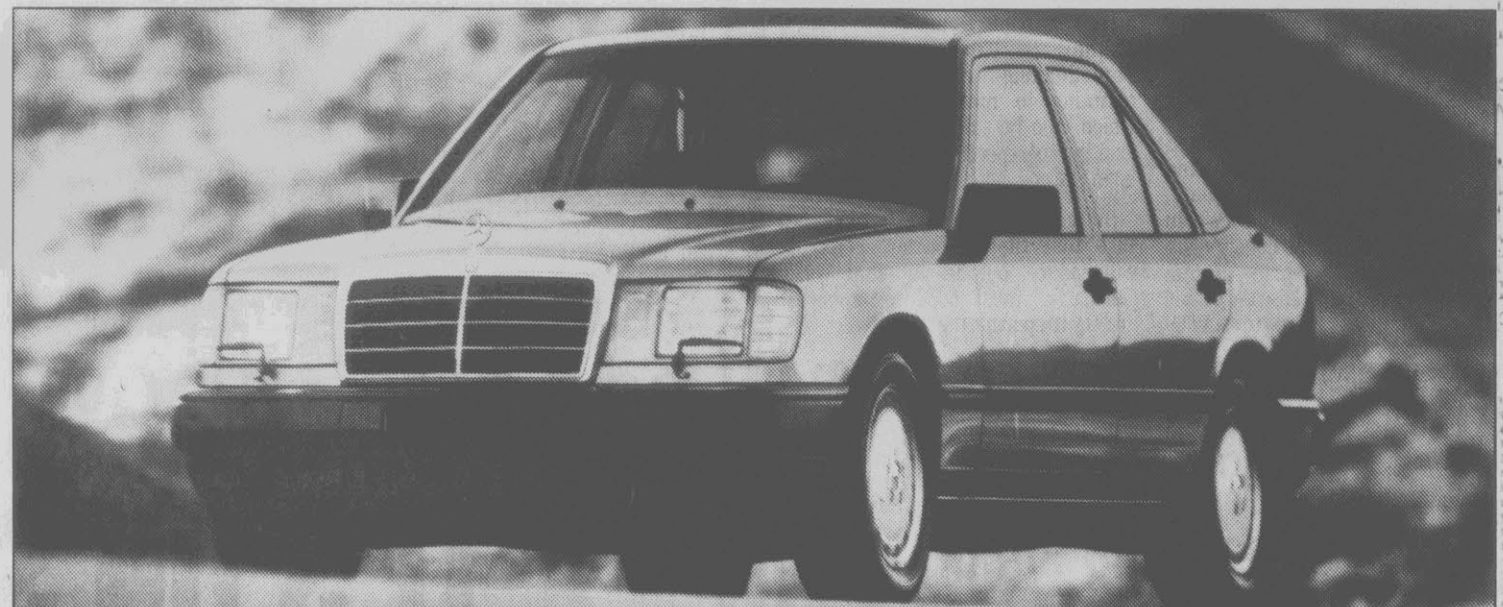
He said a valve in the main liquid oxygen propellant line failed to open. The engine ignition command had been given, he said, "but with no oxygen, the engine sequence shut down."

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Noriega makes an oratorical point to reporters after meeting with the OAS delegation

# White House Softens Bush Concern Over Arms Plans

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — White House officials are putting a belatedly upbeat cast on Moscow's latest weapons-reduction proposal, despite skepticism voiced by President Bush toward Soviet intentions.

Bush, in a commencement address at the Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn., on Wednesday greeted Soviet Leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev's latest proposal for conventional arms reduction with faint praise.

"The Soviets are now being forthcoming, and we hope to achieve the reductions that we seek," Bush said.

But he said Soviet-bloc nations still maintain a "massive advantage in conventional forces" in Europe. He said various Soviet promises to cut troops and tanks in eastern Europe are "not enough" to erase that superiority.

While Bush was still on the platform handing out diplomas to graduating cadets, his national se-

curity adviser, Brent Scowcroft, was telling reporters backstage that "there are good signs here."

Past proposals by Gorbachev had been vague, Scowcroft said.

He called the new Soviet proposals, outlined in Vienna on Tuesday at an arms-negotiating session, "very promising" and said, "They've put more meat on it."

Asked if there had been a change in the administration's assessment, Scowcroft said: "No, it's a matter of appearance. The president felt he appeared too negative before, so he's trying to appear more positive now."

Bush leaves Friday for Europe, where he is to attend a NATO summit meeting due to open Monday in Brussels.

In advance of that session, the Soviets virtually accepted Western demands that ceilings be set on troop levels in each East European country as well as on Soviet forces overall, Bush administration officials said.

The officials also said Gorbachev agreed to negotiated limits on Soviet troops in Czechoslovakia, East Germany, Hungary and Poland, and to an overall limitation on the Red Army.

However, Bush made little direct reference to these proposals in his New London speech, even though his text was revised shortly before he delivered it, well after the Soviet offer was publicized.

Presidential press secretary Marlin Fitzwater also sought after Bush's speech to portray the new Soviet offer in a positive light.

Fitzwater praised the apparent willingness by the Soviets to accept two central principles they had rejected previously: an overall limit on the number of tanks, artillery and personnel carriers, and a NATO-suggested rule limiting each country to no more than 30 percent of the total.

"Those are major, major concessions," Fitzwater said.

Asked why his and Scowcroft's tone appeared to be more upbeat than Bush's, Fitzwater said: "We all want to have the same tone."

In his speech, Bush said Gorbachev's proposed reductions, "even if implemented, are not enough to eliminate the numerical superiority that the Soviet Union enjoys right now."

Later, Fitzwater said Bush's reference to Gorbachev's "unilateral reductions" largely dealt with earlier statements by the Soviet leader, not the new proposal.

Bush chose to mention it in the New London speech because "it's still a part of the whole scheme of things," Fitzwater said.

If White House aides were trying to sound encouraging about the new Soviet offer, they were less optimistic about resolving a dispute that has split NATO — on whether to negotiate reductions in short-range nuclear weapons.

Scowcroft, asked if there had been progress in reconciling West German support for such talks with U.S. resistance to them, said "not measurably."

# Noriega Blames Panamanian Crisis On U.S. Intervention In His Country

By Richard Herzfelder  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT AMADOR, Panama — Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega met with an Organization of American States delegation and told them it would be a dangerous precedent for them to interfere in a country's internal affairs.

Noriega also blamed the United States and its history of intervention in Panama for the country's political crisis.

"Today it's Panama, tomorrow it could be any other country," the Defense Forces chief told journalists Wednesday after meeting the OAS delegates.

The OAS mission was sent in response to the Noriega-controlled government's voiding of the May 7 presidential vote and the beating of the top three opposition candidates by pro-Noriega thugs. International observers say the opposition won the

balloting by a 3-1 margin. Opposition leaders also met with the OAS delegation on Wednesday and said they want their election victory recognized and Noriega retired.

About 300 marchers accompanied Guillermo Endara and his running mates Ricardo Arias Calderon and Guillermo Ford to the OAS delegation's hotel.

The demonstration, in defiance of a government ban, was broken up peacefully by about 25 riot police wielding bullhorns. Arias Calderon said two opposition workers were arrested.

Maj. Edgardo Lopez, a Noriega spokesman, said that when the issue of retiring Noriega was raised, staff officers expressed loyalty to Noriega and told the OAS delegates the matter was solely up to the Defense Forces.

When asked directly what he planned to do, Noriega thought a second and said, "That's the mil-

lion-dollar question."

OAS spokesman Edgardo Costa called the 2½-hour discussion with Noriega and his staff "very informative." The visiting delegation comprises the foreign ministers of Trinidad and Tobago, Guatemala and Ecuador and OAS Secretary-General Joao Baena Soares of Brazil.

"We talked about the intimidation, of outrages, of excessive foreign presence and intimidation by air, sea, land, submarine ... even the ozone layer has suffered intervention," Noriega joked.

Washington has been working for Noriega's ouster since the general was indicted on drug-trafficking charges in Florida last year.

After the opposition candidates were beaten, President Bush sent 1,900 extra troops to augment security at U.S. Panama Canal installations.

The troops have conducted exercises and run armed convoys along Panamanian roads, as permitted by the 1977 treaties under which the United States must turn the canal over to Panama in 1999.

Noriega, who denies the drug charges, claims the United States is trying to oust him because it does not want to give up the canal it built and protected for so long.

"Noriega has a historical perspective on the issues," said Costa, the OAS spokesman. He said Noriega's talk went back to how the United States — wanting a canal — helped

found Panama in 1903 by aiding its secession from Colombia.

The OAS passed a resolution last week criticizing Noriega and calling for "a transfer of power in the shortest possible time."

The Panamanian government said some aspects of the resolution, including the mention of Noriega, violate the OAS charter. It said it would accept no interference in Panama's internal affairs.

Noriega holds power in Panama through his command of the Defense Forces, which have so far remained loyal despite U.S. and opposition calls for a coup.

Acting President Manuel Solis Palma told an open meeting of government bureaucrats on Wednesday that no new elections are possible before Sept. 1, when his term as "minister in charge of the presidency" ends.

Solis Palma replaced Eric Arturo Delvalle in the presidency after Delvalle tried to fire Noriega in February 1988 following Noriega's indictment on U.S. drug-trafficking and money laundering charges.

Noriega denies the charges. The meeting with the OAS was pointedly held in a building in the Panamanian section of Fort Amador, a former U.S. installation at the edge of Panama City.

The fence that surrounds the building abuts a U.S. naval station, and even Noriega must pass a U.S. military policeman to enter the area.

# No 'Plaything'

LAT-WP NEWS SERVICE

BONN, West Germany — President Richard von Weizsaecker declared Wednesday that although West Germany is not a great power, it should not be regarded as a "plaything" by other nations.

West Germany has been "a friend and partner and should be recognized" as such, Von Weizsaecker said in a speech commemorating his country's 40th anniversary.

He called attention to West Germany's accomplishments and said that it has become self-confident, but he warned his countrymen against becoming self-satisfied.

"The economy is blooming, science has won back its prominence and education has become an example for the world," he said. "Yet we have no grounds for self-satisfaction. We have not become angels under the Basic Law."

That was a reference to the law enacted Dec. 23, 1949, that serves as West Germany's constitution.

Von Weizsaecker, who was elected to a second term Tuesday, thanked the United States for helping rebuild the nation from the ruins of World War II, and said that his country is a firm member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. His emphasis on West Germany's ties to NATO,

along with a suggestion that West Germany will be playing a stronger role in the European Community, was seen as an implied rebuke to critics.

Among those are people who believe that Bonn should accept the views of Washington and London on improving the alliance's short-range nuclear missiles, which is a serious difference that threatens to disrupt a NATO summit conference next week. Others critics fear that West Germany will become neutral in an effort to achieve reunification with East Germany.

"Under the conditions of the Cold War," Von Weizsaecker said, "it was easy (for NATO) to be united. But it becomes more uncomfortable when the world no longer gives clear information on who is for us and who is against us."

He praised Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev for the "breathtaking" changes he is attempting to make in the Soviet Union, and he said that "extremely exciting perspectives" are opening up in Europe, both East and West.

He said that the West cannot be sure that the Gorbachev reforms will endure, but he said that West Germany "must hope for success and try to sponsor them."

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# Arab Leaders Seek Agreement On Lebanon, PLO Peace Plans

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CASABLANCA, Morocco — Arab leaders extended their summit an extra day as they sought agreement on a strategy for resolving the conflict in Lebanon and on whether to support PLO chief Yasser Arafat's peace moves.

Despite the arguments, the 22-nation Arab League summit has seen some spectacular reconciliations, particularly between Libya's Moammar Gadhafi and Egypt's Hosni Mubarak, who is at an Arab summit for the first time in 10 years.

One summit session had to be delayed as Mubarak and Gadhafi concluded a 3½-hour reunion meeting.

Egypt's president told a Moroccan television interviewer that his for-

mal readmission to the league "will undoubtedly help to bring the Arabs together."

The summit convened Tuesday to welcome Egypt, back to the Arab fold after a 10-year ostracism for making peace with Israel. It was to end Wednesday, but the dispute over Lebanon delayed the closing.

President Bush sent a message to Morocco's King Hassan II, the conference chairman, expressing hope the summit would "strengthen the possibility" of an Arab-Israeli peace settlement.

But the main argument among the Arab leaders was over the civil war in Lebanon and Syria's refusal to pull its 40,000 troops out of the country.

Syria's Hafez Assad proved unmovable, declaring that his coun-

try's garrison in Lebanon was essential for Syria's own security, Moroccan sources said.

The summit had sought to persuade the Syrian leader to agree to replacing at least the 15,000 troops in Moslem west Beirut with members of an Arab force provided by all other members of the Arab League except Iraq.

Iraq, Syria's traditional enemy, was the only outspoken Arab ally of Lebanese Christian leader Gen. Michel Aoun. The Syrians backed Aoun's enemy, Moslem Premier Salim Hoss, head of a rival Cabinet.

The summit was unlikely to resolve the complex Lebanese crisis, a Moroccan official said. However, there was hope it might create a new spirit of reconciliation, he said.

On the PLO issue, the official said, Assad objected to Arafat's recognition of Israel and offer to negotiate peace with the Jewish state.

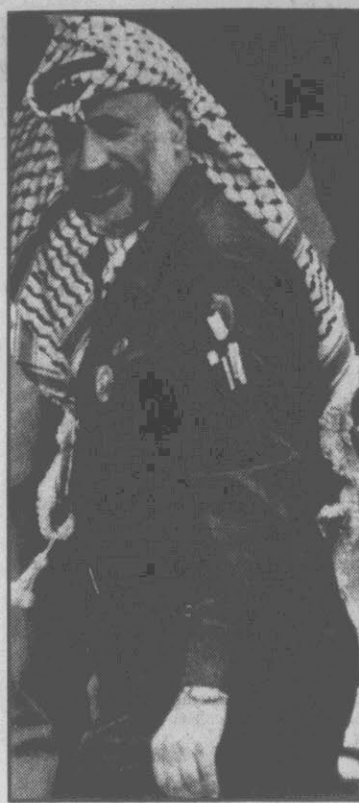
All the other Arab leaders seemed to accept Arafat's move as unpleasant but inevitable, the source added.

Bush's message said: "The Casablanca summit offers the Arab League the possibility of strengthening the prospectives of a peace settlement by approving the measures taken by the leader of the PLO ... by recognizing Israel's right to exist and renouncing terrorism unequivocally."

It also asked the Arabs not to hinder Israel's plan for elections in the occupied territories.

"The summit can give encouragement to the elections," Bush said. "Or, if it cannot achieve this, it can at least avoid measures which would only add to the obstacles which we face already."

The PLO and prominent Palestinians in the territories have rejected the Israeli election plan because it does not endorse their demand for the eventual establishment of an independent Palestinian state.



YASSER ARAFAT

# Former S. African Officer Sentenced

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PRETORIA, South Africa (AP) — A regional court today sentenced a white ex-policeman to hang for killing seven blacks and an Indian man in two shooting sprees he took pride in and viewed as the start of a race war.

Justice Louis Harms said there were no extenuating circumstances to spare Barend Strydom, 23, from the gallows.

The case has been one of the most dramatic ever in South Africa, with relatives of the black victims and white extremists supportive of Strydom crowding into Pretoria Supreme Court over the past 10 days to hear detailed testimony about the defendant's racist beliefs.

After standing stooped impassively for an hour while the judge read his ruling, Strydom gulped a glass of water when the sentence was pronounced.

He had strode into the packed courtroom smiling broadly, waving to friends and shaking hands with supporters, but disappeared almost immediately after the sentencing with his police guards. The packed courtroom was silent.

The judge convicted Strydom last week of killing seven people and wounding 15 blacks in a rampage on the sidewalks of downtown Pretoria on Nov. 15.

A week before the Pretoria killings, Strydom killed a black woman and wounded another at a squatter camp in what he described as a practice attack to determine if he was ready for a larger-scale massacre.

Strydom had acknowledged that he smiled as he shot his victims, telling the court, "I'm a friendly person."

The judge gave Strydom eight death sentences plus 30 years in prison for 16 counts of attempted murder. No execution date was set.

Police vehicles blockaded streets leading to the regional court. Scores of officers stood guard inside and outside the courtroom, packed with about 100 spectators. More than 200 people, most of them black, waited in a small park across from the courthouse.

Strydom had testified that he had fired the first shots in a "war of freedom" on behalf of whites threatened by the country's black majority. "I'd do it again," he told the court.

His father, also a former policeman, testified that he believed blacks were animals, not humans.

# Nakasone Admits He Took Donations

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO — Former Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone today acknowledged receiving political donations from the company at the center of an influence-peddling scandal but testified that he was innocent of any wrongdoing.

In long-awaited testimony before Parliament, Nakasone said he received \$235,000 in political donations from the Recruit Co. from 1982 to 1987.

It was his first public acknowledgement that he accepted political donations from the information and publishing conglomerate, but he said the contributions were reported according to law.

"I am totally innocent," Nakasone told the Budget Committee of the House of Representatives. "I refused to testify earlier because I have never done anything wrong."

Opposition leaders contend Nakasone, prime minister from 1983 to 1987, played a central role in the scandal that has seriously shaken public confidence in government. They demand his resignation from parliament.

Nakasone refused to step down, saying "I will continue my job to make a contribution to my country."

While the former prime minister's voice was heard in a national television broadcast, cameras flashed only still pictures of a grim-faced Nakasone during more than two hours of testimony. By law, TV cameras are banned at parliament sessions during testimony of special witnesses.

Nakasone had acknowledged that three of his aides bought a total of 29,000 Recruit shares and that profits from their sale after the issue went public were used for political activities.

He testified that sale of the shares had reaping the aides about \$450,000.

Recruit had sold unlisted shares in a subsidiary to scores of people prominent in government and business, including at least 17 politicians or their aides. The buyers made large profits when the shares went on public sale.

Eleven of the 17 were members of Nakasone's Cabinet.

During questioning by Seiichi Inaba, a member of the opposition Japan Socialist Party, Nakasone denied personal involvement in the stock purchases. "These were economic acts by the individuals who purchased them," he said.

For months, the opposition has demanded testimony in Parliament

from Nakasone, who was prime minister at the time of dubious stock deals and large political contributions by Recruit.

The governing Liberal Democrats refused until last week, calling the demands "improper" because of Nakasone's status as a former prime minister.

A long opposition boycott of debate on the budget changed that.

Liberal Democrats "forced" the budget through the House of Representatives last month, but widespread criticism resulted and a deal was made: The opposition would not boycott the budget in the upper house if Nakasone testified before the budget committee.

# No Brides, No Life

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SEOUL, South Korea — Two farmers, agonized and embarrassed over their failure to find brides, killed themselves in separate incidents, news reports said today.

Hong Ching-dong, 23, set himself on fire and Park In-ho, 32, took farm pesticides after failure to find brides in separate villages in a province about 80 miles southeast of Seoul, the Korea Herald said. Both died Monday.

"They were tragic victims of the worsening state of rural life," said an editorial in today's Herald.

Young Koreans, especially women, have flocked to cities in recent years to find jobs in offices and

newly developed industries, depriving many rural communities of women of marriage age.

Farmers depend on wives and children to help with farm labor.

"Solution to this plight lies not in stopgap measures of persuading and luring some women to some villages," said the newspaper's editorial.

It said improvement in income, living standards, and educational and recreational activities were needed to keep young people on farms.

About 7.2 million of the nation's 42 million people remain in farming and one-third are over age 50. Half a million farmers, mostly young people, left rural communities last year to seek work in cities.

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# District Court

Judges David A. Leech, W. Lee Lumpkin III, James E. Martin and W. Russell Duke Jr., disposed of the following cases during the May 15-19 term of District Court in Pitt County:

Richard Blount Moore, Rocky Mount, exceeding safe speed, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Linda Joyce Collie, Kinston, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Heather Noel Dysart, Williamston, unsafe movement, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

James Earl Whitaker, Ayden, speed faster than reasonable, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Tracey Lynn Fuchs, Raleigh, speeding, pay costs.

Terri Marie Vaughn, Reidsville, speeding, pay costs.

Dana Lynn Vickery, Raleigh, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Thomas August Strickland, Fairway Drive, no driver's license, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs.

Paul Lester Tackett, Jr., Washington, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Paul Thomas Jett, Tennessee, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, not drive for 30 days.

Maurice Francis Barnes, West Fourth Street, no driver's license and seat belt violation, pay \$50 and costs.

Allen Ray Webb Jr., Concord, speeding, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license for 30 days.

James Arthur Franklin, Kinston, expired operator's license, pay \$25 and costs.

Warren Williams, Greenville, larceny (4 counts), 2 years State Department of Correction; larceny (4 counts), 6 months jail to begin at the expiration of prior sentence.

Donna Dixon, Farmville, worthless check, 90 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Harry Kelly III, Farmville, assault on a female, 60 days jail suspended on payment of costs.

David Nichols, Farmville, allow dog to bark, not guilty.

David Earl Price, Farmville, assault on a female, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Kenneth E. Pugh, Route 8, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Willie Edwards, Washington Street, larceny, 5 hours jail.

Johnnie A. Worsley, Farmville, possession of controlled substance, 2 years jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, probation 5 years.

Jesse E. Barrett, West Fifth Street, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Isolena C. Turnage, Route 1, worthless

check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Lee R. Skinner, Circle Drive, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Deloris Smith, Grimesland, fail to return hired property, pay costs and \$99.52 restitution to Kel Way Rentals.

Elizabeth Pierson, West Eighth Street, worthless checks (6 counts), 6 months jail suspended on payment of costs in one case and checks in each case, probation 5 years.

Danny Jones, Route 13, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Gilbert Harris, Rustic Ridge, worthless check (3 counts), 6 month jail suspended on payment of cost in one case and checks in each case.

Brandon Hart, Verdant Drive, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Mark E. Gorham Jr., Farmville, worthless checks (3 counts), 30 days jail in each case to run consecutively suspended on payment of costs in each case and checks in each case.

Asa C. Garris, Ayden, worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check.

Edward C. Eakes, Myrtle Avenue, worthless check, 181 days jail, pay \$25 attorneys fees.

Sherrell L. Clemons, Myrtle Avenue,

worthless check, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs and check, pay \$20 attorneys fees.

Robert E. Bynum, Greenfield Boulevard, worthless checks (4 counts), 4 months jail suspended on payment of cost in one case and checks in each case, probation 5 years, pay \$25 attorneys fees.

Mary T. Williams, Simpson, worthless checks (7 counts) 2 years jail suspended on payment of costs in one case and checks in each case, probation 5 years; worthless checks (5 counts), 2 years jail to run at the expiration of prior sentence suspended on payment of costs in one case and checks in each case, probation 5 years.

Derrick Arnez Gardner, Farmville, driving while license revoked and red light violation, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$200 and costs.

Angela Shimene Green, West Fourteenth Street, no driver's license and shoplifting, 30 days jail, remit costs, spend 1 day in jail.

Thomas Earl Clark, Winterville, speeding and no liability insurance, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs.

James Wayne French, Virginia, possession of drug paraphernalia, 10 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Kathy Laurel Nix, Grimesland, unsafe movement, not guilty.

Faye Hodges Stainback, Jefferson Drive, speeding, pay costs.

Joy Brown Melvin, Scranton, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Angela Beth Mobley, Jamesville, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

John Nelson Duncan III, Raleigh, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Philip Carter Grodon, New Bern, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Willie Brown Green, Grifton, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Tracey Nicholson Harding, Grimesland, exceeding safe speed, pay costs.

Timothy Carnail Smith, Kinston, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Rita Singleton Rowe, Washington, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Charles Ellsworth Powell, La Grange, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

James Henry Mitchell, Dickinson Avenue, seat belt violation, pay \$25.

Frankie Ray Crisp, Washington, exceeding safe speed, pay \$10 and costs.

Jennifer Strickland Meade, Grifton, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Tammy Kay Mickie, Belhaven, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Flora Garvin Phillips, Ayden, unsafe movement, not guilty.

Pamela Rhea McNamee, Jay Circle, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Robert Lee Cherry, Douglas Avenue, unsafe movement, not guilty.

Melissa Howard Cox, Sylvan Drive, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Robert Bryon Scott, Carriage House, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 48 hours community service and pay fees, obtain assessment at Mental Health.

Gwendolyn Butler Hill, Kinston, speeding, pay costs.

Claude Eugene Miller, Bayboro, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, spend 24 hours in jail.

Mark Reno Savattere, Winterville, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, not drive for 30 days.

Terry Lee Fields, Mayes Trailer Park, no driver's license, remit costs; driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$150 and costs, surrender

operator's license, attend alcohol school and pay fee, obtain assessment at Mental Health, not drive for 1 year.

Stephen Wayne Dickens, Williamston, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and cost, surrender operator's license, attend alcohol school and perform 24 hours community service and pay fees.

Shay Eric Tutton, Jacksonville, speeding, pay \$20 and cost.

Wallace Wayne Bradsher Jr., Butner, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Tina Harrison Adams, Grimesland, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

David Bernard Dickerson, Camp Lejeune, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Dwight Lee Ginn, Fremont, speeding, pay \$20 and costs.

Rodney David Pearce, Wake Forest, speeding and red light violation, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs, surrender operator's license, for 30 days.

Jessie Raymond Brown, Apex, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

William Leon Carter Jr., Florida, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Jessica Civila, Greenville, shoplifting, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$50 and costs and \$150 restitution, pay \$50 attorneys fees.

Johanna Wooten Powell, Hopkins Drive, possession of stolen goods, trespass, and larceny, 181 days jail.

Anna Louise Holley, Route 2, intoxicated and disruptive, 30 days jail suspended on payment of costs, obtain assessment at Mental Health.

Brenda Herrin Letchworth, Stokes, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

John Manousaridis, Beaufort, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Michael Darin Rose, Route 13, speeding, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Debra Paxhia, Washington, driving while impaired, 120 days jail suspended on payment of \$400 and costs, probation 2 years, perform 72 hours community service and pay fee, pay \$75 attorneys fees.

James Earl Early, Greene Street, driving while impaired, 60 days jail suspended on payment of \$100 and costs, surrender operator's license, not drive for 1 year; carry concealed weapon, 30 days jail suspended on payment of \$25 and costs.

Steven Louis Keeter, Wedgewood Drive, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

Richard Medina Bennett, Washington, speeding, pay \$10 and costs.

John Post Alkine, Raleigh, urinate in public, not guilty.

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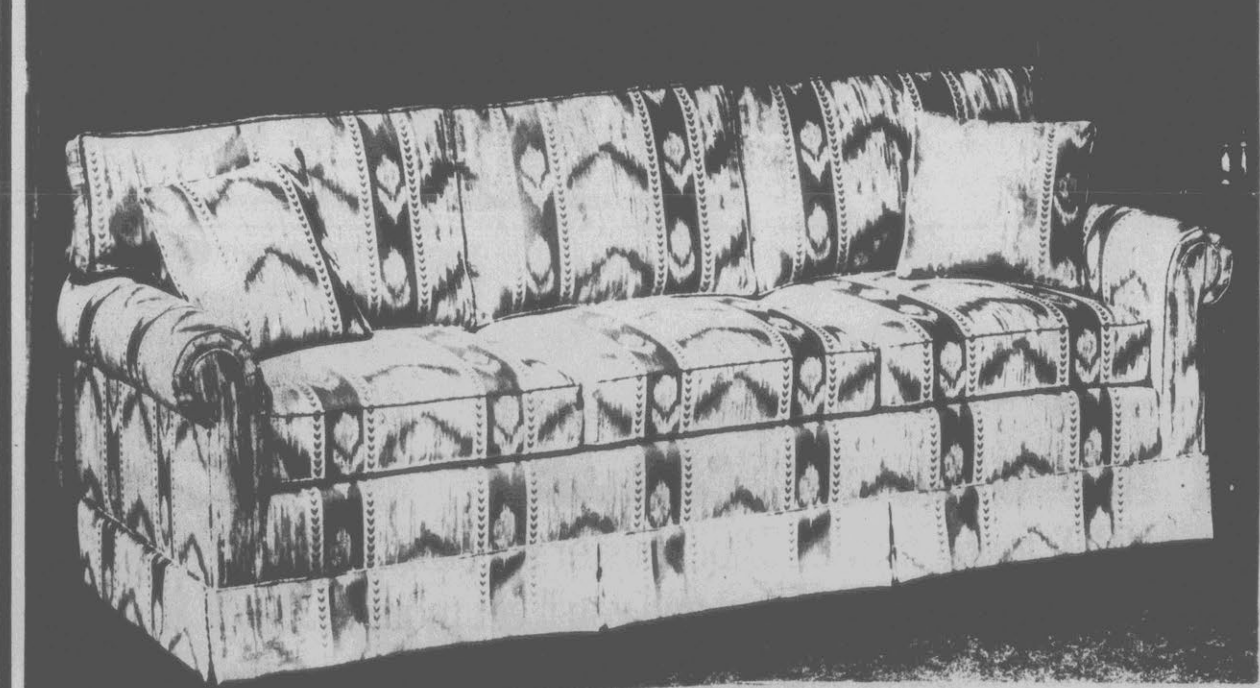
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# Science And Medicine

## Cool Laser Zaps Plaque In Artery Without Surgery

By A.J. Hostetler  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHILADELPHIA — A 65-year-old stockbroker had his coronary arteries unblocked on a Wednesday and was playing golf three days later, after doctors used a cool laser to vaporize fatty deposits keeping blood from his heart.

Albert Berkow is one of three patients who have had plaque removed with the "excimer" laser at Philadelphia Heart Institute, one of three hospitals performing clinical trials for the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

"The laser zaps the plaque," said institute director Dr. Bernard L. Segal. The procedure is done through a catheter, without open heart surgery. "I felt only the anesthetic needle," said Berkow, who underwent the experimental treatment Wednesday, April 26, and played golf that weekend.

The first phase of the clinical trial will establish the safety and effectiveness of the procedure to permanently open arteries in the heart that are clogged by accumulate fatty deposits. South Miami Hospital and Cedars-Sinai of Los Angeles, where the procedure was invented, also are testing the laser.

An excimer laser was first used to clear coronary arteries in 1987 at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute, but that involved open heart surgery. The laser transmits energy in pulses that last a billionth of a second, much too fast for the body to feel heat, said Dr. Michael S. Feldman, director of cardiology here. Unlike other lasers, which cut or seal with heat, the cool laser vaporizes plaque without damaging the arteries or leaving debris that could cause clotting or a heart attack.

The excimer laser is more controlled than the hot laser because the energy is released in pulses and not a steady flow, said cardiologist George Abela, of the University of Florida School of Medicine in Gainesville, who helped pioneer lasers in blocked arteries 10 years ago. Cardiologists will welcome the excimer laser as a method of treating clogged coronary arteries, he said.

Dr. Timothy Sanborn, of Mount Sinai's School of Medicine, said researchers there will soon begin treatment with a similar laser. That will involve balloon angioplasty, in which a tiny, inflated balloon is used to force open the blood vessels. "I think you're going to see (the cool laser) as adding to the cardiologist's box of tools," Sanborn said.

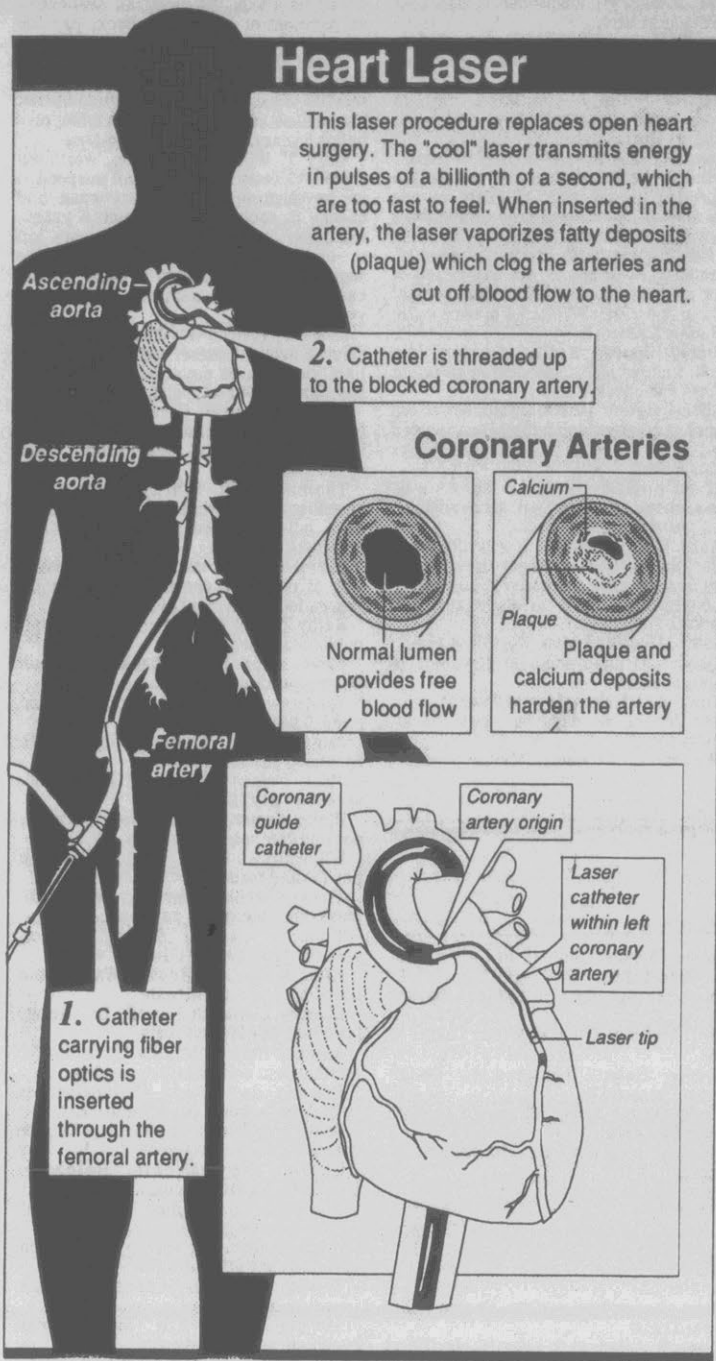
For the 2½-hour procedure, a flexible catheter containing a bundle of thin glass fibers is inserted into a blood vessel in the groin and up the descending aorta until it reaches a blockage in the heart. Once positioned, a laser beam vaporizes plaque and opens the artery. If needed, balloon angioplasty can be used as a follow-up procedure.

"Excimer laser angioplasty has the potential for becoming a safer, faster, less traumatic and less expensive alternative to open heart bypass surgery and balloon angioplasty," which are now used on about 200,000 patients a year, Feldman said.

If the FDA approves the laser for general use, Segal said the treatment will cost about \$1,500, about the same as balloon angioplasty. Researchers hope the excimer laser procedure will overcome the recurrence of blockage which happens in about 30 percent of patients treated with balloon angioplasty.

The researchers began their study by first using cool laser techniques to remove plaque from the larger arteries in the leg.

The excimer laser was designed by James Laudenslager, a chemical physicist at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, Calif., for NASA to measure ozone in the atmosphere. Doctors at Cedars-Sinai began testing it on blocked arteries in September 1988 and have been successful in about 75 percent of the 20 patients treated, said Dr. Juan Grundfest of Cedars-Sinai.



Source: Philadelphia Heart Institute

AP/H. Yarrington

"It's a major revolution," Grundfest said, not only in the treatment of blocked arteries, but in the fiber optics technology.

"Like any new device, it's not 100 percent successful," he cautioned. Researchers are working on smaller catheters to reach the smaller arteries and to improve the laser's ability to vaporize larger deposits in the vessels. He expects the FDA to consider the procedure for general use in late 1990.

The Philadelphia institute, part of Presbyterian Medical Center, will test the procedure on about 50 patients in the next four months.

Among other new methods being used to cut through clogged arteries are: a shaver catheter, which works like a razor; a rotator, similar to a dentist's drill; and hot-tipped lasers, in which the metal point is heated by the laser to burn away the fatty deposits.

## Blood Particle May Aid Clotting

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — A cholesterol-carrying particle in the blood may encourage heart attacks by hampering the body's ability to destroy blood clots, researchers reported today.

Two teams of scientists found that in the test tube, the particle known as lipoprotein (a) interfered with a key step in clot destruction.

Clots trigger heart attacks by plugging narrowed arteries, and one researcher said they may encourage the narrowing of the arteries in the first place.

The studies appear in today's issue of the British journal Nature.

Lipoprotein (a) resembles the better-known low-density lipoprotein, the so-called "bad cholesterol" that contributes to atherosclerosis, the buildup of material on artery walls. The buildup narrows the vessels and sets the stage for heart attacks.

Lipoprotein (a) also is associated with atherosclerosis and heart attacks, scientists from the Research Institute of Scripps Clinic in La Jolla, Calif., and the University of Chicago noted in their Nature report.

They followed up on the earlier discovery that one component of the lipoprotein (a) particle strongly resembles a blood protein called plasminogen.

Plasminogen plays a key role in the destruction of blood clots, once it binds to other proteins called receptors. The receptors appear on blood cells and the lining of blood vessels.

Researchers found that in the test tube, lipoprotein (a) also bound to those receptors, interfering with the plasminogen binding. So in the body, that interference may hamper the destruction of clots, they suggested.

The same result was reported in the second Nature paper, by scientists from Cornell University Medical College and Rockefeller University in New York. They also found evidence of lipoprotein (a) accumulations in the atherosclerotic build-up in blood vessels.

Katherine Hajjar, study co-author from Cornell, said some scientists suspect that repeated clot formation may predispose a blood vessel to atherosclerosis. So high levels of lipoprotein (a) may encourage atherosclerosis by hampering a vessel's ability to fight clot formation, she said.

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## Heart Panel Says Four Eggs Weekly OK

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Healthy Americans can now add a fourth egg to their weekly menu and still stay within American Heart Association recommendations for a low-cholesterol diet.

Heart association officials say the diet recommendations haven't changed, but that what is known about eggs has. New tests show that eggs are not as rich in cholesterol as previously believed.

Dr. John LaRosa, a George

Washington University clinician and chairman of the American Heart Association's nutrition committee, said Wednesday that the AHA's dietary guidelines were revised after new tests by the U.S. Department of Agriculture showed that egg yolks average 213 milligrams of cholesterol instead of 274 as previous tests showed.

The AHA recommends that dietary cholesterol should be limited to 300 milligrams a day. Previously, the heart group had said healthy Americans should limit egg consumption to just three a week.

Under the new measurements, LaRosa said four eggs a week could now be consumed by healthy Americans and still meet the AHA's guidelines.

New measurements on the egg's cholesterol levels were announced last week, and LaRosa said Wednesday at a meeting on dietary fats that the AHA was revising its egg recommendations.

The AHA decision comes as good news to an egg industry that has suffered from a growing American

awareness of the effects of dietary cholesterol.

Industry figures show that egg sales in the U.S. dropped by a billion dollars, from \$4.1 billion to \$3.1 billion, between 1984 and 1988. Industry officials have blamed the decline on changes in dietary patterns.

Officials at the AHA conference emphasized that the new heart association guidelines of four eggs a week apply to people with healthy cardiovascular systems.

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## Barnyards May Get A New Look

By Don Kendall  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Cows will still say moo and pigs will go oink in the 21st century, but some Agriculture Department scientists say barnyard animals will have vastly different lifestyles.

For example, cattle may carry hereditary genes that make them naturally resistant to disease. And steers headed for consumer meat counters may be able to thrive on low-grade crop residues and fibrous plants that are barely digestible now.

Chickens may be grown in closed, disease-free environments, breathing filtered air and eating pasteurized semi-liquid rations.

The predictions are part of a project by the department's Agricultural Research Service to highlight some of the possible changes that agency scientists see over the next 25 to 50 years. Some were described Wednesday in a preliminary report.

"Of course, there are no guarantees that what the scientists envision will become reality," said R. Dean Plowman, administrator of the research agency. "But based on the research they're involved in right now, it's certainly within the realm of possibility."

One of the prospects is a computerized listing of genetic codes for producing livestock with specific characteristics such as disease resistance, says Robert J. Wall, an animal physiologist at the agency's reproduction laboratory at Beltsville, Md.

Researchers already have the chemicals for the basic gene structures and have a machine that can recreate the desired gene, he said. The missing ingredients are the blueprints for putting them together, the genetic codes that determine all living things.

"We can read the alphabet of specific genes, although only in the last 10 years have we been able to do this with genes from higher organisms," Wall said. "We know the words, but we don't know the syntax of the sentences. There may be 100 genes involved in eye color. We have to learn not just what they are, but how they work together."

The report said growing broiler chickens in a closed environment would eliminate infectious diseases in the flock and boost the growth efficiency of the birds, since none of the feed energy would be needed for warmth.

Steers might be able to thrive on woody plants and forages if researchers can find a microorganism that can break down the lignin, or binder that holds fibers together. Or they might be able to "borrow a gene from termites and insert it in a microbe that already lives in the ruman (stomach) of cattle," the report said.

In the poultry sector, breeder hens might be developed which could "double their current rate of 140 chicks per year" through artificial insemination, it said. Also, the industry might use dwarf breeder hens to lower feed costs.

## Study Suggests Early Menopause May Signal Faster Aging Of Body

By Malcolm Ritter  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — A woman's age at natural menopause may be an indicator of her body's aging rate and general health, according to a study that suggests women reaching menopause before age 45 may tend to die earlier.

Early natural menopause may signal that the body is aging faster than normal, said co-author David Snowdon of the University of Minnesota.

He and colleagues from the university and Loma Linda University in California presented the work in June's American Journal of Public Health.

Other scientists called the work interesting, but cautioned that its conclusions are limited because of the study's methods.

Menopause, when a woman permanently stops menstruating, generally occurs around age 50.

The study was conducted on 5,287 white Seventh Day Adventists who had experienced natural menopause. They filled out questionnaires in 1976, when they were ages 55 to 100. Of this group, 663 reached menopause before age 45.

Six years later, 772 of the women had died from a variety of causes, including 139 who had menopause before age 45.

Women whose menopause had occurred before age 40 showed a 95 percent higher risk of dying during the six years of the study than did

women of similar ages whose menopause came at ages 50 to 54.

For women who had reported menopause at ages 40 to 44, the risk was 39 percent higher.

In contrast, no relationship between age at menopause and death appeared in 3,166 other Seventh Day Adventists whose menopause was caused by surgery.

Previous studies have suggested that loss of estrogen production at menopause puts women at increased risk of heart disease. But the new study found that replacing estrogen did not increase longevity, as well as the finding that surgical menopause did not show the link to death that natural menopause did.

That suggests that something

other than loss of estrogen caused the mortality differences, Snowdon said.

The study is "the sort of thing you cannot dismiss," said Robert N. Butler, chairman of the department of geriatrics and adult development at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York. "I certainly take it seriously."

But he said similar research should be conducted in other population groups to see if results apply to other women. In addition, he said, the study relied on the women's memory of when menopause occurred, which may have been faulty.

Many women do not precisely recall that age, said Toni Miles, assistant professor of epidemiology

at the University of Illinois at Chicago. She also questioned whether results from Seventh Day Adventists, who generally avoid smoking and drinking alcohol, would apply to others.

If researchers had asked why the women experienced early natural menopause, it might have revealed diseases that could explain their earlier deaths, said menopause expert Morris Notelovitz, director of the Women's Medical and Diagnostic Center in Gainesville, Fla.

He also said the study runs against previous research that showed women with early menopause can be protected against heart disease by taking estrogen treatments.

## FDA Says U.S. Has Substantial Edge In Biotechnology Drugs

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The U.S. pharmaceutical industry holds a substantial lead over Japan in use of biotechnology to develop new drugs for fighting cancer, AIDS and other diseases, according to the Food and Drug Administration.

"Japanese production of new drugs with biotechnology techniques is robust, but the U.S. holds roughly a 2-1 lead in both numbers of companies involved and numbers of products," said Henry I. Miller, special assistant to FDA Commissioner Frank E. Young.

Miller said Wednesday that the U.S. edge was documented in a recent study by the agency. He also noted that an October 1988 survey by the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association found that 54 U.S. companies had 97 products in some phase of clinical testing, while the FDA study found that the Japanese

had 24 companies with a total of 45 products.

Miller spoke at a news conference sponsored by the Washington-based pharmaceutical association. The group's president, Gerald J. Mossinghoff, said he was encouraged by findings of the FDA study.

"Five years ago there were predictions that Japan would overtake us in biotechnology by the end of the decade," Mossinghoff said. "That has not happened. There is enormous vitality in today's biotechnology research and development in the United States."

Mossinghoff said 70 genetically engineered drugs and vaccines are in human clinical tests in this country, while 10 others on which clinical testing has been completed are at the FDA for review before they can be marketed.

The total of 80 is fewer than the 97 products cited in the October 1988

survey because the association since then has decided to focus only on drugs and vaccines that result from genetic engineering — excluding other biotechnology products such as synthetic peptides.

Genetic engineering involves manipulating the genes that determine the fundamental physical characteristics of an organism.

Mossinghoff said that of 182 biotechnology health care patents issued in the United States last year, 155 had American owners — far ahead of Japan with 15 patents and Western Europe with nine.

The latest survey released by the industry association found that cancer is still the main focus of pharmaceutical biotechnology research. More than half — 45 — of the products involved in clinical tests or undergoing FDA review are targeted at cancer or related conditions.

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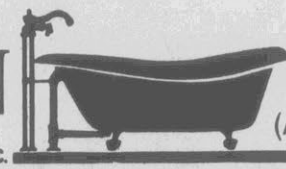
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## Diplomatic Duo Tops In D.C. Social Circuit

By Martha Sherrill  
LAT-WP NEWS SERVICE

WASHINGTON — They live in a world where good Swedish meatballs and a great game of tennis still count for something. They haven't been dying for their country, exactly. They've been pouring drinks for it. Planning menus for it. Shaking hands. Playing tennis.

When asked how they managed to become the most beloved couple on Washington's Diplomatic Circuit, Wilhelm and Ulla Wachtmeister of Sweden fumble for answers.

He says it's her parties.  
She says it's him.

Their dearest, closest friends here — bluebloods, old money politicians, cave dwellers — generously unlock their jaws:

"They are very attractive," says Sen. Claiborne Pell, D-R.I. "They are professional diplomats to the core. They know languages. They also have very strong personal interests. The Countess Wachtmeister — I'm sure you know — is a very good painter. And Count Wachtmeister is very good in lawn tennis."

"They entertain so beautifully," says Archie Roosevelt.

"The flowers," says Evangeline Bruce, "were like nobody else's."  
"Her hand is amazing," says Ina Ginsburg. "She will put a ribbon somewhere and it will have a tremendous effect."

"I'll give you an example of how sweet she is," says Lucky Roosevelt. "Once my mother was visiting and I was away, and she took my mother to lunch. ... How kind! What kindness! She's incapable of a malicious thought."

"They've really become part of our lives here," says Susan Mary

Alsop. "When I found out they were staying, I was soooooo relieved. Their leaving would have felt like the Washington Monument being removed."

"They are close family friends," says Barbara Bush. "All our children know and love them. I promise they will be a Washington couple which belies that old rule, 'When you're out, you're out.'"

"With George and I, the Wachtmeisters will always be in." Count Wilhelm Wachtmeister, the ambassador of Sweden and the dean of the diplomatic corps, will be retiring from both posts at the end of this

month. He and Ulla, the Countess Wachtmeister, will not be returning to Sweden. They like it too much here.

The ambassador's highest-ranking tennis partner, President Bush, stopped by the residence Monday night. This week 1,000 family and friends — members of the Cabinet, of Congress, of the diplomatic corps — gathered for an "au revoir" party in their honor. For the first time the Wachtmeisters openly discussed their plans for the future. She's going to paint full time. He's stepping into the private sector, as an adviser to Volvo Chairman Pehr

Gyllenhammar and a member of the American board of P-K Banken, a Swedish bank.

"This is something," he says, "that you do very much here in America — where you go between the two sectors. But we don't do that at all in Sweden, but now is my chance."

Last week at the residence, the couple sat down to talk about 42 years of diplomatic life, the last 15 spent in Washington, and their decision to stay.

Wachtmeister leads the way

(See SWEDISH, C-3)

## 'Jones' Return Is A Comeback For Lucas, Too

By Bob Thomas  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES — The beard is tinged with gray, but George Lucas, whose trilogies of "Star Wars" and "Indiana Jones" have written film history, still conveys the boyish wonder of the movie-struck kid from Modesto.

Lucas, who just turned 44, came to town from his Northern California empire to do some interviews for "Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade," which seems certain to restore the luster of his golden touch. After a series of monumental hits, Lucas productions turned sour with "Labyrinth" and "Howard the Duck."

His \$55 million "Willow" performed decently in this country and impressively abroad, but critics complained that Lucas was repeating himself. Lucas traditionally has paid little heed to critics, pursuing his own course at the Lucasfilm headquarters north of San Francisco.

Director Steven Spielberg and star Harrison Ford have indicated that "The Last Crusade" will be the last of the Indiana Jones adventures. Does producer-storywriter Lucas believe it will be?

"Probably," he said. "Unless I come up with some completely inspired idea. Three, I think, is a pretty nice number."

"We originally thought about doing three of them. We wouldn't have done the second one ('The Temple of Doom') unless we came up with a

story that we all thought was fantastic and really wanted to do. We weren't really interested in making a film just to be making a film."

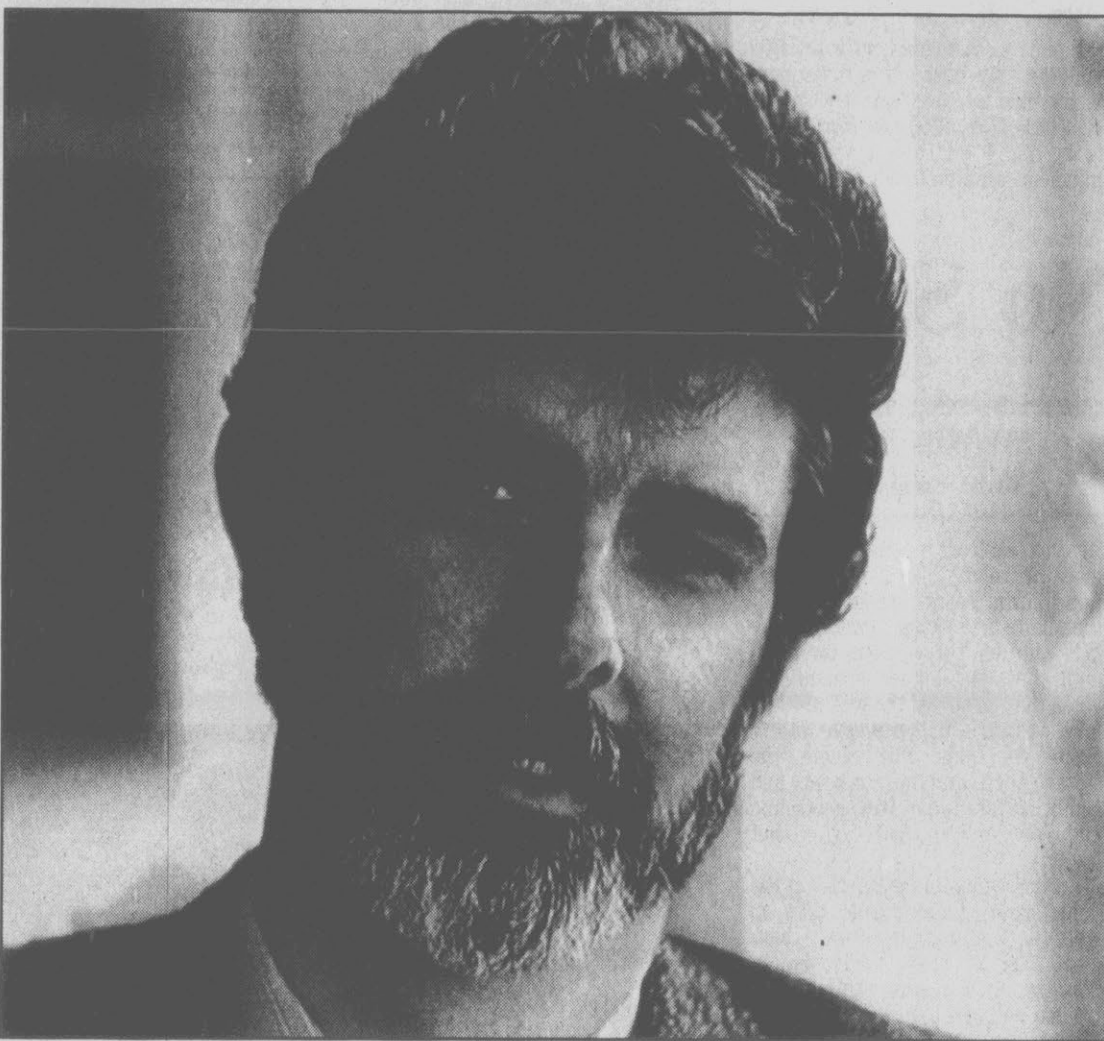
"The Last Crusade" comes five years after "The Temple of Doom," which followed "Raiders of the Lost Ark" by three years. The longer gap, said Lucas, was due to failure to find a script the three principals agreed on.

"I wanted to do a film about the Holy Grail; Steve thought it was too abstract an idea," Lucas said. "We developed a story on another idea which didn't turn out. Menno Meyjes came in to do another screenplay, and he didn't like that idea. We started talking about the Grail and decided to try to sell Steven on it. (The screenplay is credited to Jeffrey Boam.)"

"One of the major mythological threads (of the Grail) is inner happiness and fulfillment, which really deals with compassion and caring about other people in relationships. In that, it's a natural evolution to relationships with your parents."

That resulted in the role of the senior Jones for Sean Connery. In his early thinking about Indiana Jones, Lucas had figured the character had been raised by a father who was a teacher. But that was as far as he had gone. The father role was written for an older man — "a John Houseman type" — but Spielberg announced, "I want Sean Connery."

Lucas was reluctant at first, but he agreed after talking to the Scottish actor about the script. The



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Lucas' last success, 'Willow,' was preceded by flops 'Labyrinth' and 'Howard the Duck'

casting proved to be "brilliant beyond our wildest imaginations," said the producer.

There's nothing new to report on a resumption of the "Star Wars" saga, originally planned as a triple trilogy by Lucas.

"It's still sitting on the shelf," he said. "It'll be a few years before I get back to it. That's the way those things work. I've got to get motivated by ideas and themes and that sort of thing before I can go

back and do it. I've got a lot of other things I'm more interested in at the moment."

One of them is a modern story, a small film for a change. He plans to write the script whenever he can find the time, and — surprise — he would direct it himself. Hailed as a superior director with "American Graffiti," he has not directed a film since the original "Star Wars" 11 years ago.

Directing, he observed is "a lot of

fun and a lot of work. (As producer) I get some of the fun without all the work. I've likened the difference between producing and directing as the difference between coaching and being the quarterback. There's a joy in both, but they're two different jobs."

"I was a quarterback for a while, and I was a coach for a while," Lucas said. "I can go back to being a quarterback if the situation seems right."

## Pitching The Sale

### Author Uses First-Hand Experience To Learn Psychology Of Persuasion

By Kay Bartlett  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Robert B. Cialdini wrote his book about sleazy sales techniques to warn consumers to be on guard. Now he's frequently invited to speak to the people in charge of the selling.

The 43-year-old professor of psychology at Arizona State University in Tempe spent three years researching his book, *Influence: The New Psychology of Modern Persuasion*. He became a used-car salesman, peddled products door-to-door, sold advertising, made "cold calls" on the telephone, learning all the sales pitches.

Now he's on the lecture tour, taking his message to marketing and sales executives, negotiators, attorneys, fund-raisers and the like.

"The people who invited me to come for lectures already understood the process in an articulated way," he says. "That is, they knew what worked, but they wanted to know why it worked. They wanted the psychological underpinnings."

Thus Cialdini began speaking more about the ethics of the persuasion process than the process itself. He says he has a natural interest in the subject since he describes himself as a typical patsy for a sales pitch.

But he says he's not alone. He maintains that we are socialized in such a way that if someone gives us something for free, such as a Hare Krishna flower at an airport, we feel we must reciprocate in some way. Or, we are taught not to interrupt, so we subject ourselves to a long telephone pitch because we are too polite to just hang up.

Cialdini's research shows how the salesmen capitalize on these civilities without the consumer being aware.

In his own research, he found a fire safety sales pitch among the seamiest. The salesman would come in for a free inspection of a home and the lucky homeowner would receive a free fire extinguisher.

"First, the salesman would show pictures of burned children," he says. "It was just awful."

After the inspection, he would ask the homeowners to fill out a questionnaire while he went out to the car to get something.

"He would always say, 'Stay seated. I'll let myself out and come back in.' That's very important. Think of it.

Who do you let in and out of your house? Someone you trust. So the salesman has established himself as a trusted person by this simple technique."

Then came the pitch. It went something like, "Charles, do you think your wife and little girl here are worth \$2,000?" What other way can you answer that?

If the potential customer was still resistant, the salesman would ask permission to call his office and report he had failed at another sale, a failure he explains that might cost him his job. But then the front office, all part of the central plot, would explain that he could offer them the products for \$500 less since his job was on the line.

Cialdini also took breathing lessons so he could make a pitch on the telephone without taking a breath, thus not allowing the other party to interject, "I'm not interested."

He regrets that consumer groups showed a lack of interest in his book, but he says the interest of corporate America changed his life.

"IBM flew me to Monte Carlo for a month — twice — for big educational conferences," he says. "That's the kind of boondoggle I always read about somebody else getting. But I got it and they paid me money besides."

He gets \$3,500 per lecture, or \$5,000 for half a day, but he's had to cut his speaking down to twice a month. He's back teaching psychology after a sabbatical.

Cialdini says he's pleased that the book did not turn him into a "pop psychologist" and that he did not lose academic standing because of it.

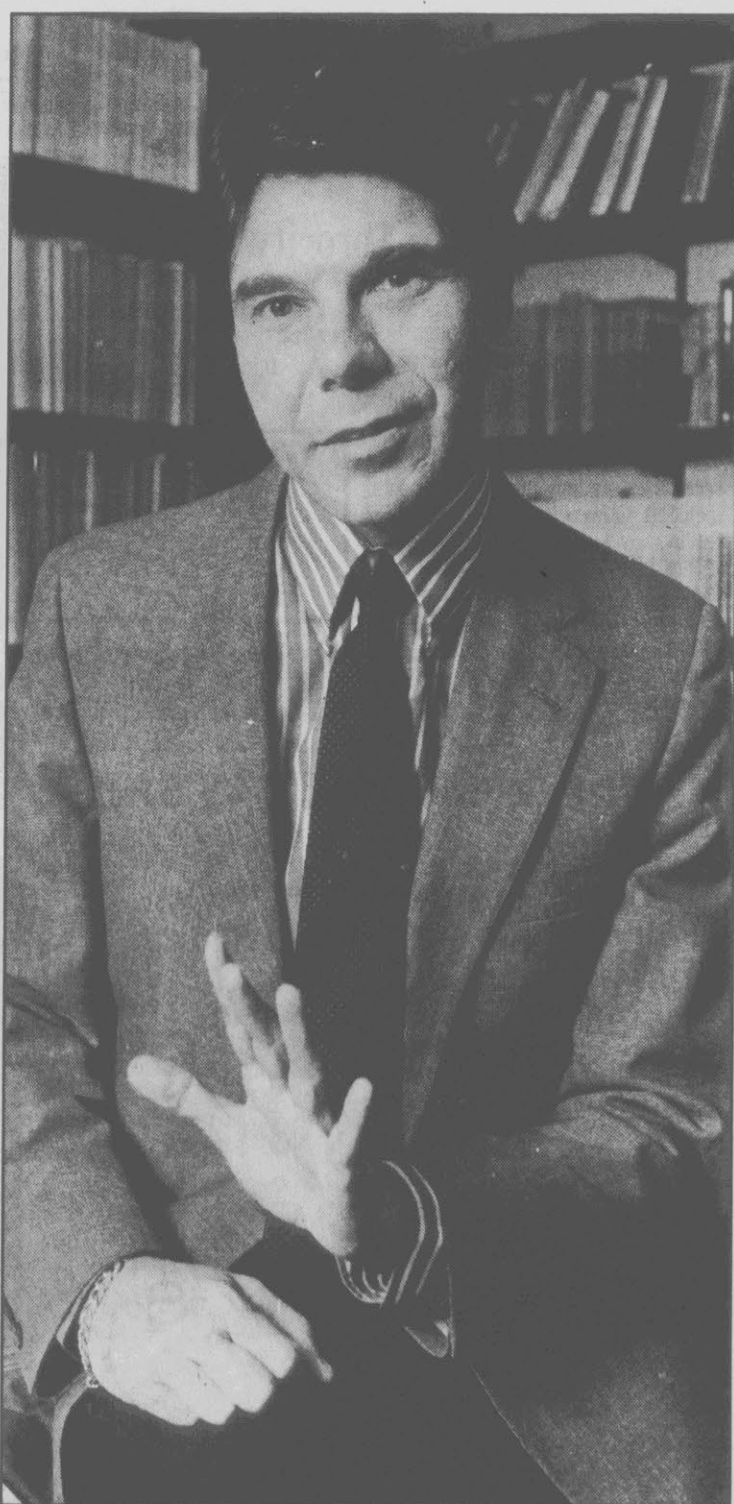
The book, published in 1984 and re-issued as an academic text in 1988, outlines the six "triggers" people respond to in decision-making: authority, reciprocity, scarcity, commitment, consensus and liking.

In discussing the authority technique, Cialdini offers an ethical and unethical use.

If nine out of 10 doctors really did prefer a certain brand, that's one thing, he says. But it's something else to have an actor whom the public identifies with the physician he portrays endorsing a decaffeinated coffee.

Cialdini describes the difference as the "detective" approach and the "smuggler" approach. The detective approach is to find naturally hidden triggers in the product. The smuggler approach is to create them, such as the actor in a white doctor's coat endorsing a product.

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Cialdini is now in demand as a speaker to salesmen

## Spoletto Curtain Rises Friday

By Bruce Smith  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHARLESTON, S.C. — Spoletto Festival U.S.A. is like a wedding, and each spring this historic city revels in a two-week honeymoon with the performing arts.

Like any good wedding, this year's 13th edition of Spoletto boasts something old, something new, something borrowed and, if not blues, at least plenty of hot jazz.

"The mix of the festival is provocative without being one-sided from an aesthetic point of view," says festival general manager Nigel Redden. "But if we aren't provocative, if we aren't challenging every year, the festival will lose its audience."

The Spoletto curtain rises Friday at noon with a round of speeches on the steps of Charleston City Hall. Sixteen days and 111 performances later, Spoletto closes with a thundering fireworks display over Middleton Place Plantation.

This season, the old includes productions of Bellini's opera, "La Straniera," and sold-out performances of Mozart's popular "The Marriage of Figaro," the latter directed by festival founder and artistic director Gian Carlo Menotti.

Among the new productions is Laurie Anderson's music theater work entitled "Empty Places," in which 10,000 images will be juxtaposed to music on more than a dozen moveable screens at the Gaillard Municipal Auditorium.

The something borrowed is a return engagement of the popular Colla Family Marionettes from Italy who performed at the festival years ago. The hand-carved puppets, similar to those Menotti enjoyed as a child, return in two new performances.

The jazz lineup includes, among other performers, The Ramsey Lewis Quartet and the Hank Jones Trio.

With ticket sales running 30 percent ahead of last season — tickets for "The Marriage of Figaro" sold out two days after the box office opened in March — Redden predicts another box-office record for Spoletto.

"I hope it reflects on the festival generally," he said. "Certainly, I think people are learning to trust what we do."

"We do have a very eclectic offering. At the same time we're doing an 18th-century, and a 19th-century opera, we're also doing an absolutely brand-new 20th-century opera with Laurie Anderson."

With several major productions scheduled to go on the boards at Gaillard, a structural engineer was brought in to make sure the grid above the stage could support the weight of the numerous heavy sets.

While there was no problem with the stage, problems were found with the traditional release of helium-filled balloons during the festival's opening ceremonies. The multicolored balloons will not float skyward this year because of concerns sea turtles mistake deflated balloons for jelly fish and try to eat them.

Instead, Redden said the festival is working on a way to drop oxygen-filled balloons onto the crowd from above.

# Daughter-In-Law Keeps Quiet About Wedding Gift She Made

**Dear Abby:** Thirty-eight years ago, I crocheted a tablecloth as a wedding gift for my husband's sister. (I'll call her Charlotte.) I asked my mother-in-law to deliver it to her because Charlotte and my mother-in-law lived in the same neighborhood, and I lived on the other side of town.

I never received any kind of "thank-you" from Charlotte, and I didn't have the nerve to ask my mother-in-law if she ever delivered the tablecloth to her. I just assumed she did.

Well, Abby, after all these years, I visited Charlotte, and there on her dining room table was the tablecloth I had crocheted for her. I was delighted to see it there, and exclaimed, "My, how lovely that tablecloth looks on your table!"

Charlotte replied, "Thank you. I just love it. My mother made it for me."

Abby, I was shocked speechless, but I never said a word. This has really bothered me, but since my mother-in-law has been dead for several years now, I saw no point in

## Dear Abby Abigail Van Buren

telling Charlotte that I had crocheted that cloth for her and asked her mother to take it to her.

What do you think should be done about this misunderstanding after all these years? — Puzzled In Pennsylvania

**Dear Puzzled:** Nothing. Your initial decision to remain silent was both kind and wise. Keep it that way.

**Dear Abby:** I never thought I'd be writing to you, but at least it's not about a personal problem. I want to thank you for allowing The Tacoma News Tribune to print a few recipes from your cookbooklet. I made your gourmet rice pudding, and it was out of this world!

I am a homemaker with two children. My husband is the supervising chef at the Tacoma General Hospital. He called me from work today and I told him I was in the middle of making a new dessert and

he said, "Oh, noooo!" (He is leery about new recipes.)

Well, to make a long story short, I gave him a bowl of your rice pudding for dessert that evening, and he asked for a second bowl. Then he said it was so good he wanted to know if you'd have any objections to his giving the recipe to the hospital for it to use. Now, that's a compliment!

I'm enclosing \$3.50 for your favorite recipes cookbooklet. If the others are as good as the rice pudding, I'll be more than satisfied. — Karen Cook, Tacoma, Wash.

**Dear Karen:** Tell your husband he has my permission to take that recipe to the hospital for its use. And if he thinks the rice pudding is out of this world, he should try my quick-and-easy date cake. (It tastes like chocolate!)

To order a cookbook, send your name and address, plus check or money order for \$3.50 to: Abby's Cookbooklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

**Dear Abby:** I recently lost my beloved husband after 42 years of

marriage. This was difficult enough, but some of my friends and neighbors act as though I not only lost my husband, but my mind as well.

They are constantly giving me advice about what to do with my husband's business and my large home. I know they mean well, but I have two wonderful grown children who are sensible and intelligent. I also have a good lawyer, and if I feel I need advice on how to take care of my business, I'll go to these people.

So far, I have listened patiently to all this unasked-for advice, but my patience is wearing thinner and thinner. Is there a diplomatic way to handle this? — A Sad Widow, Not A Stupid One

**Dear Sad:** Tell your friends exactly what you have told me — that you appreciate their advice, but you have the situation well in hand.

If you would like to write to Abby, send your letter to Abigail Van Buren, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA. 90069. For a personal, non-published reply, enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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## Meeting Place

**Thursday**  
6:30 p.m. — Exchange Club meets.  
Greenville Board of Adjustment meets in Greenville City Council Chambers.  
7 p.m. — Pitt County Arthritis Support Group meets at the Gaskin Leslie Building.  
7 p.m. — Greenville Civitan Club meets at Fosdick's Seafood Restaurant.  
7:30 p.m. — Greenville City Council meets in the Council Chambers or the conference room.  
7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous meets at First Presbyterian Church.  
7:30 p.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center.  
8 p.m. — Nonsmoking Adult Children of Alcoholics Support Group meets in the church parlor of First Presbyterian Church.  
8 p.m. — Chapter 1308 of the Women of the Moose meets.  
8 p.m. — VFW auxiliary meets at post home.  
7:30 p.m. — Epilepsy Association of North Carolina, Coastal Plains Chapter, meets at Pitt County Mental Health Center.  
8 p.m. — Nonsmoking Adult Children of Alcoholics Support Group meets in the church parlor of First Presbyterian Church.  
8 p.m. — Serenity Al-Anon meets at First Presbyterian Church, room 33.  
8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous open discussion meeting at Arlington Street Baptist Church.

8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous has open discussion at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.  
8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous traditions and step (newcomers) closed meeting at AA Building, Farmville Highway.  
9:30 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous has closed candlelight non-smoking meeting at Arlington Street Baptist Church.

**Saturday**  
9:30 a.m. — Overeaters Anonymous Big 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.  
Midnight — Narcotics Anonymous open discussion at St. Paul Episcopal Church.

**Sunday**  
6:30 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous closed book study at Arlington Street Baptist Church meeting.  
1 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous has open spiritual principles meeting at Unity Church, 1 Church, corner of 10th and Washington streets.

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# There's No Saving Grace

I'm a real pushover when it comes to saving things. I'm involved in saving the gray whale, saving the children, saving the Utah prairie dog and preserving wild rivers. I once sent \$10 to save the bonytail chub, and I don't even know what it is.

I've saved old theaters from the demolition ball, historic landmarks from bulldozers, and for the checks I've written to get pandas to mate, I could have bought them a week in a sleazy motel.

Having established how wonderful and caring I am, I now pose the following questions: How long do I have to save the junk my kids leave behind when they move out?

How long can this planet continue to support rooms and shelves of small boxes containing old report cards, bluebooks, and pictures of little classmates who are now losing their hair? At what minute does an old car go from a "wreck" to a "classic"? When kids leave home, who gets custody of the aquarium?

My guest room has six chairs in it.

## At Wits End Erma Bombeck

Are you the least bit curious why my guest bedroom looks like a bus station waiting room? Because four of the chairs are being stored for my kids who don't have room for them until they get bigger apartments. When that happens, the grill and the lawn furniture will leave the utility room, the skis will vacate the storage shed, and the yearbooks and small coffee table will leave the bathroom so I can once again shut the door.

I never cease to be amazed at the value some of these items take on when I threaten to throw them away. For 12 years I have had a blowfish on a pantry shelf that is treated with all the importance of a Faberge egg. It is wrapped in plastic bubbles because there is nowhere you can touch it without drawing blood. Somehow I don't see it becoming an heirloom, but my son tells me it will be worth a fortune someday.

Clothes that no longer fit anyone somehow seem too ludicrous to save, but not to my children. They see them as a Halloween costume down the road or something that went out of style but is destined for a comeback. Mostly they're clothes that make a statement. They're usually the ones the kids threw a tantrum to get, and I said, "Over my dead body you'll wear this."

My mother's a winner. She is in the process of getting rid of everything in her house she has to dust or move from week to week. She has chosen to award these gems to her grandchildren to "remember her by." How can they remember her when all the stuff she gives them is stored at my house! I'm beginning to feel like I'm the hub for the biggest ongoing garage sale in the world.

Something's got to give in my life. The hooded crane and the Bactrian camel need me. But I can either save all my kids' junk or I can save the world. I can't do both.

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## Births

**McRorie**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Roberson McRorie, Stokes, a son, Mark Roberson, on May 7, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Daniels**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Samuel Daniels, Washington, N.C., a son, Semaj Juante, on May 7, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Mooring**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Levon Mooring, 408 Contentnea St. No. 2, a son, Levon Jr., on May 7, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Rice**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Wade Rice, Chocowinity, a daughter, Codie Marie, on May 8, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Barger**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Andrew Barger, 205 Oxford Road, a son, Mark Andrew Jr., on May 8, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Johnson**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Coart Johnson, Ayden, a daughter, Lauren Rae, on May 9, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Haddock**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ray Haddock, Ayden, a daughter, Susan Michele, on May 9, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

## Arlene Hull Gives Sorority Program

Arlene Hull was keynote speaker at the meeting of Alpha Omega Sorority held last week at the home of Barbara Parker.

Her program topic was "Tending the ESA Garden."

Melba Green and Sue Nobles were recognized as new members. Guests included Elizabeth Quinn and Julie Quinn.

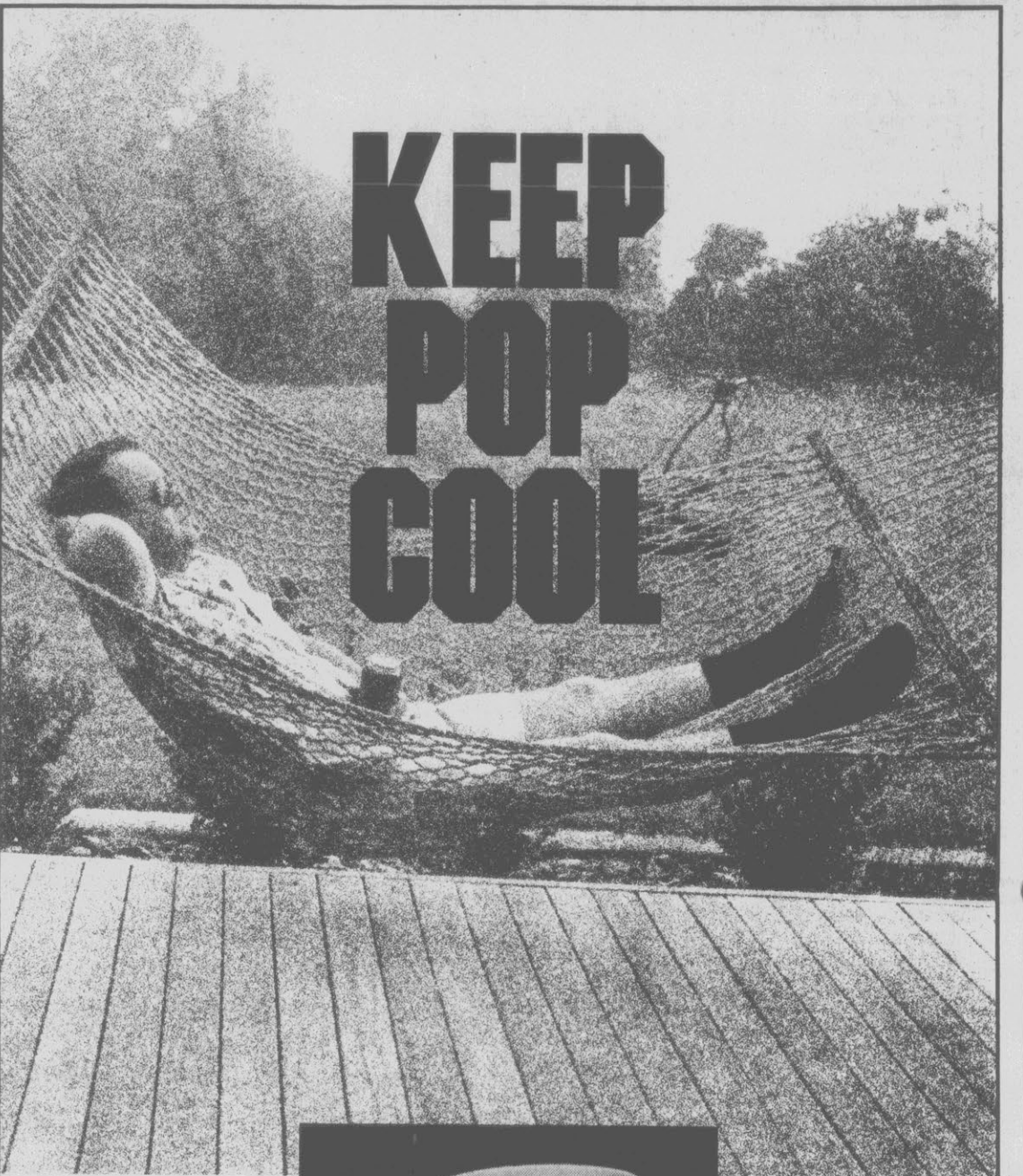
New officers will be installed at a special meeting scheduled for June 8 at the Beef Barn.

**Little**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Alfred Little, 110 Woodside Road, a son, James Ernest, on May 9, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

**Miller**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith Miller, Route 11, Greenville, a son, William Charles, on May 9, 1989, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

The meeting included a salad supper and revealing of secret sisters.

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# Consumers Snap Up Disposable Contacts

By Randolph Picht  
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ROCHESTER, N.Y. — Soft contact lenses, those floppy pieces of plastic that help people see without wearing eyeglasses, have reached a popular American culture benchmark. They've become disposable.

That could mean a lot of changes involving the way people view the little lenses that make things clearer for 23 million Americans.

Hundreds of thousands of people are already wearing disposable lenses, even though up to now they've been available only on a limited basis. Eye doctors are flocking to lectures about them, and consumers are wondering what's going on.

"They've really captured the interest of the American public," says Dr. Scott MacRae, an ophthalmologist from Portland, Ore., who is also a consultant to the

Food and Drug Administration for ophthalmic devices.

He speaks from experience. He wears a disposable lens in his right eye.

"I don't think we've ever seen anything, in my experience, that gained this kind of acceptance," says Hal Johnson, president of professional products at Bausch & Lomb, the nation's leading seller of contact lenses. "We're in high gear. And I mean high gear."

It hasn't been too long ago that basketball games were stopped while players scoured the floor for a missing contact lens. Most people still coddle and clean their lenses, treating them like tiny treasures.

They even buy insurance policies to protect them from loss or damage.

Now, along come some lenses that can be worn for a week or two and tossed in the trash. If they hurt your eye, just take them out and put in a new pair. No more expensive cleaning solutions. No more tender-loving care.

Is "wear 'em and toss 'em" the wave of the future?

Probably not, say officials at Bausch & Lomb and other eye care experts.

The main reason is that most of the most of the lenses available can only be worn by patients who are nearsighted. Another negative factor is the cost — between \$300 and \$500 per year.

Disposable contacts were introduced in the United States in July 1987 by Vistakon Inc., a subsidiary of Johnson & Johnson, which up until March was the only maker of a disposable lens with national distribution. Vistakon's throwaway lenses are called Accuvue.

Bausch & Lomb started selling disposable contacts nationally in March and CIBA Vision, the second-leading maker, has started selling disposable contacts in California that can be worn by both nearsighted and farsighted people.

CIBA's Kim Little says lenses, called NewVues, should be available nationally later this year.

Johnson says Bausch & Lomb expects that between 10 percent and 20 percent of all contact lens wearers in the country will switch to disposable lenses.

But even that small percentage will have astounding business implications for the contact lens industry.

Consider that a patient who normally would have walked into an optometrist's office and left with a new pair of lenses could now walk away with up to 52 pairs of lenses.

The average disposable customer, using either a one-week or a two-week replacement schedule, will use 39 pairs of lenses a year.

That means that instead of selling four million lenses a year to the roughly 2 million disposable customers, eye doctors will sell 156 million lenses a year.

Bausch & Lomb is expanding its three largest contact lens manufacturing plants, including the renovation of an area in Rochester, roughly the size of two football fields, that will be devoted to the company's

See-Sequence line of disposable lenses.

This flurry of activity is all possible because Bausch & Lomb and Vistakon have been able to dramatically lower the cost of making a contact lens.

Irving Aarons, a stock analyst for Arthur D. Little in Cambridge, Mass., estimates that Bausch & Lomb can make a disposable lens for less than \$1, maybe as low as 75 cents. It sells two lenses for \$5 to practitioners, who turn around and sell them for \$7 to \$10.

The company's standard lens costs about \$1.30 to make and is sold for between \$15 to \$30, Aarons says. Practitioners will sell each of those lenses for \$40 to \$50.

"They're selling a smaller number of lenses for a wider margin now. But with disposables, they'll be selling a huge number of lenses for a smaller margin," Aarons says.

More important than the business implications, disposable contact lenses are going to play a key role in ushering in a whole new era in eye care among the many wearers of

contact lenses in the United States.

"One of the things that we're seeing is that with the introduction of disposable lenses people are understanding that frequent lens replacement is a viable option," says David Archer, director of marketing for Bausch & Lomb's professional products division.

The average contact lens wearer replaces one lens a year, Archer says, and usually suffers some discomfort or some difficulty with a lens before deciding to replace it.

If people begin to think that contact lenses are expendable, he says, they will be more likely to replace them, as often as every week or at least once a year.

The only real difference between a daily-wear soft contact lens and a disposable lens is the recommended wearing time. Both are made of flexible plastic.

Disposable lenses and extended-wear lenses are slightly thinner than daily-wear lenses, making them slightly more comfortable but slightly less durable.

## Mickey's Visit Fulfills Child's Dream

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HIGH POINT — People standing half a block away could hear 8-year-old Mark Musil's reaction when he opened his front door Monday afternoon.

"Mickey!" Mickey Mouse, Minnie Mouse and Roger Rabbit invited Mark out and into Mickey's 40-foot "limouseine." They stayed almost an hour, fulfilling Mark's biggest wish.

He danced with his favorite Disney character. He crawled

around inside the maroon limousine. He stood up through the sun-roof and blew kisses to a crowd of neighbor hood children and parents.

Mark, a first-grader at Southwest Elementary School, just completed two years of chemotherapy and radiation treatments for a tumor behind one eye. His parents told him he could pick any trip he wanted, to celebrate the end of the treatment.

He chose Walt Disney World. His mother called the Make-A-

Wish Foundation of Central and Western North Carolina Inc. to see if it could do something to make the trip extra special.

Mark told Make-A-Wish he wanted to see Mickey Mouse's new limouseine, built to promote the new Disney-MGM Studios Theme Park in Orlando, Fla. The auto bile is on a 40-city promotional tour.

The Make-A-Wish folks found out the limouseine wouldn't be in Florida in June, but Disney called and said the limo would come to Mark's house in High Point.

## Sales Pitches Fascinate Professor

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Let's say you have spent about half an hour with a used-car salesman. Do you feel as though you like him? If the answer is yes, watch out. You are being manipulated. The question is whether the price on the car is a good deal.

That technique explains the success of such products as Tupperware, Avon, and Mary Kay, he says. The seller of those products is likely to be a friend, or at least an acquaintance.

Let's say you are looking at a house to buy and your real estate agent becomes aware that another family is also interested. He tells you that someone else might get it. That is perfectly legitimate. He's acting in your best interest. However, in an unethical scenario, there is no other buyer out there, but the agent creates one to get you to put down a firm bid.

How do you know when it's real?

Unfortunately, often, you don't.

"That's why all salesmen tend to get tarred with the same brush and end up ranking down there below undertakers," Cialdini says.

"When I talk to business groups, the point I make is that they are going to do better in the long term by being ethical," he says. "Then they sit up and take notice."

He uses as an example a trusted mechanic who told him the repairs necessary on his car would be \$45. The previous mechanic had estimated \$500.

"He was very ethical and he now has me as a customer for life," Cialdini says.

Although he's back teaching now, Cialdini says that the research he put in on his book gave him one more advantage.

"I can say no a lot better now."

## Swedish Diplomat And Wife Are Beloved By Washington Society

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through the place — a white Spanish stucco house that belongs in Bel Air. He walks past the heavy furniture, tapestries, icons. He's a tall, fit-looking 66-year-old. His charcoal suit matches his hair. He keeps looking at his watch. He seems stern until he smiles once. Friends call him "Willie."

He arrives at an airy room filled with his wife's huge, colorful paintings. Out beyond the many windows overlooking the garden lies the tennis court — sort of Wachtmeister's outdoor business office.

Ulla Wachtmeister nods for tea and coffee to be served. She's delicate, a cloud of yellow-blond curls and soft skin. She's wearing a short navy blue jacket with opulent gold trim. It appears to be something terribly expensive, but turns out to be an old uniform coat of Willie's from his days as a young diplomat in Madrid. The countess cut it up herself.

"I want to scale down my activities," he says. "I want to control my own schedule, which I haven't done for 15 years."

"For 42 years," corrects Ulla.

"Right," he says, "42 years."

They've lived and raised their three children in Vienna, Madrid, Lisbon, Moscow and Algeria. Wachtmeister spent three years in New York as personal secretary to then United Nations secretary Dag Hammarskjöld. During their years in diplomacy, they've spent a total of 15 years in Sweden. And during his post here, Wachtmeister has lasted through five U.S. presidents, six secretaries of state and eight chiefs of protocol.

"While receptions and visits and ceremonies are very nice," says the ambassador, "you can be saturated from it. I feel less hungry about these things. I think somebody hungry should go to the table. And those who have already eaten should step back."

Ulla Wachtmeister has watched 65,000 people parade through her house in the past 15 years, somebody on her staff estimates, although she herself would never use a word like "parade." It's too common, too undiplomatic. Her voice floats and isn't always audible. She talks about her "inner life," and about how they met.

It was on a hunting party in Sweden. Perhaps 1945. "It was very cold and my husband caught a

virus," says the countess, who was an 18-year-old baroness at the time. "He didn't feel so well, and I made some lemon-and-honey water for him. I took care of him, you see, and it went to his heart."

Just two weeks before his first posting in Vienna, in 1947, the Wachtmeisters were married. "I didn't know what I was getting into," she says. "You learn during your life, what it's all about."

People seem to agree she's not the ordinary Washington hostess. "She's a woman of great depth. Very profound. So unusual for Washington," says Lucky Roosevelt. "And she does the diplomatic things, which is often all talk — well, you know how that is — and she does it beautifully. But if you want to delve further she can do that, too."

She once threw a candlelight dinner in her kitchen for Swedish actress Liv Ullman and invited Henry Kissinger, who was then secretary of state. When the king of Sweden was still a bachelor, she organized a luau and sat everyone on the floor of a tent. They wore leis. The king danced. A couple times — when tennis champion Bjorn Borg has come to town — she's grown a little grass tennis court in the middle of the dinner table.

Sen. Alan Simpson, R-Wyo., says he met Ulla in 1979 — she was his dinner companion at some party or other. He was totally enchanted. "The conversation was not about politics," he says, "it was about kids and life and fun and spirit."

"Everybody agrees," says Evangeline Bruce, once an ambassador's wife, "that Countess Wachtmeister in her diplomatic entertaining and friendships is able to show a serenity and awareness that are quite rare."

Rare too, she's never used a caterer. Even for the "au revoir" party, her Swedish chef prepared the cuisine. She also grows all her own flowers, and often designs and sews her own clothes. When Wachtmeister became dean, their monthly entertaining budget grew to \$4,000 and included another staff member to do the grocery shopping, but for the first 12 years of entertaining here, the countess shopped herself. The food she served to Americans was typically Swedish, usually a smorgasbord.

"I used to wonder how many pounds of potatoes I carried home over the 12 years," she says. "You

know, in Sweden we eat so many."

Their guest lists weren't remarkable, says Roosevelt. "No, not unusual. They knew everybody," she says, "and sooner or later you'd see all the top people."

It was no huge surprise when Wachtmeister announced his retirement. Last month when he turned 66, he reached the mandatory retirement age for the Swedish civil service. He had already stayed a couple years longer than he originally planned after becoming dean of the diplomatic corps in 1986, a high-

profile position that any country would consider a coup.

Andrew J. Jacovides, the ambassador of Cyprus, was chosen to succeed Wachtmeister as dean — after a certain amount of confusion. The senior ranking ambassador (based on longevity) automatically becomes dean, and Maiava Iulai Toma, the ambassador of Western Samoa, has seniority over Jacovides. But Toma doesn't reside in Washington, which everyone agreed was a problem.

"He's been a model ambassador and an excellent dean, and anyone

who comes in will have huge shoes to fill," Jacovides says of Wachtmeister. "I will certainly do my best to equal him, and do as conscientiously a job as I could — for that limited period that I have."

He says "limited" because he plans soon to return to Cyprus, he says, to be the director general of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs — "an important job that needs to be filled."

"I feel sort of sorry for the next dean," says longtime diplomat Archie Roosevelt of Jacovides. "They are a marvelous couple, but I don't

think they can afford to entertain like the Wachtmeisters, and their place is sooooo tiny.

"Who's next in line after Cyprus?" Roosevelt asks.

Probably Sukru Elekdog, the ambassador of Turkey, he's told.

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 9 Bumbler  
 12 Stereo's predecessor  
 13 Cartoonist's "light-bulb"  
 14 Swiss canton  
 15 Traveling, perhaps  
 17 Metal container  
 18 The Rolling —  
 19 Electron tube  
 21 Actor Asner  
 22 Docking site  
 24 Penniless  
 27 She rabbit  
 28 Epochs  
 31 Vichy water  
 32 Historic period  
 33 — You Need Is Love"
- DOWN**  
 20 Author Levin  
 22 Defeat  
 23 Warm up  
 24 Soup veggie  
 25 Flowing need  
 26 Up  
 27 Lucy's co-star  
 29 Right angle  
 30 School zone warning  
 35 Mrs., in Madrid  
 37 Of the eye  
 39 Wide  
 40 Sandy's sound  
 41 Cult  
 42 Woodwind  
 43 Dutch settler of Africa  
 44 TV, stangily  
 45 Bruin's school  
 46 Time-table, for short  
 49 Exploit  
 50 Word left out of indexes
- 55 Bambi, e.g.  
 56 Peruse  
 1 Andy's capital  
 2 Cancel  
 3 Divider's word  
 4 Oklahoma resident  
 5 Comedians  
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 8 National Zoo favorite  
 9 Running on empty  
 10 Like the Sahara  
 11 Larry of the Stooges

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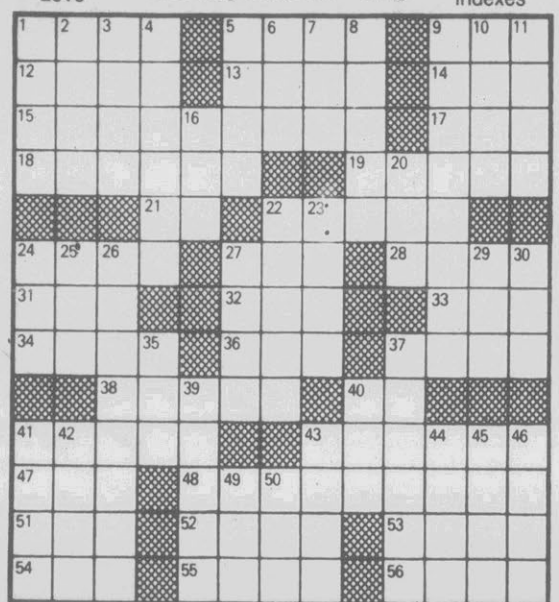
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**Today's Cryptoquip clue: Y equals R**



**The Family Circus** By **Bil Keane**



5-25  
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"Don't stir it too much, Mommy. I like to have a little chocolate mud left at the bottom."

**Horoscope** From **The Carroll Righter Institute**

**FORECAST FOR FRIDAY May 26**

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19): You are itching for a fun fling and seek to escape from routine. You gain by taking the initiative. Remember to get your proper rest.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20): You don't like it when others tell you what to do. Avoid a lonely hearts day by socializing with others. Plan a party at home.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21): An old flame could lighten up your spirits. A little spicy fun could add flavor. Stay away from someone who wants to kiss and tell.

**MOON CHILDREN** (June 22 to July 21): A smooth, sophisticated heart throb may have more tarnish than you expected. You are gracious, generous and loyal.

**LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21): Handle finances in a businesslike way. Someone thinks you are great, but you must make the first move. Plan to enjoy live entertainment.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22): An associate has you on the warpath. Avoid an "eye for an eye" philosophy which can boomerang. Make job security a priority.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Good news about finances! The money will come soon. You are influenced by beautiful people whose looks are deceiving.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): Make recreational arrangements that will carry through the weekend. Avoid threats as a method of solving a problem.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): Feelings can influence your thinking at this time. The voice of a lover can be sharp. Retire from a hassle when things get tough.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Use your excess energy wisely. Stay calm, even if your patience is stretched. Use the evening to relax and create emotional stability.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): Don't make a hasty promise that cannot be kept. Turn a deaf ear to gossip. Keep track of small, personal items that can get lost.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to March 20): Buy a gift for someone you care about. Get an early start to beat traffic and parking problems. Be sure of who you are lending things to.

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**Bridge** By **CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF**

**TOMMY STARS AGAIN**

Both vulnerable. North deals.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ 9  
 ♥ K J 10 9  
 ♦ Q 9 2  
 ♣ A K 9 6 5

**WEST** ♠ J 8 6 4 3  
 ♥ Void  
 ♦ J 6 5 4 3  
 ♣ 10 8 7

**EAST** ♠ Q 10 7  
 ♥ 7 6 5 4 3  
 ♦ 10 7  
 ♣ Q J 4

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A K 5 2  
 ♥ A Q 8 2  
 ♦ A K 8  
 ♣ 3 2

The bidding:  
 North East South West  
 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ Pass  
 3 ♥ Pass 7 ♥ Pass  
 Pass Pass

Opening lead: Four of ♦

At the club, it was business as usual for Trump Coup Tommy. While he had held slightly more than his fair share of the cards, suits had been breaking well so Tommy

had muffed his usual quota of easy contracts. As our readers are aware, Tommy takes center stage only when trumps break badly.

When this hand came along, Tommy actually bid it well—much to the surprise of everyone at the table. Despite his 20 high-card points, he did not jump shift immediately, since he had no idea where the hand was going to be played. When North made a jump raise, Tommy decide right there and then he knew where he wanted to play the hand—there was no way North could not hold an ace and two kings.

Tommy won the diamond lead in hand and led a low trump to the nine to learn what, for him, was good news—the trumps were 5-0. The hand would have to be played on a crossruff, and everyone knows that, when you adopt that technique, you must first cash all your side-suit winners to prevent one of them from getting ruffed away at the end.

However, since Tommy was intending to score seven trump tricks in all—the one high trump he had cashed and six ruffers—he needed only six winners in the plain suits.

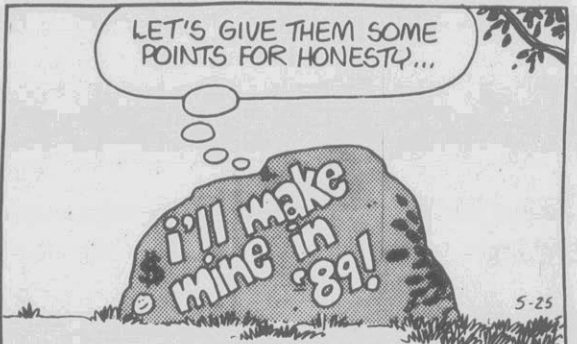
As was his wont in such circumstances, he handled the play flawlessly. He cashed just one more high diamond, the ace-king of clubs and the ace-king of spades, on the last of which he discarded dummy's diamond queen! Then he simply crossruffed three clubs in hand and two

spades and a diamond in dummy while East could only gnash his teeth as he underruffed.

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5	Ent. Tonight	Lose or Draw	48 Hours	Equalizer	Smothers Brothers Special		
5	Cosby Show	Current Affair	Movie: "Chino"	News			
7	Cosby Show	Night Court	Cosby Show	Dif. World	Cheers	Dear John	L.A. Law
9	USA Today	Lose or Draw	48 Hours	Equalizer	Smothers Brothers Special		
12	Wheel-Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Earth*Star Voyager"	ABC News Burning Questions			
15	Bugs & Pals	Fraggle Rock	Movie: "Billy the Kid"	Movie: "Billy the Kid"			
DIS	"Harry and the Hendersons"	Best of Walt Disney Presents		Movie: "The Wings of Eagles"			
ESPN	SportsCenter	SpeedWeek	Indy 500 Film	Auto Racing	Thurs. Night Thunder	Auto Racing	
HBO	Encyclopedia	Movie: "Raising Arizona"	Movie: "Gardens of Stone"				
LIFE	Spenser: For Hire	Cagney & Lacey	Movie: "A Bunny's Tale"				
MAX	"The Howling III" Cont'd	Movie: "Terror Squad"	Movie: "A Breed Apart"				
SHOW	Movie: "China Rose" Cont'd	Movie: "That Was Then... This Is Now"	Movie: "A Man in Love"				
TMC	Movie: "The Natural" Cont'd	Movie: "Number One With a Bullet"	Movie: "Colors"				
USA	Miami Vice	Murder, She Wrote	Boxing				
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# Treat Williams' Roles Put Him In Mainstream

By Jerry Buck  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES — Treat Williams, who made a name for himself playing offbeat characters in often obscure films earlier in his career, has been on a mainstream roll lately.

Williams played a hippie in the film version of the musical "Hair," a cop tugged by divided loyalties in "Prince of the City," a charming airliner hijacker in "The Pursuit of D.B. Cooper," and a seedy Casanova in "Smooth Talk."

In "Third Degree Burn," premiering Sunday on HBO, he plays a more accessible character, a hard-luck private detective. He also plays a Drug Enforcement Agent in next season's NBC miniseries,

"Desperados: The 'Kiki' Camarena Story" and a reporter in the theatrical film "The Heart of Dixie."

"I've had a tendency in the past to play characters more on the edge of normalcy," he said. "In my younger years I was more into character work and not leading men. As I've gotten into my late 30s, I'm playing characters in the mainstream of life, not on the edge of life like my character in 'Smooth Talk.'"

"The screenplays that writers are writing for men in their late 30s are more interesting. The characters are more interesting, life is more complex, and they are more complex. They've lived longer and had more experiences. The simple fact of the mechanics of the business is that you try to find the best role in the best story directed by the best director that you can among all the options available to you."

The movie "The Heart of Dixie" also stars Ally Sheedy, Virginia Madsen and Phoebe Cates. It takes place in Alabama but was filmed in Oxford, Miss.

"I spent two months on the picture but I didn't work that much on it," Williams said. "I got to travel and see a lot of the South."

Williams is now preparing for a Broadway musical version of "Elmer Gantry," Sinclair Lewis' story of a 1930s evangelist who turned out to be a charlatan. It will be

his first musical since "The Pirates of Penzance."

Meanwhile, he is completing his role as DEA Agent Ray Carson in "Desperados." Steven Bauer and Craig T. Nelson also star in the miniseries, which is being filmed in Los Angeles and Spain. Since it deals with political corruption in Mexico it could not be filmed there.

In "Third Degree Burn," Williams plays Scott Weston, a former policeman who supports himself by investigating small-time divorce cases. He's hired to check up on Anne Scholes, played by Virginia Madsen.

"Scott has an Achilles heel which sets the plot in motion," said Williams. "He has a tendency to sleep with other men's wives. He becomes involved with the woman he's investigating. He becomes ensnared in a trap that includes murder and spends most of his time trying to figure out how he got there."

"It's a film noir," said Williams. "I hope it doesn't seem imitative. I'm sure every story has been told at least once. We were trying to tell a contemporary story, but it certainly falls into the category of film noir."

The movie, directed by Roger Spottiswoode, was filmed in Tucson and Seattle.

# Talking Heads Rhythm Duo Goes Back To Roots With Tom-Tom Club

By Larry McShane  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — When Talking Heads rhythm section-spouses Chris Frantz and Tina Weymouth decided it was time to delve back into their roots, the place to begin was obvious: CBGBs.

It was in the funky Manhattan club on the Bowery where the Heads first surfaced as part of the burgeoning new-wave scene that produced Blondie and the Ramones. And so the Tom Tom Club returned to headline a three-week stand announcing their comeback after a six-year absence.

"It was fun. We saw all the old people, you know? The old hard core at CBGBs," said Weymouth, bass player with Talking Heads. "We had a lot of technical problems, but it was great fun."

"We had people come up: Dee Dee Ramone, Jerry Harrison, Debbie Harry, Lou Reed. People really appreciated it."

So did the Tom Tom Club, the non-Heads project of drummer Frantz and bassist-vocalist Weymouth, husband and wife. They liked it so much the band is currently doing a nationwide tour of clubs and campuses, returning to the smaller venues where the Heads started out in 1977.

"Chris and I were really in fear of leading insular lives. ... It seemed important to get out of that ivory tower," Weymouth said in a recent interview. "We feared self-indulgence. ... We began to go back to our roots."

The results are evident on "Boom Boom Chi Boom Boom," the current Tom Tom Club album featuring covers of Bob Dylan ("She Belongs to Me") and Lou Reed ("Femme Fatale").

"The whole point being to try to find out what it was again that had made us really keen and interested in music," said Weymouth. "And we wanted to stay well clear of what Talking Heads were doing."

Touring, she said, will insure that. The Heads haven't toured since some dates early in 1984; Tom Tom Club's summer tour of North America will run through August.

In addition to giving Frantz, Weymouth and bandmates Mark Roule (guitar) and Gary Pozner (keyboards) a chance to perform live, it will also give Talking Heads rhythm section a chance to do something outside the constraints of their other band.

"Even though Talking Heads always tried to avoid the pitfalls of being defined by our image, just the fact that we got successful meant that it did kind of confine us to a certain set of definables," said Weymouth.

"Although it's all of our band, very much from the point of view of lyric-writing and melody it is very much a David Byrne vehicle. Which is great, but we wanted to have it more open, so it's not always going to be the same lead singer, the same lyricist."

For their third album, Tom Tom Club also went for a different sound than its earlier well-known dance hits "Wordy Rappinghood," "Genius of Love" or "The Man With the 4-Way Hips."

Weymouth is resigned to the fact certain people won't like what her band is doing these days — and she means either Talking Heads or Tom Tom Club.

"People who never liked Talking Heads as a three-piece resented it when we added Jerry Harrison. And when we ceased to be a quartet and came onstage with eight or nine people, the same thing happened: 'Oh, they were great back then,'" said Weymouth.

The bassist sighed and shook her head.

"This is often the case. People who were not at all into rap music and hip-hop in 1980 now remember 'Genius of Love' and 'Wordy Rappinghood' — 'Oh, those were great cuts! — you do something like that again?' And you just have to laugh."

# New Film Tells The Story Of Spanish Radio Pioneer

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES — With about 200 stations now programming in Spanish to the tune of \$176 million in advertising revenue last year, U.S. Hispanic radio is booming.

But the sound wasn't always sweet, as seen in the new film, "Break of Dawn."

The movie, released in selected Southwestern cities, re-creates the story of Spanish radio pioneer Pedro J. Gonzalez, who was imprisoned after his on-air protests of Depression-era deportations of Mexicans.

"It's a story about justice prevailing over injustice," said producer Jude Pauline Eberhard. Set in Los Angeles in the 1920s and '30s, the film tells how Gonzalez was paroled after being sent to San Quentin on trumped up rape charges following his advocacy broadcasts.

Gonzalez parlayed his musical talents and eye for business into a popular Spanish-language radio program. But it ended when he was sent to prison on charges that were later recanted by the woman who had allegedly been raped.

Mexican recording star Oscar Chavez plays Gonzalez, portraying

him as he first translates radio commercials into Spanish, then sings with his guitar and, finally, pays a station for early morning airtime. Gonzalez and his wife sold advertising on the show, making a profit on the difference.

Called "Los Madrugadores" ("The Early Risers"), the Los Angeles-based program developed a strong following among Hispanics with a mix of live music, discussion of issues and commercials.

Now 94, Gonzalez lives with his wife, Maria, in Northern California and was a consultant for the film, said Isaac Arstenstein, who wrote and directed the movie.

To insure realism, Arstenstein used both Spanish and English dialogue. "You can't have Pedro talking and singing in English if you say he was the first (radio broadcaster) in Spanish," said Arstenstein.

But the bilingual approach can pose distribution problems. Eberhard said exhibitors are shying away from the film because they don't know whether to market it as an English or Spanish movie. "It's scary for the distributors because of the natural language flow," she said.

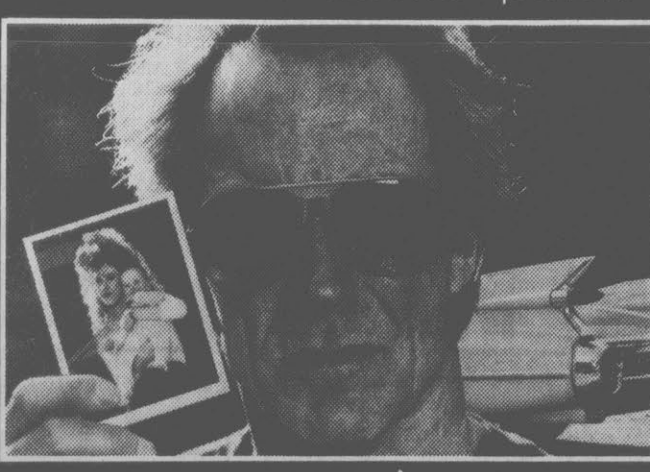
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001 Public Notices: NOTICE OF CREDITORS Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Lella Shields Higgs, late, of PITT County, North Carolina, the undersigned hereby authorizes all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned, whose mailing address is 107 Hardee Street, Greenville, NC 27838, on or before the 3rd day of November, 1989, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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002 Personals: WILDER'S AUTO SALES This Week's Specials: 1983 MERCURY CAPRI, automatic, air, 58,000 miles.

011 Autos For Sale: 1980 DODGE. \$400 down. 1980 MARK LINCOLN. \$5,995. 1986 PLYMOUTH Reliant Station Wagon. \$4,995.

015 Chevrolet: 1976 CHEVROLET excellent condition. \$3250. Call 756-2111; after 6:00 p.m., 756-1949.

018 Ford: 1976 RANCHERO, excellent condition. \$2400. Call 756-2111; after 6:00 p.m., 756-1949.

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023 Pontiac: 1979 LE MANS WAGON, clean, \$600. Call 756-0063 days; nights, 1-244-0723.

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**024 Foreign Cars**

1980 COROLLA 5RS. \$800. will negotiate. Good condition. Call 752-6655 after 1 p.m.

1980 280ZX. Blue, one owner, car in excellent condition. 758-2833 or 756-1199.

1982 TOYOTA COROLLA, air conditioning, automatic 5RS version. Call 752-3920 after 6:00.

1984 AUDI 4000S, new paint, AM/FM cassette, sunroof, \$3500. Runs great. 830-0257 or 355-2258, ask for Sam.

1984 TOYOTA TERCEL in excellent condition inside and out. New tires, air condition. 62,000 miles. 757-1590 or 746-3721.

1986 ACCORD LXI. 31m miles, 2 door, 5 speed, excellent condition. \$550 negotiable. Days, 756-2541; nights 756-9494.

1986 NISSAN 200SX. Am/Fm cassette, sunroof, cruise, air, etc. Call 752-1407 leave message.

1987 ACURA INTEGRA LS. Low mileage, sunroof, air, Am/Fm cassette. Call 355-2258 or 752-4297 ask for KC.

1987 BMW 325, navy, 14,000 miles, sunroof, air, 5-speed. \$17,500 or best offer. 830-1929 day, 757-1441 night.

1987 MAZDA RX7. Red. Excellent condition. Low mileage. Electric sunroof. Price negotiable. 756-1247, 7am-2pm.

1987 NISSAN SENTRA. Air, Am/Fm cassette, 5 speed, extra clean. Call 355-2258 or 758-7708 ask for Todd.

1987 VOLVO 740 GLE. Automatic. Immaculate. 18,000 road miles. Loaded. 825-6431.

1987 VOLVO 760 TURBO Stationwagon. Silver, auto with sunroof and leather interior. Financing available. Call Steve, 830-3620 or 355-7200.

1988 HONDA PRELUDE. Blue, loaded, auto with sunroof. Low miles, financing available. Call Steve, 830-3620 or 355-7200.

1988 VOLKSWAGON. Fully loaded. 758-0732.

**029 Auto Parts & Service**

1977 DATSUN 280Z. Automatic, air, motor and body in good condition. \$2250 negotiable. 830-6761.

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**B & K MARINE**

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**FAST AND DEPENDABLE** Service on outboard motors. Big savings on engine re-builds. We buy and sell used motors. Authorized Long trailer dealer. Billy's Marine & Repair, Bell's Fork area. 355-2793.

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15' THUNDERBIRD, 85 horsepower Evinrude motor, many extras. Excellent condition. Call 752-9224 after 5:30 p.m.

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1987 18' XL CHAPPERALL. 250 horsepower, OMC, Cox drive-on trailer. Excellent condition. \$11,500. 31 Corbett Street. Call 355-5474.

1988 DIXIE 19' Superskier, 260 HP Merc inboard/outboard, Long galvanized trailer. Immaculate. Open bow, low hours. Must see! \$11,995. 355-7861 nights, 946-8279 weekends.

**034 Camping Equipment**

1978 TRAVCO 270. 27', 6,000 watt generator, 2 roof air, sell confained, sleeps 6, fiberglass, excellent condition. Call 1-792-2600. 757-0755.

**036 Cycles For Sale**

1983 YAMAHA 650. Good condition. \$500 or best offer. 756-0802.

1985 HONDA NIGHTHAWK 450cc, excellent condition, plus 2 helmets. \$999. Kevin, 758-9348.

**040 Jeeps & Vans**

FORD VAN CLUB LX. 57,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$6500. 758-2300 Days.

1983 FORD VAN. Low mileage, loaded. Must sell. Call 355-2138.

1988 GMC Safari Van. All options. Must sell, by owner. Days/752-4147, evenings/756-8684.

1988 WRANGLER, 6 cylinder, 5-speed, power steering/brakes, hard and soft top. Must sell, excellent condition. Call 830-9410.

**041 Trucks**

**DIGGER TRUCKS** And Bucket trucks for sale. Call 1-946-8164.

1975 FORD BRONCO 4x4, 302, automatic, power steering and brakes, 53,000 original miles. \$4700 or best offer. 758-5672.

1984 FORD F150. Excellent condition. Automatic, air. 54,000 miles. \$5800. 756-5276 after 6.

1986 CHEVROLET S10 Pick-up. Black/silver, automatic transmission, air, Am/Fm, 36,000 miles, new tires, excellent condition. 752-4499 or 355-2258 ask for Karl.

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1989 GMC JIMMY 2 wheel drive, a great multi-purpose vehicle, but must sell. \$13,500 or best offer. 756-7201 if interested.

**044 Child Care**

**I PROVIDE RELIABLE** Child care in my home, day or night. Call 756-1549.

**LOVING MOTHER** would like to babysit for you. References available. Call 756-3232.

**NEED CONFIDENT,** Energetic, responsible person to spend days and nights with 2 young boys. Pay well. Call immediately, 355-3979.

**RELIABLE, CARING** Babysitter. 8am-5:30pm, Monday-Friday. My home (Cherry Oaks). References, own transportation required. 757-6313 between 8am-4pm.

**Need a babysitter?** Place an ad through classified. 752-6166.

**050 Pets**

**AKC BLIND COCKER** Puppies. \$125. Call 757-1482.

**AKC DALMATIAN PUPPIES** to be born June 6th. Call nights, 746-2103.

**AKC GOLDEN RETRIEVER** puppies, quality bloodlines, shots and wormed. Born April 23, 1989. Call B. Wimmer after 6:00 p.m., 355-4587.

**AKC ROTTWEILER** Puppies for sale. 758-0732.

**CHI-HUA-HUA PUPS,** AKC, champion bloodline, long hair. Beautiful. 355-3598.

**COCKER SPANIEL,** Blonde/red, 2 years old. Free to loving family. 747-8385.

**DOG TRAINING**

Group obedience classes being held in Greenville Mondays, Wednesdays, Saturdays. Private instruction available in your home or business in Basic or Advanced Obedience, Personal Protection, Attack on Command, Compound Sentry Training to guard your fenced area or warehouse. For evaluation, call All Breed K-9 Specialists, 355-3218.

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**CareMaster**  
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**LARGE BONE GERMAN** Shepherd pups. 6 weeks old. \$100. A steal, must be seen. Call 757-1197 or 830-8930.

**WANTED:** Male Scottish Terrier for stud service for my female Scottish Terrier. Call 1-745-4956 leave message.

**5 FULL-BLOODED** English Setters. 3 males, 2 females, \$40 each. 757-3209 anytime.

**057 Help Wanted Administrative**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** for non-profit organization. Abilities must include experience in management, supervising staff, good communication skills and knowledge of laws and regulations for services and education of handicapped children. Must provide own transportation, some travel out of town and evening work. Send resume to: RMACLD, Alford Building, Suite 302, 106 South Washington Street, Rocky Mount, NC 27801 or call 972-9896 for more information.

**058 Help Wanted Clerical**

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND EXECUTIVE** Positions available immediately. Word processors and clerical skills needed.

Call  
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**APPOINTMENT BOOK** Secretary. Looking for enthusiastic person to work for large dental practice. Good pay with benefits. Send resume to DR1309, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, North Carolina 27835.

**LPN NEEDED** Immediately in local family physicians office. Excellent working conditions. Blue Cross Disability and life insurance provided. 2 weeks paid vacation and sick leave. Send resume to DR1292, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

**NEEDED - LPN,** Surgical Technician or Medical Office Assistant immediately to work busy OB/GYN physicians office. Excellent benefits and working conditions. Send resume to: A. Stoneham, Business Administrator, 101 Bethesda Drive, Greenville NC 27834.

**NURSING ASSISTANT** Positions. 2 full time, 11-7 shift, also part-time, all shifts. Competitive salary/benefits. Apply at Triad Health Care Center of Greenville or call 758-7100.

**PART-TIME NURSE.** Rewarding work for 15-bed ICF/MR unit located in Greenville. Provide nursing services and assist direct care staff in activities. Starting at \$10.00 per hour, minimum requirement - N.C. LPN license and good references. Experience with persons with mental retardation a plus. Qualified persons with an interest in part-time work 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

**RECEPTIONIST NEEDED** for busy medical office. Must have good personality and excellent telephone skills. Send resume to: DR 1346, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

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**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

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OF GREENVILLE  
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Lou Yugwell, Director of Nurses  
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**COMPUTER SERVICE** Technician. Largest computer service center east of Raleigh. Experienced people need only apply. Salary and benefits enticing. Send resume to: Computerland, 14 Carolina East Centre, Greenville, NC 27834. Attention: Service Manager.

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**COOKS AND DISHWASHERS** Needed full time. Apply at Darryl's, between 2-4 ask for Henry or Mike.  
**DETAIL PERSON** needed. Must have valid NC Drivers License. Great benefits and working conditions. Please apply in person to Ray King at Joe Pecheles Volkswagen, 203 Greenville Boulevard.  
**DO YOU LIKE TO Meet People?** Do you talk easily to strangers? If so, Sears Fine Jewelry Department, Carolina East Mall, Greenville would like to talk to you about joining our dynamic team. Must have neat, clean appearance and excellent references. Retail experience preferred but not necessary. If you fit this description then let's talk. Apply in person, Monday-Friday, 10:00-12:00 or 1:30-5:30. Ask for Wendy.  
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**NEEDED: EXPERIENCED** plumber and helpers, residential. 758-4106 between 8:00-5:00.  
**NEWS AND OBSERVER** Newspaper route available. Greenville-Stokes area. Call Fred Holloway, 736-0685.  
**NIGHT LINE COOK**-needed at the Mainsail Restaurant at Fairfield Harbour, 750 Broad Creek Road, New Bern, N.C. Full time permanent position. Must be able to work weekends. 2 years experience in fine dining or with a large hotel or restaurant required. Apply in person 2pm-4pm daily, except Tuesdays or call Chef Andre at 919-638-8011, etc. 201.

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Progressive Oil/Dodges Store is seeking person for position of Store Manager. Some experience or related experience helpful. Position includes: base salary plus commissions, benefits and vacation. For more details apply at Dodges Store, 3209 S. Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC 27834.  
**COOK/COOK'S ASSISTANT.** Experience preferred. Call Guardian Care of Farmville, 753-5547, Monday-Friday, 8:30-4:30.

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**HAND PACKERS** For Food processor. Must be energetic, fast, good coordination. Own transportation and phone in home required. Call 746-6675 for appointment.  
**NIGHT STAFF.** People needed to staff a community shelter from 10:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m., 2-4 nights a week. Rotating schedule, some weekends. No daytime responsibilities. \$4.00 an hour. Written references required. Call 355-4677, leave message, calls returned after 6:00 p.m.  
**OFFICE MANAGER.** All office functions including data entry for payroll, accounts payable, accounts receivable. Must be able to handle calls on prayer line. Call for appointment at 746-6675.  
**PART TIME WAITRESS** wanted at Bum's Restaurant in Ayden. Apply in person.  
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1986	FORD	Bronco	1323-A	XLT Lariat	10,495 <sup>00</sup>	9,250 <sup>00</sup>
1987	CHEV	S-10, X-Cab	6043-A	Automatic-White A/C PS PB AM/FM	9,395 <sup>00</sup>	7,695 <sup>00</sup>
1987	FORD	F-150	5412-A	XLT Lariat AM/FM Cass. 35,000 miles, PW PL	9,695 <sup>00</sup>	8,395 <sup>00</sup>
1983	FORD	Ranger	6267-A	5 SP, AC AM/FM 50,000 miles	4,995 <sup>00</sup>	4,295 <sup>00</sup>
1986	BUICK	Park Ave.	1302-A	Auto 4 dr, 43,000 miles PW PL TW CC AM/FM Cas.	10,595 <sup>00</sup>	9,550 <sup>00</sup>
1987	FORD	Escort	1223-A	Wagon 27,152 miles PS PB, 5 SPD	5,995 <sup>00</sup>	4,995 <sup>00</sup>
1987	BUICK	LeSabre	1169-A	T-Type White Car PW PDL PS PB AM/FM CAS.	10,995 <sup>00</sup>	9,695 <sup>00</sup>
1985	FORD	Bronco II	2501	XLT 4x4 PS PB AM/FM CASS.	10,495 <sup>00</sup>	8,750 <sup>00</sup>
1988	FORD	F-150	2489	XLT 4x4 PW PL PS PB AM/FM CASS	14,995 <sup>00</sup>	13,450 <sup>00</sup>
1988	FORD	Ranger	1070-A	XLT AM/FM CASS., AC 13,000 miles, White/Red	9,995 <sup>00</sup>	7,950 <sup>00</sup>
1987	BUICK	Regal Grand National	6272-A	14,000 miles, Speed Control Black - Loaded	16,995 <sup>00</sup>	14,950 <sup>00</sup>
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**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

**REGIONAL COMMON Carrier** looking for full time billing clerk. Send resume to: DR1343, c/o The Daily Reflector, PO Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

**REPORTER WITH Experience** needed at progressive weekly newspaper in Wake County. News coverage, layout, photography experience preferred. Send resume and clips to: Gold Leaf Publishers, Box 880, Knightdale NC 27545.

**ROOFERS WANTED.** Roofing and sheet metal contractor is seeking experienced roofers and laborers. Experience in single-ply and built-up roof systems preferred but not required. Excellent pay and benefit package. Call 758-2179, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**SALES AND MANAGEMENT Opportunity.** Tire or auto service experience required. Benefits include: training, paid vacation, medical plan, paid holidays and more. Salary based on experience. Call Phil Trull at Goodyear Tire Center, 752-4417.

**SCHOOL CAFETERIA Manager.** Requires 2 years of previous management experience, 2 years of food service experience, high school diploma or G.E.D. Call 630-4242 for application. Application deadline May 31st.

**SHEET METAL HELPER** needed immediately. Call 756-6400.

**SHIRT PRESSER:** 5 days a week. Apply at Crown Cleaners, 1898, Greenville Boulevard. No phone calls please. Applications accepted Friday and Tuesday between 2:00-4:00 p.m.

**SNELLING & SNELLING** specializes in sales, management, accounting and clerical positions. Call 758-0541.

**SOUTHERN GOSPEL GROUP** needs a bass player. Call 1-975-0717 after 7:30 p.m.

**SUBSTITUTE And Part time** teacher needed for Waldrop Acres Preschool. Experience required. Call 756-4618 after 5.

**060 Help Wanted Miscellaneous**

**SUBWAY** Now Accepting applications for energetic and enthusiastic people. Flexible hours. Please apply in person at Subway, Stanton Square Shopping Center, 757-1099.

**THE FUEL DOC**

Full and part time help wanted. Experience helpful but willing to train motivated individuals. Competitive pay with benefits. Apply in person to Daughtridge Oil Company, 2102 Dickinson Avenue.

**THE WAFFLE HOUSE** is now taking applications for all positions, full and part-time. Experience preferred, but not necessary. Benefits include paid vacation after 6 months, incentive bonuses and medical dental insurance available. Must be dependable, honest, and enjoy working with the public. Apply in person only at 604 Greenville Blvd., Monday-Friday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**TRUCK DRIVERS:** Start at 23¢ per mile, 2,100 miles per week guaranteed, minimum 1 year OTR experience, 23 years old, inexperienced? Ask about driving school. Call J.B. Hunt 1-800-645-3331 or 1-800-343-8428.

**WANTED:** Persons to install heating and air conditioning duct work. Will train. Apply between 8am-9am, Larmar Mechanical, Farmville Highway 764-4524.

**WANTED:** Someone who can do general maintenance and have drivers license. Salary negotiable. Call 756-3388 for appointment between 9am-5pm.

**061 Help Wanted Sales**

**ARE YOU INTERESTED** in making money? Do you want a secure career? Would a job that is fun and exciting appeal to you? Do you have management potential? Do You Think You Can Sell? If the answers to these questions is yes, then call 1-800-444-9820 to find out more about an Exceptional Opportunity.

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**EXCEPTIONAL Opportunity** available for professional sales closures. 20 year contracting company is expanding in Eastern NC. We offer an exclusive product that is in high demand. Training provided. \$40-\$60,000 potential. Call 1-800-444-9830 for confidential interview.

**MAKE A SMART CAREER** move. If you're serious about real estate, then we're serious about you! Contact George Stupphen, Coldwell Banker W.G. Blount & Associates Realtors, for your confidential interview. 756-3000 or 355-6330, 201 East Arlington Boulevard, Greenville.

**062 Help Wanted Teachers**

**PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER** needed for 1989-90 school year in a progressive church weekday program. Starting the end of August. Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Degree in early childhood, elementary education or child development needed. Call 756-5314 or 355-2127.

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063 Help Wanted Technical & Trades

CONSTRUCTION PIPE PERSONNEL: Experienced pipe fitters, laborers and operators. Transportation required. Call Carl Spencer, 758-1055. EOE.

EXPERIENCED CONCRETE FINISHER needed. Call 746-2849.

FOREIGN CAR MECHANIC needed. Full or part-time. Potential to earn up to \$16 an hour depending upon experience. Apply at Eurasian Import Center, 105 West Greenville Boulevard, across from Eveready Battery.

HELP WANTED: carpenters, 3-5 years experience. Call after 8:00 p.m., 830-1548.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for experienced lift truck mechanic. Experience on electric trucks preferred. Salary commensurate with experience. Excellent benefits. Send resume in confidence to DR1347, c/o The Daily Reflector, P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

LEAD OIL CHANGE Technician needed to service and tune Precisions Turbo Lube operation. Must be sales oriented and knowledgeable in light/general repair of belts, hoses, and air conditioners. Apply at 124 South East Greenville Boulevard.

LOCAL CLEANING Firm is searching for experienced tile floor technicians. Must be dependable and have at least 2 years experience. Part time hours. 355-2719-9:5pm.

LOCAL ELECTRIC AND COMMERCIAL Sign manufacturing company seeks production workers to learn sign trade. Prefer some experience in sheet metal, spray painting, electric and welding. Variety of duties. Inside and outside work. Starting wages \$5.56 per hour, depending on skills. Permanent employment with growth potential. Call 355-7446 for interview.

LOGGERS HELPER needed. Some experience. Call 838-8962.

MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR needs helpers with mechanical ability and willingness to learn. Training provided. 758-0774.

MECHANICAL ARTIST/Designer. Experience desired. Publishing company in Greenville. Call for interview, ask for Gary 758-8617.

NEEDED: Top notch sheet metal installer to install first-class architectural roofing and sheathing systems. Must be able to travel. Only qualified need apply. Top pay and good benefits. Call 355-0235.

SERVICE MANAGER. Qualified person needed to manage service department for farm equipment dealership. Excellent pay plan and benefits. Call 919-746-3398.

064 Work Wanted

A CLEAN CUT LAWN for the lowest price in town. Free Estimates. 830-6917.

A-1 QUALITY Painting, minor repairs, milder control, wash houses. Free estimates. Work guaranteed. 758-4136.

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ADDITIONS, DECKS (12x20, 1995), screens, cabinets. Guarantee lowest price and highest quality work. Call J.L. Brown Construction, 746-6570.

ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION Remodeling and repair. Steele & Sons. Serving all of PITT County. 753-2833. Free Estimates.

ALL TYPES PAINTING, quality work done right. References. 355-7611.

ALL TYPES OF Remodeling and repair work. Decks, custom cabinets, storage buildings, etc. For free estimate call Donnie Moore, 975-2238.

ARE YOU SEEKING someone to do brick and block work? We do patios, foundations, brick houses, and other masonry work. For more information, call 757-1908, 758-5991 or 830-6782 to leave message.

ARE YOU IN NEED OF Quality lawn maintenance or grass cutting? Free estimates. Call 757-1590.

B & B CONSTRUCTION Remodeling and repairs. New additions, decks, painting, roofs, concrete and brick work. Free estimates. 15 years experience. All work guaranteed. 830-9043.

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B & B Painting & Wallpaper Interior/Exterior. 25 years experience. Free estimates. Call 758-6873 or 758-1548 anytime.

BOOKKEEPER. Mature lady desires change. Multiple experience. 758-7367 leave message.

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IF YOU NEED Your grass cut call 753-3822 or 753-3753.

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ROOF LEAKS FIXED and minor repairs. 18 years experience. Work guaranteed. After 6 p.m. call 752-5906.

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064 Work Wanted

W.R.A. LANDSCAPING By Willie. Trash hauling, cement work, flower beds, putting down fresh drain pipe. Call 752-2694, Bethel, 10 years experience.

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WOULD LIKE TO SIT With elderly day or night, at home or hospital. Call 752-2633.

WOULD LIKE TO DO Spring cleaning (clean out garages, attics or general housework). Need to go out or away for the weekend? Will watch kids, pets and all. References furnished. Call 758-5464 after 5. Monday-Friday, anytime weekdays.

068 Antiques

NOTICE! Hawley's Antiques has reopened! Fridays, Noon-4:00 p.m. and Saturdays, 8:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Highway 43, seven miles north of Greenville next to Jarman's Stables in Falkland. Phone 830-8990.

PIANO. Antique Oak upright style. Excellent condition. Includes stool. \$1200. Call 756-6763 after 4 weekdays.

069 Auctions

ABSOLUTE AUCTION Friday, May 26th, 7:30 p.m. Crazy Charlie at North Greene Street, Greenville, North Carolina. 830-9262.

AUCTION SALE Every Friday night, 7PM. Antiques, primitives, collectibles, furniture, appliances, glass, plus much more. Consignments welcome. For info, call day or night, 830-5484 or 1-946-9615. 106 Riverbluff Road, 1/4 mile off Hooker Road, behind Putt-Putt Golf. Auctioneer: C.L. Sumnerlin, NCAL #3477.

GIGANTIC FURNITURE SALE Friday, May 26th, 7:00 p.m. Saturday, May 27th, 7:00 p.m. Sunday, May 28th, 2:00 p.m. at Ole Town Auction, corner of Third and Main Street, Eastfield, NC. For more information, call 827-4291. Doug Wainwright, Auctioneer, NCAL #338.

GREENVILLE Auction Company located at 106 Riverbluff Road will begin having auctions every Friday night beginning May 19 at 7pm sharp.

We specialize in estates, bankruptcy, farms and liquidations. Consignments welcome. For information call C.L. Sumnerlin, Jr. at 830-5484 or 946-9615.

GREENVILLE AUCTION COMPANY Needs furniture, appliances, tools, antiques, primitives and collectibles. We will buy them from you or sell them for you. Nothing too big or too small. For information call C.L. Sumnerlin, Jr. at 830-5484 or 946-9615.

BUY OR SELL - Used PCs (AT/XT) and accessories. TRADE on new PCs, etc., considered. 355-2814 anytime.

081 Furniture

COUCH, CHAIR, 2 end tables, headboard and frame. \$100 for all. Good condition for rental property. 752-9953 days, 756-0108 nights.

DRESSER WITH MIRROR has 9 drawers, 1 used dresser, 2 end tables, 2 new brass lamps and 1 drop leaf kitchen table for sale. 758-2833, 758-0185 or 756-1199.

KING SIZED WATERBED 1 1/2 years old. \$275. Call 830-0654 or 355-7184.

OFFICE FURNITURE - Wholesale prices. Wholesale Office, 1530 South Evans, 355-3867.

3-PIECE DEN furniture set. Must sell before May 31st. \$100. Please call 830-5551 or 756-9938.

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082 Garage-Yard Sales

BIG CLOTHES SALE. Men and women, new and used, plus many more items. Friday and Saturday, May 26 and 27, 9am until, Taff Stationers Building parking lot, 422 Arlington Boulevard, Don't Miss It! Sponsored by Total Eclipse and Friends.

FLEA MARKET Going out of business in Grimesland. Located next to Kash & Karry. Saturday 7 until.

GARAGE SALE. Rain or shine. Highway 33 going towards Grimesland. Friday and Saturday, 8 a.m. until.

GARAGE SALE Saturday May 27, 2611 Dunn Street, off Arlington Boulevard between Memorial Drive and Hooker Road. Jam, rain or shine. Owners are moving. Many assorted items to choose from.

RETAIL SHOPS FOR RENT Mini flea market opening on Riverbluff Road behind Putt-Putt Golf Course. Will build to suit tenant. Also warehouse or office space available. Month to month or lease. For information, call C.L. Sumnerlin at 830-5484.

SOPA BED, \$75. Rocking chair, \$25. Call after 7:00 p.m., 355-3549.

THE SOCK LADY will be at Tice Field Market Saturday, May 27th. Remember Dad with socks Father's Day on June 18th. Will also have yard sale items. Lots of clothes.

YARD SALE, Saturday 8:2, 2323 College View, east 10th Street.

YARD SALE, Saturday, 7am until. Located on road behind PCC across from Reedy Branch Church.

YARD SALE Saturday, SR 147 Behind Stalon House, Fire Department and Belvoir Elementary School. Sofa, small bike, lots of 25c items, 8 until.

YARD SALE, Saturday, May 27, 12 noon. Desk, rocking chair, craft items, lots of stuff. 2122 Sumrell Street, Cherry Oaks. Positioned off rain.

4 FAMILY YARD SALE, 1104 Courtland Road, Orchard Hills subdivisions. Also Certified. Baby furniture, toys, baby clothes, other baby items. Many household items, 19" color TV, excellent condition. 8am until, Saturday, 946-0929.

086 Farm Equipment

JOHN DEERE 111 Lawn tractor. 5 speed, new paint and new mower. 38" cut. 752-1356 after 5.

089 Fruits & Vegetables

FOR SALE: Collards and cabbage plants. Also Certified. Poria Rica sweet potato plants. 946-5026, Earl Gaskins, Washington NC.

092 Livestock

HORSEBACK RIDING. Jarman Stables, 752-5237.

HORSES TRAINED. Boarded and for sale. Call 753-5467 anytime.

STABLES FOR RENT. \$100 per month, feeding included. Pasture included. 756-9508.

099 Miscellaneous

BIG BRAND PIANO and bench. Mahogany. Best offer. 756-1352 evenings and weekends.

CALL CHARLES TICE, 758-3013, for small loads sand, topsoil, stone, pine bark. Also backhoes and driveway work.

CARPET SHAMPOOED at \$15.95 and get your hallway done at no cost. 355-0708 anytime.

CREOSOTE Heavy Timber (like new) 6"x14"x18", 12"x12"x16" or 10"x10"x8-7845 nights.

FOR SALE: MOST ALL types of vacuum cleaners. Electrolux, Rainbow, Kirby's-all like new with 6 months to 5 year warranty. \$25.00 and up. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Call day or night, 355-7667.

FOR SALE: Big screen 35" color Mitsubishi TV. Digital displays, remote control, stereo deck \$2300. Phone 756-7080 or 825-0149.

FOR SALE: HONDA WHEELS, 16 spoke, aluminum alloy. \$300. Call 746-3557.

FOR SALE: 38 solid oak church pews, sky blue padding, excellent condition. Call Washington, NC, 946-9934.

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099 Miscellaneous

ELECTRIC RANGE. Good condition. \$145. Also built-in oven. \$100. 355-2044 or 756-2150.

FREE Wooden Boards, Palettes and Firewood. Contact Van Jones at Hatters Hammonds in person. Absolutely no phone calls!

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KENMORE DRYER, 3 months old. Retail for \$400. Owners moving, must sell \$300. Call 756-6763 after 4 weekdays.

MOVING. Couch, chair, dresser, microwave, lamps, washer/dryer, etc. Call 355-7989 or 355-7012 after 6 p.m.

NEW AND USED OFFICE FURNITURE

Office desks, files, chairs, safes, computer furniture, folding tables and chairs, etc. 1212 North Greene Street, McBudget Office Furniture 752-9834.

NEW 5-PIECE wood dinette suit only \$139.95.

NEW 8-PIECE living room suit only \$189.95.

NEW 4-DRAWER chest only \$39.95.

NEW 252 COIL Mattress and foundation. Twin-\$79.95 set; Full: \$99.95 set; Queen: \$138.95 set. Compare our prices before you buy, we will save you money. Jamie's Furniture 756-6027.

REFRIGERATOR FOR SALE. Runs great, \$125. Days, 756-2541; nights 756-9494.

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SEARS 3'x12' ROUND POOL, one year old, complete with filter, needs liner, \$75. 355-8964 after 6:00 p.m.

SHAMPOO YOUR RUG! Rent! Shampooers and vacuums at Rental Tool Company.

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099 Miscellaneous

SHINGLES \$8.95 square and up. 2"x6" Hardboard siding \$9.95. Reject plywood 5/8" \$6.35, 3/4" \$6.95. Treated lumber-now on sale. Builders Bargain Center, Greenville 758-7061.

SWIMMING POOLS \$1188 Early bird Special on 1989 pools. Huge 19x31' pool. Huge deck, fence, filter and warranty. Installation and financing available. 24 hours: 1-855-722-5843.

USED AUTOMATIC WASHER. Almond, \$125. Call 752-2625.

USED 9' SLATE POOL Tables. Call 1-800-627-1691.

VEHICLES, BOATS, PLANES, Jewelry and much more. Up to 90% Off. 919-867-1548 EXT 36R.

WASHERS - DRYERS, refrigerators, freezers, stoves \$100 up Guaranteed. 746-6929.

WASHERS, DRYERS, stoves, refrigerators and freezers repairs. \$15 and up. Best prices in town. We buy your old appliances working or not. We make house calls 7 days a week, 6am-9pm. 752-0772.

24,000 BTU Air conditioner. \$275 or best offer. Call 752-2849 after 5pm.

8 HORSEPOWER RIDING lawn mower in good shape. \$200 negotiable. 1-975-6717 after 7:30 p.m.

95 SQUARE YARDS OF Carpet for sale. Some rust and some good. Cheap. 355-7106.

102 Mobile Homes For Sale

A ONCE IN A LIFETIME Opportunity. Right now, Calvary Homes is offering America's #1 manufactured homes, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fully furnished, brand name appliances for only \$10,995. That's less than \$350 monthly. So call Calvary Homes in Chocowinity, 946-0929.

ARE YOU TIRED OF Paying high interest rates which determine outrageous monthly payments? Then you need to come to Calvary where we offer 10.3% fixed rates with no points, and guarantee the very best satisfaction. Calvary Homes, Highway 17 South, Chocowinity, 946-0929.

ASSUMABLE LOAN on 14x60 Fleetwood, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, one year old, excellent condition. Payments of \$167.25 per month. Call 757-3181.

BARGAIN, Reduced! 1984 Calvary, 14x54, 9.9% loan, \$154.19 a month. 756-2187.

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CALVARY HOMES is committed to customer satisfaction. Not only do we have a professional sales staff that help you select the home that meets the needs of you and your family, but we also guarantee the lowest prices that can be found. So come to Calvary Homes where "Calvary Makes The Difference". Highway 17 South, Chocowinity, 946-0929.

CLOSE-OUT SPECIAL! New 1986 Fleetwood, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, total electric, cathedral ceiling. Pay \$895 down with payments less than \$180 per month. Call Azalea Homes-North (across from airport) at 758-4497.

EXCELLENT SELECTIONS of doublewide homes, from \$19,995-44,900. Sale prices on many models-Hurry-Martindale Homes, Highway 301 South, Wilson. 1-800-637-1228.

FACTORY OUTLET Custom order your Horton or Mansion home. (Colors, carpets, etc.) \$16,995. Lack of room with payments under \$210 per month. Martindale Homes, Highway 301 South, Wilson. 1-800-637-1228.

FUQUA MOBILE HOME 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished, washer/dryer, air conditioning with oil heat. Excellent condition. \$10,995. Located in Azalea Gardens, Greenville, 752-7723.

NEW 1989 4 BED ROOM doublewide with fireplace, stereo system, ceiling fan, total electric, great room. All this for less than \$315 a month. Call Azalea Homes-North (across from airport) at 758-4497.

ROOM TO ROOM! 14x80 3 bedroom, 2 bath, total electric, walk-in closets, glamour bath with round tub, stereo system. All this for less than \$230 a month. Call Azalea Homes-North (across from airport) at 758-4497.

TWO BEDROOM 14 wide, set up in excellent park, underpinned, deck \$8900. Call Mary evenings, 756-1997 or leave message. Owner financing.

TWO BEDROOM 14 wide, set up in excellent park, underpinned, deck \$8900. Call Mary evenings, 756-1997 or leave message. Owner financing.

TIRED OF RENTING? Own this beauty for less than rent. 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, total electric, beautiful country decor. All this can be yours for less than \$120 a month. For details call Azalea Homes-North (across from airport) at 758-4497.

WANTED: Mobile homes that need to be wired. Quality work at low prices. Free estimates over the phone. Call 753-7192.

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102 Mobile Homes For Sale

YES YOU CAN AFFORD this comfortable 2 bedroom, 2 bath on the Pamlico. Private park affords seashore pleasures amidst nature's treasures. Yours plus negotiable extras with this furnished 12x65' Durango with central air. 1-946-7927, message.

12X44, Central air, electric heat, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, underpinned, storage building. In city limits. \$7500. 355-5263.

14x70, 1984, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, central air, all appliances, excellent condition. Rustic Ridge Trailer Park. Assume loan. \$270 payment. 758-6438.

1979 CONNER 14x60 2 bedrooms, unfurnished, \$6000 or best offer. Collect. 756-3071.

1984 OAKWOOD 14x60, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, all appliances, underpinned, deck, storage room, located in Washington, NC but can be moved. 1-975-2702 after 7:00 p.m.

1984 14x76 MERIT, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, assumable loan. Call 946-9882.

1985 14x54 2 bedroom, 1 bath, \$1,000 down, take over payments at \$172.00. Call 757-0057.

1986 KNOX 2 bedroom 1 bath, total electric, new furniture. Pay \$395 down with payments less than \$160 a month. For details call Azalea Homes-North (across from airport) 758-4497.

1989 FLEETWOOD 80x14, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, frost-free refrigerator, ceiling fan, storm windows, stereo, fully furnished. Only \$16,995. Lack of room with payments under \$210 per month. Martindale Homes, Highway 301 South, Wilson. 1-800-637-1228.

1989 14 WIDE, payments as low as \$160.66. Greenville volume dealer. Thomas' Mobile Home Sales. Across from Airport. 752-6068.

105 Musical Instruments

CASH FOR USED PIANOS. Call 946-6002.

KIMBALL OAK CONSOLE piano. Excellent condition, needs tuning. \$1600 negotiable. Call after 6, 355-298

# Thursday Classifieds

## 122 Business Opportunities

**1001 WOLFF SUNBEDS TONING TABLES**  
Commercial-Home Tanning Room  
Save to 50%-Prices from \$249.  
Lamps-Lotions-Accessories.  
Call today FREE Color catalog.  
1-800-228-6292 (NCNET).

## 124 Professional

**CHIMNEY SWEEPING** And fireplace repairs. Call Gid Holman day or night, 753-3503 Farmville.

## 132 Commercial Property

**FOR RENT:** 5,000 square feet warehouse with loading dock and one office. Available with 90 day notice. New building, 5 year lease required. Contact 758-3191 days or 355-5947 nights ask for Mike.

**FOR SALE: COMMERCIAL** property, 200' road frontage on North Greene Street 1/4 mile North of Greene Street bridge on 4-lane highway. Contact owner for appointment only, 752-4655.

**HIGHWAY COMMERCIAL** Site. 200' x 295'. Call Jeannette Cox Agency, 756-1322.

**LOCATION-LOCATION-Location.** 1200 square feet available in one of Greenville's most dynamic areas. Call Bobby Tripp at Loughridge Oil, 756-1345.

**LOOKING FOR Commercial** Real Estate to lease or buy? We serve as clearing house. No fee. Commercial Locators, 830-4759.

**RETAIL SHOPS FOR RENT** Mini mall flea market opening on Riverbluff Road behind Puff-Puff Golf Course. Will build to suit tenant. Also warehouse or office space available. Month to month or lease. For information, call C.L. Summerlin at 946-9615 or 758-5786.

## 136 Condominiums For Sale

**BEAUFORT WATERFRONT-2** bedroom townhomes on Front Street, Beaufort. Garage, boat slips, pool. All appliances included. From \$57,000. Call Chalk & Gibbs, Better Homes & Gardens, (919) 726-3167 or (919) 728-5797.

**QUAIL RIDGE** 2,000 square foot flat, 2 baths, 3 bedrooms. Call 355-5290.

**144 Houses For Sale**  
**BELVEDERE** - Just listed, darling brick home with great room, fireplace, spacious kitchen with built-ins that opens onto screened porch, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, central heat/air and single garage. Priced to sell at \$69,500. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; nights 355-2588.

**BREAK OUT** Of Paying Rent! New 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick starter home in \$40's. Only 3% down and builder pays points and closing costs. Hignite Realtors, HOMES BY VIDEO, INC. 757-1969 anytime.

**PRESTIGIOUS** 2 story near river in Washington. 2700 square feet, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. \$125,000. 946-5502 (Realtors Welcome. Fee \$2K).

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## 144 Houses For Sale

**COLONIAL HEIGHTS.** This new listing offers over 1740 square feet of living area for only \$63,900. You'll enjoy living room with fireplace, oversized den, eat-in kitchen, 3 bedrooms, and wooded fenced in yard. Many more extras. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500 or nights, 355-2588.

**CONTEMPORARY** in the Woods! Over 2000 square feet, vaulted ceilings in greatroom and lovely stone fireplace are the beginning! Formal dining, bright kitchen, master suite downstairs, two bedrooms upstairs. Pool and tennis courts! \$104,900. Please ask for Sue Dunn Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**FOR SALE BY OWNER.** Riverhills, New Cape Cod, wooded lot, 3-4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, large deck, 2 car garage, room above convertible. E 300, 752-5234 after 6pm.

**MINUTES** FROM Hospital and non-qualifying loan assumption. Pay equity and take over payments below market rate on this home. It has greatroom, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, heat/pump Assumption. Only \$69,000. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**NEW LISTING** in medical district. 5 bedroom bungalow offers 3 full baths, formal areas, spacious den, screened porch and detached garage workshop. Over 2000 square feet with FHA Non-qualifying loan assumption. \$64,900. For loan information please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; nights 355-2588.

**NO CITY TAXES-3** bedroom brick ranch with fireplace, sunken country kitchen and detached garage. Fruit and pecan trees. Only \$43,900. Points and closing costs paid by seller. Hignite Realtors, HOMES BY VIDEO, INC. 757-1969 anytime.

**NON-QUALIFYING FHA** Assumption is available on this immaculate five bedroom, 3 full bath home, also has all formal areas, den, large screened porch, hardwood floors, heat/pump and detached garage workshop with skylights and maintenance free exterior. Unbelievably priced at \$64,900. A must see! Please ask for Sue Dunn Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**OWNERS READY TO MOVE.** Make an offer on tastefully decorated 3 bedroom brick traditional in Elmhurst School district. Formal living room and dining room plus large family room. Hardwood floors, crown molding, fireplace. Beautiful new kitchen with center island, pantry and breakfast area, extra closet space, large bedrooms, fenced yard. Call 355-5070.

**REDUCED TO \$70,000.** University Area. Features living room with fireplace, adjoining reading room (or den), 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, formal dining room, ample kitchen space, hardwood floors. Central air and heating, high ceilings. Large walk-in attic, attached garage. Approximately 2000 square feet. Excellent condition. 752-3129 days; 752-2084 nights.

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## 144 Houses For Sale

**BY OWNER** - Nice starter home, brick, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, fenced in yard, 8 1/2% assumable loan, 1254 square feet, \$42,900. Call today, 756-4923.

**REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE!** Three bedroom Williamsburg with master bedroom down, and the prefinished old brick fireplace you've seen! Formal dining with double doors leading to large deck, kitchen with bay window in the breakfast area, outside storage barn, and corner lot in Cherry Oaks. Reduced \$5,000 to \$89,900. Hignite Realtors, HOMES BY VIDEO, INC. Call 757-1969 anytime.

**THIS NEW LISTING** in the University area has an excellent loan assumption and also greatroom with fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, updated kitchen, central heat/air, lots of personality. Only \$66,900. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; nights, 355-2588.

**UNFINISHED UPSTAIRS** Offers room to grow! Downstairs you have greatroom that opens onto screened porch! Three large bedrooms and two full baths, dining room and bright kitchen. Wooded corner lot in Cleveewood for the traditional lover. Now only \$101,900. Please ask for Sue Dunn Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**WESTHAVEN** - This new listing has much to offer the growing family! Three bedrooms, 2 baths, spacious greatroom with fireplace, dining room and large eat-in kitchen. Extras include, over sized screened-in porch, deck, workshop and garage. Also, partially finished upstairs. Corner wooded lot and priced for only \$105,000. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; nights 355-2588.

**WESTHAVEN** - This home will delight the lady who wishes a large kitchen with work island and also a large greatroom with fireplace. In addition there are three bedrooms, two baths, a large screened porch, deck and garage. Extras are workshop, corner lot, unfinished second floor. Much house for only \$105,000. Please ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**WINDSOR** - This newly constructed home offers greatroom with fireplace, eat-in kitchen, master suite downstairs and two additional bedrooms upstairs, two baths, deck and front porch for relaxing. Only \$93,500. Hurry. Please ask for Sue Dunn Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**YARD BUFFS.** This yard's for you! Beautifully landscaped this two story home has greatroom with fireplace and built-ins and opens onto privacy fenced deck, formal dining room, kitchen with breakfast area, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and garage. Nice detached workshop! All for \$99,900. Please ask for Sue Dunn Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500, nights 355-2588.

**148 Investment Property**  
**INVESTOR** Wanted to purchase builder's model home. 1 1/2% return. Triple net, 2-year lease. Call George Jenkins with Westminster Company, 355-3558.

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## 150 Land For Sale

**AYDEN** - 8 acres of land for development in the city. Plotted for 20 lots. Can be used for single houses, duplexes and multi-family dwellings. Underground utilities available. Call 746-6116.

**FREE LAND** North Carolina location on 1 3/4 acres. Beautiful landscape, septic and well, paved road. Valued at \$10,000. In exchange for doublewide mobile home moved to state of Florida by reputable person and set on cinder blocks. (609) 227-4991.

**17 ACRES** Multi Unit land. Hooker Road. Ben Wilson Realty, 795-4687.

**2.15 ACRES,** Winterville area. \$18,000. Call 758-6481.

**3 ACRES WOODED,** 195 feet road frontage, out of town wishes to sale quickly, reduced to \$18,000 firm. Winterville. 1-729-0381.

**5 ACRES WOODED,** 450 feet road frontage, 830 feet on back line can be divided once, appraised at \$48,900, have 2 perks, out of town wishes to sale quickly, reduced \$35,900, can have horses. Winterville. Call 1-729-0381.

**151 Mobile Home Lots For Sale**  
**HALF ACRE MOBILE** home lots for sale. \$1,000 down, \$102 a month. Owner financing. Call 946-0017 days, 756-4015 nights.

**2 LOTS LEFT** at Sandstone Mobile Home Subdivision. Septic tank and water included. Financing available. 758-5103.

**152 Lots For Sale**  
**ABOVE AVERAGE** Size lot. Westhaven-Section 8. Call 355-7627.

**AYDEN/NEAR THE PINES.** 2.3 acres, 340 feet of frontage, city water, can be divided once. \$14,900. Speight Realty, 752-2136, 756-4156.

**CRAFT WINDS,** Winterville School District. All city services, underground utilities, curb and gutter. Offered by RAC Enterprises. Phone 355-6236; 756-9007.

**1 1/2 ACRES,** 190 feet road frontage, Winterville, reduced to \$18,000. 1-729-0381.

**2.3 ACRES Improved.** Includes county water and septic. Located between SR-903 and SR-102, 8 minutes from Carolina East Mall. \$21,000. 746-3884.

**153 Loans & Mortgages**  
**ATTENTION HOMEOWNERS.** Tired of being told no? Call The Big Easy. If you have equity in your home, Telstar Mortgage has money to lend regardless of credit! 24 hour approval in most cases. Operators on duty 24 hours a day. 1-800-222-3072.

**MILLIONS TO LEND REGARDLESS OF CREDIT**  
48 HOUR APPROVAL SERVICE  
Bill consolidation, home improvements, second mortgage, refinancing, first purchase. If you have equity in your home, we can give you a loan.  
1-800-759-MONY

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## 155 Resort Property For Sale

**WATERFRONT** FROM \$19,500. Water access for \$7,000. Recreational waters. Near Bath and Belhaven. Sea Gull Realty, (919) 964-6063.

## 157 Townhouses For Sale

**WILLIAMSBURG MANOR,** 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths. Energy efficient. \$37,900. Owner financing available. 756-5651.

## 161 Apartments For Rent

**KINGS ROW APARTMENTS**  
ONE AND TWO BEDROOM Garden Apartments. Fully equipped kitchen, pool, basketball court, cable TV, 24 hour emergency maintenance and ECU bus service. Now leasing for May and August. Call 752-3519. Located behind Western Sier and Hardee's on East 10th Street. Office hours: Monday-Friday, 9-5:30; Saturdays, 10-4; Sundays, 1-5.

**ACT FAST!** 2 bedroom duplex \$190 or 4 bedroom \$225 Others 752-1375 HOMELOCATORS Fee.

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## 161 Apartments For Rent

**A BEAUTIFUL PLACE**  
ALL NEW 2 BEDROOMS  
**UNIVERSITY APARTMENTS**  
2899 E. 3th Street  
(Ask us about our special rates to change leases, and discounts for April rentals)  
• Located Near ECU  
• Near Major Shopping Centers  
• ECU bus service  
• Onsite laundry  
Contact J.T. or Tommy Williams 756-7815 or 758-7436

**AZALEA GARDENS**  
CLEAN AND QUIET one bedroom furnished apartments, energy efficient, free water and sewer, optional washers, dryers, cable TV. \$215 a month. 6 month lease.  
**MOBILE HOME RENTALS** - Apartments and mobile homes in Azalea Gardens near Brook Valley Country Club. Contact J.T. or Tommy Williams 756-7815

**LANGSTON PARK** Apartments. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. Central heat and air. Washer/dryer hookups. Nice size rooms. Close to campus. \$325 per month. Lease and deposit required. Diffus Realty, Inc. 756-2675.

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## 161 Apartments For Rent

**KINGS ARMS**  
Large 1 bedroom apartments. Carpeted, modern kitchen appliances, heat pump for energy efficient heating and cooling. Laundry facilities. 1209 Charles Boulevard, Office Apartment 104.  
752-8915

**LOVE TREES?**  
Experience the unique in apartment living with nature outside your door.

**COURTNEY SQUARE APARTMENTS**  
Quality construction, fireplaces, heat pumps (heating costs 50 percent less than comparable units), dishwasher, washer-dryer hook-ups, cable TV, wall-to-wall carpet, thermopane windows, extra insulation.  
Office Open 9-5 Weekdays  
9-5 Saturday 1-5 Sunday  
Merry Lane Off Arlington Blvd.  
756-5067

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## 161 Apartments For Rent

**Cherry Court**  
Spacious 2 bedroom townhouse with 1 1/2 baths. Also 1 bedroom apartments available. All are carpeted, with modern kitchen appliances including compactator and dishwasher. Central heat and air. Free basic cable TV, water and sewer. Washer/dryer hook-ups plus laundry room, pool, sauna, tennis court, club house. 752-1557

## EASTBROOK AND VILLAGE GREEN APARTMENTS

One, two and three bedroom apartments, featuring cable TV, modern appliances, clean laundry facilities, swimming pools, fully carpeted.  
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**ELM VILLA APARTMENTS.** 208 South Elm Street, 1 bedroom, furnished. Heat, air and water furnished. 752-3376.

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## 161 Apartments For Rent

**FARMVILLE.** Like new 2 bedroom apartment with all appliances. Cable ready, patio, total electric. \$260 per month. Call 753-4750 after 6.

**FURNISHED!** 1 bedroom \$240 or nice 3 bedroom \$450 Near ECU 7 5 2 - 1 3 7 5 HOMELOCATORS Fee.

## GreeneWay

Large 2 bedroom garden apartments, all with 7 closets, carpeting, kitchen appliances including dishwasher, central heat and air. Free basic cable TV, water and sewer. Laundry rooms, spacious grounds, playground and pool, abundant parking. Pets allowed. Adjacent to Greenville Country Club. (\$310). 756-0869.

**IDEAL LOCATION!** Next to Pitt County Memorial Hospital and ECU Med School. Beautiful NEW 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Huge floor plans. Closet space galore. Extras, like fireplaces, washer/dryer hook-ups, mini-blinds, bay windows, vaulted ceilings, free basic cable and more. Hurry, the last building opening soon. Call 830-0661.

## TREYBROOKE APARTMENTS

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## 2.9 APR ON SELECTED MODELS

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Limited Time Only, So Hurry!

**1989 Nissan Sentra**  
GN1881  
\$7,489<sup>00</sup> \$1399<sup>3</sup>  
\$750<sup>00</sup> Rebate  
\$6,739<sup>00</sup> per month\*  
\*72 months, 14.5 A.P.R., plus tax and tags.

**1989 Stanza E**  
GN1677  
\$11,505<sup>00</sup> \$1984<sup>2</sup>  
\$2,000<sup>00</sup> Rebate  
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**\$500 DOWN CASH OR TRADE & \$500 CASH COUPON**

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GP739	1988	Ford Escort	\$5,450	12.9	\$119 <sup>99</sup>	54
GP738	1985	Ford Escort	\$3,650	14.9	\$109 <sup>04</sup>	36
GP737	1988	Ford Escort	\$5,650	12.9	\$126 <sup>21</sup>	54
GP735	1984	Mercury Lynx	\$3,150	15.9	\$93 <sup>03</sup>	36
GP736	1986	Mercury Lynx	\$3,750	13.9	\$98 <sup>16</sup>	42
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GP726	1987	Ford Escort	\$5,200	13.9	\$128 <sup>19</sup>	48
GP721A	1986	Nissan Sentra	\$3,800	14.9	\$99 <sup>99</sup>	42
GP720	1988	Ford Festiva	\$4,900	12.9	\$107 <sup>83</sup>	54
GP714	1986	Dodge 600	\$4,850	14.9	\$133 <sup>54</sup>	42
GP708	1987	Ford Escort	\$4,175	13.9	\$99 <sup>24</sup>	48
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GP609	1987	Ford Ranger	\$7,995	13.9	\$199 <sup>97</sup>	48
GP603	1988	Ford Ranger	\$7,995	12.9	\$183 <sup>68</sup>	54
GP601	1985	Ford Ranger	\$4,550	15.9	\$142 <sup>18</sup>	36
GP592	1987	Ford Ranger	\$5,875	13.9	\$146 <sup>61</sup>	48
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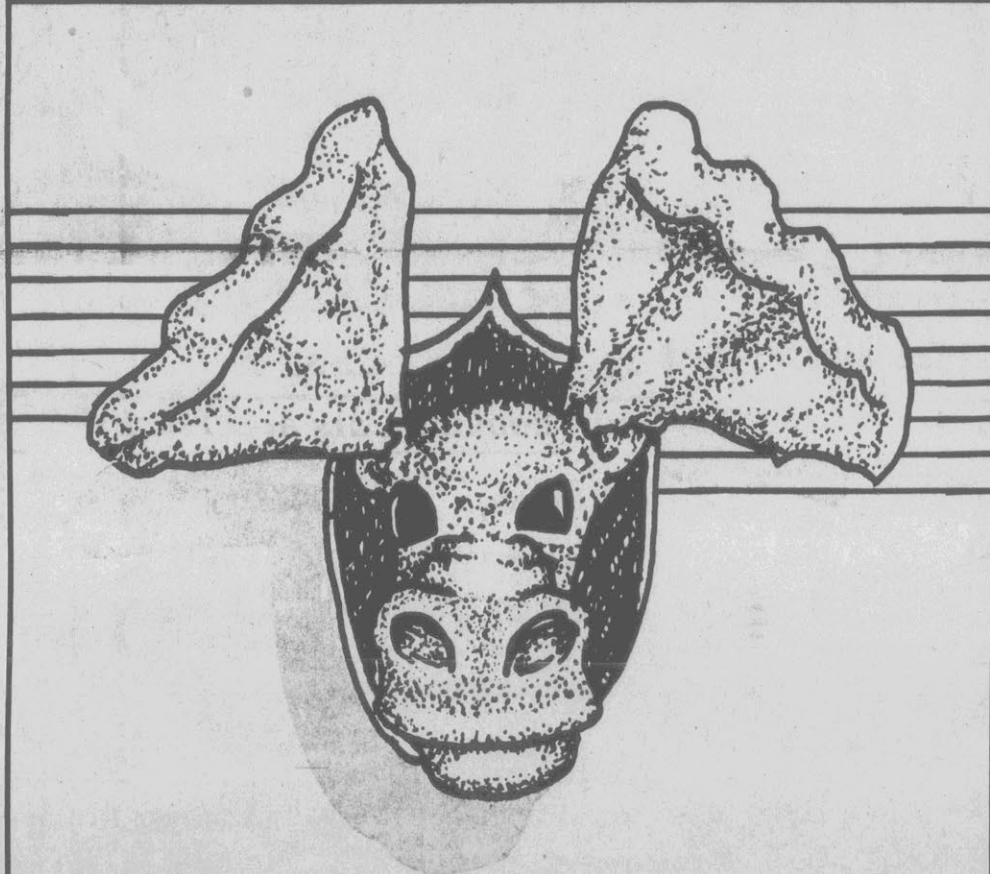
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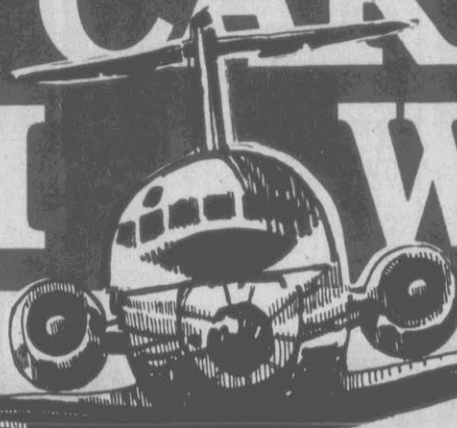


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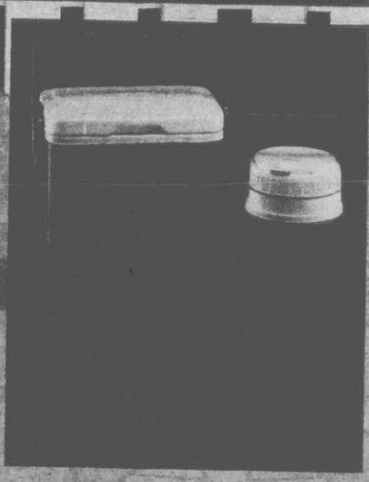
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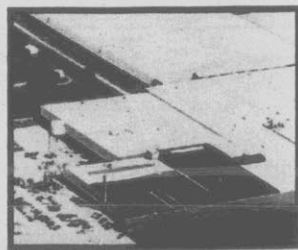
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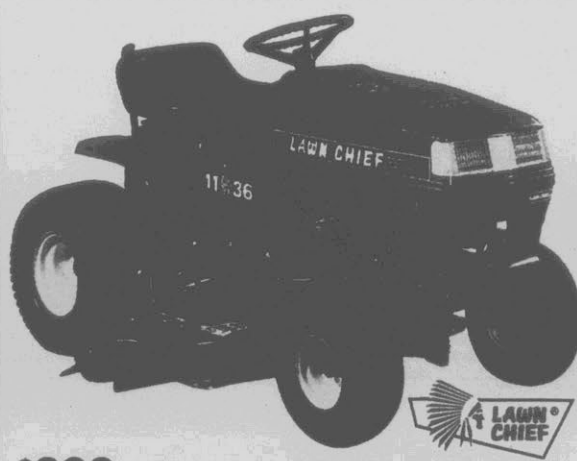
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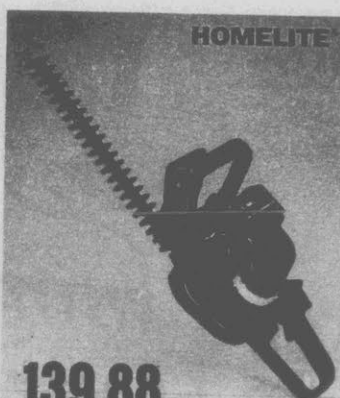


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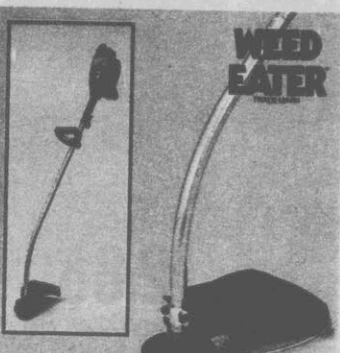
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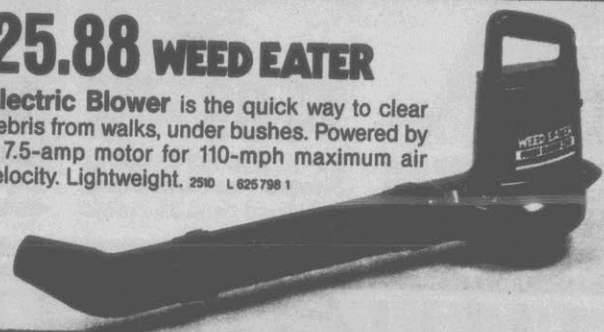
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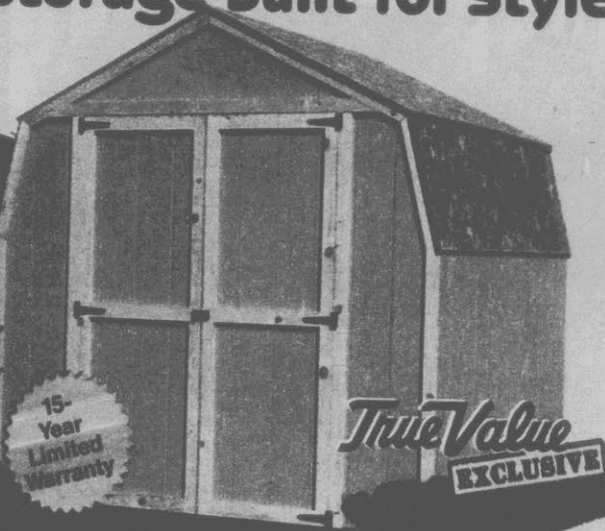
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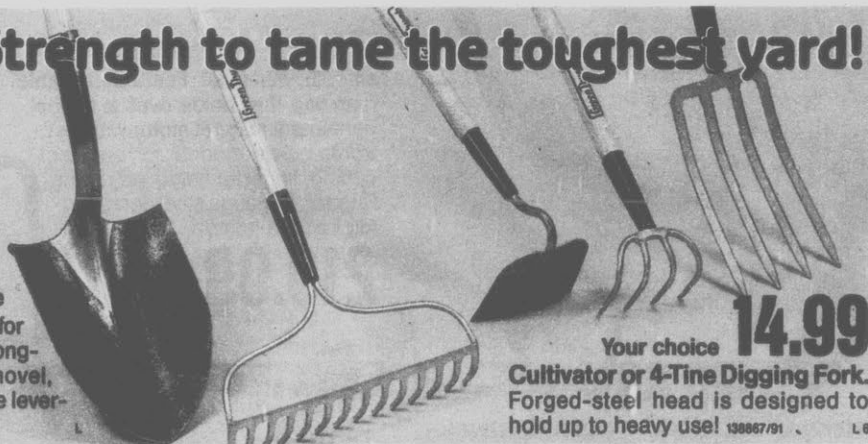
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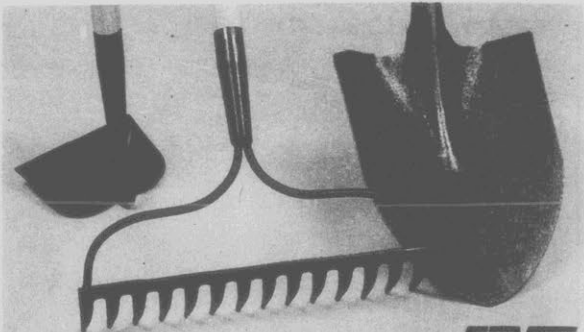
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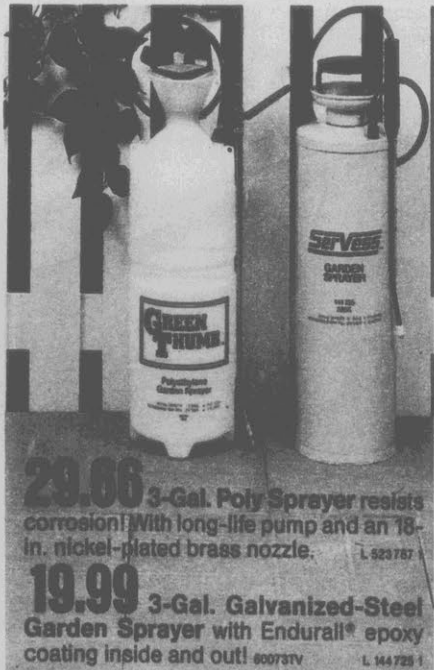
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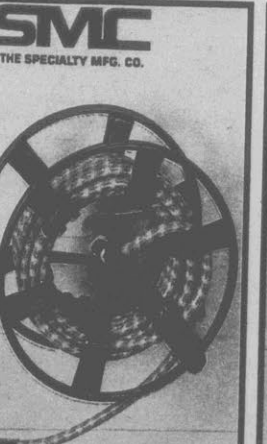
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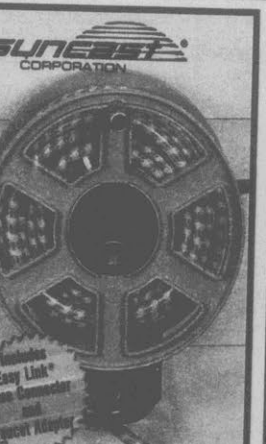
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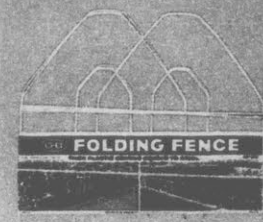
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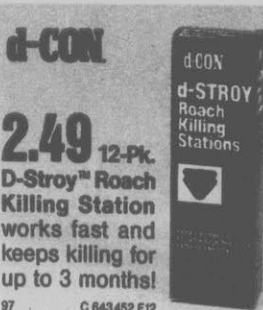
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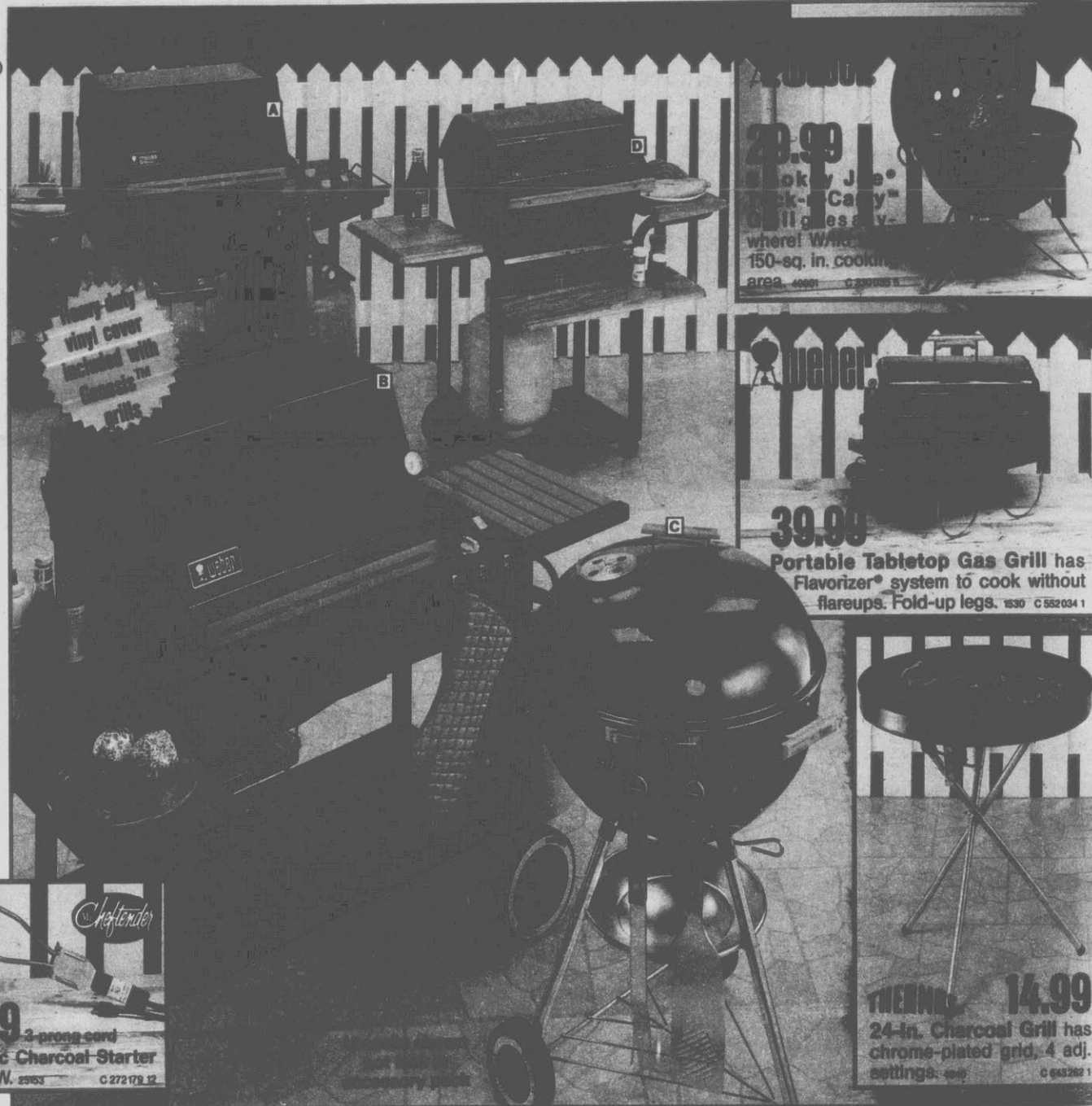
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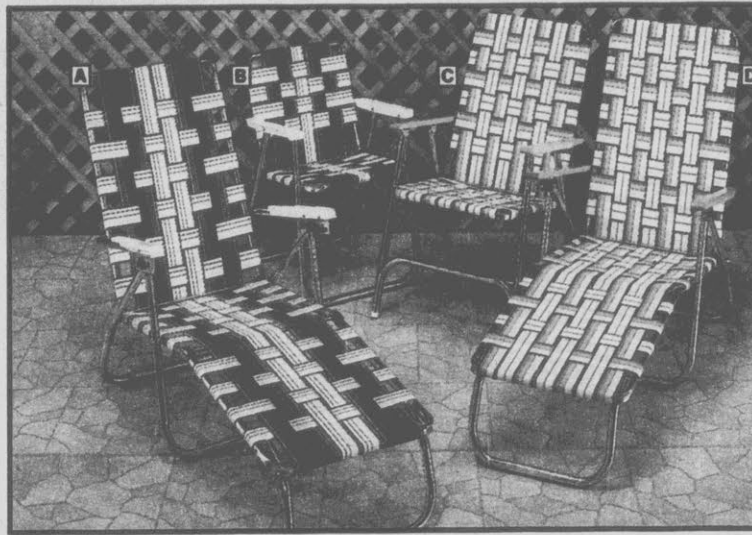


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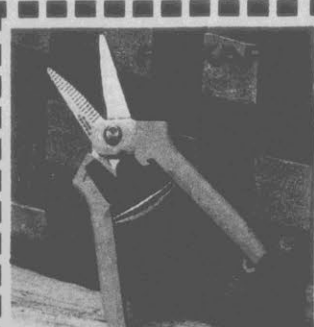
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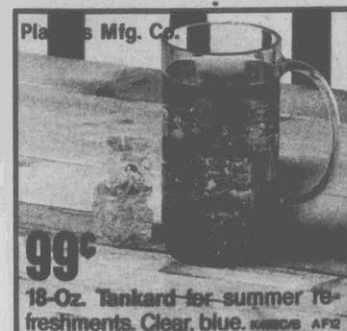
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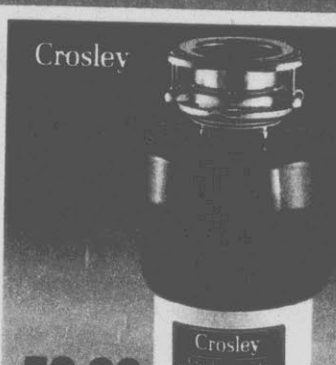
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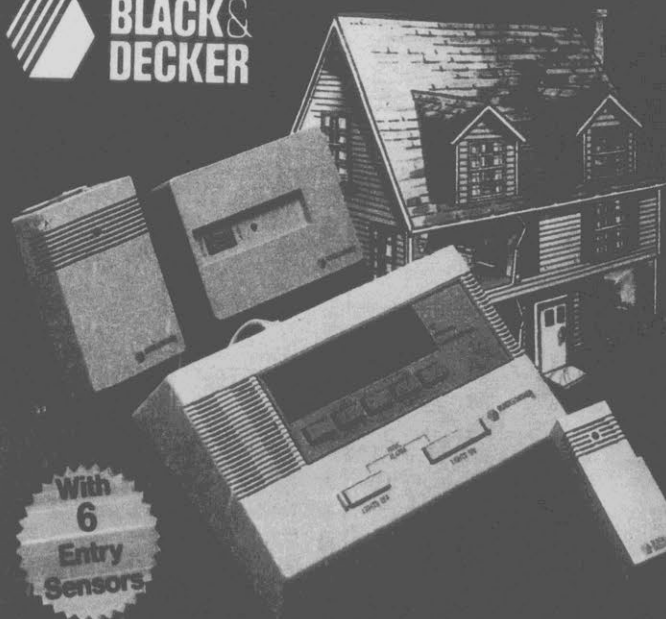


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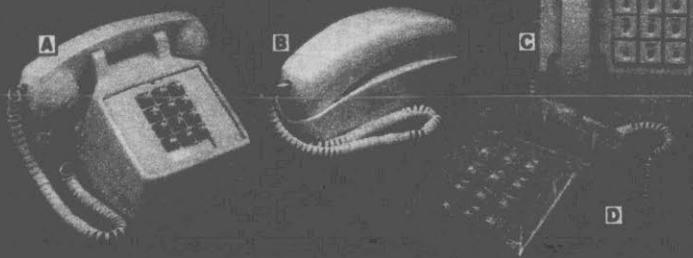
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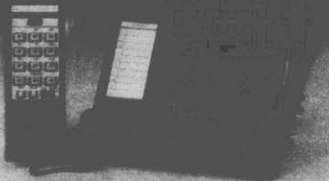
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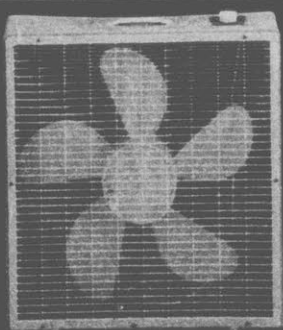
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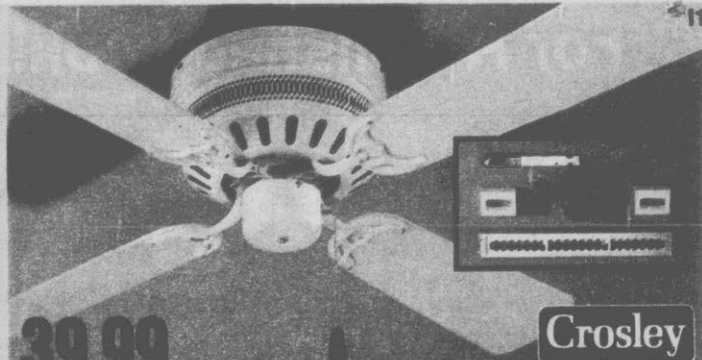
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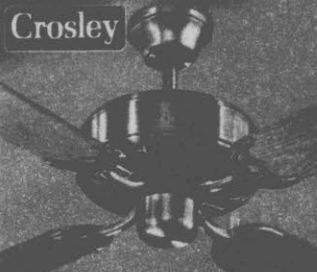


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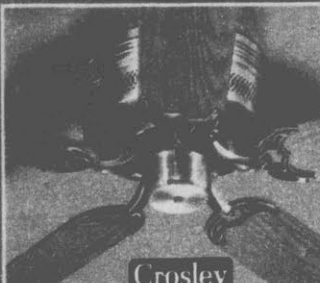
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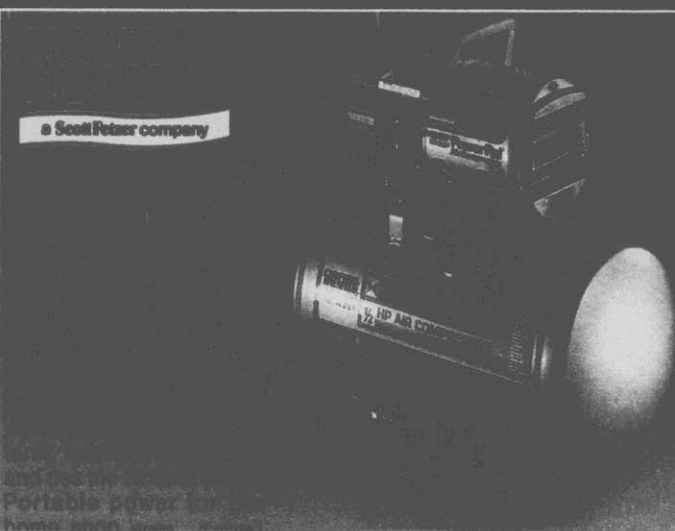
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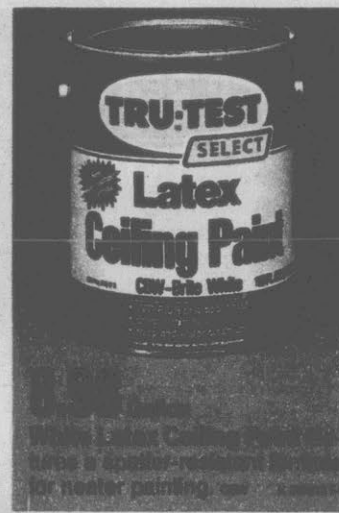


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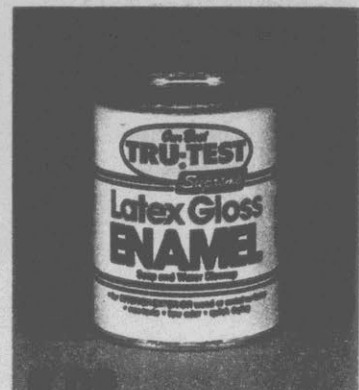
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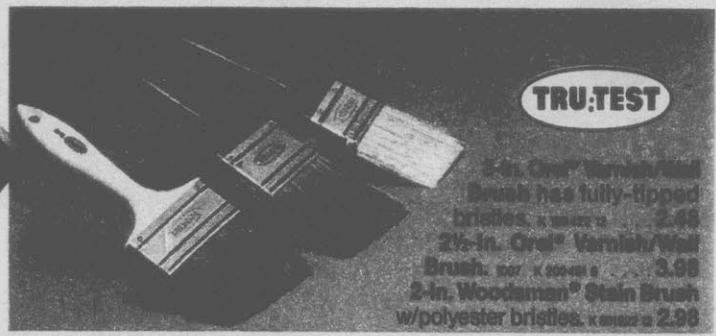
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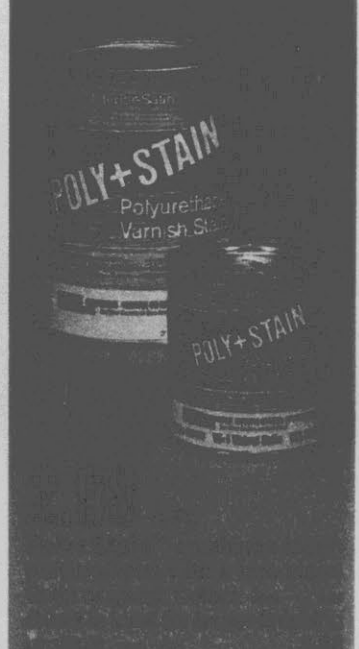


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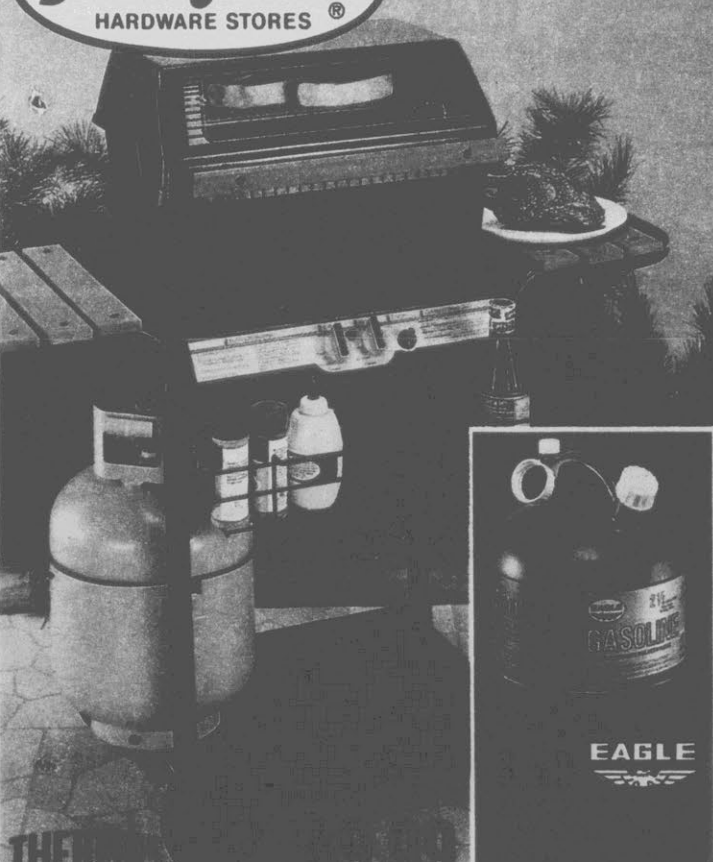
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