

Consumer Price Increases Inching Down

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer prices increased four-tenths of a per cent in January as the first decline in retail food prices in five months helped slow the rate of inflation, the government said today.

The Labor Department said the January consumer

prices were reported on a seasonally adjusted basis. In December, consumer prices increased five-tenths of a per cent.

For the 12-month period ending in January, consumer prices increased 6.8 per cent, the lowest 12-month increase since July 1973 when prices

had risen 5.7 per cent.

Wholesale prices have not increased at all during the past three-month period.

The Ford administration is forecasting an inflation rate of just under 6 per cent for 1976, and the January increase in prices was well within the target period. If

continued for 12 months, the January inflation rate would lead to an over-all hike in consumer prices of only about 4.8 per cent in the year.

The Labor Department said a decline in grocery store food prices of four-tenths of a per cent during January partially offset a big

increase of prices of services of 1.1 per cent. Services prices were pushed upward by a postal rate increase and higher medical costs and auto insurance rates.

Gasoline and motor oil prices fell 1.6 per cent in January, also contributing to the slower inflation rate.

Among foods, there were lower prices in January for pork, poultry, beef and fresh vegetables. The decline in pork and poultry prices were especially sharp, the department said.

Prices of commodities other than foods increased two-tenths of a per cent in

January, the smallest gain in the commodities index since a similar increase in September of 1973.

The Labor Department said its consumer price index in January was 166.7, meaning that consumers had to pay \$166.70 for goods that cost only \$100 in 1967.

The Labor Department also said that spendable earnings of workers increased two-tenths of a per cent in January and were up 4.3 per cent for the 12-month period ending in January.

Consumer prices rose during the final three-months of 1975 at an annual rate of 7.6.

Final Council Approval Given West Meadowbrook Project

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer

The final step in the planning process for the West Meadowbrook Redevelopment Project was taken Thursday night as the City Council gave its unanimous approval to the \$1.4 million program.

Some misunderstanding concerning acquisition of land outside the flood plain existed among some of the West Meadowbrook residents, it was pointed out during last night's public hearing.

Joe Laney, executive director of the Redevelopment Commission, explained the relocation and acquisition process to the gathering and pointed out that homeowners are entitled to the appraised value of their homes as well as up to \$15,000 in replacement housing funds toward purchase of another home. In addition, relocation benefits have also been authorized, he said.

Council approval, given during a special call meeting, ended an exhausting schedule of planning steps and public hearings, especially for many residents of the project neighborhood who journeyed time-after-time to city hall to hear and discuss proposed plans.

The purpose of the program, to be funded with Community Development money, is to improve the living conditions for approximately 500 citizens, many of them living in deteriorating or dilapidated structures.

Tenants living in property scheduled for acquisition by the Commission may also be eligible for assistance to help them in renting another dwelling and if they wish to purchase a home, payments of up to \$4,000 may be available towards a down payment if the tenant meets eligibility requirements.

Offering an example of what could take place in the case of a homeowner whose property is slated for purchase, Laney used a possible appraisal figure of \$6,000 for the home and proposed that the homeowner located a

The project will involve the relocating of families out of the flood plain area, construction of a neighborhood park and assisting families who do not live in the flood plain to rehabilitate their homes.

The main goal of the project, which involves some 63 acres, is to help people who live in the project area to improve their homes and help is available in the form of financial and technical assistance.

The Redevelopment Commission has been authorized by the city to handle relocation land acquisition activities and will purchase all structures north of the flood plain which can not be

economically rehabilitated. All property located south of the flood plain boundary, which generally runs 150-200 feet south of and parallel to Moore Street, is scheduled for purchase by the city since the area is susceptible to severe flooding.

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Held In Armed Robbery

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

A man suspected of robbing the Fourth Street office of the Beneficial Finance Co. here passed the scene of his alleged crime about two hours after the 2:20 p.m. holdup, on his way to the Pitt County jail.

Police Chief Glenn Cannon said James Edward Spence, 32, of Hope Mills was taken into custody by Highway Patrol Sgt. Bobby Edwards on U.S. 13 two miles South of Snow Hill about 3:10 p.m. Cannon said Sgt. Edwards stopped Spence because the car answered the description of the vehicle seen leaving the scene of the robbery.

The chief said employees of Beneficial Finance — at 121 West Fourth St. — told investigators a lone bandit entered the loan company office, produced a blue steel automatic pistol and told them it was a holdup. He asked for and was given the cash from a cash drawer, then ordered

manager Len Wilson and another employee, Christy Whitfield, to lie on the floor and wait for him to leave.

Wilson told investigators he had given the robber \$159 in bills.

Other witnesses told of seeing a man get into a car — left running — behind the finance office and leave the scene.

Cannon said Sgt. Edwards found \$159 in Spence's pocket when he stopped him in Greene County. A .380 caliber automatic was found under the driver's seat of his car.

Charged with armed robbery, Spence was jailed under \$10,000 bond.

Cannon said investigators from more than a half-dozen other North Carolina towns and one South Carolina city have expressed interest in questioning Spence in connection with robberies in those places.



Code Of Peace Prevails
THE PASS IN THE DESERT — An Israeli jeep, foreground left, and truck pass an Egyptian convoy, right, in Sinai's Gidi Pass Thursday. Israelis still hold this part of the pass where Egyptians are building electronic surveillance station under U.S.-sponsored accords. (AP Wirephoto)

Gov. Holshouser Says He Expects Legislative Harmony On Budgeting



RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Jim Holshouser said today he expects General Assembly leaders to work closely with him in balancing this year's state budget.

"I don't think that we'll have any disagreement between the executive and the legislature if that money is needed to balance the budget," the governor told a news conference.

Holshouser was referring to \$13.3 million which a legislative conference committee had recommended be placed in a reserve fund for spending next year instead of being used this year to balance the budget.

During a nearly hour-long news conference, the governor said the state's revenue picture was more discouraging than had previously been expected.

He said all anticipated revenues would be needed to balance the budget for next year.

Even so, Holshouser held out hope that the legislature may provide teachers and state employees with a pay raise next year but he said the money to do it is not now in sight.

"We can't promise a pay raise," he said. "But we're working hard to find the dollars."

"I don't think it's good public policy for the state of North Carolina as an employer to go for an extended period of time without a pay raise."

He said he thought that if the state failed to compete with private employers and with other states in teachers salaries, the quality of state personnel would be lowered.

It Beats Walking, Too
PEDALS? WHO NEEDS 'EM? — East Carolina University student John Barnes of Beaufort demonstrates an electric powered cycle he designed and built in a power mechanics course at ECU. The cycle, a standard bicycle with a 12-volt battery and an automobile generator welded to the frame, provides effortless and pollution-free transportation. (ECU News Bureau Photo)

Seek Substitute Public Works Bill

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Stunned by their failure to override President Ford's veto of a \$6.1-billion public-works jobs bill, congressional Democrats are trying to figure out what kind of substitute measure they can offer.

There were plans in Congress to seek a compromise jobs measure, including talk of giving quick consideration to other pending job-creating legislation.

Two Republican-sponsored bills offered as alternatives to the vetoed measure would provide aid when the unemployment rate nationwide topped 7 per cent and the aid would go to localities where the rate was above 8 per cent. The national rate in January was 7.8 per cent.

The cost of one bill was estimated at \$780 million in the first year and would provide funds for community development in those areas of high unemployment.

"This is really a bitter disappointment," said House Majority Leader Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., when told the Senate had fallen three votes short of overriding Ford's veto, 63 to 35.

A few hours earlier Thursday, the House voted to override by 319 to 98, a margin of 41 votes.

Ford got the news on board Air Force One, flying to a campaign swing through New Hampshire. He was described as "elated" and claimed a political victory over the Democrats.

Noon Take-Off
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Former President Richard M. Nixon leaves today for the People's Republic of China, where four years ago he carried out the most spectacular diplomatic mission of his White House years.

The Boeing 707 jetliner sent by his Chinese hosts to take Nixon, his wife and a group of aides to Peking touched down at Los Angeles International Airport about 6:30 a.m.

After arriving from Vancouver, B.C., the jetliner went to an out-of-the-way hangar where the Nixon party was expected to board. Take off was expected about noon.

He called the jobs bill "election-year politicking. It was pork barreling of the worst kind."

Democratic leaders were shocked by the defeat of the measure, which they had said would generate up to 600,000 jobs.

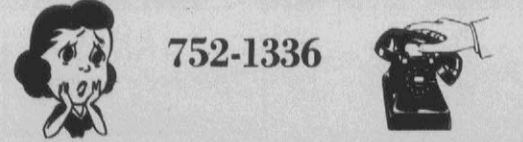
Robert Strauss, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, had termed the struggle over the bill "a political issue" during a meeting with several big city mayors and Democratic Senators on Wednesday and had warned that "If we can't beat him (Ford) on this, we are in big trouble."

Hans G. Tanzler, mayor of Jacksonville, Fla., and president of the National League of Cities, which had lobbied hard for the bill, said his organization was "profoundly disappointed" the President saw fit to deny this emergency aid and that some senators succumbed to the administration's campaign to frustrate the expressed intent of Congress and the hopes of state and local government.

An AFL-CIO spokesman in Miami Beach, where the union organization is holding its winter convention, called the death of the bill "a tragic loss."

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MAIL DROP
The first of August I ordered some fabric from Vernon Mills in Beverly Hills, Calif. I received a letter from G. S. Fleming, who said he was the warehouse manager. Postmarked Aug. 20, the letter said the firm was behind on its work, but would fill my order soon. I had paid by money order, \$7.92. I want my money back, but writing to them bring no answer now. H. M.

Hotline wrote to the company Dec. 31. We also received no answer. So we wrote again, after finding no phone number for the company. This time the letter came back marked "out of business." So we wrote to the Better Business Bureau of Los Angeles. They tell us that they understand that the address you have is only a mail drop and that they can find no trace of the company. We know of no other possibilities, though you may want to file complaints with the Los Angeles Bureau of Consumer Affairs, Dept. of Social Services, City Hall, Los Angeles, Calif. 90012, and possibly with the Chief Postal Inspector, U. S. Postal Service, Washington, D. C. 20260.

HOTLINE FEEDBACK
RESPONSE GOOD
Father H. C. Mullholland reports that response to the Hotline appeal for heaters and other furnishings for the Dang Van Tuan family was great. "We received heaters, a very good electric range, and even a sofa bed," he said. "We're so very thankful."
The Tuan family of eight, refugees from South Vietnam, is being sponsored by St. Gabriel's Catholic Church.

New Bernian Helped Print Rare Airmail Stamp

NEW BERN, N.C. (AP) — The late Karl Snow of New Bern printed the "Black Honduras," the world's rarest airmail stamp, which was sold last week for \$80,000.

It's the only copy known to exist. It increased in value more than 300 per cent since it last changed hands in 1961.

Mrs. Snow wishes she had one. So did her husband, who died in 1964.

He talked about it all the

time," she recalled in a recent interview. Irving Green, a stamp collector and writer, made yearly stops at Snow's Friendly Pines motel in New Bern. He used information from Green for a 1962 article on the classic stamp.

"I think Green thought my husband had a few of those stamps stashed away," Mrs. Snow said.

Here is the history of the stamp and Snow's connection with it.

He, another man, T.C. Pounds, and two pilots were the principals in the Central American Airline. In 1925 the line began an airmail service between Puerto Cortes, on the north coast of Honduras, and Tegucigalpa, the capital, towns not connected by rail.

The government agreed to a special-issue airmail stamp to be used on the flown items in addition to the normal postage stamps. The

proceeds from the special stamp were to go to the airline.

Pounds, the owner of the line, was given permission to overprint a quantity of regular postage stamps of the 1915-1916 issue supplied by the Honduras Post Office. The rush job of printing fell to Snow, whose first job had been printing corn flakes boxes in his native Michigan for the new Kellogg Co.

The available press was so small only 12 stamps could be overprinted at one time. The 100-stamp sheets were divided, and on the 10-cent dark blue was printed "Aero Correa," some in red, some in blue and a few in black. No records were kept of how many stamps were overprinted in each color. The airline failed in the early 1930s.

Snow tried his hand at a Ford automobile agency in

the Honduran capital. He also organized the first Rotary Club and the first Boy Scout troop in Tegucigalpa. During the Depression he returned to the United States, 20 years after he left.

He came to New Bern in 1940, and worked as a printer and plumber until he finished his motor court. He and Mrs. Snow were married in 1954. She now lives at Rt. 6, New Bern.

Expert Warns Consumers On Buying 'New' Antiques

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

This is a good year to collect antiques of American origin, suggests Robert Bishop, an expert. But be wary; not everything coming out of barns and attics is the real thing. There are a lot of fakes about.

Even quilts now fall into the category of things being reproduced, advises Bishop, editor of publications at the Greenfield Village and Henry Ford Museum at Dearborn, Mich., where he has also been curator of furniture. Bishop is the author of three books on American furniture and folk art, and his second book on quilts, "New Discoveries in American Quilts," has just been published.

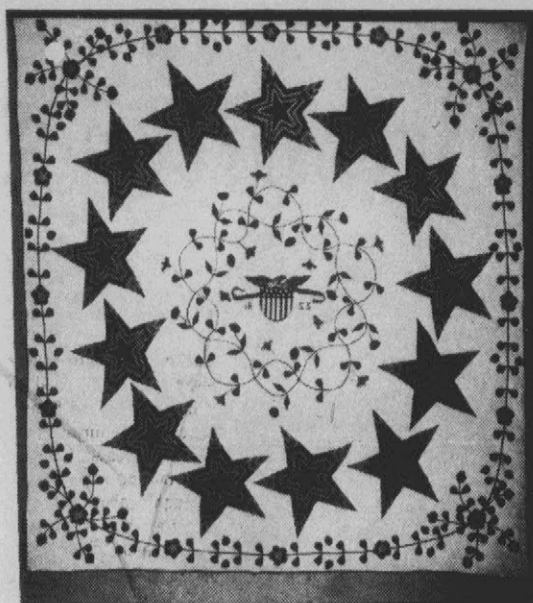
"A good quality quilt can bring as much as \$8,500, so it obviously pays for people to reproduce them. They comb antique shops for the old fabrics — some were made especially for quilts — then they dye the threads with tea and use old fabric and an old pattern and more often than not the quilt passes as an old one."

Even good dealers can get stuck. In fact, "there are few really knowledgeable antiques dealers," he contends, one reason a person "with a good eye" can still find treasures at a good price. For example, folk art is "being gobbled up in a wave of interest," but many antiques dealers do not even recognize it.

In fact, a pair of Sheldon Peck paintings (circa 1830) were displayed for two years in one antique show and were unrecognized. A friend of Bishop's had seen them the first time around and had regretted he had not purchased them before the show ended. The following year he bought them for \$750 and his hunch was accurate. The paintings are now insured for \$45,000.

The most underpriced valid antiques in terms of quality probably are things made between 1790 and 1815, Bishop says. You might find a decorative Sheraton or Hepplewhite piece for a few hundred dollars. "A simple country chair might be acquired for as little as \$100. Those from fine cabinet shops might, of course, begin at \$500.

It is better to buy one good thing than five or six mediocre



THE THIRTEEN STARS—A pieced and appliqued quilt, dated 1853, has each of its stars embroidered in the center with the name of one of the original colonies.

things, he advises young investors. If you need to sell it, the high quality will return a profit on your investment. In addition, you have something worth talking about in your house.

Mission furniture, popular at the close of the 19th century, is one of the hottest things right now, he says, and nice pieces of mission may be found in second-hand stores for less than \$50.

Bishop has seen one apartment done entirely in the mission style, the wood stripped and waxed, and the furniture upholstered in an art nouveau patterned fabric. It was a stunning effect, he says.

One thing that intrigues him about quilts is how they changed their names when they traveled.

"In the East you had Burgoyne Surrounded, a geometric pattern of rectangles, which became known as Burgoyne's House in the West and became the Triumph in California when it reached the coast."

Quilts with stars and eagles may be sought more during the bicentennial, he believes. Old quilts are being put to decorative use and many people look at them as graphic art, hanging them on walls, on sofas, chairs and over railings. Bishop's book has more than 200 illustrations, 160 in vivid colors.

Geographical areas influence the antiques market, he points out. Early things that were taken West by settlers are sought after in the East whereas Victorian and other furnishings popular in the East are likely to command large prices in the West. He knows of people who buy in that way.

A two-house man, Bishop says his 1920 farm house in Michigan "was put together by one of the poorest craftsmen in the world," but it is the ideal setup for his prize-winning Doberman Pinschers — one bitch took best of breed in the Westminster show last year. In New York he remodeled an aged brownstone that was originally a four-story rooming house. It was converted to one duplex and one triplex by digging down one story.

Before going with the museum, Bishop had an art gallery specializing in American folk art.

"New Discoveries in American Quilts," is published by E.P. Dutton.

Father-Daughter Dinner-Dance Held At College

RALEIGH — A father-daughter dinner-dance was held at Peace College here earlier this month. The Peace Student Government Association sponsored the event.

Over 100 fathers from as far away as Nashville, Tenn., and Silver Spring, Md., attended. This was the first occasion especially planned for students and their fathers.

Attending from Pitt County were: John W. Rook of Bethel, who escorted his daughter, Cindy; Lynden E. Anderson with his daughter, Cynthia; J. O. Clark with his daughter, Layne; and S. E. Harris with his daughter, Wendy, all of Greenville.

Sweet Thought

NEW YORK (UPI) — Chocolate-covered candy has been around only a little more than a century. The Chocolate Manufacturers Association of the A.S.A. says it was invented in 1870 by a confectioner trying to increase sales of candy creams. The chocolate coating made the candies hold together better.



Continue To Decline Lunch Invitation

By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: I am a wife and homemaker who enjoys entertaining, and I am told I do it well. We recently entertained another couple in our home for dinner, and I prepared a delicious gourmet meal. (The man works with my husband.)

Before they left, the wife said, "I don't knock myself out cooking for company anymore, but I'd be glad to drive you uptown for lunch some day."

Abby, is that kind of invitation proper reciprocation for a dinner such as mine? My husband and I are interested in these people as a couple. It was not my intention to socialize at lunch with this lady alone.

How should this be handled tactfully if she invites me to lunch "uptown sometime"?

IN A BIND

DEAR IN: There's no way to tell her tactfully that you have no interest in seeing her without her husband. However, since that's the case, consistently and politely decline her luncheon offer and hope she catches on. (But don't hold your breath.)

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I have been married for over 30 years and have reached an age where we need separate bedrooms to get a good night's sleep.

When a little fire of passion burns within me, I go to the wife's room and tactfully suggest that a little physical togetherness would be pleasant for both of us.

Does she say she has a "headache"? No. She merely starts a monologue with something like, "If you hadn't bought that stupid old stock, we could have gone on a vacation this year." (I think you get the idea, Abby.)

Naturally, this line of chatter turns me off like a \$1.98 alarm clock, and I go back to my room, feeling rejected and saying to myself, "I'm going to leave that woman." But I never do, and then I get to thinking maybe next time she'll forget these things and put out the fire in the proper manner.

Too rarely she does. Mine is a sad case for which I'm afraid there is no solution.

NEEDS LOVE

DEAR NEEDS: You're right. Yours is a sad case for which there is no solution. But I'll print it anyway because misery loves company, and it may comfort the miserable to know they are not alone.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I are getting a divorce. We have a 2-month-old baby. When our baby was 3 weeks old, I caught my husband with another woman.

To teach him a lesson I filed for a divorce, thinking it would make him regret what he had done and he would beg me to take him back. Well, it didn't work, so now I am getting a divorce from a husband I am still in love with and don't want to lose.

Maybe if you print this it will make people think twice before they file for a divorce they don't want. Sign me... FOOLISH IN FLORIDA

DEAR FOOLISH: You are even more foolish if you don't get in touch with your husband immediately and tell him exactly how you feel. It may not be too late to pick up the pieces. It's worth a try.

Hate to write letters? Send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212, for Abby's booklet "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (26¢) envelope.



SHOOFLY PUDDING—Pennsylvania-Dutch dessert.

Shoofly Pudding Features Topping Of Lemon Sauce

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

Shoofly pudding is a hearty Pennsylvania-German dessert that's just right for winter. And it's versatile: it fits in as well after a meat-and-potatoes dinner as it does after a fish-chowder-and-salad supper. You may be surprised that this recipe uses corn syrup rather than molasses. That's because, like all regional recipes, it has its variations. When we were at the Pennsylvania Dutch Folk Festival in Kutztown a summer ago, we discovered that some good cooks often use the syrup.

SHOOFLY PUDDING

2 cups flour

¾ cup firmly packed dark brown sugar

¼ teaspoon salt

¾ teaspoon nutmeg

1½ teaspoons cinnamon

½ cup butter or margarine

1 cup dark corn syrup

1 cup warm water

1 teaspoon baking soda

Lemon Sauce, if desired (see below)

Whipped cream cheese or whipped cream, if desired

In a medium mixing bowl stir together the flour, brown sugar, salt, nutmeg and cinnamon.

With a pastry blender cut in the butter until particles are fine. Firmly press 1-3rd of the mixture into a greased 8 by 8 by 2 inch cake pan.

In a pint measure stir together the corn syrup, water and baking soda. Slowly pour 1 cup of the syrup mixture over the flour base in the cake pan.

Sprinkle with another 1-3rd of the flour mixture; pour in remaining syrup mixture; sprinkle with remaining flour mixture.

Gently run a fork back and

forth through top layers, being careful not to run fork through bottom layer; do this again in the opposite direction.

Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until a cake tester inserted in center comes out clean — 50 minutes. Serve warm. Cut into squares in pan and remove with a wide spatula. Top with Lemon Sauce and whipped cream cheese, if desired. There will be a thick, sticky, custardlike layer over parts of the bottom of the pudding.

Makes 9 servings.

LEMON SAUCE

In a small saucepan stir together ½ cup sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch and ¼ teaspoon salt. Gradually stir in 1 cup water until smooth. Cook over moderately low heat, stirring constantly, until thickened, clear and boiling. Remove from heat; stir in the grated rind of 1 lemon, 3 tablespoons lemon juice and ¼ cup butter or margarine until the butter is melted. Serve hot. Makes 1½ cups.

Ballrooms Are Doing Well In U.S. Heartland

DES MOINES, Iowa (UPI) — Frances Archer says public ballrooms in the heartland of America are doing better than they have in years.

Mrs. Archer, whose husband built the Val Air Ballroom in West Des Moines 37 years ago, has operated it since his death in 1974. She also has one in Sioux Falls, S.D., which marked its 50th anniversary last November 4.

"We're doing great," she said. "The hustle is in and, with old tunes being played to rock music, the jitterbug is really big again."

"Even our older dancers are jitterbugging like they did in the 40s."

Most of her customers are older, but she said, "we are getting younger people now."

Between 700 and 1,200 attend Wednesday and Saturday nights. She plans to add Sunday

tea dances soon. As president of Entertainment Operators of America, which is made up principally of Ballroom Operators, she estimates there are now 200 active ballrooms in the nation and at least 500 other establishments which hold public dances.

Among the better known ballrooms are Peony Park in Omaha, Neb., the Col Ballroom in Davenport, Iowa, both operated for 50 years; the Surf, Hull, Mass., and the Ivystone, Pennsauken, N.J.

Many operate in Minnesota. "The polka is big," and include the Medina, in Hamel, rebuilt after a fire and recently reopened, and the Bel Rae in New Brighton.

Relatively new is John Wilson's Wintergarden in Dallas, one of several in Texas. Orchestra bookers Mrs. Archer has talked with tell her others are popping up around the country. An exception is "the Deep South" which she said lacks any large ballrooms — "I don't think they went in for public dancing."

Mrs. Archer attempted to run "rock dances" for young people but gave it up eight years ago because of "the aggravation."

But she said, "young people, 18 and up, turned out when we played the Glenn Miller Band last summer and stayed until the band played the last note."

"Then they came up and said what fun it was to dance our style."



IMITATION fitch fur, woven not knitted, to fool a furrier and it's trimmed here with pretend leather, making a casual coat that's a no-foolin' fashion bargain. (Tissavel imitation fur, coat manufactured by Sportowne)

CHERRY TARTS
Diener's Bakery
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Serve Lime Souffle After Mullet Roast

By BARBARA FRYE
TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UPI)

— At 59 cents a pound, the lowly mullet is becoming an economic must on the tables of Gulf Coast Floridians. It was a favorite even before inflation drove up the prices of fancier fish.

Mullet is caught in cast nets. It abounds in inland bays of the Gulf of Mexico. The only fish with a gizzard, mullet must be eaten fresh because it doesn't freeze well.

The only way people in other parts of the country are apt to get it is in cans labeled lisa (Spanish for mullet) and fit mostly for salads, sandwiches and dips.

Fresh mullet is delicious fried or broiled. The super deluxe way of preparing it is by roasting freshly caught mullet on the beach.

The fish is left unscalded with the head on, split down the back, cleaned and left joined at the belly. The abdominal cavity is filled with chunked onions, pieces of smoked sausage, garlic salt and pepper.

Floridians then tie the stuffing in with twine and throw the fish over a bed of hot coals.

The fish is roasted until the scale-covered sides turn black. It is then opened and eaten, filling and all, along with a green salad and cheese grits, made by grating a pound of sharp cheddar into hot grits shortly before serving.

The mullet's gizzards, which are white and softer than chicken gizzards, are good fried. So is the yellow roe.

Florida avocado salad is good with mullet. This is made by combining two tomatoes, diced,

a tablespoon of minced onion, two tablespoons of diced celery, one-fourth cup of peeled and dried cucumbers and two tablespoons of diced green pepper. Halve, seed, peel and cube two avocados, sprinkle them with lime juice and add to the vegetable mixture. Add one-fourth cup of mayonnaise and toss to coat well. Serve on a bed of romaine lettuce. Feeds six.

A little bourbon and branch water goes down well with this mullet roast menu.

You probably won't have any appetite left, but for those who must have a dessert after fish, Florida lime souffle, made with little tart Florida Key limes, is light but satisfying.

You start with two envelopes of unflavored gelatin sprinkled over cold water to soften. In the top of a double boiler, combine eight egg yolks, one cup of lime juice, a teaspoon of salt and one cup of sugar. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until the mixture coats back of spoon. Stir in the dissolved gelatin and two teaspoons of grated lime peel.

Turn into a three-quart bowl and refrigerate, stirring occasionally until it thickens slightly. Beat eight egg whites until stiff and beat in one cup of sugar until mixture holds peaks. Stir a few tablespoons of the stiffly beaten egg whites into the lime mixture to thin it.

Pile the remainder of the beaten egg whites and two cups of whipped cream on top, and fold it in gently. Pour mixture into a six-cup souffle dish and refrigerate three hours or until firm. Serves 12.

Births

Jones

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Jones, Grifton, a son, Nathaniel Jr., on Feb. 10, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Shackleford

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ray Shackleford, Rt. 2, Farmville, a son, Maurice Dominique, on Feb. 11, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Pettus

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melvin Pettus, 1016 W. Fifth St., a daughter, Adriann Ives, on Feb. 11, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Brown

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wilson Brown Jr., Rt. 2, Greenville, a son, Troy Allen, on Feb. 12, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Wainwright

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Delon Wainwright, Rt. 1,

Grimesland, a daughter, Kimberly Dawn, on Feb. 12, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Lloyde

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alexander Lloyde Jr., Rt. 6, Greenville, a daughter, Wanetta Caroline Ann, on Feb. 13, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Wilkinson

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Wilkinson III, Ayden, a son, John Henry IV, on Feb. 13, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Little

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Earl Little, 1411 E. 14th St., a daughter, Marlo Maria, on Feb. 14, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Howard

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Eugene Howard, Bethel, a son, David Eugene Jr., on Feb. 14, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Bowen

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Clifford Bowen, 109 John Ave., a daughter, Christina Michelle, on Feb. 14, 1976, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

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Patty 'Takes The Fifth' When Queried On Past

By TONY LEDWELL
Associated Press Writer
SAN FRANCISCO (AP)

Patricia Hearst's attorneys, who instructed her to invoke the 5th Amendment 19 times in

her bank robbery trial, faced another legal skirmish today in their battle to keep what they claim is potentially incriminating evidence from the jury.

U.S. District Court Judge Oliver J. Carter upheld Miss Hearst's right to refuse to answer the government prosecutor's questions Thursday about her actions during the 12 months before her capture.

But U.S. Atty. James L. Browning Jr. said he intended to ask Carter today to admit a taped jailhouse conversation as evidence of the defendant's willing commitment to radical social change.

In the contested tape recording, Miss Hearst told long-time friend Patricia Tobin within 48 hours of her Sept. 18 arrest that her future statements would be from "a revolutionary feminist perspective."

Such change, he argued, led her to join with her Symbionese Liberation Army kidnapers in the April 15, 1974, robbery of a Hibernia Bank branch headed by Miss Tobin's father.

Chief defense attorney F. Lee Bailey contends the jailhouse tape is irrelevant to the bank robbery for which Miss Hearst is on trial.

Browning planned to resume his cross-examination of Miss Hearst today, the defendant's 22nd birthday.

Miss Hearst underwent her first full day of cross-examination Thursday and testified that she was brainwashed by her captors — as previously main-

tained by her defense lawyers. She said, "I'm not sure what happened to me."

She said she did not try to contact her parents during her underground odyssey because she felt they would not want to see or hear from her. She conceded that perhaps she should have risked accepting an early offer of freedom from her captors and cried when asked to recount physical abuse at their hands.

Then, with the jury absent, Bailey fought heatedly against the admission of dates, places and documents that might connect his client to a second bank robbery and apparent plans for others.

Carter took under submission the government's request that papers and notebooks found in Miss Hearst's last fugitive hideout be presented to the jury. Carter indicated it was unlikely he would rule before Monday.

San Mateo County Sheriff John R. McDonald Jr., in charge of the jail where Miss Hearst has been kept since her capture, has been called to testify about the taping at a hearing outside the presence of the jury.

The jury of seven women and five men was removed from the courtroom for more than an hour Thursday as opposing attorneys wrangled over the con-

troversial documents and Bailey repeatedly instructed the pale defendant not to answer prosecution questions.

Bailey left the prosecution irate Wednesday when he wrapped up his three-day examination of Miss Hearst by skipping over a full year of her 19-month voyage in the terrorist underground.

By not opening up that period in his direct questioning, Bailey left Browning with no grounds to query Miss Hearst about the year, believed to have been spent in Sacramento and San Francisco.

Nineteen times during Thursday's session, Miss Hearst replied to Browning questions by saying, "I refuse to answer on the grounds that I might incriminate myself."

She refused to identify documents and other items that purportedly relate to her activities between September 1974 and her arrest a year later.

"I'm satisfied as a reason-

ably experienced criminal lawyer," Bailey said, "that an answer to any question about her whereabouts after September 1974 would be used by the U.S. government and other governments to institute a proceeding against her."

It was on April 21, 1975, that a woman customer was killed during a holdup at a Crocker National Bank branch in the Sacramento suburb of Carmichael.

FBI sources have said that Miss Hearst rented a garage for one of the cars used in the robbery, but the only person charged in the heist is Steven Soliah, who allegedly rented Miss Hearst's last San Francisco hideout.

Miss Hearst, during her three days of direct testimony in her defense, weaved a story of fear and torture at the hands of the SLA members who held her captive after kidnaping her Feb. 4, 1974.

When six were killed May 17,

1974, she said, surviving members William and Emily Harris maintained her in a tight grip of fear.

She said she believed that they or SLA sympathizers would kill her if she did not cooperate and never considered surrendering, also in fear the FBI would shoot her dead.

During Thursday's testimony, Miss Hearst wept and her mother, Catherine, also cried softly as the pale defendant gave another reason for not surrendering.

"I felt my parents wouldn't want to see me again," she said tearfully when Browning asked why she never tried to contact her mother and father, San Francisco Examiner President Randolph Hearst.

When Browning asked if she ever thought about writing them a letter, she replied, "I just didn't think that they'd

want to hear it." Her eyes also misted when Browning alluded to that time around April 1, 1974, when SLA leader Donald "Cinque" DeFreeze told her she could remain with the SLA or go home.

Miss Hearst has referred to the incident as a trap, testing her reaction and almost certainly resulting in death if she chose to go home.

Her voice breaking, she said, "Well, maybe I should have taken a chance."

She also said she was having second thoughts about her impending marriage to Steven Weed at the time of her kidnap "because I wasn't sure he was somebody I could stay married to."

Miss Hearst said she had made no effort to contact him since the kidnaping. Weed was severely beaten by the abductors.

Teachers' Pay Data Corrected

RALEIGH (AP)—Revised figures supplied by the state Department of Public Instruction puts North Carolina in the No. 28 position nationally when it comes to average teacher salaries.

The department said Thursday that it had supplied erroneous information to the National Education Association (NEA). The erroneous figures were published Thursday.

Based on NEA figures, the state was reported to be 30th in the nation on teacher salaries and the only state to not raise teacher pay this year over last school year.

In the earlier report, the average North Carolina teacher was paid \$11,002 during both years. The state fell from 20th place to 30th by those figures. But, figures the department said are accurate shows Tar Heel teachers having an average pay of \$11,089 last school year and \$11,165 this year which moved the state to 28th nationally.

Also reported inaccurate were per pupil spending figures. The department provided revised figures showing spending of \$1,032 last year and \$1,044 this year rather than \$998 this year. Under the first set of figures given NEA, the state fell from 27th last year to 44th this year. The revised figures puts the state in 37th place this year.

A department spokesman said the agency failed to include all state allocations for education when the figures were given to NEA.

Ross Named Soc. Prexy

Dr. Ledyard E. Ross was recently elected president of the North Carolina Orthodontic Society.



DR. LEDYARD ROSS

The North Carolina Orthodontic Society is composed of dentists who limit their practice to orthodontics.

Dr. Ross is a graduate of East Carolina University and a graduate of Northwestern University Dental School. He did graduate work at Dewey School of Orthodontics, New York, N.Y., and received a Master of Science in orthodontics at the University of North Carolina Dental School, Chapel Hill.

Dr. Ross began his practice in Greenville in 1959. He is married to Martiel C. Smith, and they have four children.

Wardlaw Speaks To Underwriters

Jack Wardlaw, 30-year member of the life insurance industry's Million Dollar Round Table, was the guest speaker Thursday morning at the regular meeting of the Pitt County Association of Life Underwriters.

Wardlaw spoke on the subject, "Thought Plus Action," which also served as the basis of a book he authored.

Underwriters were advised during the session that the March meeting will be replaced by the association's award banquet.

The PCALU received a plaque from the National Association of Life Underwriters for contributions to the "health and welfare" of the community.



PARTY GUEST—A cat wanders around the British Embassy in Washington Thursday night during a reception for new U.S. Ambassador to Great Britain Anne Armstrong. Elliott Richardson, Commerce secretary and former ambassador to Great Britain chats with Mrs. Mike Mansfield in background.

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Remember the big "canning lid panic" of '75? Thousands upon thousands of home gardeners and home canners were screaming bloody murder over a shortage of canning lids and rings.

Somebody even dreamed up a rumor the commercial canneries had bought up a lot of lids so as to protect their own interests. Others complained the canning lid-makers reduced production so as to jack up prices. Talk of an "investigation" was raised in Congress . . . a crisis-solving activity that always works.

Manufacturers tried to explain that a suddenly ballooning demand in the marketplace exceeded even their most optimistic expectations. (They had increased production by several million; but the public was on a canning binge unprecedented in history.) Few paid them any attention.

Now we delve into the you-can't-win department:

A short item by the Associated Press last week assures us that all is fine and dandy on the canning

lid front in 1976. Manufacturers say they will have more than four billion replacement lids for this year's season, about double the supply in 1975.

A consumer affairs spokesman for the Agriculture Department says that figure includes nearly three billion regular-size lids, more than one-third of a billion wide mouth lids, more than one-half billion regular caps (lids and rings sold together) and nearly 150 million wide-mouth caps. Is that good news for the national economy?

No. Why? Our crystal ball says there will be fewer people doing home-canning this year than last; and those who engage in the annual ritual have largely stock-piled most of the supply they're going to need.

We look forward to the sound of gnashing teeth from those areas where canning lids are manufactured. And, there will not be one word of appreciation or sympathy or understanding from busy kitchens across the nation.

The ball bounces that way.



"But of course I am alive and well! Why do you (ho-hum) ask?"

Additional Land Improves A Facility

It was announced at this week's city Board of Education meeting that additional land has been acquired at Sadie Saulter School.

The modern school was built on the site of the old Fleming Street School but at the time it had far to little and for an adequate elementary school

campus. The city schools have gradually acquired parcels of land around this school, so that adequate playground and campus area have been developed. It is now a much better school facility than it once was.

THIS AFTERNOON

Priority System Followed

By BILL NOBLITT RALEIGH — An elaborate process was used to pick the college building projects which will be on the ballot for voters March 23 in a proposed \$43.2 million bond issue.

Of the state's 16 college or university campuses, 13 are on the list for some of the money. The other three already have construction projects underway from direct appropriations by the General Assembly.

Most of the 13 projects on the bond question had already been considered by the General Assembly, with planning money allocated and things on track for regular funding until North Carolina's economy hit the skids in the recession.

The process of selecting projects started many months ago as individual campuses studied their own needs and worked up a list of building projects.

One Project Each received one project on the bond list, so the most pressing priority rose to the

top. Then, each suggested project was submitted to University President William C. Friday for review and recommendations to the University Board of Trustees.

Those passed were sent to the finance committees of the General Assembly for further review and final approval by the entire legislature.

University officials make a point of the various building projects being for use by students already enrolled on the various campuses, and not for future growth or expansion.

The state's university system has grown from 50,884 in 1964 to a 1975 enrollment of 104,768.

With one exception, all of the proposed bond funds would be spent on classroom, library, laboratory, and office space.

The one exception is a \$5.3 million item at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for a "physical education, intramural facility."

Considering that all students are required to take

physical education courses, in addition to the use of such facilities by those majoring in physical education, university officials contend that this project is equally as necessary as classroom space.

The proposed new facility would provide space for all of the 20,536 students at Chapel Hill, replacing three other buildings currently in use which can accommodate only about one-third of the students.

The Tin Can If approved, the project would replace the Tin Can gym built in 1923 by the university Athletic Association. The other two current facilities in use are Woolen Gym built by student fees as a Works Project Administration building in 1937; and the Women's Gym built by the U.S. Navy in 1942.

Other bond funds would be spent for a library addition at Appalachian (\$3.2 million), and a library addition at Elizabeth City State (\$1.2 million). An administration building

is planned at Western Carolina (\$3.4 million), and the remainder is slated for classroom, office, or laboratory building at Fayetteville State (\$4.3 million), A&T (\$2.1 million), N. C. State (\$2.7 million), Pembroke (\$2.3 million), UNC-Asheville, (\$1.9 million), UNC-Greensboro (\$5.1 million), UNC-Charlotte (\$6 million), UNC-Wilmington (\$1.6 million), and Winston-Salem (\$2.1 million). A project to remove architectural barriers for the handicapped, and to bring some buildings up to safety standards, and also for some land acquisition, would receive \$1.5 million.

The three campuses not on the list are those on which building projects funded by the General Assembly are currently underway: East Carolina Medical School (\$28 million), a law building at N. C. Central at Durham (\$2.5 million), and a new classroom building at the School of the Arts at Winston-Salem (3.6 million).

CAN THEY UNITE?

Private Schools In N.C.

By CORNELIA O. BOWERS Durham Sun

Written for The AP DURHAM (AP) — Not all headmasters at private schools smoke pipes, wear jodphers and carry riding crops. More often than not, they are rather "tweedy" and have elbow patches on their jackets.

Not all teachers at independent academies earn fabulous salaries. Some even have starting wages at or near the poverty level. But some instructors are rewarded with expense-paid trips to Europe to chaperone students.

Annual tuition rates at private schools across North Carolina vary widely. The highest is \$2,181. The lowest

in any of the 34 schools in the North Carolina Association of Independent Schools is \$646, although rates in some religious schools not affiliated with the association are said to be even lower.

North Carolina has 285 private schools with an estimated total enrollment of more than 60,000 pupils, according to state figures.

Until last month, officials of private schools in the state had not sat down together to discuss common areas of interest.

But Robert Johnson, headmaster of the Durham Academy and chairman of the North Carolina Association of Independent Schools, convened nonpublic school administrators for an

informal conference.

A primary objective of the meeting was to bring the schools together through common membership in the Council of American Private Education, which promotes awareness in such areas as resource availability, court decisions affecting schools, new and pending legislation, government programs and other education-related data.

Delegates to the conference agreed in principle on the need for council participation but representatives of the state's 40 Christian day schools remained non-committal on membership.

Another key factor at the conference was to develop ways of insuring broader participation in the decision-making processes at the state Department of Public Instruction.

During the second session of the 1973 General Assembly, a bill was enacted to create the Commission on Public and Private Schools. The commission was charged with investigating three areas: the relationship

between public and private schools; the relationship between private schools and the state public instruction department; and the certification of teachers employed by private schools.

The commission strongly encouraged the creation of an ongoing study commission and more active participation by private schools in the study venture.

The 1975 legislature accepted the recommendations and created a study commission but no representatives from the private school sector were tapped to serve on the panel.

Furthermore, when public hearings were held across the state by the Commission on Public School Law, no non-public school officials were notified of the sessions or asked to express their views.

When Johnson heard that a hearing for citizens and educators in the Durham area was being held in Raleigh last month, he addressed the commission as chairman of the state association.

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only a cheap piece of crystal. Always under such circumstances it takes the practiced eye and appreciative mind to see value where other people see none. Our Lord spoke of people who having eyes, see not, and having ears, hear not. There are opportunities round about us everywhere waiting to be picked up and used. We do not have to seek fortune in the far corners of the earth. Our "acres of diamonds" are often closer than we suspect. —By Elisha Douglass

By ART BUCHWALD

A New Lockheed Model

WASHINGTON—Lockheed Aircraft has just developed a new supersonic Bribes that can fly two times the speed of sound. The Bribes, which took 10 years to get off the drawing board, is called the Kickback 1100. Lockheed salespeople are claiming it is the most modern, versatile Bribes vehicle of its kind.

One of the people involved in the project told me in strictest confidence the Kickback 1100 can carry a payload of up to \$10 million to any corrupt official in the world. "Northrop Corp. doesn't have anything to compare with it," he said proudly.

"How does it differ from the Bribes vehicles of the past?" "Speed for one thing," he said. "We can now Bribes an Italian general in three and a half hours, whereas it took us seven hours to get the bag to him in the past."

"Boy, what will you space people think of next?" I said.

"The Kickback also has special navigational equipment which is so accurate it can land \$1 million on a Swiss bank vault with less than a 10-foot ceiling."

"You say it, but can you do it?" "We did the other day. An African high government official asked us for \$1 million to okay a contract for several of our air buses. He gave us the name and the number of a Swiss bank account. The Kickback 1100 took off from Nassau and landed in Geneva in a safe at three o'clock the next morning. The African official was so pleased he ordered another Kickback for his brother."

My informant who had too many drinks or he never would have talked so much said, "The old defense Bribes were too noisy. Everyone heard about them. We told our engineers to completely redesign the Bribes so no one would recognize it. We

wanted a model that would be smooth, fast, safe and so quiet that nobody in Congress could complain about the sound. It also had no odor. The worst thing about a Bribes is that it eventually smells fishy."

"That must have been a tall order for the research and development people." "We underestimated the cost of what it would take to develop a new Kickback by \$40 million."

"How did you get the money to make up for the overrun?" "We took several people from the Pentagon to our duck hunting club and explained the problem."

"That was good thinking. It's hard for a guy in a duck blind to say no to someone who has an overrun."

"Anyhow, we now have all the bugs out of the Kickback 1100 and we predict it will be the Bribes of the future. Everyone wants one. We have an order for three from a Japanese war criminal in Tokyo. He wants his painted gold. A South American president has asked for one decorated in German marks, and a member of a European royal family wants his covered with Dutch guilders."

"Some senators have complained about the dangers of the Kickback particularly as it's related to the ozone level. Are you certain the new Lockheed Bribes can stand an environmental study?" I asked. "I'm certain of it. We tested our Bribes against those of France and England and many other foreign aviation companies. Not only were our Kickbacks larger and more comfortable but we have a five-year guarantee behind them. You don't have to take my word for it. Ask any Arab prince in the Middle East."

Other Editors Say End Property Tax?

(Henderson Dispatch)

Agitation is being heard from some circles in the State in favor of abolishing the local property tax as a source of revenue. Since time immemorial, property has been the basis of revenue for local government support. If it were removed, then what? Where would the money come from? Wherever it would be, the source would probably be equally as objectionable as property, and perhaps more so.

Now and then there are hints of local income taxes, as if there are not enough already at State and Federal levels. Many people do not want other local people to know what their income is, and rightly so. After all, if it were imposed, there would always be the chance, however remote, that the individual's personal affairs could be used against him in some manner by a competitor. It would be difficult to prove, but it is not impossible that there are leaks from existing tax reports to Federal and State agencies. God save us from any such local levy.

Only reasonable objection to property taxes is the presumed inequality of valuations. Complaints of what are claimed to be inexcusable increases are being heard now in 1976 listings. Without absolute facts as the basis of property taxes for support of local government generally, it is reasonable to assume that most people accept the system. Always, of course, on condition of fairness in valuations.

Time was, many years ago, when a portion of property tax revenue was remitted to the State toward its support. That was before income taxes were imposed. Property has long since been the source of support for local governing agencies across the State. It should be continued as the fairest and most easily administered method of obtaining revenue at the grass roots.

Every individual should consider it proper and a privilege to make some contribution to good government at the home base. Every one is a beneficiary of the establishment.

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—James Kyle

Church Relief Mounts

By GEORGE W. CORNELL AP Religion Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Steadily, quietly, apart from the headlines, the manifold relief forces of American churches moved into Guatemala. From the first word of the earthquake disaster, and now into the third week, the church operations there have swelled.

On jet planes and by ship, the U.S. aid teams, tents, blankets, medicines and food poured into the stricken area. The initiative came from a variety of church units, but the efforts converged in a vast, swift outpouring of help.

"We just set up our clinic and started working," says Dr. Scott Middleton, of Corsicana, Tex., one of four Texas doctors who volunteered in the relief deployment of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board. At the start, the agencies concentrated on immediate needs, tent shelters and blankets, tons of canned food, clothing, water purification tablets and medicines.

The goods went by air — a series of cargo plane flights (Continued on page 5)

40 Years Ago Today

February 20, 1936 Alfred Harrod, newspaperman, declared today that he and Art Williams, an American flier, have found the long-missing American pilot Paul Redfern alive in Western Guiana.

The two fliers said they were forced to leave Redfern in the hands of an Indian tribe which will not permit him to escape.

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Bigger Dividend From Ma Bell

By JOHN CUNIFF AP Business Analyst NEW YORK (AP) — Ma Bell took care of her vast brood this week, nearly 3 million of them, all of whom will be paid 10 cents a share more than they received in their quarterly allowances a year ago.

That might not seem like much, considering what inflation has done to the value of a dime, but it amounts to 40 cents a year on 82,023,866 shares outstanding, or a total increase of \$232.8 million a year to a total of more than \$2 billion.

The announcement Wednesday by American Telephone & Telegraph Co., as the world's largest public utility is formally known, was a surprise to much of the stock market. It is likely to be a spur as well. It must be noted that the

amount is of far greater significance than the mere distribution of millions of dollars, important as every one of those dollars is to every one of us.

Likely to have even greater impact is the rationalization for raising the dividend in these uneasy economic times.

This increase, payable April 1 to those holding shares on March 2, isn't the bounty of a highly successful past year. The year 1974 was disappointing; net income fell to \$3.15 a share from \$3.17 in 1973.

Instead, said John deButts, chairman, this dividend increase was the expression of "the directors' confidence in the economy's recovery and in our business prospects."

Confidence of that sort is bound to be contagious, spreading through a network of 1 million employees, nearly 3 million A&T shareholders

and a goodly percentage of the nation's over-all total of more than 25 million shareholders.

If you want to continue the numbers game ad infinitum, you might wonder also if A&T's customers, which includes most families and businesses, won't also conclude that pressures for rate increases might subside.

As you might expect, the stock market immediately reflected A&T's optimism. The market lives in the future, and it nourishes itself on statements such as that by deButts.

AT&T shares rose 75 cents to close the day at \$56.87, their highest price in more than six years. The market as a whole rose too, after having lost ground for three straight trading days.

Expressions of confidence, whether by the President of

the United States or the chairman of AT&T, do not of themselves make an economy move. The basics must be there to be acted upon.

So often, however, many of the basics have been present and the economy has performed poorly because, it is alleged, the participants in the economy didn't believe in themselves, didn't believe in each other.

Confidence, you might say, is the heat that makes the potful of ingredients boil. It promotes competition, goal-seeking, planning, innovation. People and businesses with confidence commit their money.

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Ministers: Jim Bailey, John Farmer, Adrain Brown
8:45 a.m. Sun. Feb. 22—Morning Worship, Rev. John Farmer preaching, "It's Done With Mirrors"
9:30 a.m.—Church Library Open
9:40 a.m.—Church School and Nursery
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship, Rev. John Farmer preaching, "It's Done With Mirrors"
5:00 p.m.—Youth Choir
6:00 p.m.—U.M.Y.F. Supper
6:30 p.m.—U.M.Y.F. Program
6:30 p.m.—Confirmation Class
9:30 a.m. Mon. Feb. 23—Church Staff Meeting
2:30 p.m.—Cherub Choir
9:30 Tues. Feb. 24—Adult Bible Study
12:30 p.m.—Greenville District Council on Ministries at Three Steers Restaurant
3:30 p.m.—Crusader Choir
4:30 p.m.—Cub Scouts
10:00 a.m. Wed. Feb. 25—Prayer Group
3:30 p.m.—Girls' and Boys' Wesley Choirs
7:30 p.m.—Chancel Choir
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scouts
7:30 p.m.—Webeles Scouts
4:30 a.m. Fri. Feb. 27—Men's Breakfast at Tom's Restaurant
9:45 a.m. Sunday—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Worship, Rev. B. Collins guest speaker
6:30 p.m.—Prayer Circle
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic
7:30 p.m.—TEE Class
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study
7:30 p.m. Tues.—Cottage Prayer Circle
9:00 a.m. Wed.—Ladies Prayer Circle
7:30 p.m.—Lifeliners (Youth)
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study
8:30 p.m.—Choir Practice
7:00 p.m.—Prayers—Men's Fellowship
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402 Mill Street, Winterville
Bishop W. H. Mitchell, pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. Wed.—Prayer Meeting
OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH
180 South Elm Street
R. Graham Nahouse, pastor
8:30 a.m. Sun.—Early Service
9:45 a.m. Sun.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.—Lutheran Student Association supper and Table-Talk
7:00 p.m.—Couples' Club Skating Party at "Sportworld" with Pizza party afterward
7:00 p.m. Mon.—Confirmation III at the church
7:15 p.m. Wed.—Senior choir practice
9:30 a.m. Thurs.—Lutheran Church Women's Workshop at the church
3:30 p.m. Fri.—Children's Choir practice at the church
OAKMONT BAPTIST
1100 Red Banks Road
E. Gordon Conklin, pastor
9:45 a.m. Sun.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
5:00 p.m.—GAS and BYF
7:30 p.m. Mon.—Boy Scouts
8:00 p.m. Wed.—Prayer Service with Mr. & Mrs. Tracy McLaurin 2304 Charles Street
7:30 p.m. Thurs.—Adult Choir Rehearsal
5:00 p.m. Fri.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
HADDOCK CHAPEL CHURCH
Stephen Jones, pastor
10:00 a.m. Sun.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship with Eldress Rena Council and the Youth Choir in charge
7:30 p.m. Tues.—Prayer meeting
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401 East Fourth Street
The Rev. Lawrence P. Houston, Jr., Rector, pastor
The Rev. Stanielah Jenkins
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7:30 a.m. Sun.—Holy Communion
9:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:15 a.m.—Morning Prayer
5:30 p.m.—Holy Communion, Chancel
8:30 p.m.—Jr. EYC Mtg., Home of Steve & Meg Post

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from airports in New York and Washington chartered by Church World Service, relief arm of most Protestant and Orthodox denominations, and by Catholic Relief Services.

Both also sent in extra personnel bolstering staffs already on the scene. Each of the two major church agencies also sent \$100,000 each for emergency purchases on the spot, with more funds and crews scheduled for the rebuilding job.

"More help is on the way," Episcopal Presiding Bishop John M. Allin messaged crews there. Dioceses of that denomination alone—in Florida, Kentucky, Texas and elsewhere—sent a score of doctors and nurses, plus engineers and construction workers.

The disaster, described by the U.S. ambassador in Guatemala, Francis E. Meloy Jr., as "the greatest catastrophe in the history of Central America," has taken an officially estimated toll of 22,088 lives, left 74,015 injured and uncounted thousands homeless.

"We didn't have to wait while we assembled an American team—we had people on the spot," says the Rev. Dr. J. Harry Haines, United Methodist relief committee executive. But he adds that the rehabilitation job there will be prolonged.

The Rev. Dr. Paul McLeary, executive director of Church World Service, appealed for a million-dollar fund for emergency work. Archbishop Joseph L. Bernardin of Cincinnati, president of the National Council of Catholic Bishops, urged special collections in each diocese across the country to bring "solace and help" to the victims.

Aside from the special drives, however, large-scale relief efforts rolled ahead.

Other groups working on the scene, and shipping in relief goods, included Lutheran World Relief, the Mennonite Central Committee, the relief arm of the National Association of Evangelicals, and the Salvation Army, named by the government to coordinate relief efforts.



CLAIMS IN THE TOP THREE—Democratic presidential candidate Fred Harris talks with elderly residents of a Concord (N.H.) apartment house. Harris told a news conference there that his canvassing has revealed he is in the top three of the crowded Democratic field in the New Hampshire primary, only five days away. He refused to say who were the other two. (AP Wirephoto)

Jones Cleared Of Wrongdoing

RALEIGH (AP)—Col. E.W. Jones, commander of the Highway Patrol, was cleared of any wrongdoing, Gov. Jim Holshouser has concluded after studying a report on Jones being stopped by a trooper and not getting a ticket.

Jones was driving his private car on Interstate 40 in Davie County Jan. 25 when Trooper William D. Grooms pulled him over for driving 69 miles per hour in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

According to a report on the incident compiled by the Department of Transportation, Jones and Grooms both said Jones had not used the influence of his position to keep from getting a ticket. Holshouser said it was a "question of judgement" on the trooper's part to not give Jones a citation.

The report quoted Jones as saying he was driving below the 55 m.p.h. limit when a white station wagon driven by a black man passed him. Jones said he saw Grooms' patrol car in the other traffic lane at that time. Jones' wife and daughter, who were with him at the time, backed up the commander's contention that he wasn't speeding and that a white station wagon had just passed them.

Grooms crossed the median and stopped Jones, the report said. Grooms said his radar

Nab Suspected Bank Robber

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. (AP)—Authorities who responded to a bank robbery alarm arrested a man outside the Lafayette Bank & Trust Co. Thursday.

He was identified as Samuel Lee Oliver, 25, of Fayetteville. The FBI said he was charged with bank robbery.

A man carrying a coat over his arm which concealed his hand had fled on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash.

Indict Thirty Persons In Fraud Claims Probe

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. (AP)—Thirty persons, all of Cumberland County, have been named in indictments growing out of a state investigation of alleged fraudulent auto accident insurance claims.

Two persons were named Wednesday in the more than 70 indictments and 28 more were named Thursday. The sealed indictments were returned in Cumberland Superior Court Wednesday.

Investigators have indicated that additional indictments may be sought pending further investigation, which for more than two months has centered on traffic accidents dating back to 1971.

The state has alleged in search warrant affidavits filed in Superior Court during a lengthy investigation that many

of the accidents in question involved rental cars and trailers and that in some cases accidents were staged.

Two of those named Thursday were Fayetteville police-woman Mary A. Hales, 22, and the Rev. Claud T. Williams, 52. Both were charged with filing a false insurance claim and related charges. Twenty-seven others were similarly charged.

One person, Harold E. Ray, 20, was charged with conspiracy to file a false insurance claim and three counts of aiding and abetting the filing of a false claim.

In the course of its investigation, the state obtained search warrants to inspect the confidential medical records of Dr. Herbert Vick, former chief of staff at Cape Fear Valley Hospital, and three chiropractors, Drs. Erle and Robert Downing and Dr. Joe Kosterman.

They were not named in the indictments.

Others charged with filing a false insurance claim and related charges were Harry Lewis Brayboy, 37; Annie P. Brayboy, 37; Dorothy Melvin, 42; Jack Earl Melvin, 38; Hu-

bert Teasley Jr., 28; Alphonso G. Teasley, 20; Vinston Holmes Jr., 29; Laura Marie A. Holmes, 28; Ernest McLaurin, 24; Purnell Shaw, 39; Charles A. Bell, 26; Ronnie Martin, 22; Patricia Powell, 26; Emma Ruth Allen, 39.

Also, Ronald Lee Smith, 21; Willie Smith; Carey Bernard Powell, 25; Edward Reginald Smith, 26; Glen Ray Jr., 19; James O. Farmer, 37; Benjamin Albert Jr.; Curmon Walker; Roosevelt McPherson, 27; Alexander McDonald, 23; Wanda Steve Melvin, 23; Willie A. Melvin, 45; and Eunice Melvin, 47.

Youth Groups Meet Sundays

Several youth groups have been organized at Red Oak Christian Church and their meetings are held Sunday evenings.

Tommy and Peggy Jordan, Ray and Gloria Edwards, Bob and Nancy Bearsworth will serve as advisors for the CYF Group and Mrs. Margaret Mendenhall will serve as choir director for the group.

Brenda Jarman, Sandra Stocks and Marie Mills will advise the Chi Rho group for youth, who are eight through 12-years-old. The Cherub Group, for children seven-years-old and younger, will be advised by Sue Pennington, Betsy Bright and Hilda Case.

Rev. Collins To Be Speaker

The Rev. B. Collins of Falcon will speak at the First Pentecostal Holiness Church, located at Brinkley Road at Plaza Drive, Saturday at 7:30 p.m. for youth night.

He will also speak Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship service.

The Rev. Collins is the Christian education director of the North Carolina Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Church.

The public is invited to attend.

Seek Recruits

Coinciding with a proclamation by Gov. Jim Holshouser designating February as "Minuteman Month," the North Carolina National Guard is beginning a statewide recruiting drive for weekend volunteers.

2Lt. Glenn M. Lassiter, recruiting officer of Greenville's 514 Military Police Co., said that the local unit is seeking 15 recruits to bring the organization's strength to 164 members.

Lassiter noted that recruits without prior service take a minimum of four months of basic training and then work one weekend a month and earn \$60 for the weekend worked. Prior service personnel of rank E-7 and below may be enlisted at their discharged rank and earn up to \$115 per weekend, he added.

Capt. Bobby G. Webb is commander of the 514 MP Co.

Troop To Honor Scoutmaster

Saturday at 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 191 will honor their Scoutmaster, Willie Joyner.

Joyner has been a Scoutmaster for 31 years. This special event will be held at the Moyewood Center. Scouts from the Pitt and Sunrise Districts will attend. George Joyner, Assistant Scoutmaster, will be one of the guest speakers, along with Melvin McGlowhon and Donovan Phillips.

All former members of Willie Joyner's Troop and anyone else who wishes to attend are invited.

Private Schools...

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He told commission members that private school officials found "it difficult to accept the fact that, despite an apparent intention to represent a cross-section of the populace, no representative from the non-public school sector was appointed to the commission."

"We ask the privilege of being consulted as you wrestle with the recodification of school law, particularly as it affects the nonpublic school," he said in his remarks.

While the traditional private academies were asking for the opportunity for greater participation in state decisions, the North Carolina Association of Christian Schools began efforts to pull away from state supervision.

Dr. Ed Ulrich of Lake Wacamac, executive director of the association, appeared before the commission asking that the state public instruction agency loosen its grip on private school control.

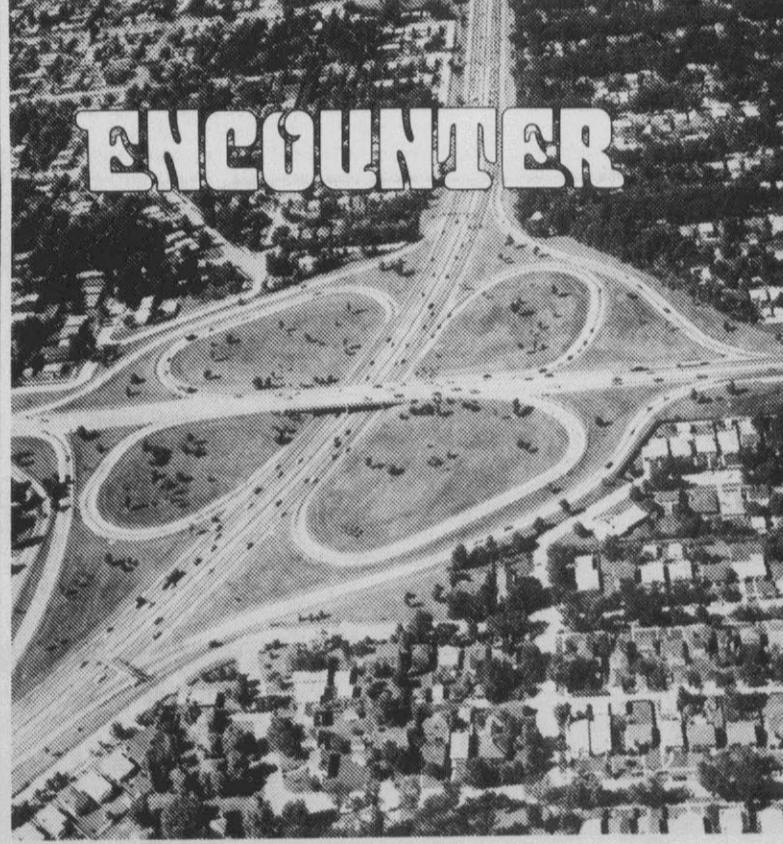
He called for creation of a regulatory commission made up of nonpublic school patrons to oversee Christian school operations.

The association represents 40 Christian schools and an enrollment of more than 30,000 pupils—about half the total enrollment of all private schools in the state.

One point on which both associations agreed was that teachers were easy to recruit, even though starting salaries were as low as \$5,000 a year. Many schools, however, provide housing and utilities. Teachers with no administrative responsibility may earn, however, as much as \$14,500 in some schools.

Another common problem is high operating cost.

In a survey of at last month's conference, headmasters from all but two schools said they were considering tuition increases for next year. The percentage increases range from 3 to 20 per cent.



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When you hear the church bells next Sunday, remember. It is good to live at the Crossroads where Christ touches all human relationships with His power and love.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Ephesians 1:1-14	1 Peter 1:10	Luke 3:1-10	Luke 4:14-21	Mark 9:30-37	Mark 10:35-45	1 Corinthians 9:19-27

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CELEBRATE BOOK—A dinner party at the home of ECU Chancellor Leo W. Jenkins (right), marked the publication date of author Ovid Pierce's *Old Man's Gold and Other Stories*. Pierce, (center), is with Dr. Jenkins and Dr.

Matthew Hodgson, editor of the University of North Carolina Press, Chapel Hill, which published the latest Pierce work. (ECU News Bureau Photo)

New Virus In Outbreak Of Flu

ATLANTA (AP) — The National Center for Disease Control has reported an outbreak of influenza in humans similar to a virus found in swine — and recalling the flu of a half-century ago that killed 500,000 Americans and 20 million persons worldwide.

A CDC spokesman said Thursday there is no immediate cause for alarm and that any major outbreaks of the disease could be controlled by modern vaccines. But, he said, precautionary steps are being taken, including consultation with the World Health Organization.

An Army recruit died Feb. 4 in an outbreak of the new influenza A strain which affected five persons at Ft. Dix, N.J.,

similar to the flu virus found in swine, leading some scientists to believe that a swine-type flu was involved in 1918.

A spokesman at Ft. Dix said the recruit was David Lewis, 19, of Ashley Falls, Mass. He said four other soldiers had been hospitalized with the flu.

Dul said isolated cases of the virus in humans have been confirmed in the past but that the CDC has never before recorded an outbreak, which the center defines as several cases in one location.

Another CDC spokesman, Don Berreth, said scientists were unable to segregate flu viruses until the 1930s, so scientists do not know what virus was involved in the 1918 pandemic.

But he said many persons born in the period 1918-1930 have antibodies in their blood

asked the organization to determine if the swine-type virus has occurred in "clusters" elsewhere in the world.

Deaths from influenza usually occur among the weak or aged, but the New Jersey cases involved soldiers in their 20s or younger, the CDC said.

None of the men had any known contact with swine, although isolated cases of the strain in the past usually have been associated with contact with the animals, the CDC said.

The agency has asked state and military officials in New Jersey and elsewhere to evaluate all flu outbreaks in light of the developments at Ft. Dix.

Other outbreaks of influenza have been reported to the CDC this winter, but of a different strain.

The CDC said it also notified the World Health Organization of the Ft. Dix outbreak and

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City Council...

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standard replacement dwelling costing \$20,000. In that case, if the replacement house met city standards, the owner would receive the \$6,000 for the purchase price of his property, plus the \$14,000 difference in the cost of the new house, as well as relocation funds.

Laney emphasized that the replacement grant would be made to the homeowner at no cost to him and would not be considered a loan.

The city and Redevelopment staff is available to work with homeowners and tenants to help them find suitable homes, he said.

Mayor Percy Cox, noting that several residents had indicated they did not understand the process, said that the Council wished to make sure that "we are doing exactly what they (residents) want us to do." He noted that the hearing hopefully represented the final action on the project and he urged persons with questions to ask them.

John Taylor suggested the case of a widow who owned a four-bedroom home that was scheduled for acquisition. He asked if the widow's replacement house would be restricted to only one or two bedrooms since the her children had grown up and left the home.

Laney said that the replacement house would not be restricted to one or two bedrooms and he asserted that if another four-bedroom house was desired, that would pose no problem.

In response to a question concerning purchase of a house that would require more than the \$15,000 maximum replacement grant, Laney said that the homeowner, if he chose, could still buy the home and secure a mortgage for the difference.

Relocations are not restricted to the city, he added.

The Redevelopment project calls for construction of a community building for the area. Original plans scheduled the building to be located in the flood plain but due to the cost involved in elevating the structure to meet flood plain requirements and the inconvenience seen to elderly and handicapped citizens in climbing steps to the building, it was decided to move the location of the building out of the flood plain.

Plans now call for the structure to be located on Moore Street where an elevation of only about six inches is required as opposed to eight to nine feet in the flood plain. Location of the structure does mean that several homes on Moore Street will have to be acquired. Only one of the homes is considered standard, it was noted.

Mrs. Christine Lewis told the Council that many residents understood that persons living outside the flood plain would not have to sell their property. She noted that persons living in the flood plain area agreed that they would have to move.

City Planner John Schofield pointed out that the only way residents living outside the flood plain area could be eligible for rehabilitation assistance was to place the entire area in the project. The Council decided that the neighborhood should be included in the redevelopment program, he said.

Changes in the plan could be made by the Council, Schofield said, but revisions would slow down the program even more.

Mrs. Lewis said that although residents of West Meadowbrook "begged for a pretty place to live in, we don't want it to be too fine for us to live in it."

Laney informed the gathering that two appraisers are already under contract for the West Meadowbrook appraisal work and they have been given the priority of appraising occupied homes in the flood plain to establish "just compensation" for the property. Flood plain appraisals will

hopefully be available in 30 days, he said.

The Commission director also cleared up another matter of concern on the behalf of the residents as he explained that since most of the open lots in the area outside the flood plain are roughly 50 feet by 150 feet, they will be considered as standard lots. That will follow residents to build homes on the lots in that area, he said.

The Rev. Fred Teel said that he had been told that construction would not be allowed on the 50-foot wide lots. Teel's property is scheduled to be acquired above the flood plain due to the community building location and street requirements.

Councilman Dr. Frank Fuller asserted that the fact that the lots will be considered standard should be included in the minutes of the meeting.

The church located in the flood plain area will have to be acquired, it was reported, but the relocation staff will work with church officials in finding a suitable site outside the flood plain. Laney said that although the church would not be eligible for replacement housing money, the purchase price of the property and relocation funds would be available.

Cox said that if any changes in the project plans are necessary following approval, the residents of the neighborhood will be notified and their input will be sought. Significant changes would require public hearings.

The neighborhood park scheduled to be built in the flood plain area will offer residents recreational benefits such as tennis, basketball, softball, hiking, gardening and picnicking. The area north of the flood plain is to be utilized for residential purposes.

All existing streets in West Meadowbrook are to be paved under the program and sidewalks will be built along several streets. The project will also involve the extension of some of the utilities serving the area.

The project is expected to take approximately three years to complete.

The Council also took action on several other matters during the special session, including adoption of a resolution ap-

Plan Saturday Night Program

A musical program will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at Simpson Chapel Free Will Baptist Church in Simpson.

On Sunday at 2 p.m., the Rev. Clarence Gray of Triumph Missionary Baptist Church will have services at Simpson Chapel on behalf of the usher board.

YOUTH RALLY

An Annual Youth Rally will be held at Rock Spring F.W.B. Church Sunday at 11 a.m. Rev. James Smith will conduct the services. The youth minister and the youth department of Celvia F.W.B. Church will conduct the services at 1:30 p.m. The public is invited.

proving a contract between the city and state for the Greenville Transit Development Program. The contract calls for a \$3,200 grant from the state as well as local share of \$3,200. The federal share of the program is \$25,600.

A resolution approving a contract between the city and Allen M. Voorhees & Associates Inc. for completion of the Transit Development Program was also authorized.

In addition, a request by residents of East Rock Springs Road, south of 14th Street, for establishment of no parking on both sides of the street and erection of a street sign at the entrance of the street indicating "Dead End Road" was approved. A parking problem exists in the East Rock Springs Road area, it was noted, and the establishment of no parking zones was recommended by the Traffic Commission.

The Council also indicated concurrence with a request by the Greenville Woman's Club for permission to hold a tree planting ceremony in the Town Common on March 12 in connection with the nation's bicentennial celebration.

How They Voted In Veto Test

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nine of the 11 congressmen from North Carolina voted Thursday for the 319-98 House majority which overrode President Ford's veto of a \$6.1 billion public works jobs bill. However, the Senate failed to override.

Only Rep. Walter B. Jones, a Democrat, and James T. Broyhill, a Republican, voted against overriding.

Voting to override were Democratic Reps. Andrews, Fountain, Hefner, Henderson, Neal, Preyer, Rose, and Taylor, and Republican Martin.

A two-thirds majority was required in the Senate to override, but this fell short in a 63-35 vote to do so.

Democratic Sen. Robert Morgan voted for overriding, but his Republican colleague, Sen. Jesse Helms, voted against.

EXTENDED WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR N.C.

Scattered showers Sunday and Monday, becoming sunny Tuesday. Warm Sunday, turning cooler on Monday.

Screen Cut

Greenville police were called to 2409 East Third St. about 9 p.m. yesterday to investigate an attempted break-in.

Chief Glenn Cannon said residents of the home heard a noise outside and called police who found a screen at the rear of the dwelling cut.

Childproof Cap Ordered

RALEIGH (AP)—The state Pesticide Board voted 4-2 Thursday to permit the unrestricted sale of liquid arsenic as a household pest killer as long as it is sealed with a child-proof safety cap.

"We need to take it out of the home environment," said Dr. John Freeman in an appeal to curtail the product's distribution.

State health experts had called for restricting the sale of the poison at two public hearings. They said that pound-for-pound, it is one of the most toxic compounds available for home use.

Fred B. Singletary of Rocky Mount is North Carolina's only manufacturer of household liquid arsenic trioxide. The board made it mandatory that that all bottles of Singletary's Pest Killer that are on the shelf be recalled within 90 days for repackaging in child proof containers.

In other action, the board voted to send back to its advisory committee proposed regulations to control the drifting spray of pesticides used by cropdusting planes.

The action followed a hearing during which a delegation of Scotland County citizens opposed cropdusting pilots. The confrontation came on a proposal to stiffly control overflights and target zones of North Carolina's approximately 100 aerial applicators.

Program For The Gifted

A group of rising high school seniors with outstanding academic achievement and aptitude in science will be at East Carolina University this summer as participants in a special student science training program.

The program, coordinated by Dr. Paul Varlashkin of the ECU Department of Physics, is funded by a recently awarded grant of \$14,920 from the National Science Foundation, and is to be one of 125 similar programs in 43 states.

The 125 proposed programs were chosen for funding from a total of 320 applications from capuses throughout the U. S. about 4,000 outstanding American science students will be involved in the NSF programs.

Further information about the ECU project is available from Dr. Varlashkin at the Department of Physics, East Carolina University.



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Course Title	Hours	Cost	Begins	Time	Day	Room
Adult Basic Education	66	NONE	3-1	7-10	M&Tu	123
Adult Driver Training	60	\$17.00	3-9	7-10	T&Th	111
Adult High School	66	3.00	3-3	7-10	W&Th	123
Art: Drawing & Painting	30	3.00	3-8	7-10	M	R-125
Art: Drawing & Sketching	30	3.00	3-4	7-10	Th	FAEC
Assorted Crafts	30	3.00	3-1	7-10	M	FAEC
(Decoupage, Copper Tooling, String Crafts)						
Assorted Crafts	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-163
(Decoupage, Copper Tooling, String Crafts)						
Auto Care For Car Owners	24	3.00	3-9	7-10	Tu	23
Baking & Decorations For Home & Commercial Use	30	3.00	3-17	7-10	W	104
Baking & Decorations For Home & Commercial Use	30	3.00	3-18	7-10	Th	FAEC
Bargello	24	3.00	3-11	12-3	Th	+
Basic First Aid	12	3.00	3-9	7-10	TBA	113
Brick Masonry	400	3.00	3-8	7-1	M-F	111
Cabinet Making	30	3.00	3-13	9-12	Sat.	111
Canvas Embroidery I	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-160
Canvas Embroidery I	24	3.00	3-11	9-12	Th	+
Canvas Embroidery I	30	3.00	4-5	7-10	M	+
Canvas Embroidery I	30	3.00	4-5	10-1	M	+
Canvas Embroidery II	24	3.00	3-8	12-3	M	+
Canvas Embroidery II	30	3.00	4-15	7-10	Th	+
Canvas Embroidery III	24	3.00	3-9	9-12	Tu	+
Ceramics	30	3.00	March	7-10	M-F	TBA*
Crewel Embroidery I	30	3.00	3-8	7-10	M	R-160
Crewel Embroidery I	30	3.00	4-6	7-10	Tu	+
Crewel Embroidery I	30	3.00	4-6	10-1	Tu	+
Crewel Embroidery II	24	3.00	3-10	12-3	W	+
Cross Stitch	30	3.00	4-16	10-1	F	+
White on White Needlepoint	24	3.00	3-10	9-12	W	+
Smocking	18	3.00	3-4	7-10	Th	+
Crochet	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-161
Crochet	30	3.00	3-8	7-10	M	R-161
Crochet	30	3.00	3-12	9-12	F	+
Furniture Upholstery	60	3.00	3-9	7-10	T&Th	TBA
Interior Decorating	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-162
Investments & Securities	15	3.00	3-8	7-9:30	M	R-150
Knitting & Crochet	30	3.00	3-1	7-10	M	FAEC
Knitting	30	3.00	3-9	7-10	Tu	24
Lawnmower Repairs	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	23
Macrame	21	3.00	3-8	7-10	M	R-162
Photography (35mm)	33	3.00	3-10	7-10	W	24
Piano (Basic)	17	3.00	3-10	7-10	W	220
Piano (Advanced)	17	3.00	3-8	7-9	M	220
Pottery	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-125**
Quilting	30	3.00	3-8	9-12	M	+
Real Estate (Fundamentals)	45	3.00	3-9	7-10	Tu	12
Sewing (Basic)	66	3.00	3-2	9-1:30	Tu	FAEC
Sewing I	33	3.00	3-8	7-10	M&W	4
Sewing I	33	3.00	3-9	7-10	Tu	207
Sewing I	33	3.00	3-4	7-10	Th	FAEC
Sewing II	33	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	207
Sewing (Advanced)	33	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	4
Sewing (Advanced)	66	3.00	3-8	7-10	M&W	207
Sewing (Advanced)	36	3.00	3-1	7-10	M	FAEC
Sewing (Advanced)	36	3.00	3-3	9-12	W	FAEC
Sewing (Advanced)	36	3.00	3-3	7-10	W	FAEC
Sewing (Advanced)	36	3.00	3-2	7-10	Tu	FAEC
Sign Language (Advanced)	30	3.00	3-11	7-10	Th	R-163
Stretch Sewing	33	3.00	3-9	7-10	Tu	4
Tobacco Auctioneering	80	3.00	3-8	8-12	M	113
Tobacco Ticket Marking	80	3.00	3-8	8-12	M	113
Woodcarving	30	3.00	3-2	7-10	Tu	FAEC

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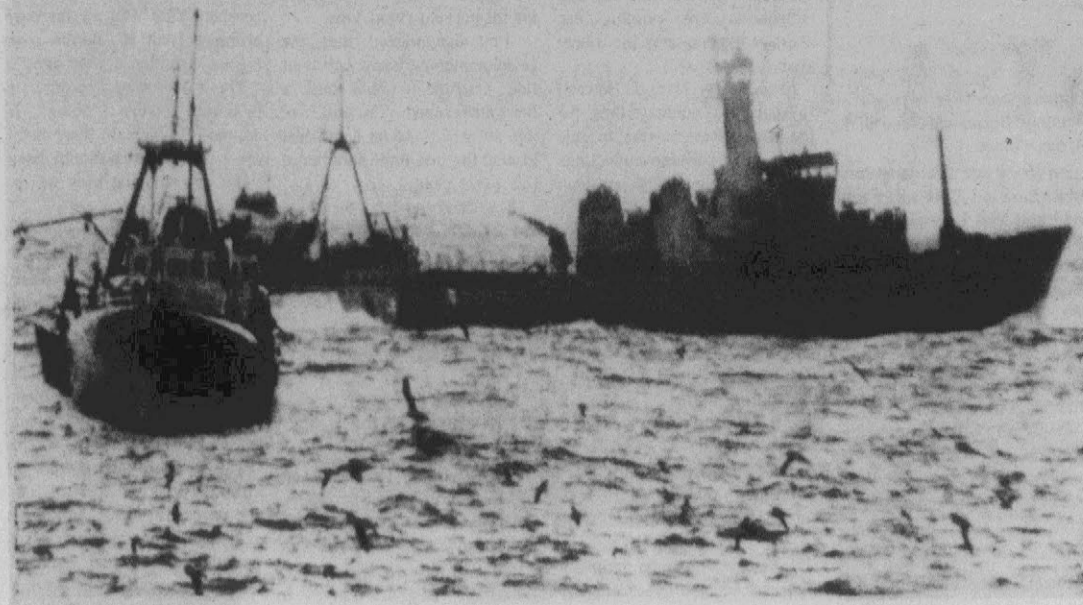
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Ford Escalates Bare-Knuckles Campaign In N.H.



COD WAR INCIDENT— The Icelandic gunboat Tyr, right, passes close to two British trawlers off the coast of Iceland Wednesday in one of the latest incidents in the Cod War. This picture was made by a British Royal Navy photographer aboard the HMS Bacchante and

radioed from the ship to the Ministry of Defense in London. Iceland broke diplomatic relations with Britain Thursday over their fishing dispute. (AP Wirephoto)

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer
KEENE, N.H. (AP) — Escalating his new bare-knuckles campaign, President Ford is accusing challenger Ronald Reagan of advocating "backdoor socialism" and ducking fights he may not win.

Ford on Thursday began his final campaign swing through New Hampshire, where voters cast their ballots in the nation's first presidential primary of the year next Tuesday.

Ford was to travel to Dover, N.H., today for a speech repeating his plans for overhauling the nation's intelligence agencies.

In Keene, Ford said Reagan had proposed investing part of the Social Security trust fund in the stock market. Fielding questions at a "public forum" in a steamy high school gymnasium, Ford declared:

"That's the best blueprint for backdoor socialism I've ever

seen."

But Reagan aides say the former California governor does not advocate investing Social Security funds. They say Reagan merely noted that some economists, whom he did not identify, have suggested funds could be "invested in the industrial might of America."

Ford told the gym crowd that Reagan is trying to capitalize on ideas that are "easy to say" but more difficult to translate into action.

For example, Ford declared, "It's easy to say we ought to cut \$90 billion from the federal budget and toss a lot of worthwhile programs to the states." But he said it wouldn't work the way Reagan says.

Reagan has proposed transferring responsibility and tax revenue sources for some social programs from Washington to the states.

A number of Keene residents

questioned Ford's pardon of resigned President Richard M. Nixon, raised the subject of Nixon's forthcoming trip to China and echoed a Reagan campaign claim that some administration connived with Congress under a Washington "buddy system" to raise the pay of Senate and House members.

Ford denied that his pardon of Nixon was "somewhat premature," arguing that Nixon had paid a tremendous penalty because he "resigned in disgrace." He said the pardon cleared the air and permitted the nation to come to grips with serious economic problems.

Ford insisted Nixon is bound for China as an ordinary citizen. And he defended efforts to strengthen ties with China, saying relations with the mainland Chinese "are good and they are going to continue to be good. There's no reason for anyone to doubt it."

As for claims the administration worked to boost congressional salaries at the expense of federal workers, Ford snapped: "There was no conniving and any accusation to that effect is completely without fact or foundation."

Meanwhile, there were these political developments Thursday:

—Former Georgia Gov. Jimmy Carter said he expects to finish "first or second, maybe third" in New Hampshire's Democratic primary. He continued to face questions over his past comments about former Georgia Lt. Gov. Lester Maddox.

Carter, in Concord, denied saying Maddox, an arch conservative, was "the essence of the Democratic party." He said he had referred only to "the way Maddox campaigned" and

not to the man himself.

Maddox, meanwhile, flew from —Former Oklahoma Sen. Fred Harris said in Concord that his canvassers show him among the top three candidates in the state's Democratic race. He did not name the other two candidates but said if he did not finish at least third "it would be a real shame."

—The New Englander magazine said a poll of executives of the region's top 150 industrial and service firms showed Ford and Sen. Hubert Humphrey, D-Minn., as the likely opponents in the November general election. Humphrey is not an announced candidate.

—A Democratic write-in campaign emerged for former Texas Gov. John B. Connally with the distribution of an advertising insert Thursday in New Hampshire's daily newspapers. The insert urged voters to write in Connally, a Democrat-turned-Republican, on the Democratic ballot.

—Humphrey was in Northampton, Mass., where he said again he might accept a presidential draft, but "the possibilities are not very strong." He added, "I am not a candidate."

—Rep. Morris Udall said in Boston that if elected president he would "run some risks" to unilaterally stop constructing nuclear weapons. "I'd be prepared to say to the Soviets, 'Look, we're stopping construction at 8,000. That's enough,'" the Arizona Democrat said in a speech to about 1,000 persons.

'Mysterious Foreign Official' Is Said Best-Paid By Lockheed

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate investigators say a mysterious foreign official is emerging as one of the best-paid of Lockheed Aircraft Corp.'s foreign consultants.

Lockheed documents show that the aircraft firm paid \$8.7 million to the official in 1973 and 1974 and that \$4.5 million is still owed him. However, Treasury Secretary William E. Simon, chairman of the panel that oversees the government's loan guarantee to Lockheed, said he has been assured the additional sum won't be paid.

Investigators under Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, said they don't know what country the official is from but that he apparently also is an officer of a government-owned airline.

In another development, Sen. Frank Church, D-Idaho, said his Senate panel on multinational corporations is trying to find out the names of foreign government officials who received Lockheed funds. Officials of the company have said they don't know the names of the recipients.

In the latest payments to surface, investigators said there is no indication the mystery man is from Japan, home of Yoshio Kodama, whose \$7 million makes him another of the highest-paid consultants to be identified in the current disclosures of the company's payoffs.

The largest Lockheed consulting fee thus far revealed was \$106 million paid over a five-year period to Saudi Arabian businessman Adnan M. Khashoggi, with some of that going in kickbacks to Saudi officials.

The payments were cryptically disclosed in a Lockheed report to the Emergency Loan Guarantee Board headed by Simon. No further details were available.

Simon, who decried Lockheed's payoffs, told Proxmire's committee that at least \$147 million in completed Lockheed sales, \$50 million in pending sales contracts and \$25 million in potential sales can be traced directly to political payoffs by the company's agents overseas. He repeatedly refused to

comply with Proxmire's request that Lockheed be compelled to make public the names of all who were bribed and the Lockheed agents who bribed them.

In another disagreement with Proxmire, Simon also said it would be unwise to put Lockheed on a tight month-by-month repayment schedule of its government-guaranteed loan because that might cause the company to lose sales and eventually go bankrupt.

Church announced later that the Senate subcommittee on multinational corporations will seek additional evidence on Lockheed payoffs in Japan and West Germany, including the names of those who received the money.

Church implied that additional Lockheed officials will be interrogated in private and said that if the names of those involved are learned, they will be given to the Japanese government.

Meanwhile, All Nippon Airways said its image has been badly damaged by the Lockheed scandal and the firm may cancel an order for five TriStar jets in an effort to restore its reputation. The Japanese airline has ordered 21 TriStars and has received 6.

Their Elders More Liberal

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa (AP) — Sex education in the schools? "We've gone more than 110 years without it and we don't need it now, if biology courses are taught correctly," says one of the nation's youngest public officials.

Mike O'Bradovich, the advocate of biology well taught over sex education, and Mike Winchester, are both 19. They've squared off together against their more liberal elders in controversies covering a range of subjects — from sex education to school renovation.

As members of the city's board of education, Winchester and O'Bradovich share in the administration of 29 Council Bluffs schools. The two law students are "conservative tightwads," said Winchester, when compared with the "more liberal" older board members.

O'Bradovich and Winchester favor retaining old neighborhood schools and oppose school district administration moves toward the open classroom. On the renovation issue, Winchester said, "The establishment in Council Bluffs feels we're impeding progress because we're not backing the building of buildings."

"The board should be working for better schools, not just

new schools," said O'Bradovich.

The two join one other board member in minority opposition to four board members favoring the renovation issue.

School Board President James Campbell said the two young members have been "very liberal in some things. In the labor negotiations with the new collective bargaining aspects, I'd say they've been right in step with the times."



STAR ON CRUTCHES— Elke Sommer, the German-born film star, is on crutches and having trouble with her long gown as she and husband Joe Hyams, a newspaper man, arrive at the Santa Monica (Calif.) Civic Auditorium Thursday night for the "People's Choice Awards" televised show. She explained to newsmen she had pulled a tendon while picking up her dog. (AP Wirephoto)

'Treatment' In Need Of Study

By PIERO VALSECCHI
Associated Press Writer
MILAN, Italy (AP) — The leader of an Italian team that has discovered a combination drug treatment hailed as a breakthrough in treatment of breast cancer warns it is not an "absolute remedy" and that more testing will be needed.

"Let's hope we can save thousands of lives," Dr. Gianni Bonadonna said in an interview Wednesday night. "Hopes are justified. But there is no certainty. More tests and studies over the next three years will be needed."

Bonadonna and a team of associates at the National Cancer Institute of Italy developed a treatment combining three drugs which resulted in a sharp reduction in the recurrence of the disease among women who had been operated on for advanced breast cancer. The treatments and the results were reported this week in the New England Journal of Medicine and termed of "monumental importance."

The three drugs are cyclophosphamide, methotrexate and fluorouracil, or CMF.

"The drugs we used for our study are on the market and available to patients for treatment in community hospitals," Bonadonna said. "But patient and public opinion must not think we have developed the absolute remedy."

"The main point is that physicians should be aware of the new possibility and that patients learn that something is being done for them," the 41-year-old doctor said.

His team reported that in a 27-month experiment with 386 women who had had radical mastectomies — removal of the breast, lymph nodes and nearby muscles, cancer recurred in 5 per cent of the 207 women who had the combined drug treatment for a year and in 24 per cent of the 179 who did not get the drugs.

Bonadonna said the next step in his study is to treat patients for six months to determine the effectiveness of the combined drugs when administered for a shorter period of time.

Bonadonna said his team's work was based on studies by two doctors at the U.S. National Cancer Institute at Bethesda, Md., Paul P. Carbone and B. Fisher, "who already were testing treatment on operated women with a single drug." The Italian team also received financial support from the American cancer institute.


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Bucs Plays Host To Georgia Southern



CHECKING THE SCALES— Muhammad Ali checks out the scales as challenger Jean-Pierre Coopman tips them at 206 pounds Thursday during their weigh-in for Friday night's championship fight in San Juan, Puerto Rico. (AP Wirephoto)

Ali Overwhelming Pick In Bout With Coopman

By ED SCHUYLER JR.
AP Sports Writer

SAN JUAN (AP) — The heavyweight championship comes to Puerto Rico for the first time tonight, pitting Muhammad Ali, a man who has made millions of dollars from the title, against Jean-Pierre Coopman, whose purse will top his previous total earnings.

Ali is an overwhelming favorite to beat the unranked Belgian despite a bothersome cold and less than top condition.

The scheduled 15-rounder is set for the 12,000-seat Roberto Clemente Coliseum and will be televised live to the United States by CBS from 9 to 11 p.m. EST. The fight is scheduled to start at 9:45 p.m.

Ali, who is getting \$1.1 million for his 17th appearance in a championship fight, worked out Thursday, then went to the Coliseum where he weighed in at 226 pounds, only 1 1/2 pounds more than he scaled for his classic victory over Joe Frazier last Oct. 1.

Coopman, a sculptor of religious statues, weighed 206 for his big chance. He will get about \$100,000 for tonight's fight. His previous biggest purse was \$12,400.

The weigh-in lacked any of the flair that has marked previous Ali weigh-ins where the champion often gestured and screamed at such opponents as Frazier, George Foreman and Sonny Liston.

It does Ali little good to shout at Coopman because the 29-year-old Belgian speaks only Flemish and doesn't understand a word Ali says.

Coopman goes into the title bout with a record of 24-3-0 with 16 knockouts. Most of his opponents are unknown outside of Europe and he has fought only once before outside of Belgium, losing a decision to Harald Skog in Norway.

For Ali, who spent much of the time in the days leading up to the fight talking about future matches rather than about Coopman, the fight will be his 52nd in a career which began in 1960 and was interrupted for 3 1/2 years because of his refusal to enter U.S. Military Service. Ali's record is 49-2-0, with 35

The 1975-76 basketball season for East Carolina University begins winding down Saturday night as the Pirates open their final regular season home swing hosting Georgia Southern. The game is set for 7:30 p.m.

The Bucs have one other contest left, a Monday night affair in Minges with Western Carolina.

Then, the first round of the Southern Conference Tournament will be played. The site of that game is still to be determined, and one game may decide the seeding for the first five teams.

That lone game is at Lexington, Va., where VMI, currently leading the conference, entertains Appalachian State. If VMI wins, the Keydets will take first place, William & Mary second, Richmond third, East Carolina fourth and ASU fifth, and the Bucs will host ASU next Saturday.

But if ASU wins, William & Mary will have the chance to take first by beating Richmond, tumbling VMI into second. ASU would take over third regardless of the W&M-Richmond outcome, leaving the Spiders in fourth and East Carolina fifth. That would send the Bucs to Richmond next Saturday.

Actually, East Carolina, finished in conference play at 7-7, could end up in a three-way tie for third if both Richmond and ASU lose. But under the system used to seed the teams for the tournament, Richmond has the advantage over the other two, while the Bucs hold it over Appalachian.

The Bucs go into this final home stand having lost two straight games, to Furman and to Mercer.

"I thought we played well against Furman," Coach Dave Patton said, "but Furman had

an exceptional game. When you shoot 62 per cent and can only lead by eight points at the half, you know you're up against some kind of opposition."

The coach added that he had been pleased with the way the team had played most of the time during the last two weeks. "We've been playing smarter, harder and with more confidence. But we are stiff beating ourselves with mistakes. If we ever cut these out, we'll be all right in the tournament."

Patton feels that the tournament could belong to anyone. "Furman is going to be seeded seventh, but look what they've done in the last few games," he said. After upsetting the Bucs, Furman pulled off another surprise, beating South Carolina in Columbia.

The coach still believes that the opening four games of the season were the killing note for the Pirates. "You have to play any sport with confidence in yourself and in your teammates. We got this knocked out of us in these first four games."

Referring to the Mercer game, Patton added that mistakes and confidence cost the Bucs in that contest. "We cut the lead back down to three at one point early in the second half. Then, the next three times we had the ball, we turned it over without getting a shot. They scored each time and went back out by nine, and the guys just got in too big of a hurry to catch up after that, compounding the errors."

Georgia Southern brings in a team much like the Bucs. They were 9-11 going into last night's game with New Orleans. "They are young. They've had a hard season like we have, but they're shown a lot of improvement lately."

Patton feels that the team will be a lot like Appalachian State. "They like to dictate the tempo of the game, playing a patient type game, working for the good shots. They don't have a lot of

height, so they go after the best shot. Of course, the way people have been shooting against us, they'll probably hit it."

Patton was referring to the fact that in both of the last two games, their foes have hit over 62 per cent in at least one half, and over 55 per cent for the game.

Mat Simpkins is the leading member of the Georgia Southern team, averaging 14.2 points a contest. Kevin Anderson had a 13.1 mark, while Billy Sandifer is hitting 11.5 and Ed McArthur, 11.3.

The game will be sort of a backwards homecoming for Patton, who played his undergraduate days at Georgia Southern.

Mobley Holds Lead; McCarter Moves Ahead

Rick Mobley continues to lead the area scoring race among the boys, but for the third straight time there is a new leader among the girls.

Mobley's 23.4 average is down slightly from the last reporting period, but he still holds a comfortable lead over North Pitt's Donnie Perkins, who is hitting 18.9. Unless the Conley star goes scoreless the rest of the way, or Perkins goes absolutely wild, Mobley should win this year's scoring title.

Barry Wallace of Williamston is third among the boys with a 16.2 mark, followed by Greene Central's Marvin Rouse at 15.8.

Williamston has taken over the lead in team scoring with a 64.4 mark. North Pitt is right behind them at 64.0.

Defensively, Greene Central heads the pack with a 51.1 average. North Pitt is second again at 52.5.

The Panthers of North Pitt thus are outthrusting their opponents by the biggest margin, 11.5 points a game. Williamston is second at 6.2 among the five who have outhit their foes.

Just three teams of the 10 area ones have winning records, topped by North Pitt's 15-2 mark. Ayden-Grifton is second at 13-4, while Williamston is 9-8.

Audrey McCarter of Ayden-Grifton slipped into the lead in the girls' race with a 13.9 average, but the battle there is tight. Sissy Taylor of Williamston is second at 13.5, while the last listing's leader, Patricia Taylor of Bear Grass is third at 13.3. Rapidly improving Wanda Phillips of Farmville Central is fourth at 12.9 while Kathi Manning of North Pitt rounds out the top five at 12.5.

Williamston head all team categories for the girls. They are scoring 56.8 points a game, allowing 26.5, and beating their opponents by 30.3 points game. They are unbeaten at 17-0 so far.

Farmville Central is second in the chart in all categories. The Lady Jaguars are hitting 46.4

per game, allowing 38.9, with a winning average of 7.5 points a game.

The Jaguars are 11-6 on the year, while only North Pitt, 9-8, is also a winner. Bear Grass has a break-even 9-9 mark.

The top 20 individuals, top five teams and team records follow, including games through Wednesday.

One final listing will follow at the end of the season.

Boy's Scoring

1. Rick Mobley, DHC	23.4
2. Donnie Perkins, NP	18.9
3. Barry Wallace, Wtn	16.2
4. Marvin Rouse, GC	15.8
5. Paul Jones, Roan	15.1
6. Jerry Ange, JVille	14.9
7. Willie Forbes, A-G	13.6
8. Allan Crawford, BG	12.9
9. Eric Davis, JVille	12.9
10. David Whitehurst, JV	12.6
11. Butch Davis, Wtn	12.5
12. Nelson Edwards, GC	11.9
13. Derek Brewington, Rose	11.7
14. Ricky Duggins, Roan	11.4
15. Paul Ricciardi, A-G	11.4
16. Rufus Simmons, JV	11.3
17. James Baker, FC	10.9
18. Johnny Streeter, DHC	10.6
19. Jerry Wynne, BG	10.5
20. Oden Braxton, A-G	10.3

Boy's Defense

1. Williamston	64.4
2. North Pitt	61.9
3. Rose	61.6
4. Roanoke	61.6
5. Ayden-Grifton	61.5

Girl's Scoring

1. Audrey McCarter, A-G	13.9
2. Sissy Taylor, Wtn	13.5
3. Patricia Taylor, BG	13.3
4. Wanda Phillips, FC	12.9
5. Alice Costin, DHC	12.9
6. Paula Bennett, Wtn	12.9
7. Theresa Whitley, GC	12.9
8. Joy Forbes, NP	12.9
9. Nancy Williams, Wtn	12.9
10. Lou Rawls, BG	12.9
11. Cheryl Taylor, Rose	12.9
12. Alice Costin, DHC	12.9
13. Edith James, JVille	12.9
14. Beth Brandon, Wtn	12.9
15. Cindy Porter, A-G	12.9
16. Janet Holliday, BG	12.9
17. Ella Fleming, DHC	12.9
18. James Baker, FC	12.9
19. Jennifer Counterman, FC	12.9
20. Vanessa Hooker, GC	12.9

Girl's Defense

1. Williamston	56.8
2. Farmville Central	46.4
3. Ayden-Grifton	46.4
4. North Pitt	39.8
5. Roanoke	39.0

Girl's Winning Margin

1. Williamston	30.3
2. Farmville Central	7.5
3. Ayden-Grifton	4.7
4. Bear Grass	39.3
5. Ayden-Grifton	39.9

Girl's Records

1. Williamston	17.0
2. Farmville Central	11.4
3. North Pitt	9.8
4. Bear Grass	9.9
5. Ayden-Grifton	8.9
6. Roanoke	6.12
7. Conley	4.13
8. Greene Central	3.14
9. Jamesville	2.13
10. Rose	0.8

BUSSE WINS BY TWO
COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Results were slow in coming to the U.S. Trotting Association offices during the Canadian mail strike but when all 1975 races were tallied Daryl Busse was declared the winner of his first national harness driving championship. He won 360 races last year, two more than Walter Paisley.

Carmine Abbatiello, during most of his driving in New York at Roosevelt and Yonkers raceways, paced the money winners with \$2,275,093. He beat out Ben Webster by more than \$305,000. Twelve other drivers of trotters and pacers won more than \$1,000,000 in purses last year.

Bucettes Top Camels

BUIES CREEK — East Carolina University opened up a long weekend of basketball night with an 80-71 women's victory over Campbell College.

It was the first game of a three-game swing for the Bucettes. Tonight, they are in Farmville, Va., to face Randolph-Macon. Then, on Saturday morning, they will face hosting Longwood.

East Carolina steadily pulled away from Campbell, building up a 44-33 lead over the Lady Camels. After that, the Bucettes were in firm control to the end. "The final score was really no indication of how the game went," Coach Catherine Bolton said. "We played a very good game."

Debbie Freeman returned to stride, leading the Pirates with 33 points, 27 of them coming in the first half. Rosie Thompson added 18.

Fox led Campbell with 24, while Hall added 20.

East Carolina	44 36-80
Campbell	33 38-71

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Pirates 6 6 9 6-27
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Greene Central at North Lenoir (7 p.m.)
Conley at Southern Nash (7 p.m.)
North Pitt at C. B. Aycock (7 p.m.)
Williamston at Tarboro (6:30 p.m.)
North Johnston at Roanoke (6:30 p.m.)
Jamesville at Bear Grass (7 p.m.)
E. B. Aycock at Southern Nash (6:30 p.m.)
East Carolina women at Longwood
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Allen Dean vs. Davis Wildcats
Empire Brushes vs. Sonoco
Smith's Hearing vs. Eaton
Big Value Drugs vs. Pitt Tech
Wachovia vs. Moose
Darryl's vs. Alan's Room
Wrestling
Eastern Sectional Meet at Rose
Indoor Track
Southern Conference Meet at VMI
Swimming
Southern Conference Meet at Richmond
Saturday's Sports
Wrestling
Eastern Sectional Meet at Rose
Swimming
Wilson at Greenville Swim Club (10 a.m.)
Southern Conference Meet at Richmond
Rose, Kinston at Jordan
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East Carolina Swims Out To Big Early Lead In Southern Battle

RICHMOND, VA. — East Carolina's swimming Pirates took a big step toward their 11th consecutive Southern Conference Swimming and Diving Championship Thursday as they won all four of the swimming events and piled up a 93 point lead over their nearest challenger.

The Bucs were able to get 177 points in a strong effort for the first day. They were followed by VMI with 84, Furman scored 78, and Richmond finished the day with 73. Coach Ray Scharf figured the Pirates would be about where they are now after

the first day of competition. "I figured we would have about 179 after the first day so we are doing about what I expected. We should have no problem, but everyone in the conference has improved, that's for sure."

The Pirates broke three conference records and cracked four pool marks as they put up the enormous score.

John Tudor led the way with his victory in the 500 freestyle. Tudor broke the conference, pool, ECU varsity, and ECU freshman records in the event with a fine time of 4:45.7. Jeff Evans of Furman placed second with a 4:48.7 while Doug Brindley of the Pirates was third a tenth of a second behind Evans. Paul Davis took nine seconds off his previous best to give the Bucs fourth. Larry Green placed sixth.

In the 200 individual medley, freshman sensation Stewart Mann set conference and pool marks in winning with a 2:00.8 clocking. Bill Ritsch of Furman placed second in 2:03.2, while David Kirkman of the Bucs took third in 2:03.7 and Keith Wade fourth in 2:03.8. Tomas Palmgren of the Bucs finished fifth.

Six-foot-seven John McCauley took the 50 freestyle in pool record time of :21.65, while teammate Billy Thorne placed second at :21.80.

The East Carolina 400 medley relay team of Stewart Mann, David Kirkman, Steve Ruedlinger, and John McCauley took the event in conference and

pool record time of 3:39.15.

Coach Scharf singled out several performers for efforts.

"John Tudor had a really beautiful performance in the 500 freestyle. Doug Brindley also had his best time in the event along with Paul Davis. Davis really looked great. I thought the whole team did well, but these guys did exceptional."

The Pirates will attempt to add to their lead even more today.

Team scores — East Carolina — 177; Virginia Military Institute — 84; Furman — 78; Richmond — 73; Appalachian State — 53; William and Mary — 44; Davidson — 39; The Citadel — 0.

500 freestyle — John Tudor (ECU) 4:45.7 (Conference, pool, ECU varsity and fresh-

man record, old conference, 4:53.53, old pool, 5:02.1, old varsity, 4:49.11, old freshman, 4:49.11; Jeff Evans (F) 4:48.7; Doug Brindley (ECU) 4:48.8; Paul Davis (ECU) 4:58.2; Mike Wren (UR) 5:02.0; Larry Green (ECU) 5:08.2.
200 individual medley — Stewart Mann (ECU) 2:00.8 (Conference and pool record, old conference, 2:03.2, old pool, 2:04.29); Bill Ritsch (F) 2:03.2; David Kirkman (ECU) 2:03.7; Keith Wade (ECU) 2:03.8; Tomas Palmgren (ECU) 2:06.0; Lang Meem (VMI) 2:08.4.
50 freestyle — John McCauley (ECU) :21.65 (Pool record, old, 22.36); Billy Thorne (ECU) :21.80; Kurt Wiekezer (ASU) :22.21; Todd White (F) :22.26; Bruce Mullinax (UR) :22.45; Ross Boniken (ECU) :22.47.
One-meter diving — Scott Lindberry (UR) 374.55; Dale Shoemaker (F); But Northern (VMI); Noble Andrews (VMI); Hank Chase (VMI); Paul Abbott (WMA).
400 medley relay — East Carolina (Stewart Mann, David Kirkman, Steve Ruedlinger, John McCauley) 3:39.15 (Conference and pool record, old conference, 3:42.95, old pool, 3:44.4); VMI 3:44.09; Furman 3:44.33; Richmond 3:47.53; Appalachian State 3:48.01; William and Mary 3:50.59.

VMI Nears Southern Title

By The Associated Press
Two seasons ago Virginia Military basketball Coach Bill Blair watched his Keydets get bounced out of the opening round of the Southern Conference tournament. "We'll be back," he vowed then.

Now the Keydets, 8-3 and in first place, are back. They can win the regular season title Saturday night by defeating Appalachian State.

VMI blasted Richmond 74-67 Wednesday night to move to within one game of the title. The Keydets also are odds-on

favorites to win the conference tournament which begins later this month.

But it hasn't been so good for the Lexington lads in years. VMI has never won the regular season title. As a matter of fact, it has been 35 years since the Keydets even had a winning season. The only respite came 12 years ago when the 1964 team, 12-12 that season, won the Southern Conference championship.

Blair is modest, as coaches often tend to be when they nearly have the title in their

back pocket. "Talent," is the reason for this season's victories, he said, wearing his modesty right out on his shirt lapel.

"I'm not coaching any differently. I just have different people to coach."

William & Mary Coach George Balanis knows all about that talent.

"They've got quickness inside, good perimeter shooters and a very physical defense," he says.

W&M is no pushover. The Indians collected their 13th season victory Thursday night, downing Pratt Institute 70-56 in the only game of the night involving a Southern Conference team. All conference teams are idle tonight.

It's tough to find a weak spot on the VMI team, most coaches concede.

"You can put big players in and they'll hurt us on the boards, but we'll hurt you at

the other end with our quickness," Blair said. "Any team in the league can beat us on a good night. But we can beat any team in the league, too."

Saturday night will be the prime test for the Keydets. If they get by Appalachian State, they own the title. But they still have an outside chance, should they lose that contest. If William & Mary loses to Richmond that same night, the Keydets will keep first place.

The pressure is on. "In the past we've always come in with a psychological edge," says team captain Curt Reppart. "We were the underdogs. We were in position to catch people napping."

"But it's a different story now. The pressure will be greater. Everybody's gunning for us," he said, then added:

"We've accomplished a lot of things this year, but our ultimate goal has been the championship. We'll be ready."

Cox Ices Title Tie

Cox Realty insured itself of no worse than a tie for the Women's last night. One more win, or a Krispy Kreme loss will settle the issue.

In the opening game, Krispy Kreme took a 53-21 win over Book Barn, Krispy Kreme led, 29-9, at the half. Lou Swaim led Krispy Kreme with 24 points, and Vangie Jones added 14. Sandra Stokes led Book Barn with 11.

Cox Realty took a 43-34 win over Little Mint in the second game, moving out to a 26-18 lead at the half. Jolly Jones led the victors with 21 points, with P. J. Taylor adding 11. Vivian Humphrey led Little Mint with 14.

Union Carbide Captures Fourth

Union Carbide remained unbeaten in the Adult Basketball League's Class 2-A Division I last night, the division's lone undefeated team.

In the opening game at South Greenville, the Sheltered Workshop beat St. Paul's, 87-53. ECSW held a 42-24 lead by halftime. Cliff Barrett hit 44 points to lead the Workshop, while Sam Barrett added 24. Jack Wall had 23 for St. Paul's and George Vines had 12.

Union Carbide took a 70-55 win over Pitt Memorial Hospital in the second game. It was the fourth straight win for Union Carbide, which built up a 37-24 halftime lead. Tommy Roach led the Batterymen with 19 while Marvin Hardee and Phil Page each had 18 and Jimmy Sutton

had 10. Danny Edwards had 21 and Charles Taft had 15 for Pitt Memorial.

In the third game, Grady-White took a 79-62 win over Stewart's Sandwiches. G-W led at the half, 35-26. Charles Dixon led the Boatmen with 20, Bobby Jones had 18, and Frank Brown and William Atkinson each had 10. Billy Kukendall led Stewart's with 13, with Cliff Barbee adding 12, Charles Meeks, 11, and Cotton Nicholson, 10.

In the lone game played at Elm Street, St. James took a 67-54 win over Carolina Telephone, moving from a 26-22 lead at the half. Van Harrington led St. James with 22, and Cleve Branch added 20. Dallas Staton led CT&T with 29, with Ronnie Gray hitting 10.



MILLER MISSES—Johnny Miller flings his club as his shot from the edge of the 14th green misses by six feet during Thursday's opening round of the Los Angeles Open at the Riviera Country Club. His 72 put him well down the list, and six off the pace of Sam Snead. (AP Wirephoto)

Snead Showing How It's Done

By JACK STEVENSON
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — His straw hat covers the bald pate and his wide West Virginia smile shows satisfaction as the 63-year-old Sam Snead continues to show the youngsters that the oldsters have something left.

"It's great, no, in fact, it's fantastic that a man Sam's age can play as well as he does," declared British Open champion Tom Watson, 26, who like Snead fired a four-under-par 67 in Thursday's opening round of the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open.

Both Snead and Watson were one stroke behind the leader, Tom Jenkins, 28, of Houston, but the old man still commanded the attention. Except for a double bogey on the fifth hole when he hit a tree with his tee shot and banged a limb with his second.

"Other than that I played pretty well from tee to green," said Snead his 34-year-old

nephew, J.C. Snead, won the \$180,000 Andy Williams-San Diego Open just last Sunday.

J.C. had said he thought Sam might win another big tournament but personally kind of doubted it.

"I think that's about right," the slammer of yesteryear admitted. "I've been weighing between 190 and 195 the past 10 years. If I could get in better physical shape, I'd have a good chance."

But his club duties interfere with any further all-out tournament play. As an ex-champion, Snead came to Los Angeles for the Golden Anniversary celebration of the Los Angeles Open on Tuesday. He played par golf, better than the others of his era.

Jenkins, the leader, won the Philadelphia Classic last year for his only PGA victory since joining the tour in 1972.

The Texan carded five birdies without going over par on a hole. His putts for birdies ranged from two to 15 feet.

Rampant Girls Take First Win

Rose High School's girls' basketball team captured its first victory of the season last night, downing Rocky Mount, 34-32.

The win was the first ever for the Rampant girls, who only began the sport this year.

Rose jumped out into a 10-6 lead in the first period of the game, and held onto the lead with a 12-11 second period. That left the Rampant lassies up, 22-17, at the half.

Rocky Mount began a comeback in the third period, cutting the lead down to 29-25, as the final period began. In the last

quarter, Rocky Mount fought back and finally tied it up.

With the score knotted at 32-32, Rose got the ball with 11 seconds left. Karen Jeffreys fed Peggy Leggett, who hit with three seconds left to give Rose the victory.

Miss Leggett led the Rose scoring with 13 points, while Cheryl Taylor added 10. Patricia Gray led Rocky Mount with 12 points.

Rose plays host to Bertie on Monday.

Rocky Mount—P. Gray 12, Haeil 2, Martins 5, Neal 4, W. Gray 1, Arrington 2, Moore 2, Sharon 2, Ward, Barnhill. Rose—Jeffreys 4, C. Taylor 10, Jenkins 5, Leggett 13, P. Taylor, Scott, Knott, Payton. Rocky Mount 34 11 8 7-32. Rose 32 12 7 5-34.

Bowling

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NEW YORK (AP) — Singer

Linda Hopkins of the Broadway show, "Me and Bessie," hopes to bring good luck to the New York Knicks basketball team just as Kate Smith has been credited with doing for the Philadelphia Flyers of the National Hockey League.

Linda sang "The Star Spangled Banner" at Madison Square Garden in mid-December and the Knicks won the game against the Atlanta Hawks in the final second. They won six in a row before losing. Miss Hopkins's dressing room features pictures of all the Knicks.

Guys & Dolls

Guys & Dolls	W	L
Ray's Barber Shop	25	7
T & E	20	12
The Harris	17	15
Mickey's Barb. Shop	16	16
A-J's	15	17
Patience	15	17
Royal Crown	11	21
Challenger	9	23
Men's high game, Fred Twitty, 206;		
men's high series, Harold Ewell, 580;		
women's high game, Nancy Tripp, 204;		
women's high series, Joyce Lee, 554.		
Monday Men's		
Carolina Pride	25	7
Team Fourteen	21	11
Piggly Wiggly	19	13
Pin Busters	19	13
Pin Drifters	18	14
Country Boys	18	14
Vision Decorating	17	15
Royal Crown	17	15
Double Cola	16	16
Moose	15	17
Losers	15	17
Brothers V	14	18
WACO	14	18
Alta Boys	10	22
Allier Highlifters	10	22
Viet Vets	8	24
High game, Jim Lewis, 244; high series, Seber Cobb, 596.		

Scoreboard

Thursday's College Basketball Results	By The Associated Press
EAST	
Holy Cross 100, Boston U 80	
Long Island 98, Manhattan 71	
Maine 64, Connecticut 63	
Massachusetts 84, Rhode Island 76	
Notre Dame 91, Fordham 78	
SOUTH	
Delaware 51, Md-E Shore 71	
Fairmont 51, W Virginia 51	
Gardner-Webb 106, SC-Spartanburg 72	
Georgia Tech 65, S Mississippi 60	
Memphis 51, Tulsa 83	
Morgan 51, S Carolina 51	
Stetson 84, Florida Southern 71	
W Georgia 92, Athletes-in-Action 84	
W Kentucky 70, Murray 48	
MIDWEST	
S Dak Springfield 101, Dakota 51	
S Illinois 65, Bradley 61	
Wichita 51, Drake 78	
SOUTHWEST	
Lamar 83, Arkansas 51 71	
La Tech 102, Texas-Arlington 79	
Texas A&M 111, TCU 70	
FAR WEST	
Air Force 89, Samford 68	
Fresno 51 80, San Jose 51 76	
OT Grand Canyon 64, P1 Loma 58	
Long Beach 51 56, Pacific 51	
New Mexico 51 114, E New Mexico 87	
N Arizona 80, Montana 64	
Oregon 70, Southern Cal 67	
UCLA 78, Oregon 51 69	
Utah 51 94, Denver 92, OT Washington 80, Stanford 59	
Washington 51 98, California 85	
Weber 51 84, Montana 51 79	
Detroit 21 33, 389 1 1/2	
K.C. 21 36, 368 3	
Chicago 17 38, 309 6	
Pacific Division	
G. State 40 16, 714 —	
L.A. 29 29, 500 12	
San Antonio 28 29, 491 124	
Phoenix 23 30, 424 15 1/2	
Portland 24 33, 421 16 1/2	
Thursday's Results	
Cleveland 112, Portland 94	
Friday's Games	
Phoenix at New Orleans	
Portland at Chicago	
Washington at Detroit	
Milwaukee at Houston	
Boston at Los Angeles	
Philadelphia at Seattle	
Saturday's Games	
Detroit at Buffalo	
New Orleans at New York	
Phoenix at Houston	
Atlanta at Washington	
Portland at Kansas City	
St. Louis at Golden State	
Sunday's Games	
Chicago at Milwaukee, afternoon	
Los Angeles at Seattle, afternoon	
ABA	
W L Pct. GB	
Denver 42 13, 764 —	
New York 35 21, 625 7 1/2	
San Antonio 32 22, 592 9 1/2	
Kentucky 31 27, 534 12 1/2	
Indiana 29 30, 492 15	
S. Louis 26 33, 441 18	
Virginia 7 10, 446, 179 32 1/2	
Thursday's Results	
Virginia 102, Kentucky 82	
Denver 128, Indiana 123	
Friday's Games	
New York vs. Virginia at Hampton	
San Antonio at St. Louis	
Denver at Indiana	
Saturday's Games	
Virginia at Indiana	
San Antonio at Kentucky	
Sunday's Games	
Denver at New York, afternoon	
Virginia at San Antonio	
Kentucky at St. Louis	

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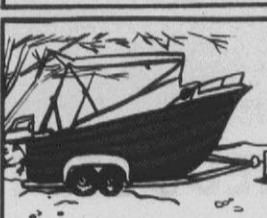
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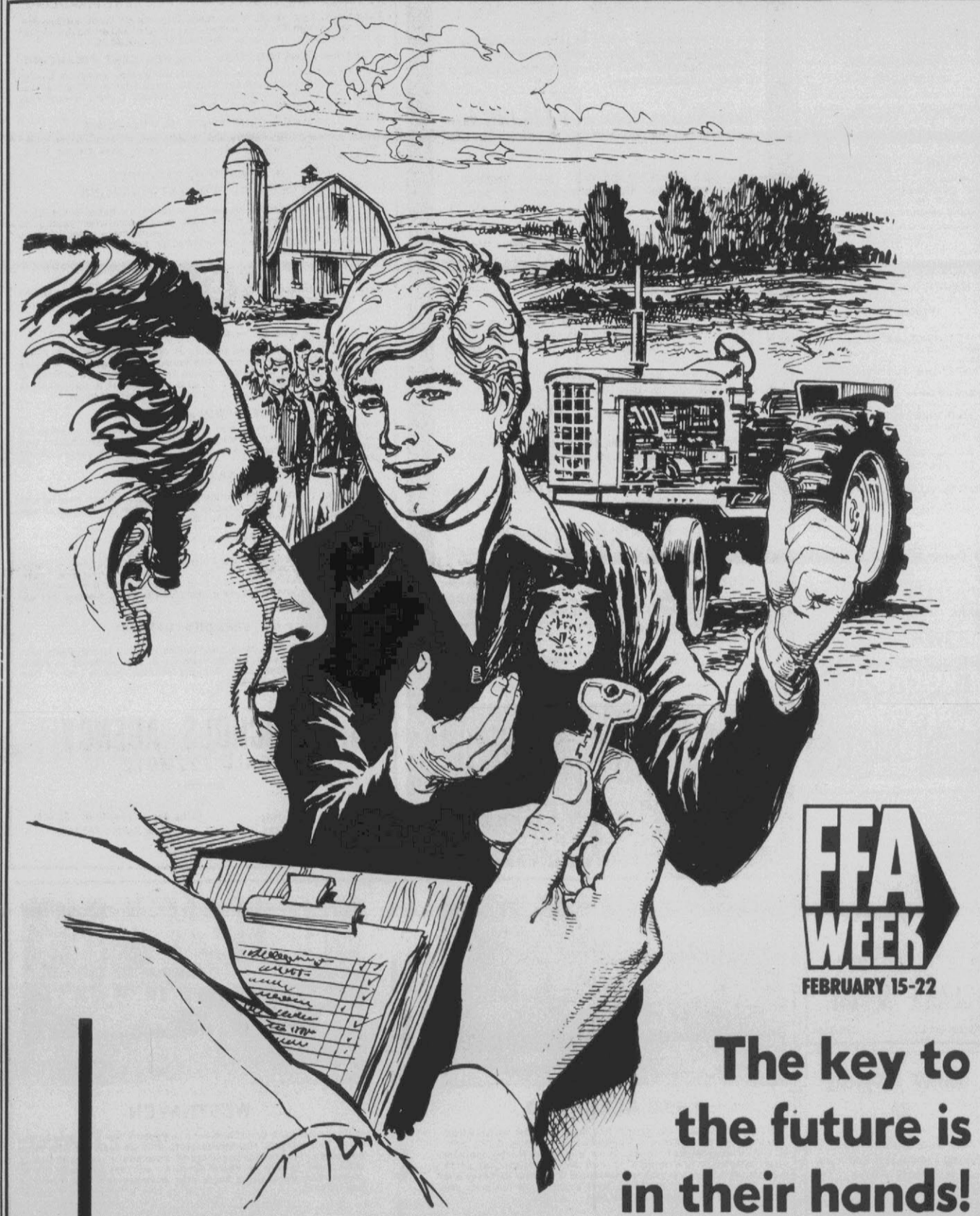
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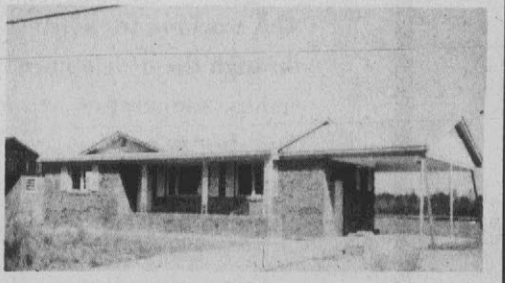
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Gold, automatic. Was \$2398, Now. *
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Green, loaded. Was \$1198, Now. *
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- 1968 FORD
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Blue, automatic, air. Was \$998, Now. *
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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF
Neither vulnerable. South deals.
NORTH: 108743, J9, 63, A972
WEST: K5, Q10643, J109, Q64
EAST: A8752, KQ8542, J5

took this trick as long as the trump honors were split. East elected to overtake his partner's nine so that he could cash the ace of trumps to avoid a second endplay.

The bidding: South West North East 1 Pass 2 Pass 3 Pass 4 Pass Pass Pass

"It ain't necessarily so," Gershwin tells us in Porgy and Bess, and that often holds true at the bridge table.

Though East had escaped a second endplay, it was now West's turn to be presented with the lead in a disadvantageous situation.

Expecting more than four bridge guests? "Chicago Bridge" allows for extra players.

One More Crime Show N.C. Refinery In TV Programming Meeting Set

By JAY SHARBUTT AP Television Writer NEW YORK (AP) — The last of the 12 mid-season replacement series is premiering Saturday on ABC.

Paul Sorvino, a fine actor, is trapped in the title role of this caper about a New York cop who goes West, joins the San Francisco police force for unexplained reasons and commences fighting crime.

He should have bent and twisted the author of Saturday's opener, a wandering yarn about a fellow cop from New York who, in the course of visiting the City by the Bay, bumps off a damsel who seems to be his wife.

The cop, played by George Dzundza, first calls Sorvino from the hotel, the cop's wife says hello in the phone, and all hands agree to meet for breakfast the next morning.

"Hey, take care of your person," Sorvino says before hanging up.

But that night, the gendarme instead takes care of his wife's person, adjusting her scarf in such a manner as to make her expire right there on Telegraph Hill.

The foul deed is observed by a drug dealer lurking nearby. He later tracks down the officer and puts the bite on him for \$15,000.

Prior to that, the cop has told Sorvino his wife is AWOL and

seeks help finding her. No sweat, Sorvino says: "I'll have this out on the street and I'll have her back to you in no time at all."

Well, sir, that seems to take forever. But during forever, the bad cop fatally stabs his black-mailed, the body of a woman is found on Telegraph Hill and is identified as a New York call girl.

By a process too laborious to describe, Sorvino starts thinking. He's thinking that the dead woman was brought to San Francisco by his pal, who passed her off on the phone as his wife.

Danged if I can recall why he did this or why he killed her—although those who persevere may find out by hiring a plot

detective—but Sorvino suspects his pal also may have done in his real wife back in Fun City.

When he unloads his suspicion on his pal, the pal growls, "Arrest me, then. Read me my rights and try to make it stick!"

If you don't get the point of this discourse, the baddie emphasizes it again to Sorvino, saying, "Go grab a rubber room, mister. Arrest me or get out of my life."

Well, I don't want to disclose the finale, but rest assured justice is served, and without any shots fired, at that.

"Superstar" may improve in coming episodes, but Saturday's premiere show is a super-dud, and San Francisco should demand a recount.

FORECAST FOR SATURDAY, FEB. 21, 1976

Your Daily HOROSCOPE from the CARROLL RIGHTER INSTITUTE

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Try to reconcile whatever differences you may have with an associate. The time is not ripe to make any changes. Study all aspects of a project you have in mind.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You could be wavering between old and modern thinking and need to plan your time better. Be kind to mate.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Make sure you carry through with any promises you have made with congenials. Show increased devotion to kin.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) A civic affair could keep you busy now, so schedule your time wisely. Be alert to sudden changes at this time.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Attend to necessary duties early in the day so you will have more time for recreation later. Be alert.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Use your creativity for making your home more comfortable. Make plans early for recreation in the evening.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Know what it is that mate desires the most and then try to please. You can now do things that were once difficult.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Talk matters over with a financial expert who can give you the right advice. Take time to improve your surroundings.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Improve your appearance before attending the social. Come to a better understanding with the one you love.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Make plans so you can improve your operations in the future. You can make headway in a romantic matter.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Plan social affairs early in the day. Gain the support of a friend for a new plan that is important to you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Attend to career matters that have been difficult in the past. Later engage in favorite hobby with congenials.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Study new systems of operating so that you can become more successful in the future. Sidestep a troublemaker.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be magnetic and should be told the facts of life early, otherwise your progeny could learn the wrong way from others. Ideal chart for work in the investigative vocations. Give spiritual training early in life. Sports are a must here.

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Quartet Will Sing Saturday

The Gethsemane Quartet of Greensboro will be singing at the Maranatha Free Will Baptist Church Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

The pastor, Rev. Alvis E. Harris, invites the public to attend. The church is located at 1407 E. 14th St.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Joyce Hart and Michael Sutton have received dean's list honors at Livingston College for the first semester.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

- ACROSS: 1. Drape, 5. Very small amount, 10. Gem carved in relief, 11. Hawk-headed god of day, 12. Abrogation, 13. Pitchers, 14. Excessive bullfinch, 15. Tissue, 17. Corroded, 18. Justification, 20. Miller, 22. Crew, 24. Favor, 28. Substitute, 30. Heather, 31. Cross, 33. Winged, 34. Polynesian burying place, 37. Prowl, 39. Anger, 40. Excessive enthusiasm, 42. Nullify, 44. Making larger, 45. Make happy, 46. Running knot, 47. Identical, 4. Jewish automaton, 5. Dramatic art, 6. Line, 7. Tract, 8. Abrupt, 9. Actual being, 10. Underground room, 12. Median line of a valve, 16. Chop off, 19. Hebrew month, 21. Wife of Zeus, 23. Safekeeping, 25. Adopt, as a child, 26. Old card game, 27. Peep show, 29. Managarie, 32. Large dogs, 34. Verily, 35. Pawnee ritual, 36. Fresh-water mussel, 38. Hindu religious fair, 41. Those in office, 43. Whalers' visit

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Hosting Benefit Service Tonight

Wells Chapel Church of God in Christ will host a Benefit Freedom Fund Service, Friday at 8 p.m. Wells Chapel will become the Fifth area church to sponsor a Freedom Fund Service which is co-sponsored by the Special Action Committee of the North Carolina Joint Council on Health and Citizenship.

The program will feature Elder Alexander Dixon, his choir, and the congregation of Mount Olive Church of God in Christ of Scotland Neck. Other participants include Edward Carter of the Greenville City School Board, Dr. Andrew Best, and Missionary Velma Moore. Special music will be presented by the Young Adult Chorus. The public is invited.

GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. Willie Lee Langley will be the guest speaker for the Phillipi Missionary Baptist Church in Simpson Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Music will be provided by a combination of several choirs. The public is invited.

Local Teacher At Discussion

DURHAM — Bemie Hester of Greenville, a fourth grade teacher at Third Street School, is participating in a round table discussion on the improvement of reading, currently being held at Quail Roost Conference Center near Durham. The event is coordinated by Citizens United for the Improvement of Reading, a project of the Learning Institute of North Carolina (LINC).

Thirty-six teachers from school systems in the state are attending. Sponsors of the meeting are LINC, the N. C. Association of Educators, the Association of Classroom Teachers, the N. C. School Boards Association, the State Department of Public Instruction, and the N. C. Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.

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