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Rain spreading across the state today, continuing through tonight. Clearing Thursday.

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GUC Approves Revised Sewer Price Schedule

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer
The Greenville Utilities Commission last night gave final approval to a revised sewer rate schedule that will take effect January 1, and reviewed increases in the cost of natural gas which will be passed along to local customers.

The new sewer charge will include a basic charge of \$1.50 per month, applicable to all customers. The rate schedule also includes a volume charge of 36-cents per .100 cubic feet, based on 85 per cent of water usage.

The maximum sewer charge for residential customers will be \$6.50 per month, while charges to industrial customers, who will face a surcharge for high strength waste, may increase from 20 per cent to 39 per cent, depending on volume and strength of waste. A slight decrease in charges is expected for commercial users.

The new rates are expected to produce the same revenue as budgeted for the 1976-1977 fiscal year. Director of Utilities Charles Horne told commission members that a gas tracking increase of 11.3 cents per 1,000 cubic feet was put into effect December 10 for all customers, while an increase of 78.29 cents per 1,000 cubic feet was effective December 10 as a surcharge for all customers except residential users.

Horne noted that other increases in rates expected by North Carolina Natural Gas, which will be passed along to GUC customers, include a two-cent exploration surcharge and an 8 to 10-cents per 1,000 cubic feet curtailment adjustment charge, both expected January 1. A 15-cents per 1,000 cubic feet increase from Transco, which supplies NCNG, is expected February 1. That increase will also be passed on to local customers.

In outlining the gas rate increases, Horne emphasized that the commission is "simply passing on charges" and said the commission's "profit per 1,000 cubic feet has not changed."

The latest increases amount to about four per cent for residential customers and 34 per cent for commercial and industrial customers, he noted. The commission voted to suspend the main charge normally taxed customers tapping water and sewer lines for a section of Legion Street, between Moore Street and the Old River Road. The main fee is designed to pay the cost of installation of mains and the water and sewer lines along that section of Legion Street were funded with a 100 per cent grant from Community Development funds.

Horne noted that the normal tapping fee would be charged customers along the three-block section, however. In other business last night, the commission gave tentative approval to a preliminary plan for development of a new operations center for the commission. The new center will be located

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Saudi Arabia Only OPEC Country Against Hike

By NICK LUDINGTON
Associated Press Writer
DOHA, Qatar (AP) — The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) opened a price-fixing meeting today with only conservative Saudi Arabia, the cartel's biggest producer, opposed to an increase in the price of crude oil.

The Saudi oil minister, Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, said on his arrival in Doha that his country favors postponing the increase for six more months because the world economy is still too shaky. The Saudis previously said they would agree to a "reasonable increase" of less than 10 per cent in the price of \$11.51 for a barrel of benchmark crude.

The ministers of the 13 nations who supply 80 per cent of the oil imported by the world's non-Communist nations met behind bullet-proof shutters in the banquet hall of a luxurious hotel beside the Persian Gulf.

Indonesian Oil Minister Mohammed Sadli, the current chairman of OPEC,

opened the conference with a reminder to the ministers that their decisions would "affect the state of health of the world, not only now but for some time to come."

"We hope to convince the members of OPEC of our views," Yamani said. "We believe we have a strong view, but we never come with a position we can't change."

Yamani said his government has found that the trend of international economic recovery "is not as strong as we hoped to have." He noted that Saudi Arabian light crude is the benchmark oil on which OPEC's price structure is based, and he commented: "I don't think OPEC will be in position to raise the price of Saudi crude without the consent of Saudi Arabia."

Saudi Arabia, OPEC's leading moderate as well as its largest producer, is under heavy pressure from the United States to hold the oil price line.

President-elect Carter told a news conference Tuesday that Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger and his suc-

cessor, Cyrus R. Vance, both talked with representatives of the oil nations, and Carter said he felt "very good about their attitude."

The U.S. State Department said this week that each 5 per cent increase in the price of crude oil would mean a rise of .8 cent a gallon in the price of gasoline in the United States, now averaging 60 cents a gallon.

Most of the 12-member OPEC group have been insisting on a price boost despite the contention of the industrialized nations that it would worsen inflation, hamper recovery from the worldwide economic slowdown and work more hardship on the underdeveloped nations than on the industrialized countries.

The price "hawks" argue that the cost of goods they import from the industrial nations has risen as much as 25 per cent since OPEC's last oil price rise in October 1975. Western officials contend that this increase averaged less than 10 per cent.

Leaf Quota Referendum Thursday

The tobacco marketing quota referendum will be held Thursday, Dec. 16 from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. for the 1977, 1978 and 1979 crops of tobacco, according to the Pitt County office of the U.S. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS).

At least two thirds of those voting must vote yes to continue the present tobacco program. If tobacco growers vote yes: The acreage poundage program will continue in effect for the next three years and price support will be available on up to 110 per cent of their farm poundage quota.

If tobacco growers vote no: There will be unlimited production, no price support, and a similar referendum will be held again next year.

D. R. House, president of the Pitt County Farm Bureau has pointed out that failure to support these programs would mean that there would be no quota controls and no price support for future crops.

"The market development activities carried on by Tobacco Associates would also be undermined," House said.

The referendum will be held at the regular ASC polling places throughout the county. One polling place is located in each of the 22 communities. The Pitt County ASC Committee members will serve as pollholders for the referendum.

The following are the polling places for each community: Ayden A. Ayden Tractors; Ayden B. Ayden Tractors; Beaver Dam, Fire House; Belvoir, Belvoir General Merchandise; Bethel, Town Hall; Carolina, Roebuck & Parker; Chicod A. Porter's Supply; Chicod B. Grimesland Town Hall; Chicod C. Spencers Store; Chicod D. Thomas Bess Store; Falkland, Community Building; Farmville, Fire Station; Fountain, Town Hall; Greenville A. Howard Forbes' Store; Greenville B. Farmers Tobacco Warehouse; Greenville C. Red Oak Fire Station; Greenville D. Eastern Pines Community Building; Pactolus, Fire House; Swift Creek A. St. John's Club House; Swift Creek B. Gardenersville Fire House; Wintersville A. Town Hall; and Wintersville B. Town Hall.

Two More In Cabinet

By JONATHAN WOLMAN
Associated Press Writer
ATLANTA (AP) — Jimmy Carter's newest cabinet appointments are likely to reassure two communities where the President-elect still is viewed warily: Congress and commerce.

Carter selected corporate executive W. Michael Blumenthal to be Treasury secretary and Rep. Brockman Adams, D-Wash., to be transportation secretary.

"What he was looking for, first of all, was competence. And a proven track record," Adams said here Tuesday following Carter's announcement. "After that, naturally he wanted to know our views."

Adams, a leading congressional Democrat by virtue of his chairmanship of the new House Budget Committee, brings to the Carter administration 10 years of experience as a member of Congress, where some Democrats are expecting stiff competition with the Democratic President-elect.

Blumenthal told reporters his selection was certain to be "a positive signal" to the business community, but he pledged to represent no specific interest group as the Treasury secretary.

Adams is the first member of Congress to join the Carter administration. Blumenthal is the third figure from the corporate world to sign up, joining Secretary of State-designate Cyrus Vance, a Wall Street lawyer, and budget director-

designate Thomas B. Lance, an Atlanta banker.

Blumenthal epitomizes the rags-to-riches story in America. Born in Germany, he fled to escape the Nazis during World War II and moved to China where he was imprisoned by the Japanese.

He arrived in the United States in 1947 with \$60 in his pocket. Today he is chairman of the Bendix Corp., a billion-dollar-a-year manufacturing giant that produces auto and aerospace equipment.

He headed international trade negotiations for the United States under Presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson and headed a recent economic development panel in Michigan, earning a reputation as a business leader who takes his social responsibilities seriously.

Adams' strong suit in the transportation field has been his work on railroad legislation in the House Commerce Committee. He believes railroads must become more efficient to compete with other modes of transportation, including trucks and barges.

On Tuesday, Adams declined to discuss most policy issues with reporters. He did say he disagreed with Secretary of Transportation William Coleman's decision not to order mandatory installation of air bags in automobiles, but would make no commitment to overturn the Coleman order calling for more testing of the safety devices.

Honor Fearington At Tuesday Meeting Of Pitt Hospital Board

By CAROL TYER
Reflector Staff Writer

Dr. Eric Fearington received a standing ovation from members of the Pitt Memorial Hospital Board last night after he was paid tribute by Wilton Duke, Hospital Board Chairman.

It was Dr. Fearington's last meeting as chief of the medical staff of the hospital. Duke praised him as one who has given of himself not only to better the image of our hospital, but to insure the integrity and improve the organizational performance of the medical staff.

"One big task of this chief has been to maintain accreditation here and he has devoted a great deal of his time to this monumental effort. We have all benefited from his results," Duke said.

A plaque recognizing his services as chief of staff from January, 1975 to December, 1976 was presented Fearington by Duke.

It was announced that Dr. Jack Welch is the new chief of staff.

A letter from Rep. Sam D. Bundy was read. It reported that the Advisory Budget Committee of the legislature has replaced in the budget for the coming year the \$3.8 million for a bed tower at Pitt Memorial which was removed in the previous state session. He assured the group this is first priority and not likely to be removed again.

Finance Committee Chairman J.H. Moye reported that \$100,000 has been transferred in a special fund to cover expenses of moving and starting out in the new building. Some \$50,000 of this money is interest accumulated on a \$250,000 reserve account.

The Board approved a Utilization Review Plan of the medical staff which has been in effect about a year. The Board was aware of the plan and it had long ago been approved by the medical staff, but somehow a resolution had never been made by the board.

It was reported that there are two full-time emergency room physicians at the hospital now and that it is hoped there will be another in January and possibly

still another in March.

New Hospital construction manager Ralph Hall reported that everything is done in the acute care section of the new hospital except "little pieces which should be completed in January. He said it is hoped that the maintenance and storage areas can be occupied soon, since equipment is arriving and needs to be received.

It was reported that outside lighting and other security is needed for the parking lots of the hospital which should park up to 700 cars. The Board appointed a committee to investigate the feasibility of instituting paid parking to help defray the cost of such security.

Dr. Fearington reported on recent reappraisal of the medical staff based on credentials, performance, attendance at staff meetings, record-keeping and the like. One year approval was recommended for M. W. Aldridge, D. D.S., from active to consulting; A. A. Best, family practice, active; James F. Bowman, orthopedic surgery, active; B. G. Clark, D. D. S., from active to consulting; C. G. Garrenton, family practice,

consulting; F. B. Haar, pediatrics, active; Gene Hamilton, orthopedic surgery, active; M. D. Heizer, family practice, from courtesy to consulting; C. F. Irons, family practice, consulting; Dan Jordan, family practice, consulting; R. H. Knott, ear, nose, and throat, active; Jasper Lewis, dental surgery and pediatrics, active; R. W. McConnell, radiology, active; Ed Monroe, internal medicine, consulting; Ellis Muther, neurology, consulting; Donald Patrick, D.D.S., from active to consulting; T. H. Patterson, family practice from courtesy to consulting; L. E. Ross, orthodontics, from active to consulting; G. H. Satterfield, obstetrics and gynecology, active; J. J. Smith, family practice, active; D. H. Taylor, D. D. S., active; Sumiko Ts'Kamura, internal medicine and hematology, active; E. J. Walsh, urology, active; Alfred D. Warren, D. D. S., from active to consulting; Steven White, ophthalmology, active; Carl Wille, ophthalmology, active; J. L. Winstead Jr., general

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Expected To Name Lee

GREENSBORO (AP) — Gov.-elect Jim Hunt is expected to set a precedent by naming a black, former Chapel Hill Mayor Howard Lee, to head the Department of Natural and Economic Resources, according to a newspaper report.

It would be the highest post ever attained in state government by a black, according to the Greensboro Daily News, whose report predicted Hunt would announce Lee's selection Thursday or Friday.

Lee was an unsuccessful candidate for lieutenant governor in last summer's Democratic primary, marking the first time a black ever led the ticket for statewide office in North Carolina. He lost in a runoff.

When Lee was first elected mayor of Chapel Hill he became the first black to win such a post in a predominantly white southern town.

There was no word from Hunt's transition office or from Lee Tuesday on the expected appointment. However, according to some sources, it appeared Hunt was ready to make the announcement some time this week, according to the news report.

There has been speculation for some time that Hunt would pick Lee for some top appointment, and the governor-elect recently was asked publicly by a group of blacks to name Lee to head the Department of Human Resources.

There was also speculation, however, that Hunt might name a woman to the human resources post.



Cancel Friday's District Court

There will be no District Court session held in Pitt County, Friday.

The December 17 court session, according to officials, will not be held due to a Judges Conference scheduled for that date.

Prison Workshop Destroyed



SHOP BURNS... in a mid-afternoon fire yesterday at the Department of Corrections, Division of Prisons on the Belvoir highway. Above firemen try to gain entrance into the building. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

A Tuesday mid-afternoon fire at the Eastern Area Administration Office of the Department of Corrections, Division of Prisons, resulted in about \$28,000 damage to a building housing a

workshop. The fire was confined to the building used for refinishing furniture and upholstery, and was brought under control by

members of the Staton House Fire Department. No inmates were in the building at the time the blaze was discovered. According to Bobby Joyner,

Pitt County Fire Marshal, the fire is believed to have started near a small heater used in the shop. No injuries were reported.

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Hotline gets things done for you. Call 752-1336 and tell your problem or your sound-off or mail it to Hotline, The Daily Reflector, Box 1967, Greenville, N.C. 27834.

Because of the large numbers received, Hotline can answer and publish only those items considered most pertinent to our readers. Names must be given, but only initials will be used. Transcribing is done once a day.

GOT \$1,400 BACK

I taught in the Virginia public schools for four years. Last July I applied to have the money I had paid into the state retirement system returned to me. I was told it would take from 60 to 90 days. About a month ago, I sent an inquiry, but have had no answer. About \$1,400 is involved and, especially now that Christmas is coming, I don't just want the money—I need it. C. L.

Hotline called the State Employees' Retirement office in Richmond and learned that the office did not have in your file that it had ever received your application. We then spoke to the head of the program, explaining your difficult circumstances and asking if there was any way to have the process of getting a refund speeded up. He said he thought he could help and offered to call you and get the details needed to process another application. This he did, but when you had not received the refund after about three weeks, you called him again and were told the check would be put in the mail the following day. You waited another week and it didn't come, so you called us again and we again called. We learned then that it had been mailed the day before.

You now have your check and say it will make for a merry Christmas at your house.



A GOONEY BIRD... created by Mrs. Sarah Hill is shown by Mrs. Betty Bynum, owner and operator of Betty's Gift Box near Farmville. (Reflector Photo by Carol Tyer)

Gift Shop Benefits Elderly Craftsmen

By CAROL TYER
Reflector Staff Writer
FARMVILLE — Mrs. Betty Bynum has put the front room of her husband's repair shop to work and she's also providing an outlet for many craftsmen of the area.

Mrs. Bynum opened Betty's Gift Box about three miles south of Farmville toward Snow Hill Nov. 6, and she continues to add to her store of locally made gift items, though she stocks some commercially made things, also. Nothing in her store is priced at more than \$25, she says.

She caters to low income and elderly persons' creations, though, she is, of course, willing to look at anything anyone would wish to place in her store on consignment. She accepts 10 per cent as her commission on anything valued at more than \$5; 50 cents for anything less.

At present she has items made by residents of Guardian Care

Nursing Home just down the highway from her shop, nearer Farmville. Other craftsmen featured there include 85-year-old Mrs. Frances Blalock of Kinston who makes "sock monkeys, string art, and crocheted items; W. R. Hill who makes wrought iron planters and candleholders; Mrs. Essie Vick who makes crocheted placemats and decorative potholders and matching racks; and Mr. and Mrs. Russell May of Fremont who make "hen boxes."

Books by Joyce Beaman of Saratoga, who was Mrs. Bynum's high school French teacher, are also available at the shop. An autograph party was held there Saturday.

Mrs. Bynum said she opened the business next to her home because it was something she could do to help her husband, Bynum, pay for the building he had constructed this year to

house his new Bynum Repair Service, which specializes in small engine repair, and to help "the many people of this area who make beautiful things that should be available to the public."

She says she likes the arrangement because she can be near her husband and home and because, between the two of them, they can care for their three-year-old daughter, Misty. They also have two older sons who are in school.

Condiments to choose from when you serve curry: flaked coconut; diced hard-cooked eggs; ground, salted peanuts; chutney; drained, canned, crushed pineapple; sliced bananas doused with orange juice; grated carrot doused with lemon juice.

Ingenious Dolls Have Emerged For Christmas

By KAY BARTLETT
AP Newsfeatures Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Tuesday Taylor is originally from the Midwest, although she now lives in a penthouse in New York City. She is a college graduate, plays backgammon and tennis and dabbles in oil painting as a hobby.

Her father probably was some kind of a store owner back in the Midwest, but Tuesday, at 21, has made it big as a writer for an advertising firm. She and her boyfriend, Erik, like to take exotic vacations.

Tuesday is a doll about 14 inches long, the size of the Barbie doll, and her elaborate personality was dreamed up by the Ideal Toy Company's research and development department, which created Tuesday.

"I tried to get her as defined as possible first," says I. Arthur Albert of Ideal. "She is what every young girl can aspire to."

Albert holds that Tuesday is the fashion doll of the '70s, featuring bigger feet, more calf muscle and a lower bustline than the best-selling Barbie. (Over 200 million Barbie dolls have been sold since she came out 18 years ago.) At least that's what the research and development department's studies conclude.

On the other hand, all dolls are not so scientifically planned to capture the market. Even Ideal. Their "Wake Up Thumbelina"... Thumbelina" Thumbelina" was the brainchild of the president of the New York company, Lionel Weintraub.

Weintraub was watching his new grandchild try to roll over one day. He watched the little one struggle from tummy to back and thought, "What a natural movement."

And with that scientific research behind him, he ordered the engineers in charge of batteries and doll movements to create such a doll. And little Thumbelina is in the stores now, awaiting the Christmas shoppers.

Albert said there was some opposition to the development of Tuesday because of New York City's image.

"New York was under fire at the time. It was pictured as a cesspool and some people wondered if people outside of New York would buy a doll so close-

ly related to New York City."

The creation of a doll in an industry that has retail sales of more than \$450 million annually in this country can take years and a great deal of money. The big toy companies employ idea men and women. They research the sales possibilities, interview mothers and children and consider how effectively they can huckster a doll on those Saturday morning TV commercials.

"We spend \$1 million or more in research and development," says Joel Rubenstein, a spokesman for Mattel, a big toy producer in California. "A major doll doesn't happen overnight. They are usually several years in development. They are usually team efforts. We talk with parents, we talk with children, we create a prototype, maybe

even a demo film to find out how it would come across on TV."

"It's usually very scientific," says Rubenstein.

"But then you might get down to something like what color should the doll's outfit be and it might go this way: 'I don't know, Charlie. What do you like? I like blue. Okay.'"

As times change, so do the dolls. The "anatomically correct" baby boy doll was hazardous a few years back, but now everybody's got one on the market. The doll had been popular in Europe for years, but was considered a bit much for America's Puritan ethic.

Once it hit the stores, however, it became a best seller.

A step further is the "Baby Alive" doll made by Kenner in Cincinnati. "Baby Alive" eats,

drinks and dirties her diapers with "deposits," the word used by the man who invented her.

It's a hot seller, and the first year it was out, it was being scalped for as much as \$50, although its market price is somewhere between \$11 and \$16.

The inventor, George Giordano, went to shopping centers in the Cincinnati area and interviewed mothers and fathers in the toy departments to see if they would buy one if Kenner produced it.

"The only negative reactions were from people over 40," says Giordano, a former school teacher. "And if people in Cincinnati, which is a very conservative town, could accept it, I figured it would sell."

He then produced a five-page thesis which he entitled "The Phenomenon," showing the company the idea would work.

The majority of America's dolls are made in the Far East. Wages are lower there than in the United States and doll-making requires a lot of labor. There is no automation.

Each Thumbelina doll, for instance, is handled by 150 persons at the factory in Queens, N.Y., including 10 people who do just the face.

One sprays on the lips, another the cheeks and so on down the line.

Dolls frequently are packaged in boxes with open windows so the prospective buyer gets a good look.

"The appearance is still the key factor," says Weintraub. "Ugly dolls have been tried and they just don't sell. No matter what the doll does — cries, crawls or whatever — the fact is the customer and the child have to look at it first."

Homemaker's Haven

By Addie Gore
 Pitt Home Agent

HOLIDAYS ARE FOR THE BIRDS AND BERRIES

Cranberries are one of our few native North American fruits. No wonder we're proud of the little red berries around which a legend has been built. The Indians prized them long before the Pilgrims arrived.

Cranberries are coming to market now in great quantity. They're so linked to the holidays now that the prevailing attitude is, "what's a bird without the berries."

Over the years, cranberries have collected an interesting and colorful history. Medicinal powers were attributed to them and cranberry poultices were made to draw poison from arrow wounds. During the heyday of the clipper ships, American ships carried cranberries in their holds to be eaten by sailors to ward off scurvy — much as the English sailors ate limes.

As cranberries became more available, their uses increased. They're sauced, jellied, juiced; new recipes arrive yearly for relishes, salads, meat accompaniments, drinks, desserts. Their ruby red color and sweet-tart taste make them a natural holiday item.

Something colorful — especially for the holidays:

Mulled Cranberry
 4 cups cranberry juice
 2 cups apple juice
 2 cups orange juice
 ½ cup maple flavored syrup
 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
 ½ teaspoon ground nutmeg
 ½ teaspoon ground cloves
 Combine all ingredients; heat just to boiling point. Pour into mugs and serve hot. Suggested garnish: marshmallows. Serves 6.

Cranberry Malted
 ¾ cup cranberry juice
 ¼ cup heavy cream
 1 tablespoon vanilla malted milk powder
 1 scoop vanilla ice cream
 Combine all ingredients in a blender and whirl at top speed for 30 seconds. Serves 1.

Quickly made: commercial sour cream and mayonnaise plus crumbled blue cheese stirred together for a dressing for salad. You can use the ingredients in the proportions that are available or that you prefer.

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Who Sparks Office Parties?

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: With Christmas coming soon, the same old problem for many of us wives is the Christmas office party—with no spouses invited!

After quite a few years, I realize now, it's the WOMEN who promote these affairs. I honestly believe that most men don't care for these office parties, but the women engineer everything. They get the men to sign up for the catered lunch, which now begins at 11:30 A.M. and goes on forever. They get them to agree to exchanging gifts. Anything, just to get them to commit themselves.

The men go because if they don't, the other men will say they are henpecked.

What's your opinion, Abby?

AGAINST CHRISTMAS PARTIES

DEAR AGAINST: More and more large companies are making Christmas parties a "family affair." Married employees are free to bring their spouses, and single ones may bring a date. In offices where mates and dates are not welcomed, you can be sure a vote was taken, and the majority ruled. No one is forced to go to an office party. And that "henpecked" excuse is only good for chickens.

DEAR ABBY: I have a boyfriend (he's no "boy," he's a 45-year-old man) who has needed to see a dentist for at least three years that I've known about. His teeth are in terrible shape. Some are so rotten they are crumbling, and he has large spaces in his mouth where he's lost teeth and never had them replaced.

He even gets terrible toothaches and headaches because of the miserable shape his mouth is in. Yet he refuses to go to a dentist. He has made up all sorts of excuses, saying he's too busy, his dentist has a three-month waiting list, etc. Finally, he told me he can't stand pain, and he can't take novocaine.

He looks awful, and it can't be good for his health. How do I get him to a dentist? I love him. He's too big, or I'd drug him and drag him there.

DESPERATE

DEAR DESPERATE: Forget the drugging and dragging, and turn to educating. Ask your dentist for written material on the new methods of painless dentistry.

If neither doctor nor dentist can impress upon your friend the importance of dental care, point out the futility in loving a man whose health is going downhill because of needless fear and ignorance.

DEAR ABBY: I am a widow in my early 60s. I live with my sister and her husband, but I am financially independent and pay my fair share.

When my sister and her husband are invited to someone's home for dinner, they say to me: "The So and So's have invited us to their home for dinner, and they said to bring Edith along if she's not doing anything."

Abby, would you consider that a proper invitation? When I tell my sister that I don't, she says, "It's good enough. People don't send engraved invitations for dinner."

Abby, would you accept one of those "Bring Edith" invitations or not?

EDITH

DEAR EDITH: A "bring Edith" invitation is more than most widows who live with their sisters receive. I appreciate your sensitivity, but if I were you, I'd go and have a good time.

Cookbooks For Gift Giving

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

This year food writers have delved into some of our chief categories of food: bread, cheese, eggs, seafood and vegetables. If some of your friends love to cook and enjoy specializing or want to bone up on main fare, the following new cookbooks are perfect to put under the Christmas tree as gifts for them.

"Good Bread" by Barbara Joan Hansen (Macmillan, \$9.75) is refreshing because the author enjoys her subject and a cook who uses her book is likely to share her pleasure. In her zeal to revive the fine art of baking with yeast, she has gone back to the old-fashioned "sponge method" of making bread; she votes it an easy and efficient way to produce a loaf "that is especially light and fine in texture." Other bread-tuffs are not neglected: there are such recipes as one for the French toast that was served in the Union Pacific and Santa Fe dining cars, for the Bunuelos de Molde de Mexico and for the steamed brown bread of New England. Such ethnic yeast breads as German Stollen, Norwegian Yulekage and a Polish sweet bread with a walnut filling are also here.

"The World of Cheese" by Evan Jones (Knopf, \$12.50) is designed to satisfy Americans' new-found interest in this marvelous food. The author pursues his subject so thoroughly and delightfully that a cheese-lover should find it the wisest of guides. Besides the splendid information and lore the book offers about the vast variety of cheeses in this world, there are other practical aids — how to make cheese, where to buy it via mail order, tips on serving and dozens of worthwhile recipes that range from soups to desserts.

"Egg Cookery" by Lou Seibert Pappas (101 Productions, paperback \$4.95) is by a practiced hand. The author is a home economist who was on Sunset — a West Coast magazine that has always had an interesting cookery department — and is a cooking teacher.

Along with egg-rich recipes for omelets, souffles, quiches, crepes and breads, "Egg Cookery" has ones for hors d'oeuvre, soups, salads, vegetables, torten, cakes and cookies. These delicious offerings are for from-scratch cooks.

"The Captain's Cookbook" by Walter Kaprelian (Holt, Rinehart and Winston, \$9.95) is a surprise both in its appearance and the source from which its recipes come. Kaprelian, an art director who is a charter boat captain in his spare time, provides a calligraphic text and his line drawings appear on every page, illustrating each step in cooking the dishes. Eight of the recipes are Kaprelian's, the rest come from "charter boat captains and private captains and mates from all coasts of the United States, the Virgin Islands, the Bahamas and Jamaica." There's a photograph and brief description of each of these men. The contributors (or Kaprelian?) have been exact in giving recipe directions for their specialties.

"The Unabridged Vegetable Cookbook" by Nika Hazelton (Evans, \$14.95) is an extremely readable and usable work on fresh vegetables — such an important category of food from the viewpoint of health and zest. This book treats "their history, nutrition, and ways of keeping and preparing them" and includes all the everyday and exotic vegetables (and plants botanically classified as fruit but eaten as vegetables) available in the United States. Its delightful recipes should enrich a cook's repertoire. In her introduction the author writes that "this book is based upon a lifetime preference for vegetables over other foods." It's understandable then that her book has so much information and is so well organized.

Don't Let Your Home Become Tinsel Trap

CHICAGO (UPI) — Home all prettied up for Christmas? Tree up, lights strung, decorations hanging?

Beware lest it turn into a tinsel trap.

With the holiday season comes the urge to decorate. "The do-it-yourselfer comes out in every homeowner," says Hans Grigo, technical adviser to the National Safety Council Home Department.

"Frequently they produce displays with paper or flammable materials that represent a fire hazard," he said.

"We certainly are not against home decorating, and it isn't so much carelessness. It is just that thoughtlessness and fire don't mix."

Natural materials, even the traditional boughs of holly, sprays of evergreen and the Christmas tree become almost explosively flammable under household conditions, Grigo said.

A natural tree should be the freshest possible, the Safety Council warns yearly; it should have springy branches and tight, green needles that bend easily and that do not shower down by the dry and prickly handful when the tree is shaken. Needles should stick to the tree, except for a light sprinkling when the tree is bounced up and down, before it is purchased.

Before it is set in place for decorating, the tree should be

cut about an inch above the bottom of the trunk. Then it should be kept moist and watered around the base, making sure there is no water to soak through any wiring of course.

Grigo said the tree should be located away from room exits, heating units, fireplaces, candles, registers, television sets, all of which may serve to dry out a natural tree, making it more likely to burn or become a source of electrical problems.

Holiday Party Is Planned

The Lynndale Garden Club will hold its annual Christmas party Friday evening beginning at six o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Waddell.

Special guests will include new members Mrs. Robert S. Griffin and Mrs. Dan Morgan.

In charge in planning the party is Mrs. Charley White, chairman of the social committee, and members Mrs. Joe Goodson, Mrs. Robert Kubas, Mrs. Norwood Whitehurst and Mrs. Waddell.

Other holiday festivities planned by club members include the annual Christmas caroling by neighborhood children.

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Solid color shirt jacket with contrasting trim, 70.00. Multi-color print blouse, 45.00. Solid pull-on pants, 33.00.

Brody's DOWNTOWN PITT PLAZA

Can't Afford To Relax Defense

It's been easy to fall into the habit of thinking, in the last few years, that we are in little danger of becoming involved in a major war.

The United States, weary of the war in Vietnam, is far less alert to the potential of new international dangers than it has been at any time since the end of World War II.

That is, however, a kind of thinking we cannot afford if we value our way of life.

Sec. of State Henry Kissinger, now preparing to return to private life, last week reportedly warned the North Atlantic Treaty Organization foreign ministers about Soviet military growth.

He said the growing Soviet economic power means growing military power, it was reported.

The meeting was held behind closed doors but reports said Kissinger brought assurances that the U.S. NATO commitment "shall be sustained and strengthened" from President-Elect Carter.

It was Kissinger's final NATO meeting and he was said to have warned that the military balance between East and West must be maintained.

There is little doubt that in the controlled economy of the Soviet Union military power is growing, and there is some question as to whether the western nations are keeping up.

There is no question, however that we must keep up. Once the Soviets become convinced that they have superior military power, we will see that nation making bolder moves throughout the world.

STRANGE BEDFELLOWS INDEED!



MORRIS

Hunt Has Problem

By DAVID TOMLIN
Associated Press Writer
RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Confusion Tuesday over Gov.-elect Jim Hunt's choice for state secretary of human resources points to a much larger — and more serious — problem Hunt is having with his appointments.

Like President-elect Jimmy Carter, Hunt is having a hard time persuading successful professional people to interrupt lucrative careers for four years of state service that invariably involves financial sacrifice.

"It's not so much the salary as it is the whole idea of it," said Hunt aide Gary Pearce.

"Somebody that's going to be qualified to be a cabinet officer is going to be a person with a lot of talents in mid-career," Pearce added. "It's difficult to take out four years and break that up."

Tuesday's confusion began when Dr. Sarah Morrow, director of the Guilford County Health Department, said she might be named human resources secretary if she and Hunt could agree on a salary.

The current secretary, Phillip J. Kirk, makes \$34,932. But Dr. Morrow told the Greensboro Daily News that the salary question came up because she is a doctor. She said other secretaries have had to hire a doctor to work within the department.

"No offer has been made," Pearce said Tuesday, noting that the legislature sets salary levels for department heads and there really isn't any bargaining room.

But Pearce said money generally isn't the critical factor when problems arise with cabinet-level appointments.

"People don't turn you down for that," Pearce said. "It just gets very difficult when you talk to the person. It's another obstacle that has to be overcome. It comes up and you weed them out or they weed themselves out."

Pearce said Hunt had told him he wished there was "some way for businesses to lend good people out for four years."

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Now We Want Grass In A Parking Lot

Times do change.

There was a time when the nation's greatest fear was grass growing through the streets. That was a symbol of hard times in a nation where Depression was a stark reality.

Now the Recreation Commission is looking at in-

stallation of parking area pavement through which grass can grow.

The idea, according to Director Boyd Lee is to alleviate drabness normally associated with paved parking lots.

The Hoover Cart is virtually forgotten.

THIS AFTERNOON

He Wishes All Could Read

By BILL NOBLITT
(Second of Two Articles)
RALEIGH — Give Gov. James E. Holshouser, Jr., a magic pen with which he could sign into being anything he wished, and he would decree that all citizens read well.

That problem, and a solution to it, says the outgoing Republican governor, is North Carolina's top concern.

He is worried that despite best efforts so far, no certain answer has been found to the complexities of teaching every person to read. He also frets over too much of a commitment to any one approach at a time when not enough is known about what will work.

No Criticism

But he will not specifically criticize the program and budget item (\$50 million for programs and classroom aides) which will be pushed in the 1977 General Assembly by Gov.-elect James B. Hunt, Jr. Holshouser says he will follow the pattern of his

predecessor, Gov. Bob Scott, and declare a moratorium on criticism of the man who follows him into the governor's office.

Expansive and relaxed in conversation during these final days of his four-year administration, Gov. Holshouser readily talks about some of the good times and some of the bad times he had.

It was, he feels, a chance to get in and change some things — even little things such as using stickers on auto license tags and renewing the plate every five years instead of annually.

One of his biggest problems in office was failure of some appointees to follow instructions and keep secrets — he was plagued by leaks of jobs given as political rewards, programs with which some differed, premature discussion of ideas.

Holshouser also feels there are some problems in what the people of North Carolina

care about knowing, and what they learn through the news outlets across the state. Sometimes, he feels, the news concentrates on arguments and petty bickerings rather than significant issues of concern to the state.

That trend may be directly related to the public's uncaring attitude as well: "Many people say they are disappointed in what government is doing... but people don't read enough, they don't keep up with what is happening... they don't know what is going on."

"It sometimes seems the only things which interest people is when government touches them directly..."

Problems

Other handicaps Holshouser found include: "Noisemakers in groups concerned with specific, little things who may be in a small minority but get more out of state government than they deserve;"

Department heads elected popularly and not answerable

to policy and direction from the governor;

State departments (especially Human Resources) where red tape, regulations, federal guidelines, and bureaucratic bickering curtail effectiveness in delivering services to people;

Efficiency in government is "a mark never achieved, totally," but is underway with structures for future success. "You must keep looking for ideas. It is easy to see every day little things we ought to keep changing. Perhaps it is impossible to bring efficiency such as business enjoys... but to use that as an excuse is intolerable."

No matter how long in the future, Holshouser says, as he travels about North Carolina he will look with pride at the restored Governor's Mansion and Capitol, at Jockey's Ridge, at Cape Lookout Seashore Park, at the New River — like it always was — and recall fondly, "I had a part in it."

By ART BUCHWALD

OSHA's Santa Letter

To: Mr. Santa Claus, North Pole,

From: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Violations of OSHA Codes

Dear Sir,

1—Our inspectors have just completed a study of working conditions at your toy factory at the North Pole and find you in violation of Section C, Paragraph B of Regulation 1098, Article Seven, Division Four of Safety Factor 3-H and Rule 105, Registration No. 90087, Appendix Three of Safety and Health Regulations (See Items 54, 56, 69 in OSHA Code Book 361), in regard to manufacture of toys and other harmful objects.

2—To be more specific, our inspectors have discovered that your wife, who helps you make toys, does not have her

own bathroom facilities. Under Section Five of Code 345: "A male and female bathroom must be provided on the ground floor of a house engaged in the production of stuffed animals. The bathrooms must each have their own sinks, hot water as well as shower, and must be 43 feet apart from each other with signs clearly marking what they are being used for."

3—Our inspectors have also discovered that you were opening mail with a scissors. OSHA Regulation 763 specifically says that all business mail must be opened by a mail opener nine inches long and no more than an inch and a half wide. You can get a waiver of this rule by filling out Form 987 A, but since it must be made at least 90 days before inspection it would not apply in your case, and you

must pay a fine of \$100 per 50 letters not opened in the manner as described in Code Book 19 B.

4—I also regret to inform you that we have received a very negative report from Inspector X in regard to the space allotted to your reindeer. Under Section C of Article Four each reindeer must be tethered in his own stall of 10 feet by eight feet covered with 1.6 feet of hay. In the case of Donner and Blitzen their stalls were only nine feet long and our Inspector measured 1.4 inches of hay in Donner's stall and 1.3 inches in Blitzen's stall in contravention of Reindeer Regulation 43.



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THE INSIDE REPORT

Carter's Labor Pressure

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON — In return for its unprecedented activity in Jimmy Carter's presidential campaign, big labor is demanding the Secretary of Labor it wants and urging the rejection of the Secretary of Defense it doesn't.

AFL-CIO operatives have made clear to President-elect Carter that they insist on the return of John T. Dunlop, President Ford's former Labor Secretary, despite intense opposition from blacks and women. In addition, they are trying to veto Dr. Harold Brown, leading contender as Secretary of Defense, as soft on detente and arms control.

The struggle over the Labor post is by far the more important, posing a clear test of strength among constituency groups in the Carter coalition. Dunlop, who resigned from Mr. Ford's cabinet after the veto of the common situs picketing bill, was put forth five weeks ago as organized labor's unanimous choice for the job (though there are private misgivings among

some left-of-center unions).

But the National Women's Political Caucus and the Congressional Black Caucus have vetoed Dunlop on grounds he was insufficiently aggressive as Labor Secretary in forcing more colleges to hire more women and blacks. On Nov. 24, The Black Caucus chairman, Rep. Yvonne Burke of California, wrote Carter opposing Dunlop's appointment. She accused Dunlop of "demonstrated insensitivity" and "inability and unwillingness" to enforce the law which established Secretary of Labor as the government's policeman for "equal opportunity."

That broadside started Carter talent scouts seeking substitutes (including Dr. Ray Marshall of the University of Texas). But when Carter agents asked the AFL-CIO for a second choice, the hard-nosed answer was this: John Dunlop is our first, second and only choice. That revived Dunlop's prospects and posed the President-elect with a dilemma.

Big labor's attitude on the Defense post is less unanimous and less adamant. But hard-liners such as AFL-CIO secretary-treasurer Lane Kirkland — who is also on Carter's blue-ribbon talent-hunting panel — do not want Brown. Other union officials are pressing the point that labor's interests transcend bread-and-butter concerns and definitely include national security questions.

Rusk vs. Zbig
Resistance from a most impressive quarter — former Secretary of State Dean Rusk — explains President-elect Carter's hesitation in naming longtime supporter, Prof. Zbigniew Brzezinski of Columbia University, as his national security adviser. It also explains why a former Rusk aide, Benjamin Read, may get the job.

Rusk has not advised Carter to ax Brzezinski but simply to keep the question open and study other possibilities. The most important of these is Read, who exercised broad policy influence as Rusk's top administrator in the late 1960s and now heads the Washington-based German Marshall fund.

Rusk was not impressed, according to intimates, with academic experts such as Brzezinski who filtered in and out of the State Department when he was Secretary, though he and policy planner Brzezinski had hardly any

personal contact. Brzezinski's expertise on the Soviet Union seldom penetrated into Rusk's office. Rusk took his Kremlinology not from policy-planners but from diplomats — such as the late Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson, who often disagreed with Brzezinski.

Building Up CEA
President-elect Carter is toying with transferring operational duties to the chairman of his Council of Economic Advisers (CEA) — possibly resulting in an academic economist undercutting the businessman who may be named Secretary of the Treasury.

One reason is to find a place for Dr. Charles Schultz, Brookings Institution economist who has become Carter's favorite economic adviser. To name Schultz as Secretary of the Treasury would be unsettling to businessmen. But Schultz, budget director in the Johnson administration, is dubious about returning to government in a strictly advisory role.

Accordingly, Carter talks privately about making the chairman of the CEA "operational." Specifically, he would not replace the Treasury Secretary as chairman of the government's Economic Policy Board (EPB). That would not only reverse the Ford administra-

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Other Editors Say Turn To Leasing?

(Rocky Mount Telegram)

Both the American Hospital Association and the Department of Health, Education and Welfare say that the cost of hospital care will go up again next year.

Hospitals in one typical major metropolitan area expect to be paying about 6 per cent more for sutures and 14 per cent more for anesthetic gases.

Laboratory supplies and chemicals and X-ray film will cost 10 to 12 per cent more, as will housekeeping, laundry and maintenance supplies and food.

Wages and benefits for hospital workers will similarly rise. One result of such steadily mounting costs is that hospitals around the country are finding that the replacement of obsolete equipment with up-to-date technology and may be more than their budgets will allow.

For example: a portable X-ray unit that cost \$2,500 some 20 years ago now costs \$14,000. This not only means that many hospitals cannot acquire the sophisticated equipment needed to provide quality medical care. Many doctors will not practice in areas isolated from technological innovation.

As recently as 1973, nearly 140 counties in the United States were without a single resident physician.

Fortunately, a growing number of hospitals, large and small, are meeting the problem by leasing big-budget medical equipment.

According to the American Hospital Association, over 50 per cent of U.S. hospitals have adopted leasing programs to cut their equipment expenditures.

Demand for leasing is particularly strong in the area of emergency care, says Richard D. Ringe, president of one major company in the business.

Emergency room visits jumped from 22 million in 1972 to more than 60 million in 1975 and now account for more than 25 per cent of all hospital admissions.

Besides easing budget pains, another advantage of equipment leasing, he says, is that it eliminates the threat of obsolescence.

When equipment is no longer current, a hospital simply transfers to whatever is new by signing a new lease.

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RELIGION AND REVOLUTION

A little girl, asked to describe the Bible, said it begins with Genesis and ends with revolutions. This answer is much more accurate than might at first seem to be the case. Religion that does not produce some kind of revolution is a poor kind of religion.

If the religion we profess does not bring about a revolution in our lives, then it is not worth professing. The gospel of Christ sets worldly ideals on their heads. The accusation was made against

the ancient Christians that they had turned the world upside down, and so they did. True Christianity not only turns the world upside down; it turns the person upside down who practices it.

What a person thought before were the most important things in life now seem valueless. The Christian then begins to live in a different world.

If people read their Bibles in the hope that the Word of God would produce a revolution, they would derive more inspiration from them. —by Elisha Douglass

Labor Eyes Inflation Dangers

By ROBERT A. DOBKIN
AP Labor Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A heavy year of labor negotiations looms ahead, and forecasters say unions are likely to help President-elect Carter's anti-inflation efforts by keeping wage increases moderate.

The help is more likely to result from economic circumstances rather than any effort on labor's part to kowtow to the new administration.

About five million workers will be affected in major contract talks next year, about the same number as in 1976, which had the heaviest bargaining calendar in three years. A number of key industries will be affected: steel, coal, longshoring,

telephone communications, aerospace manufacturing, railroading and construction.

A sharp increase in wage settlements next year exceeding this year's average increases of 8 to 9 per cent in the first contract year could contribute to worsening inflation.

But labor experts say that the lower-than-expected inflation rates of 1976 and a continuation of a relatively high unemployment rate will help keep wage increases moderate.

"If the faucet is turned on and inflation heats up, unions will seek protection in the form of higher wages," says W.J. Usery Jr., the outgoing secretary of labor. But he notes that most contracts expiring in 1977 already have

cost-of-living escalator clauses that help cushion against inflation, and he says this will remove some wage pressures.

Usery and other experts within the Ford administration predict 1977 settlements ranging around this year's 8 per cent level. In 1975, settlements averaged 10 per cent in the first contract year.

Because of high unemployment and the threat of new layoffs, job security is expected to be a major contract goal next year. Some unions are expected to follow the example set by the United Auto Workers this year in winning agreement toward a shorter work week at full pay.

While most forecasts call

for generally smooth sailing next year, there are some storm clouds.

Political turbulence within the leadership of the United Mine Workers, mixed with the traditional militancy of the rank-and-file and a set of ambitious bargaining goals make a nationwide coal mine shutdown next December a possibility, according to the experts.

Heavy bargaining in the construction industry begins in April, with talks peaking in June, when 315,000 workers will be under expiring contracts. The industry is still suffering the effects of the recession, with unemployment remaining near 15 per cent, factors that are expected to temper union demands.

—Barbara Mathews

Marvin Blount Makes Stadium Contribution



FOR STADIUM — Marvin K. Blount Sr. presents a check in honor of his wife, Florence T. Blount, an alumna of ECU, for the school's stadium drive. Chancellor Leo Jenkins (right) accepts the gift as Don Leggett, (left) Director of Alumni Affairs, looks on. (ECU News Bureau photo)

Marvin K. Blount Sr., prominent Greenville attorney and businessman, has presented a gift of \$25,000 to the ECU Foundation earmarked for the ECU Stadium expansion fund drive.

The gift was made in honor of Blount's wife, Florence T.

Blount, an alumna of ECU, class of 1931, and a former Pitt County school teacher.

Presenting an M.K. Blount Enterprises check to ECU Chancellor Leo W. Jenkins, Blount said the gift was "in appreciation for what East Carolina University has meant

to our family with the great development that has followed in the educational and intellectual atmosphere produced in Greenville and Eastern North Carolina."

The Florence T. Blount gift, Jenkins said, "is an outstanding example of the spirit of pride and strong support that East Carolina University has received from the local community and its leaders through the years."

ECU presently is engaged in a wide-ranging drive to raise \$2.5 million for the expansion of Ficklen Stadium to 35,000 or more seating capacity.

M.K. Blount Sr. is a former mayor of Greenville and a former county attorney. He served three terms in the State Senate. A native of Bethel, he began practice of law in 1916 and has been active for half a century in the legal, business, political and community life of this area. Mrs. Blount, a native of Greenville, is a former elementary school teacher at Bethel. They were married in 1934 and have three children. Mrs. Blount is also active in community and church affairs, is a former member of the N.C. Commission on the Education and Employment of Women and is a charter member of the Greenville Service League.

Almost 95 per cent of the Swedish population is Lutheran, which is the state religion.

Dinner Held For Retirees

The American Association of Retired Persons held a dinner meeting at the Three Steers Monday. Dr. Mildred Southwick, president, extended greetings to members and guests.

Officers named include: Peter Anderson, president; Bob Knapp, vice president; Mrs. Thelma Cutchin, secretary; and Mrs. Reppie Baker, treasurer. Board of directors, Lee Williams; Dr. Southwick; Mrs. Annie Roberston; Mrs. Katherine Cottle; and Mrs. Ruth Harris.

A new nominating committee, who will work under the Board of Directors, includes Mrs. Thelma Maxwell, Mrs. Jessie Little, Mrs. Thelma Lanier, Mrs. Ethel Allen and Mrs. Mildred Manning.

Dr. Southwick reported on the legislative workshop she recently attended in Raleigh and said that Joe Paxton, regional director, will attend the Jan. 10 meeting and install the officers. She thanked Mrs. Cotten Smith for her hospitality in planning for the dinner meeting.

Henry Wanderman and Mrs. Polly Dail were enrolled as new members.

A contribution will be sent to Social Services for the foster children's fund.

The outgoing president will be given a past presidents pin.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Henry Lofquist.

VFW Auxiliary Holds Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars held its meeting Thursday night at the Post Home.

Mrs. Carrie West, president, announced that the District Two meeting will be held in Greenville at the Post Home Jan. 9 at 2 p.m. Dinner will be served at 1 p.m. District Two is composed of Goldsboro, Kinston, Grifton, Washington, Farmville, Pink Hill, Mount Olive and Greenville.

Twenty dollars was sent to the National Home for Christmas cheer and \$10 was sent for Na-

tional Seals at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

A variety of gifts from the members was given to Mrs. Hatlie Manning, O'Berry Center chairman to take to the children. Twenty-five dollars had previously been sent.

Mrs. West explained that Congress made a change in the

placement of the United States flag on July 7.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Williams, Cancer Aid and Research chairman, gave a report and announced that the yard sale would be held Jan. 15 at the Post Home on Mumford Road.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. West, Mrs. Marjorie

Angstadt and Mrs. Dorothy Golden.

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Supervisor Visits Classes

Mrs. Lillian D. Bradley, Supervisor of Grades 6, 7 and 8 in the Pitt County Schools, visited science classes at Stokes Pictorial Schools on Tuesday.

Reviewing some of the projects and activities in which science students are involved, Mrs. Bradley commented about the trend in schools to move away from past practices of "textbook science" toward the "experience" approach in student studies.

CLUB TO MEET

The Willing Worker Club of Haddock Chapel Church will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Nora Robbins.

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with you, and providing the inside of the chimney has steps one foot apart with a safety railing along the side. Once in the house you, may not leave any packages that could be tripped over or broken. The packages must be neatly piled with 1.9 feet between them. Filling of stockings is permitted, providing they have the strength to hang from the chimney of four pounds per stockings, or twice the weight of the articles to be deposited.

Our inspectors will be out on the night of December 24th and any infractions of the rules will be dealt with severely.

We hope you accept this letter in the spirit it was written, and let me take this opportunity to wish you and Mrs. Claus a very Merry Christmas.

Sincerely yours,
E. Scrooge
Director, Xmas OSHA
When replying please refer to Letter No. 135 A O-190 Z.

Tomlin Col...

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Hunt's transition office has its work cut out for it. According to transition staffer Joe W. Grimsley, there are about 150 full-time jobs to fill and another 2,500 positions on state boards and commissions.

Hunt himself is handling the top jobs, taking lists of eight to ten names for each one, making phone calls and interviewing likely applicants personally. Each list includes at least one woman and one black, Grimsley said.

For second and third-level jobs, the best applicants are being placed in packets to be handed to the secretaries when they are appointed. The rest are being sent through regular state personnel channels.

Grimsley said many of the applicants for board positions are interested in the utilities and public transportation boards and others that involve real power.

"Nobody wants to be on the pesticides board," Grimsley chuckled.

Evans Novak...

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tion's return of the CEA chairman to his old behind-the-scenes role of pre-Kennedy days but also downgrade the Treasury.

Not surprisingly, outgoing Treasury Secretary William Simon has advised against such a change, but so do key Carter advisers. What remains certain is Carter's insistence on a key role for Charley Schultze. If he is named to neither the Treasury nor Defense Cabinet posts, an expanded CEA chairmanship may be the answer.

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OF
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1976

The Village of Simpson is requesting that the citizens of Simpson attend a meeting in order to participate in the development of a community development grant application.

Subjects which will be discussed at the meeting include:
(1) General information relating to the 1974 Housing and Community Act; (2) The types of grants for which the Village intends to apply and the amount of funding involved. This discretionary preapplication will be presented to the Department of Housing and Urban Development by January 7, 1977; (3) The criteria for selection of applications; (4) Develop activities, goals, and objectives and; (5) Housing activities for low and moderate income families.

The program that the Village will be engaged in will be a direct result of citizen input. Dilapidated housing could be removed, street lights installed, streets paved and housing rehabilitation projects started.

Interested citizens wishing to express preferences as to program activities or desiring technical information relating to the Community Development Program, may either write to Mr. Wayne Harris at the Mid-East Commission, P.O. Box 1218, Washington, North Carolina 27889, or telephone: 948-8043.

Please attend the Community Development Workshop on Friday, December 17, 1976 at 7:00 p.m. in the Simpson Fire Dept. and give your ideas as to the direction your Community Development Program should take.

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Iraq Accuses Syria Of Bomb At Airport

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Iraq accused the Syrian secret service today of planting a bomb that exploded in Baghdad airport's customs section. The Iraqis said three persons were killed and many injured, including 10 requiring hospital treatment.

Syria and Iraq are governed by rival factions of the Arab Baath socialist party and have a long history of bitter quarrels.

The Iraqi casualty count contrasted with earlier reports abroad of six killed in the blast Tuesday evening.

A government statement broadcast by the Iraqi state radio identified the dead as one Saudi Arabian and two Iraqis. It said West Germans and Japanese were among the wounded.

Reports in London said as many as 400 persons were injured.

The broadcast said a suitcase containing an explosive charge was slipped into the luggage compartment of an Egyptian jetliner during a stopover at Damascus, Syria.

Experts estimated the explosives weighed 14 to 16 pounds and were fitted with a timing device, the statement said. The blast went off as the luggage from the plane was being checked by Baghdad airport customs officers shortly after sundown Tuesday, it added.

British Airways said it received reports that many of

those injured were Moslem pilgrims cut by flying glass as they waited for departing flights.

The Iraqi statement said many people were slightly injured but only 10 needed hospitalization. These were taken to hospitals in the Iraqi capital and the public health ministry has taken charge of their treatment, it said.

The statement, first official word on the explosion, said police cordoned off the airport area.

"This crime is added to the long criminal record of the Syrian regime," said the Iraqi statement. "The explosive suitcase was planted deliberately on the Egyptian airliner at Damascus airport, which was the last stop on the plane's regular flight from Cairo."

The Syrians have accused the Iraqi regime of masterminding a series of terror acts against a Damascus hotel and Syrian embassies abroad — or at least of helping Palestinian extremists conduct the attacks. Damascus also charged Iraqi connivance in the attempted assassination of Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam two weeks ago.

A dissident Palestinian guerrilla group calling itself "black June," claimed responsibility for the attacks. The group is headed by a maverick Palestinian guerrilla dissident from Yasser Arafat's Al Fatah, the largest guerrilla organization.

Black June is based in Baghdad. It has said the anti-Syria attacks were retaliation for Syria's military intervention against Palestinian guerrillas and their leftist Moslem allies in the Lebanese civil war.

Alleged Had Illegal Tickets

Greenville officers charged Jimmy Spencer, 36 of 1012 West Third St. with possession of lottery tickets yesterday.

Chief Glenn Cannon said Spencer was arrested after officers allegedly found a quantity of lottery tickets in his possession.

ORIENTATION MEETING

Dr. Stephen Bartlett, American Cancer Society medical advisor, will hold an orientation meeting for the newly formed Ostomy Rehabilitation Program at Planters National Bank Thursday at 7 p. m.

Any interested person is invited.



UNDER CONSIDERATION—Damon J. Keith, chief U.S. district judge in Detroit is one of the final three or four candidates being considered by Jimmy Carter as U.S. Attorney General. (AP Wirephoto)

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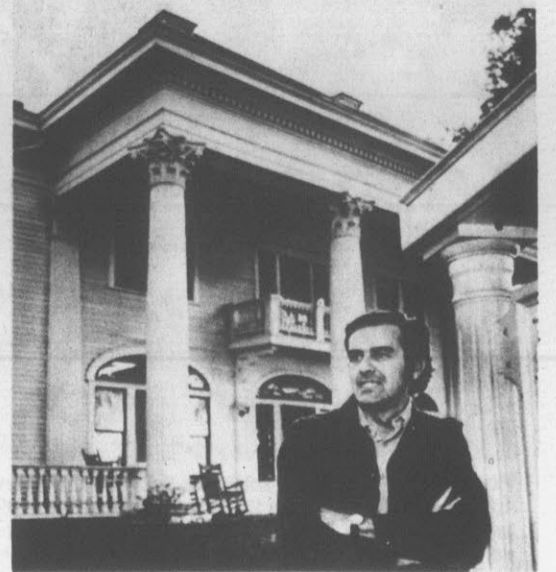
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Publisher Left Manhattan For Georgia Town



SOUTHERN STYLE — Having had it with the high pressured world of New York, John Egle moved south. Now he and his wife Mary run their small publishing firm "Mockingbird Books" from two rooms in this southern colonial house in Covington, Ga.

By ANTHONY POLK
Associated Press Writer
COVINGTON, Ga. (AP) — One day recently, the telephone rang in the two-room office of Mockingbird Books, a tiny publishing firm on one of the oaklined side streets in this small, central Georgia town. "Somebody wants the subsidiary rights division," Mary Egle told her husband, John. "Do you want to take it or me?" The Egles, owners and only employees of Mockingbird, grinned.

They had good reason. Mockingbird Books, situated in an old Southern colonial house replete with classic porch and rockers, is in the improbable position of publishing the book the New York Times says was until recently the No. 1 best-selling paperback in the country.

The book, "Life After Life," by Dr. Raymond Moody Jr., a Ph.D. in philosophy and a recent graduate of the University of Georgia School of Medicine at Augusta, has changed their lives.

Three-and-a-half years ago, the Egles were in the swim of what he describes as the "high pressure," tumultuous world of New York publishing — he as a sales manager with Ballantine Books; she as an editor-copy reader at Walker Inc.

But they got a chance to set up a small publishing company that would republish old, out-of-print Southern classics, and they "more than jumped at the chance ... for a more human living and working situation," says Egle (pronounced Eagle).

They traded their small midtown Manhattan walkup apartment for an old clapboard house in the rolling countryside near here, and earned a modest living producing paperbacks with only limited sales — too small to interest large publishers, Egle said.

But their quiet, slow life began to change when Egle read a newspaper account of a Moody lecture about certain after-life phenomena reported by persons who died and then were brought back to life.

Egle saw "an obvious book there," visited Moody, offered him a \$1,000 advance and signed him to write the book.

The book, ignored by book reviewers, did not start fast. But then the news departments of newspapers began writing about it, and sales soared.

Those sales made Egle revert to his old, New York ways of doing things. There were movie rights and foreign rights, and Egle forgot about his other books and focused on No. 1.

"We were right back in it. The book was controlling us," Egle said. "We used to debate whether we could get on the best-seller list, and then when it appeared on it, we forgot that and wanted to be No. 1."

But those pressures are off now. Mockingbird — for a "sixfigure advance" — has licensed Bantam to issue the book, and in less than a month Bantam has produced more copies — 925,000 — than Mockingbird produced in the first 10 months — 180,000.

Now Egle must repair the disarray of the rest of Mockingbird's line, and edit Moody's sequel to "Life After Life," — the publication of which could start it all over again.

Retirees Plan Dutch Luncheon

The Pitt County chapter of Federal Retirees will meet at the Holiday Inn at noon on Saturday for a Dutch luncheon.

All members are urged to attend for the election of 1977 officers. All interested federal retirees will be welcome.

Annual Event Held By Livestock Ass'n

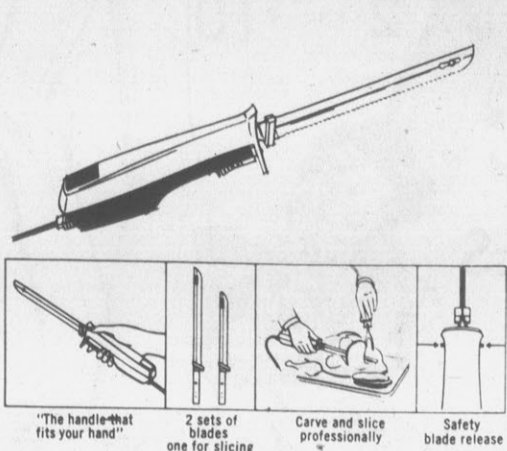
The Pitt County Livestock Development Association had Dr. Charles Lassiter as speaker at its annual banquet and ladies night Monday.

Dr. Lassiter, head of the Animal Science Department at N. C. State University, spoke on "The Role of U. S. Animal Agriculture in Feeding a Hungry World." He indicated that there is a bright outlook for livestock production in the southeastern United States, and especially North Carolina.

The Association elected officers. They are Jay Boswell, president; Kinsey Worthington, vice president; and Moses Moye, secretary-treasurer. Carl Venters is past president.

Elected to the Board of Directors were Frankie Singleton, Gene Paramore, Johnny Radford, Tom Greer, Mike Regans, Milton May, Dr. Michael House, David Harold Smith and Gorman Dickerson.

The object of the Livestock Association is to promote a livestock interest in Pitt County and assist any organization in the promotion of livestock development. Persons, firms, or organizations which are interested in the production of livestock are eligible for membership. For further information, one may contact any officer or director or the County Extension Service, 758-1196.



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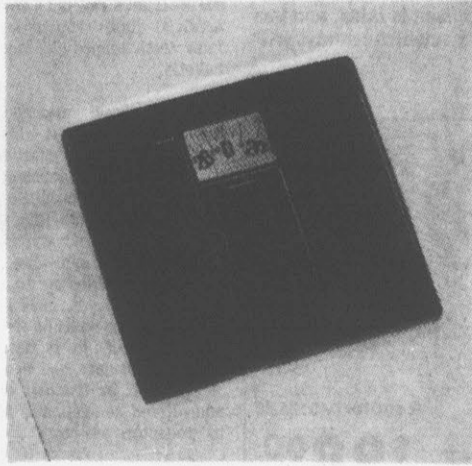
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Bargains At Postal Auctions



POINSETTA MAN — Paul Ecke Sr., 81, is shown in one of the Ecke family greenhouses at Encinitas, Calif. from which poinsettia breeding stock for most of the nation's nurseries is supplied. The business is run these days by

a third-generation Ecke, Paul Jr., who says the story that circulates about the poinsettia being poison is false, and has been proven so by scientific study. (AP Wirephoto)

By KENNETH R. CLARK
United Press International
The U.S. Postal Service doesn't auction off nearly as much mail as it delivers, but the volume of damaged and unclaimed merchandise it hauls to the block every year does make a major leaguer of the departmental gavel-wielder.

As many as half a dozen sales are held annually in 13 postal dead letter offices nationwide. The returns are measured in tens of thousands of dollars, and the offerings frequently make a strange catalogue.

In New York, bargain hunters recently were offered "one sculptured agate stone figure with 18-karat gold trim and precious stones, tail damaged." The price before damage—\$3,300.

In St. Louis, bargains have included a stuffed cobra and several human skeletons.

The Chicago post office called for bids on a tribal necklace made of finger bones, while in Atlanta, a roll of chicken wire, 200 Mexican straw hats, several artificial limbs and a set of false teeth topped the auction bulletin.

Grafton Trew, manager of the New York Post Office's claims and inquiry department, said only a small fraction of the undelivered merchandise — which, in New York City jams a gymnasium-sized warehouse before each sale—can be tracked to fumbles on the part of postal employees. Most of it, he said, begins with the sender, and most of it is insured merchandise damaged in transit, paid off by the post office and offered at auction in a bid to "recapture our costs."

"Some people are convinced we just throw parcels around, but that's not true," he said. "From time to time we make an error—that's the human equation. We make no claim of infallibility, but as a rule

AGREE TO SELL
WINSTON-SALEM (AP) — The Washington Group Inc. announced an agreement in principle to sell Washington Weaving Co. to Riegel Textile Corp. for an undisclosed amount of cash. The date of the sale was set for Dec. 31.

breakage and loss are the result of bad labeling and poor packing."

Trew said bad labeling generally includes failure to put a second address label inside the parcel, so that it can be opened and delivered even if the outside label falls off. Bad packaging means "wrapping things up in old newspapers and shipping them off in a box from the grocery store."

The combination has misdirected tons of merchandise to the New York auction in the last fiscal year, pouring more than \$200,000 into the postal cash register, and with the warehouse still bulging, more sales are on the calendar.

So far this year, the center in Atlanta has grossed nearly \$100,000 on its auctions, and some mouth-watering bargains have been gavelled into being. "Two sales ago, we had two fur coats," said Ron Denney, a postal information officer in that city. "They were slightly damaged. I think the coats were valued around \$500 each, but they went for \$75 and \$80."

New Orleans—where sales have averaged a gross of \$10,000 to \$15,000 each—also reported a few minor jackpots. A customer there recently walked away with a set of golf irons, one through nine, for \$41, and in St. Louis, a rare collection of turquoise recently brought \$792.

How do the postal clerks who act as auctioneers know they are not selling a diamond for the price of cut glass?

Foo Wong, who runs the auction for the San Francisco office, said the bidders themselves provide that insurance. "We don't have to know what it is worth," he said. "The people, the buyers, they know how much it is worth. Two persons are all you need. If one says 'I think this is worth \$500,' it is not going to go for \$5."

Once in a while, in the heat of bidding, that rule collapses—but to the benefit of the post office, rather than the customer.

James J. Hennrich, supervisor of Claims for the St. Louis post office, said two women recently became so competitive in their pursuit of a bargain the winner paid \$25 for a case of after-shave lotion worth only \$15 retail.

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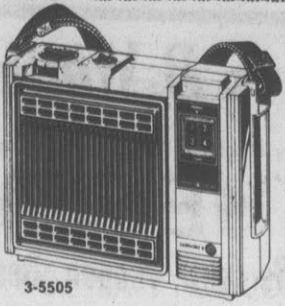
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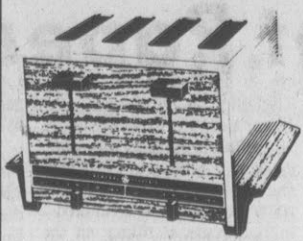
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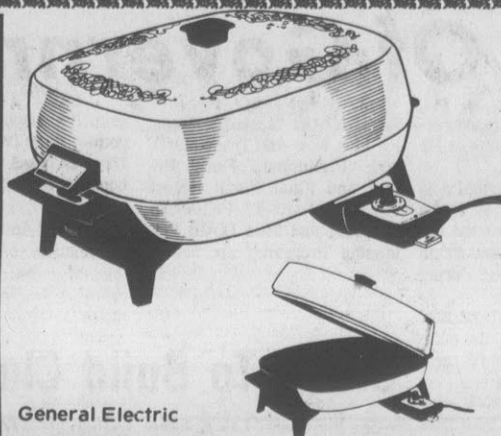
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Mountains Of Government Paperwork

By EVANS WITT
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford demanded a 10 per cent cut in the number of federal forms sent to Americans. He got it. But the remaining forms take 13 million more hours to complete because more people are filling in the blanks.

More students applying for federal scholarships and a new pension law designed to protect workers are the main reasons for the increased burden of paperwork.

In October 1975, Ford ordered the number of forms cut by 10 per cent.

At that time, the Office of Management and Budget listed 5,146 forms repeatedly sent to the public by 44 federal departments and agencies.

Ford's year-long campaign to cut government paperwork succeeded in wiping out more than 700 forms of the more than 5,000 used by executive departments.

The OMB's latest figures — as of Nov. 30 — show 4,418 forms.

And the November figure is below even the June 30 figure of 4,504 forms in use — the figure Ford cited in announcing the success of his effort during the summer.

But the measure of the burden of those forms — the number of hours needed to fill them out — has been going up.

In October 1975, OMB estimated that it would take 130.3 million hours to fill out the forms. In June of this year, OMB estimated 138.4 million hours. In October, the figure was 138.6 million.

Last month, the estimate was 143 million — up almost 13 million hours from the previous year.

As Ford admitted in July, most of the forms dropped were minor ones sent annually to only several hundred or several thousand people.

For example, the critique

forms for the "Discover America Pow Wow And Trade Mart" and "Preliminary Fiscal Report and Final Fiscal Report (EPDA), Part E, Fellowship Program and Title IX-VB Fellowship Program" are absent

from the October 1976 list. Together, those two forms elicited 772 responses and took 600 hours to fill out.

But the "Application for Determination of Basic Grant

Eligibility for the Current Academic Year" is expected to get 3.5 million responses this year, up from 2 million in 1975. That change in the numbers of one HEW form adds an estimated 3 million hours of filling out the forms.

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare is the largest source of the bulge in the burden of the forms, OMB reports show.

In the past year, HEW has increased the burden of filling out its forms from 43.2 million hours to 49.8 million hours. The increase came while the number of different forms being

Group To Build Club

The Pitt County Law Enforcement Officers Association is in the process of constructing a clubhouse just east of Greenville on the Tar River, according to Allan Basnight of the State Highway Patrol, president.

Basnight said that the fund raising committee anticipates that a fund goal of over \$20,000 must be reached before the building can be completed.

Basnight said that the association, organized some three years ago, has been revitalized with a goal of bringing unity among law enforcement officers throughout the county and providing a monthly meeting facility for members.

The president said that members feel that by bringing together the various enforcement agencies in Pitt County, such as the Sheriff's Department, Police Department, SBI, Theft and License Division, and others, on an informal basis, better overall law enforcement for the county will result.

Students from Pitt Technical Institute are assisting in the construction of the new clubhouse, Basnight reported, and funds are being secured through money raising projects and area donors. He noted that although many citizens have given money toward the construction costs, more is needed to insure adequate funding.

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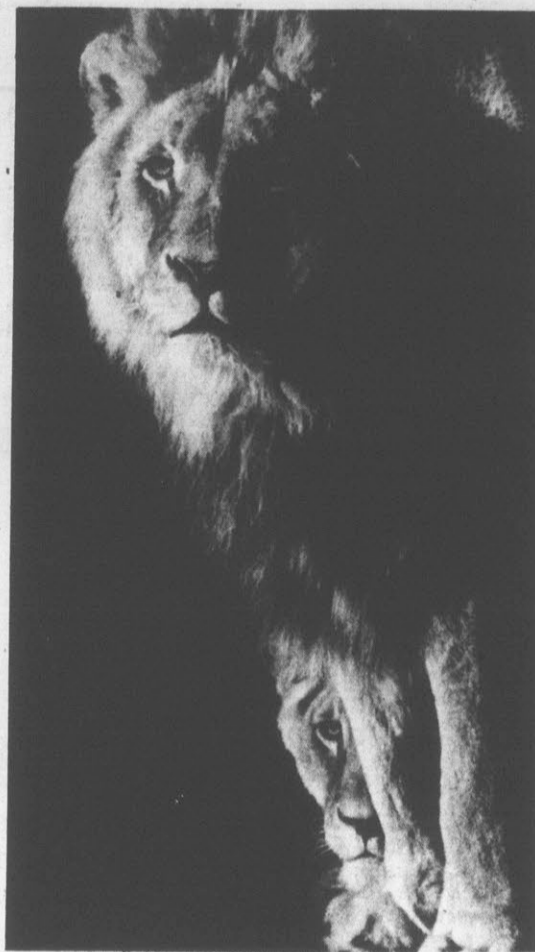
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Kathy Prinze, 26, cited irreconcilable differences in a Superior Court petition filed Monday against Prinze, 22. It was the first marriage for Prinze and the third for his wife.

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Report Criticizes Handling Of Cheating Scandal

By MALCOLM N. CARTER
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A 91-page report by a special commission says the U.S. Military Academy responded inadequately to West Point's biggest cheating scandal, according to Pentagon sources.

The report, written by a commission headed by former astronaut Frank Borman, recommends the readmission as soon as possible of the West Point cadets ousted in connection with widespread collaboration on graded homework last March.

The Borman report is to be made public today, along with a second report that is critical of the way the academy handled Army lawyers who defended the accused cadets.

A total of 151 cadets have been caught up in the scandal, including 139 who have left the academy, four who had been expelled for other reasons before their cases were decided and eight who have stayed there with appeals pending.

Last August, Army Secretary

Martin R. Hoffmann virtually guaranteed readmission at the beginning of the next academic year to the cadets, who were among 823 members of the 1977 graduating class given the homework for Electrical Engineering 304.

The commission also recommended that:

- The mandatory single sanction of expulsion for honor code violators be abolished in favor of discretionary punishment. This, however, comes after the cadet corps voted last week to keep the expulsion rule.
- The term of the superintendent be extended beyond the usual three years to keep policies from periodically changing in a way that makes cadets cynical.
- The selection of a superintendent be based on his respect among academicians.
- The academy cease using the honor code — which states that "a cadet will not lie, cheat, or steal, nor tolerate those who do" — to enforce regulations.

—The tenure system, which protects 11.6 per cent of the faculty from removal before age 64 or the completion of 30 years' service, be altered.

The Defense Department announced Monday that Brig. Gen. Walter F. Ulmer Jr., commander of cadets, was being reassigned from the academy, at least six months early without his expected promotion, to become an assistant division commander at Ft. Hood, Tex.

In a paper written in June and made available Tuesday,

Ulmer said the scandal had its roots in the erosion of "the typical cadet's belief" in the concept of duty and honor.

"The basic fault is institutional: we did not respond well enough to societal changes of the late 1960s," Ulmer wrote, adding:

"The staff and faculty at West Point — in an attempt to produce as many graduates as possible for an Army that needed dedicated lieutenants — apparently were uncommonly tolerant of marginally acceptable behaviour."

He said that "honor proceedings in the early 1970s appear to have had a heavy flavor of attention to the letter of the law, and in some instances a considerable avoidance of the spirit of the law."

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Employment In N.C. Is Below Expectations

Employment improvements in the state during the last quarter of 1976 have not met proposed expectations according to a report from James Hannan, manager of the Pitt County Employment Security Commission.

The predicted increase in employment levels because of the Christmas season has been offset by continuing high rates of inflation and price hikes, which are causing businesses to be cautious, according to Hannan.

Hannan called the North Carolina economy "sluggish". According to figures released last week by the Employment Security Commission, unemployment in the Tar Heel State remained relatively unchanged during October, increasing slightly from six per cent to 6.1 per cent last month. Pitt County decreased from 5.7 to 4.8 per cent unemployment in

the labor force.

Hannan attributed the increase of the state's percentage of unemployed to the total labor force to a shrinking labor force. He explained that fewer new jobs are opening up every month, unfilled existing positions are remaining unfilled, and fewer people are being employed.

The biggest area of decline statewide in October was agricultural employment, when 30,600 fewer people were on the job than at the same time in September because of the seasonal work. Manufacturing employment was also down by 1,000 workers.

"Where we were once talking about improving employment conditions in the final months of 1976, it now looks as though that statement will have to be deferred at least until the spring of 1977," Hannan said.

Students Will Sing For Young Children

About 35 students of the Extended School Program of the Greenville City Schools will be involved in bringing a Christmas treat to an equal number of three, four and five year old children on Friday.

The program will feature singing of carols by the Extended School Program students and giving of gifts to the underprivileged youngsters who have been invited to be at Moyewood at 10 a.m. Friday.

Tony Gray, Counselor-Social Worker with the Extended School Program, and Mike Kopechki, Director of Moyewood Child and Family Development Center, are jointly coordinating the program.

"Our students will sing carols for the young children and will have a Santa Claus to come in with a bag of gifts," Gray explained.

"Each of the Extended School students will be assigned one of the children and will be with them during the program."

Gray said that several local firms, as well as an out-of-town business, had contributed toys and items of clothing for the youngster's Santa Claus bag.

Hold Concert For Christmas

A Christmas Concert will be held at E.B. Aycock Junior High School Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. String students from Agnes Fullilove, E.B. Aycock, and Rose High School under the direction of Miss Claudia Carmone and Miss Ann Eddy will perform. The E.B. Aycock chorus under the direction of Mrs. Diane Finegan will also perform. Admission to the concert is free and the public is invited.

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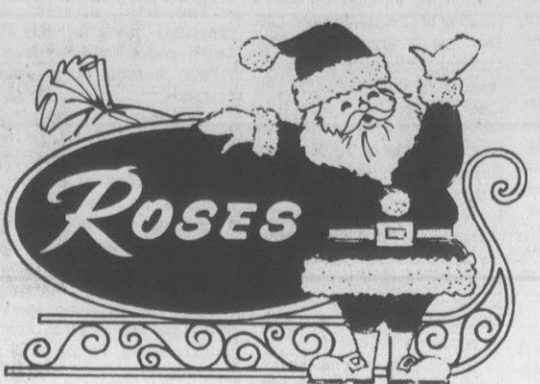
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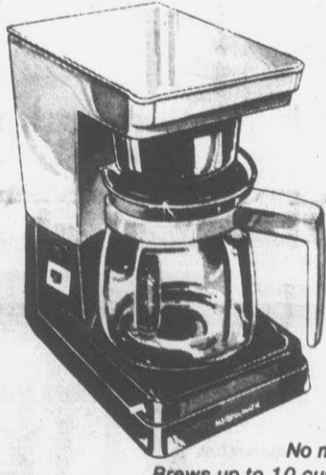
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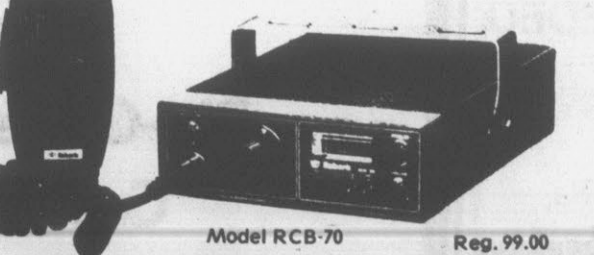
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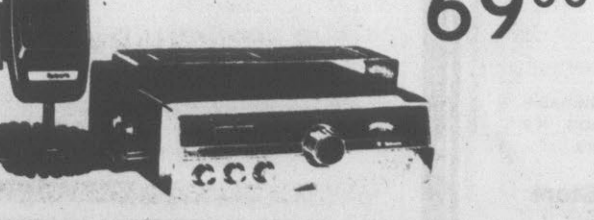
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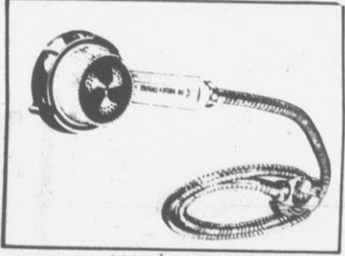
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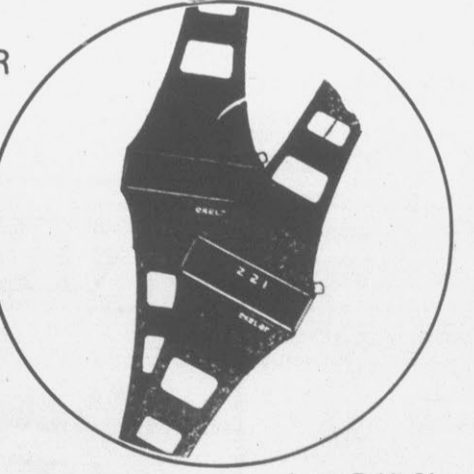
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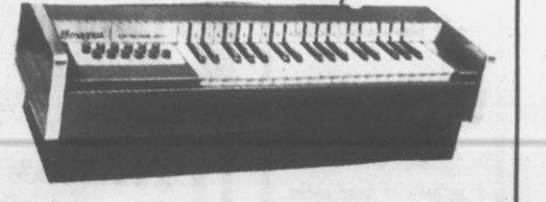
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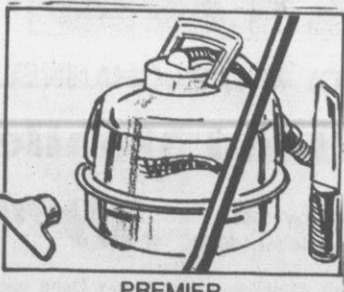
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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Feeder Pigs: Tuesday - Statesville 1,818 head; Wallace-Chadbourne 1,674 head, 40-50 lbs No. 1s and 2s 47.25-47.70 per cwt., No. 3s 44.00; 50-60 lbs No. 1s and 2s 42.25-44.50, No. 3s 40.75-44.75; 60-70 lbs No. 1s and 2s 40.00-40.38, No. 3s 37.75.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Cattle Auctions: Monday - N. Wilkesboro 508 head of cattle and 23 hogs. Slaughter Cows: Utility and Commercial 19.50-23.50; Canner and Cutter 15.50-21.25; Vealers (150-250) Choice 53.00-59.00; Good 42.50-50.00; Calves (250-325) Good 32.00-41.50; Feeder Steers (500-600) Good 33.75-35.25; Feeder Heifers (400-500) Good 23.50-27.00; Feeder Bulls 400-550 Good 29.00-34.75. Hillsborough 267 head of cattle and 224 hogs. Slaughter Cows: Utility and Commercial 21.75-24.25; Canner and Cutter 19.75-23.00; Vealers (150-250) Good 40.00-45.00; Feeder Steers (500-600) Few Good and Choice 311.00-34.00; Swine 180-240; 37.40; (240-270) 31.95-34.00 (300-600) 1550-33.00.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — N.C. Eggs: Tuesday - market higher on large and medium and steady on smalls. Supplies adequate and the demand good. Weighted average prices for small lot sales of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail stores 87.70 cents per dozen for A large white; 82.86 for A medium white; and 69.62 for A small white.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — State Farmers Market: Tuesday - Wholesale prices quoted for: Apples, bushel baskets 5.00-6.00, traprack cartons 8.00-10.00; Snap Beans, bushel hampers 7.50-8.00; Cabbage, 50-lb bags 4.00-5.00; Collards, bushel hampers 3.50; Corn, 5 dozen ears 4.50-5.50; Cucumbers, bushel baskets 8.50-9.50; Oranges, cartons 3.25-4.00; Grapefruits, cartons 3.25-4.50; Greens, bushel hampers 3.00-3.50; Lettuce, cartons 7.00; Peppers, bushel hampers 7.50-8.50; Irish Potatoes, 50-lb bags, 3.00-4.00; Sweet Potatoes, squash, bushel hampers 9.50-10.25.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Charlotte Cotton: Tuesday - Market lower. Strict Low Middling 1-16 inch 74.25 per hundred pounds.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Grain: No. 2 yellow shelled corn higher at 2.31-2.40, mostly 2.37-2.38 in the east and 2.30-2.45 in the Piedmont. No. 1 yellow soybeans higher 6.65-6.86, mostly 6.77-6.86.

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

Burroughs 86 1/2
United Telecommunications Pfd. 24
Heublein 39 1/2
Jeff-Pilot 32

The Meeting Place

WEDNESDAY
6:30 p.m. — Kiwanis Club meets
6:30 p.m. — REAL Crisis Intervention meets
7:00 p.m. — Bienvenue Book Club
Madrigal dinner at ECU
8:00 p.m. — Pitt County Al-Anon Group meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy. Telephone 752-7606 or 752-5284
8:30 p.m. — Pitt County Ala-Teen Group meets at AA Bldg. Farmville Hwy. Telephone 756-2501 or 752-5284

THURSDAY
9:30 a.m. — Welcome Wagon ladies bowling at Hill-Crest Lanes
11:00 a.m. — Luncheon for Elm Street Senior Citizens
2:00-4:30 p.m. — Game day at Woman's Club
6:30 p.m. — Exchange Club meets
7:00 p.m. — Winterville Kiwanis Club meets at community bldg.
8:00 p.m. — VFW meets at Post Home
8:00 p.m. — Cochee Council No. 60, Degree of Pochontas meets at Redmen's Hall

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Obituaries

Adkins
Mr. Johnny Leroy Adkins, 28, died Tuesday night. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Mr. Adkins lived in Homestead Trailer Park. He is a native of Fayetteville, but had been a resident of Greenville for 10 years. He was a member of the National Guard and was a filling station attendant.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Williams Adkins; a step-daughter, Lori Ann Little of the home; his mother, Mrs. Louise Adkins of Greenville; three brothers, Michael Adkins of Greenville, Carlis and Arthur T. Adkins, Jr. of Leeds, Maine; and three sisters, Mrs. Jordan Edwards of Greenville, Mrs. Hubert Dunn of Fountain and Mrs. Patricia Dunn of Leeds, Maine.

Harp
Specialist Four James Earl Harp, died Monday while serving in active duty in the Tripler Army Medical Center in Honolulu, Hawaii. He was the son of Elester Harp of Greenville. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Norcott and Company Funeral Home in Greenville.

Joyner
FARMVILLE — Adelaide Joyner, 98, died in Wilson Memorial Hospital Friday. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Lewis' Chapel F.W.B. Church near Farmville. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Vines will officiate. Burial will follow in the Best Cemetery.

Mrs. Joyner was one of the oldest citizens of Farmville and was a member of Lewis' Chapel F.W.B. Church. She was also a member of the Household of Ruth Lodge No. 2212.

The body will be at the Joyner's Mortuary after 6 p.m. Wednesday. Family visitation will be Wednesday from 7 to 8 p.m. The family will assemble at the home of Mrs. Christine Johnson of 606 S. George St., Farmville.

Leary
Mrs. Myrtle Hassell Leary, 42, died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Tuesday night. The funeral service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in the Wilkerson Funeral

Chapel by the Rev. T. R. Bradshaw, pastor of Calvary Pentecostal Holiness Church. Burial will be in the Cowan Cemetery, Bear Grass.

Mrs. Leary spent most of life in Greenville and Pitt County and was a member of Calvary Pentecostal Holiness Church Sunday School.

Surviving are her husband, Bobby Ray Leary; two daughters, Mrs. James Avery of Kinston, and Mrs. Danny Oakes of Greenville; three sons, Rudy Mills of Vanceboro, Michael Mills of Kinston, and Robbie Mills of Greenville; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hassell of Greenville; two brothers, Frank Hassell of Greenville, and Arthur Hassell of Clearwater, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. C. O. Godwin and Mrs. Noah D. Sutton, both of Greenville; five grandchildren.

McLawn
Mr. Willie Lyman McLawn, 70, died at his home near Greenville this morning. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 Friday afternoon at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Willis Wilson, pastor of Reedy Branch Free Will Baptist Church, and the Rev. John Simpson, pastor of Mount Pleasant Christian Church. Burial will be in Pinewood Memorial Park.

Mr. McLawn, a native of Pitt County, was reared in the Winterville community and moved to Route 1, Greenville, in 1936. He was a member of the Mohican Tribe No. 56, Improved Order of Red Men, Winterville, and was a retired farmer.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Melba Whitehurst McLawn; five sons, J. W. (Dick) McLawn of Farmville, Charles T., Freddie L., Joseph Keith and Jackie McLawn, all of near Greenville; five daughters, Mrs. Howard Bullock of Rt. 4, Greenville, Mrs. Ben G. White of Greenville, Mrs. Evonne Dickerson, Mrs. Allen Witherington and Mrs. Wayne Windham, all of Rt. 1, Greenville; four brothers, Jamie, Kirby and J. H. McLawn, all of Winterville, and Karl J. McLawn of Greenville; four sisters, Mrs. Leatha Smith of Winterville, Mrs. Peel Bowen of Virginia, Va., Mrs. Bell Manning of Greenville, and Mrs. Roscoe Dennis of Hampton, Va.; 18 grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7-9 Thursday night.

Melton
Funeral services for Mr. Don Laws Melton, 68, will be held at the Immanuel Baptist Church Thursday at 3 p.m. by the Rev. Irby B. Jackson. Burial will be in Greenville. Mr. Melton died at his home, 1208 E. Third St. Tuesday.

Mr. Melton had lived in Greenville for the past 30 years and was a retired tobaccoist.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ovelia Southall Melton; two daughters, Mrs. Ralph Hanes of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Darrell W. Hurst of Staunton, Va.; one son, Don L. Melton, Jr. of the home; one sister, Mrs. Hattie W. Douglas of Winston-Salem and four grandchildren.

The body will be taken from the Wilkerson Funeral Home to the Church at the funeral hour.

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

Perkins
Mrs. Helen Gray Perkins, 71, wife of J. Vance Perkins, died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 p.m. Thursday at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Gordon Conklin, pastor of Oakmont Baptist Church.

Mrs. Perkins resided at 2413 E. Fifth St. She was a native of Clarksville, Va. and has been a resident of Greenville since 1925. She was a graduate of East Carolina University and was a teacher in the Greenville City School System for 25 years from which she retired in 1966. She was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church and the DAR of Farmville. She was also active in the work of the Greenville Woman's Club and was the sponsor of the Junior Woman's Club for many years. The auditorium in the Woman's Club Building was dedicated in her honor December 3.

Surviving are her husband, J. Vance Perkins; a son, James Vance Perkins, Jr. of Greenville; one daughter, Mrs. Carlos Burt of Enfield; two sisters, Mrs. Burwell Temple of Kinston and Mrs. Morgan T. Gibson of Virginia Beach, Va.; one brother, J. Frasia Jones of Back Bay, Va.; and six grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Teel
Mrs. Emma Teel, wife of the Rev. Fred Teel, died this morning in Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Phillips Brothers Mortuary.

Utilities . . .

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on a 20-acre tract of land purchased several months ago off Mumfords Road.

Horne told commissioners that plans to secure a 200 acre tract of land two miles East of the Eastern Bypass, on the Old River Road, are progressing and the tract should be purchased in late January. The property will be used as a site for a new wastewater treatment plant.

The GUC director also reported that so far, only about 4,000 customers have received their homeowners deposit refunds.

He said so far, payments have totaled about \$63,000. There are about 10,000 customers who have not received their deposit refunds, he noted, adding that additional publicity will be arranged after the first of the year in an effort to make the refunds.

The commission voted to increase the allowance made by GUC to employees who purchase safety shoes. In the past, a \$4 allowance has been in effect, but due to the increased cost of safety shoes, the commission approved a \$10 fee, to take effect immediately. The increased allowance is designed to encourage employees to wear safety shoes on the job.

The shoes are purchased through the commission's Stores Department, with a limit of two pairs of shoes per year.

The purchase of a new car was also approved by the commission last night. A bid of \$4,357 from Phelps Chevrolet for an in-stock vehicle was okayed. Other bids received ranged from a low of \$4,274 from Hastings Ford to a high of \$4,773 from Smith-Waldrop Motor Company.

A statistical data report submitted to commission members last night confirmed what many local residents have felt . . . that November was a cold month.

Horne explained that November 1976 was about twice as cold as November 1975, pointing out that there were 596.5 heating degree days last month as compared with 298 heating degree days in 1975.

It was also wetter during November 1976 than in 1975. Rainfall last month totaled 2.54 inches, while in 1975, rainfall totaled only 1.09 inches.

The high temperature last month was 74 degrees while the high during November 1975 was 83 degrees. The low in 1976 was 20 degrees, as compared with a 32 degree low during November 1975.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

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Greenville Police charged both drivers involved in a 2:37 a.m. collision today on Tenth Street, west of the Forbes Street intersection, with driving under the influence.

Officers identified the operators as Steve Marvin Everett of 305 Contentnea St. and Thomas Harold Evans Jr. of Route 1, Winterville. Damage was estimated at \$100 to the Everett car and \$300 to the Evans auto.

EXTENDED WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR N.C.

Partly cloudy Friday through Sunday with a chance of rain Sunday. Highs ranging from 40s in the mountains to 50s on the coast and in the 50s statewide Saturday. Lows in the 20s Friday morning.

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Roanoke Rapids Topples Tigers

ROANOKE RAPIDS — Williamston and Roanoke Rapids split a pair of basketball games last night in the Northeastern Conference. Roanoke Rapids won the boys' game, 61-48, while the girls from Williamston took a 52-21 victory. Williamston won the junior varsity contest, 49-43. In the girls' game, Williamston zoomed away to a 16-1 lead in the first period of the game. After that, it was just a question of what the margin would be. Williamston padded its lead to 28-9 by halftime. In the third quarter, the Tigerettes continued to pull away, running the lead out to 44-16. Williamston slowed to an 8-5 edge in the final quarter. Paula Bennett led Williamston with 16 points, while Jo Anna Lilley added 12. In the boys' game, the Tigers didn't have the same luck, as the Roanoke Rapids five bested them. Roanoke Rapids eased out to a 15-6 lead in the first period and pulled out to a 29-14 lead at intermission.

Scoreboard for Roanoke Rapids vs Williamston. Includes girls' and boys' game results with player statistics.



A TURN FOR THE WORSE — University of Connecticut's Tony Hanson, right, takes a sharp turn with the ball and catches Jim Spanarkel of Duke off guard during the first half of their game as part of a college doubleheader Tuesday night in New York's Madison Square Garden. Duke won the game in overtime, 64-59. (AP Wirephoto)

Conley Takes First Victory

WINDSOR — D. H. Conley's Vikings won their first game of the year last night, dumping 4-A Bertie Senior, 52-47.

The Conley girls gained their second win in three starts, 47-38, dropping the Bertie Falconettes. Bertie's girls inched out to an 8-6 lead in the first period, but Conley came back to knot it at the half, 16-16. In the third period, Bertie again held the edge at the buzzer, 29-28, but Conley finished it off in the final period. The Valkyries wound up the final eight minutes with a 19-9 scoring advantage to win going away. Alice Costen led the Conley scoring with 12 points, while Annie Wooten pitched in 11 and Mary McCracken had 10. H. Freeman had 17 and M. Pruden had 10 for Bertie. Both Conley and Bertie scored nine points in the first period of the boys' game. In the second quarter, Conley edged ahead, 24-22. Each team scored 14 points in the third period, leaving Conley with a 38-36 lead going into the final quarter. Conley held a 14-11 scoring edge in that to pull out the win. Bernard Hawkins led Conley with 16 points, while Al Tyson had 10. Arthur Gaskins led Bertie with 19, while James Robbins had 12.

Conley girls' game statistics: Conley 47, Bertie 38. Conley players: Alice Costen (12), Annie Wooten (11), Mary McCracken (10), H. Freeman (17), M. Pruden (10). Bertie players: Bernard Hawkins (16), Al Tyson (10), Arthur Gaskins (19), James Robbins (12).

Bear Grass In First Victory

BELHAVEN — Bear Grass High School captured its first victory of the year last night, downing hosting Belhaven, 64-61. The Lady Bears, however, fell short, losing a 56-55 affair. Bear Grass won the junior varsity game, 52-51. In the boys' game, Bear Grass pushed out into a 17-11 lead in the first period of play. The Bears continued to hold the lead in the second quarter, building a 38-26 halftime lead. In the third period, Belhaven put on a rally, 19-13, and cut the Bear margin back to 51-45. Belhaven also outdid the Bears, 16-13 in the final frame, but fell short. Jerry Wynne led the Bears with 19 points, while Robert Harrison added 18 and Dwayne Baker had 10. James Freeman led Belhaven with 28, with Connie Hooker adding 11.

Scoreboard for Bear Grass vs Belhaven. Includes girls' and boys' game results with player statistics.

Eastern Wayne Defeats Rams

SNOW HILL — Elm City swept a pair of basketball games from Greene Central's Rams last night. The Elm City boys took their game, 68-57, running away in the final period, while the girls came away with a 67-22 win, running away from the start. In the girls' contest, Elm City put the game away in the first quarter, outscoring the Ewes, 19-2. In the second period, they continued to race away, building up a 34-4 halftime lead. The rout continued through the third period, 50-10, and wound up on a 17-12 margin in the final period. Angela Armstrong led Elm City with 17 points, while Daisy Williams had 11 and Pam Helmet had 10. Greene Central's boys stuck right with Elm City throughout most of the game, failing only in the final quarter. After one period of play, the Rams slipped out into an 11-10 lead. Elm City came back with a 24-20 margin in the second quarter, taking a 34-31 halftime lead. In the third quarter, Elm City inched its lead out to 56-51. They finished off the Rams with a 12-6 margin in the last quarter. Linwood Batts led the Elm City scoring with 25 points, while Earl Batts contributed 15, and Doug Cherry had 14. Ernest Thompson led Greene Central with 23, while Steve Jeanette had 10.

Scoreboard for Eastern Wayne vs Greene Central. Includes girls' and boys' game results with player statistics.

Golfing Notes

A Better Ball of Four tournament was held during a recent Ladies Day event at the Greenville Golf and Country Club. The team of Betty Kittrell, Janice Merritt, Della Dayson and Joan Warren took first place. A low gross and low net tournament will be held for Ladies Day this Friday. Janet McGlohn recently had her best nine hole score, a 46.

Advertisement for OVERTON'S INC SUPERMARKET. Features a logo with '3rd AND JARVIS ST.' and a 'GREEN STAMPS' logo.

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Large advertisement for Connelly Skis. Features a 20% discount on all skis, a list of ski models (O'Brien, Connelly, Jobe, Terry, Cyress Gardens), and an image of a skier. Text includes 'Why NOT a Connelly for Christmas?' and 'CONNELLY SKIS'.

Advertisement for Old Charter Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey. Features a bottle of Old Charter, a man in a suit, and the slogan 'Old Charter It's the best you can do. Individually gift wrapped at no extra cost.'

Southern Wayne Defeats Chargers

Rampants Take Charger Matmen

Rose High School's wrestling team rolled to a 68-6 victory over Ayden-Grifton last night.

The Rampant matmen had little trouble in disposing of the less experienced Chargers, winning all but one of the matches. Ayden-Grifton's lone win, in the heavyweight class, came on a pin.

Of the remaining 12 matches, Rose won two by forfeit, and nine by pins.

The Rampants, now 4-0, travel to North Pitt tonight, while Ayden-Grifton goes to Camp Le-

jeune on Thursday.

Summary:
98: Cliff Hagan (R) pinned Harvey Bell, 3:25.
105: John Lawler (R) pinned Carroll Strickland, 4:43.
112: James Cherry (R) won by forfeit.
119: Jesse Baker (R) pinned Guy Dickson, 3:40.
126: Tim Allen (R) pinned Cliff Cole, 1:36.
132: Virgil Tyson (R) pinned Roddy Garris, 0:26.
138: Johnny Harris (R) pinned Pat Riggs, 1:05.
145: Bernard Paige (R) decisioned Mike Nobles, 14:7.
155: Ronnie Reddick (R) pinned Bernard Coley, 1:15.
167: Raymond Wooten (R) pinned William Simpson, 4:33.
185: Bernie Fleming (R) pinned Billy Dixon, 1:56.
195: Rocky Butler (R) won by forfeit.
Unlimited: Richard James (AG) pinned James Reaves, 2:41.

McVay Given Giant Contract

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer
PLEASANTVILLE, N.Y. (AP) — John McVay reflected for a moment on how far he had come from, then decided: "What makes this so different is that I know there's going to be another season."

For McVay, there are going to be at least another two seasons with the National Football League's New York Giants. That is a half-season more than the World Football League gave him — or gave itself for that matter.

The Giants said Tuesday they have signed the 45-year-old McVay to a two-year contract as head coach, eliminating the "interim" which preceded his title during the latter half of the 1976 season, when he helped turn the club around.

McVay's only previous head coaching experience in the pros started in 1974 when he guided the Memphis Southmen to the NFL's best record, 17-3.

Earlier this year, Bill Arnsperger, hired away from Miami's Super Bowl champions, was fired as Giants' head coach and went back to the Dolphins. And McVay was elevated to interim head coach.

"Things were really bad when the change was made," said Andy Robustelli, director of operations. "The team was in danger of coming apart. But John held it together."

The players began playing with enthusiasm, with ferocity, with a winning attitude, and attributed it to McVay. The fans, who had booed the players mercilessly, began cheering them again. And at the end of the season last Sunday, most of the players said they wanted McVay back in 1977.

Andy Robustelli, Giants' operations director, said the team waited until the season was over to talk with McVay about keeping him on because "we had never sat down and talked about the kinds of changes he wanted to make, about his coaching philosophy. You don't try to do things like that during the season."

Monday, McVay met with Robustelli and the Maras, Wellington and his son Tim, the club's vice-president and treasurer.

"We wanted John to know exactly what he was getting into," the elder Mara said. "It was possible he had thrust into a situation he didn't fully understand. We wanted to make sure he knew our organization, our ideas, our plans, and how he fit into them."

Obviously, McVay fit in very well. "The vote was unanimous to give John the job," Mara said.



EMERGING HAWK — Atlanta Hawks forward Lou Hudson (23) flips a pass from beneath a bridge formed by guard Don Chaney (left) and center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar of the Los

Angeles Lakers at Atlanta Omni Tuesday. The Hawks won the National Basketball Association game, 106-104. (AP Wirephoto)

Farmville Wrestlers Are Young And Inexperienced

By JIM KYLE
Reflector Sports Writer
The Farmville Central wrestling team returns three conference champions from last year's squad but the Jaguars are still inexperienced, according to Coach Linwood Woodard.

Farmville Central was 12-3 last year and second in the Eastern Carolina Conference. They were defeated by D. H. Conley, the conference champions, in the tournament.

"We had four freshmen that started last year but, except for that, we were pretty experienced," Woodard said. "Conley's experience and coaching is what helped them over us, I think."

Again, the Jags lack experience, especially in the first five weight classes where all the wrestlers are first-year men.

Jan Joyner is the starter at 98 pounds for the Jaguars. At 105, Joe Ebron has been a surprise for Farmville. The freshman is currently 3-1. Elmer Ebron and William White are also at 105.

Jeff Ebron, a sophomore and William Harper are the 112-pound Jaguars. Mike King is the starter at 119 and he is backed up by Michael Mercer.

David Newton is another surprise for the Jags. The 126-pound freshman is also 3-1. He is joined at 126 by Horace Williams, one of the returning conference champions. Dennis Brown also wrestles at 126.

Second-year man Carl Davis is at 132 and Jackie Norris is at 138, along with Booker Speight.

Robert Williams, Walter Blow and Woody Edwards all check in at 145 for the Jaguars. Last year's conference runner-up James Mercer returns at 155 along with Marvin Brown and Sammy Brown.

Aaron Gorham, a second-year man who was 8-6 last year returns at 167 and Woodard is hoping he'll do better this year. Gorham probably has as much experience as anyone on the team, Woodard said. He is joined by Johnny Grimsley, a freshman.

Conference champion Timmy Hall is at 185 along with David Cochran. The Jags don't have anyone at 195 but are hoping Leroy White can get down to that weight before too long.

Conference runner-up John Dupree rounds out the Jaguar squad at the unlimited weight. Woodard said he thinks the

conference race "is going to be pretty much of a one-man show with D. H. Conley up at the top." It is going to be interesting, however, to see the race for the second spot, Woodard said.

"I think the tournament will be interesting in that some of them (the other teams) may be able to hurt Conley and somebody slip in and win the thing."

North Pitt, Southern Nash and Farmville are the other top teams in the league, according to Woodard.

The Eastern Carolina Conference should be much stronger this year and should represent itself better in the sectionals, Woodard said.

As for Farmville, "We are very young but enthusiastic. With a lot of hard work and determination, we may cause some surprises. We have no way to go but up."

By JIM KYLE
Reflector Sports Writer
LITTLEFIELD — A sticky defensive press in the second quarter allowed the Southern Wayne Saints to come from behind and a hot shooting touch pushed them way ahead in the second half as they downed Ayden-Grifton, 77-56.

Michael Olliver led the way in the second period, as he did most of the night, scoring 16 of his game-high 39 points in that quarter as the Saints turned a seven-point deficit into an 11-point lead. Southern Wayne's press caused 11 Charger turnovers in the second period.

The Chargers jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the first quarter on

layups by Willie Forbes and Terry Morris. They stretched it to 11-7 with 1:02 left in the period and were up 13-6 at the end of the quarter on a 30-foot last-second shot by Forbes.

Forbes came up with a three-point play to open the second quarter and push the Charger lead to 16-6, as big as it would get.

The Saints scored six straight points, four by Olliver to cut it to 16-12. They then moved to within two, 20-16 before Charger James Leggett brought the crowd to its feet with a dunk.

Olliver hit a layup with 3:04 left in the quarter to tie it at 22 and then, 18 seconds later, he hit

a jumper to put the Saints in the lead. They never lost it.

Southern Wayne scored the last 11 points in the period to go in at halftime with a 33-22 lead.

The teams played nearly evenly in the third period, trading baskets for most of the frame. The Saint lead fluctuated between nine and 13 points before they scored four straight at the end of the period to make it 57-42 going into the final quarter.

It was in the fourth period that the Saints really pushed out in front, going up by 18 with 3:11 left in the game.

The Chargers, forced to foul, sent Olliver to the line for six free throws in the last two minutes and he connected on four of them. His layup with five seconds left made the final score 77-56.

Willie Forbes was the high scorer for Ayden-Grifton with 14 points. James Leggett chipped in 12 and Frankie Dail added 10 more for the Chargers.

Ben Chesten was the only other Southern Wayne player in double figures with 10 points.

The Saints shot 51 per cent for the game, 64 per cent in the second half. Ayden-Grifton hit only 35 per cent of its shots. Both teams shot 53 times, Southern Wayne hitting 27 and the Chargers connecting on 19.

The Saints also held the rebounding edge, 35-27.

Southern Wayne also came out on top in the girls' game, winning 56-33. Vertha Dixon led the scoring for the Chargerettes with 14 points while Sam Jones and Debra McKinney both had 12 for the Lady Saints.

Ayden-Grifton did manage to win the junior varsity game, holding off a Southern Wayne rally to win 52-51.

Both the Ayden-Grifton boys' and girls' teams are now 0-5. They will play again Saturday night when they travel to Williamston.

Pistol Reacts To Firing

By HANK LOWENKRON
AP Sports Writer
"Pistol" Pete Maravich was smoking Tuesday night in New Orleans after Butch van Breda Kolff lost his job as head coach of the Jazz.

Maravich reacted to the firing of van Breda Kolff by scoring a career-high 51 points as New Orleans edged Kansas City 120-117, giving Elgin Baylor a National Basketball Association victory as the team's interim head coach.

Baylor was promoted to the top job a few hours before the game when van Breda Kolff lost an internal power struggle with the front office and was dismissed.

Maravich was not the only NBA star to hit a career-high. Ernie DiGregorio scored a high of 36 points, guiding Buffalo to a 108-99 victory over Phoenix as the Braves snapped a four-game losing streak.

In other NBA action, San Antonio topped the New York Knicks 111-98, Atlanta edged Los Angeles 106-104, Chicago defeated Philadelphia 101-88 and Portland routed Houston 104-84.

The victory lifted New Orleans' record to 15-12.

Braves 108, Suns 99
"I'm not looking to score more now that Bob McAdoo's gone," said DiGregorio. "It's just that Mac was such a great shooter and our offense was dictated by him. Now different people are going to get different shots. We put in a couple of plays to open up opportunities for the guards."

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Spurs 111, Knicks 98

San Antonio's Larry Kenon and Billy Paultz each scored 28 points as the Spurs coasted past the injury depleted Knicks, who missed Bob McAdoo, Spencer Haywood, Jim McMillian and Bill Bradley.

Guard Earl Monroe was high for the Knicks with 22 points and Tom McMillen had a career-high 21.

Hawks 106, Lakers 104
Ken Charles stole an inbounds pass with three seconds left and sank a desperation shot at the buzzer, completing a nine-point streak which gave Atlanta its victory. The Hawks trailed by seven points with only 51 seconds to play.

Veteran Lou Hudson led the Braves with 32 points, while Kareem Abdul-Jabbar had 31 for the Lakers.

Bulls 101, 76ers 88
Mickey Johnson scored 18 points and combined with Scott May, who scored 16, to hold 76ers star Julius Erving to nine points as the Bulls extended their winning streak to three games, before 19,690 fans — the largest crowd ever to attend an NBA game in Chicago.

The winning streak is the longest by the Bulls since Feb. 14, 1974. It also was the club's 15th success in six games following a 13-game losing streak.

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JV — Ayden-Grifton 52, Southern Wayne 51.

Girls' Game

Southern Wayne — Jones 12, Leonard 7, McKinney 12, Johnson, Barnes, Jernigan 2, Pittard 6, Hollowell 1, Frederick, Bizzell 4, Springfield 2, Autman, Carroll, Riddle, Gardner 4.

Ayden-Grifton — Dixon 14, Potter 5, Lottin 6, Thorne, Rowe 2, Hasley, Whitehurst, Brock 2, Elks 2, Ellis, Smith.

Southern Wayne	4	6	11	12	33
Ayden-Grifton	10	17	15	14	56

Boys' Game

S. Wayne	9	1	1	1	1		
Manley	2	0	4	Braxton	2	2	4
Cheston	3	4	10	Maye	2	0	4
Bass	2	4	8	Pratt	0	0	0
Richards	2	0	4	Dail	3	4	10
Autman	2	2	6	Leggett	4	4	12
Epans	2	0	4	Morris	2	2	6
Olliver	13	13	39	Selfitt	0	0	0
Rich	1	0	2	Teachey	1	2	4
Totals	57	33	77	Forbes	5	4	14

Southern Wayne 6 27 24 20-77
Ayden-Grifton 13 9 20 14-56

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Tigers Defeated

WILLIAMSTON — Edenton High School's wrestling team pulled off a 42-23 victory over Williamston last night in a Northeastern Conference match.

Edenton won eight of the matches, while Williamston took the remaining five. Edenton took four matches by pins, while the Tigers got just one fall. Williamston got one match on a forfeit, while two went to the Aces.

Williamston travels to Ahoskie on Thursday.

Summary:
98: Ben Jones (W) won by forfeit.
105: Edward Jackson (E) pinned Tony Speller, 1:37.
112: Mark Drew (E) won by forfeit.
119: Terry Gainer (W) pinned Bernard Hudson, 3:47.
126: William Stade (W) decisioned Alphonza White, 17:2.
132: Haywood Bond (E) decisioned Carl Stade, 7:3.
138: Roosevelt Mackey (W) decisioned David Sulton, 10:5.
145: Kenny Bond (E) decisioned Joel Hagan, 6:3.
155: Sam Short (W) decisioned Donald Rankins, 2:0.
167: Raymond Brown (E) pinned David Gurganus, 1:35.
185: Mike Brown (E) pinned Warren Lamb, 1:42.
195: John Norris (E) pinned Joe Jenkins, 5:04.
Unlimited: James Jones (E) won by forfeit.

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Will Big Eight Be Embarrassed

By **HERSCHEL NISSENSON**
AP Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — With Arizona and Arizona State mulling invitations to bolt the Western Athletic Conference and join the Pac-8, it is not clear just how many teams still are in the WAC.

But two of the leftovers — co-champions Wyoming and Brigham Young, both unranked nationally — will attempt to embarrass the haughty Big Eight

on the WAC's behalf for the second year in a row.

The regular-season forecasting ended with a 20-4-1-.833 final week, bringing the record for the year to 538-222-137. The bowls shape up this way: Fiesta Bowl, No. 8 Oklahoma vs. Wyoming; If they come to play, this will be the biggest mismatch of all the bowls; if they do not, it will not be close, either...Oklahoma 45-14.

Tangerine Bowl, No. 14 Oklahoma State vs. Brigham Young: These clubs hooked up in the Fiesta two years ago with Oklahoma State winning 16-6. No Big Eight embarrassment here, either...Oklahoma State 35-24.

Liberty Bowl, No. 7 UCLA vs. No. 16 Alabama: Bruins blew another shot at the Rose Bowl and will be making their first postseason appearance elsewhere. Alabama, which came

on strong, is in its 18th bowl in a row and 30th over-all, both national records...Alabama 24-21.

Gator Bowl, No. 15 Notre Dame vs. No. 20 (tie) Penn State: Pitt's Tony Dorsett started Notre Dame's season off on the wrong foot and ended Penn State's the same way...Notre Dame 17-10.

Peach Bowl, No. 20 (tie) North Carolina vs. Kentucky: The last time Kentucky went to a bowl was a quarter-century ago, a 13-7 Sugar Bowl triumph over Oklahoma...Kentucky 26-14.

Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl, No. 9 Texas Tech vs. No. 13 Nebraska: The Cornhuskers are out to make amends for last year's Fiesta Bowl demise...Nebraska 31-21.

Sun Bowl, No. 10 Texas A&M vs. Florida: One of the great bowl match-ups in history between two teams with tremendous penchants for turning something good into a bad scene...Texas A&M 30-13.

Orange Bowl, No. 11 Ohio State vs. No. 12 Colorado: Nothing to say about the national championship; not even a Top Ten team on hand in sunny Florida, just sunny Woody Hayes and his one-time pupil, sunny Bill Mallory...Ohio State 14-7.

Notre Dame Hands 3rd Defeat To Hoosiers

By **The Associated Press**
A "four-corner offense" put the Indiana Hoosiers on the ropes and a "zone" delivered the knockout punch.

That is what it took for Notre Dame to beat the reeling defending national basketball champions 78-65 Tuesday night.

The defeat was the third straight for the No. 16 Hoosiers, their longest losing streak in five years.

Toby Knight, who came off the bench and scored a career-high 23 points, paced the Irish, 6-0. Dave Batton scored 18 points.

All-American Kent Benson led Indiana with 18 points. Benson did not score during nearly 13 minutes at the start of the game.

Clemson routed Buffalo 98-67 as Wayne "Tree" Rollins and Stan Rome combined for 42 points; Blair Martineau pumped in 28 points, pacing Utah State over Utah 92-90.

Also, Tom Schneeberger scored a career-high 28 points, helping Air Force beat Regis College 79-64; Edgar Jones' 21 points led Nevada-Reno past North Dakota State 101-94, and Greg Ballard tossed in 17 points and grabbed 12 rebounds, leading Oregon to a 61-51 victory over Cal State-Fullerton.

In a doubleheader at the Palestra in Philadelphia, Marty Stahurski's two free throws and a clutch steal started an 8-0 streak that propelled Temple

over Navy 55-54 and Princeton defeated Villanova 77-74 as Bob Kleinert made 12 of 12 free throws.

At Madison Square Garden in New York, Duke beat Connecticut 64-59 in overtime in the opener of a doubleheader as Jim Spanarkel and Mike Gminsky scored 20 points apiece. In the second game, Fordham defeated Brown 84-80 in overtime behind Tom Kavanagh's 19 points.

Duke Pulls Out Win In Overtime Contest

By **The Associated Press**
Duke eked out an overtime victory over Connecticut in New York Tuesday and Clemson trounced Buffalo at home to keep the Atlantic Coast Conference's honor clean for another evening.

Jim Spanarkel saved it for Duke, scoring 20 points including five free throws in overtime to clinch the 64-59 Blue Devil victory.

It was Spanarkel who scored the field goal with three minutes to go in regulation that threw the game into extra minutes at 51-51.

Four straight free throws, two by Spanarkel, gave Duke the game.

Mike Gminsky also poured in 20 for the winners.

The game left Duke coach Bill Foster in an ebullient mood about the quality of basketball the ACC produces.

"It's the best in the country," Foster bubbled, adding that the "closeness of the schools and

the intensity of the rivalries" were responsible.

"It's the strongest, without a doubt," echoed Gminsky.

At Clemson, the heroes were Wayne "Tree" Rollins and Stan Rome, who tallied a combined total of 42 points to lead the nationally 13th ranked Tigers to their sixth straight triumph.

It was the first time this season Clemson scored less than 100, but the team's performance against the Buffalo Bulls, now 1-6, was still good enough for a convincing 98-67 margin.

Rollins was top scorer with 22 points. Rome added 20, and Derrick Johnson was good for 16 assists. Four other players scored in double figures: Jim Howell and John Franken, 14 apiece; David Brown, 12, and Greg Coles, 10.

The whole conference enjoys a rest Wednesday with no games scheduled.

Meanwhile there was good news for North Carolina State's Wolfpack. X-rays of All-Ameri-

can Kenny Carr's left ankle show nothing more than a severe sprain from a tumble he took last Saturday.

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FIRST PROS

CINCINNATI (UPI) — The Cincinnati Reds, winner of their second straight World series in 1976, were the first professional baseball team. In 1869, the Cincinnati Red Stockings rounded up the best players they could find and began paying them. A humiliating defeat two years earlier by a barnstorming amateur team from Washington, D.C., prompted the decision to pay players.

Bowling

Shirts & Skirts	W	I
Po Boys Auto Parts	37	20
T & E's	35 1/2	20 1/2
Mixed Nuts	32	24
Spinners	31	25
Team Four	29	27
Ups & Downs	27	29
Nuts & Bolts	27	29
B & P's	26	30
Team One	26	30
C & S Fence Co.	25	31
Hang Ten	23	33
Team Seven	18 1/2	37 1/2
Women's high game and series		
Mildred Cunningham, 247, 564		
Men's high game, Earl Tripp, 209		
Men's high series, Van Brock, 569		

Guys & Dolls	W	I
Heartbeats	37	23
Tom's Alley Cats	35 1/2	24 1/2
B & C's	32	28
Trophy House	29	31
Team Three	27	33 1/2
A&D's	27	33
Team Eight	26 1/2	33 1/2
Team One	26	34
Men's high game and series, Roy Lee, 221, 564; women's high game and series, Faye Ewell, 213, 569.		

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Scoreboard

Tuesday's College Basketball		WESTERN CONFERENCE	
By The Associated Press		Midwest Division	
Buffalo St 78, Fredonia St 61		Denver 17, 60	
Columbia 90, Manhattan 62		Detroit 15, 12	55 1/2
Delaware 64, Widener 53		Indiana 13, 11	48 1/2
Duke 64, Connecticut 59, OT		Kan City 12, 15	31
Fordham 84, Brown 80, OT		Chicago 7, 15	318 8 1/2
Mercy 104, Case U 97		Milwaukee 4, 2	143 14 1/2
Niagara 64, Siena 53		Pacific Division	
Princeton 77, Villanova 74		Portland 19, 18	70 1/2
Rhode Island 52, Robert Morris 43		Cincinnati 12, 11	54 1/2
S Hampton 90, Medgar Evers 73		Los Ang 14, 12	538 4 1/2
Scranton 89, Binghamton St 65		Seattle 15, 11	538 4 1/2
Temple 55, Navy 54		Phoenix 11, 12	478 6
Utica 80, Union, N.Y. 56		Tuesday's Results	
SOUTH		Buffalo 108, Phoenix 99	
Alabama St 97, Morris Brown 77		Atlanta 106, Los Angeles 104	
Alcorn St 101, Florida A&M 86		Chicago 101, Philadelphia 88	
Appalachian St 67, E Tenn. St 65		San Antonio 11, New York Knicks 98	
Coppin St 104, D.C. Teachers Col 75		New Orleans 120, Kansas City 117	
Clemson 98, Buffalo 67		Portland 104, Houston 84	
Louisiana Tech 94, SW Louisiana 92		Wednesday's Games	
Newberry 103 S Caro-Aiken 102		Milwaukee at Boston	
NW Louisiana 97, Nicholls St 73		Phoenix at Philadelphia	
S Florida 71, Georgia St 57		Kansas City at Washington	
Tenn-Chattanooga 124, Armstrong St 86		San Antonio at Indiana	
Tenn-Temple 70, David Lipscomb 69		Golden State at Detroit	
MIDWEST		Los Angeles at New Orleans	
Butler 74, S Dakota St 62		Denver at Seattle	
Dakota St 85, Cornell 85		Thursday's Games	
Lawrence 85, NW Wisconsin 72		Indiana at Cleveland	
Malone 93, Ohio Dominican 71		Atlanta at Houston	
Morningside 82, Westminster 71		New York Nets at Kansas City	
N Michigan 81, Ind.-Purdue 100		Pro Hockey At A Glance	
Notre Dame 78, Indiana 65		By The Associated Press	
St. Xavier 100, Ill-Benedictine 96		National Hockey League	
SOUTHWEST		CAMPBELL CONFERENCE	
Prairie View 114, Paul Quinn 93		Patrick Division	
FAR WEST		NY Isl 17, 7	42 110 7 3
Air Force 79, Regis 64		Phila 16, 7	39 110 8 5
Denver 91, Cal-San Diego 67		Atlant 15, 8	37 103 8 5
Fresno Pacific 62, Pomona 54		Wash 13, 7	32 121 11 0
Linfied Col 67, Oregon Col 80		Smyth Division	
Nevada-Reno 101, N Dakota 84		St Lou 1017, 3	23 88 109
Oregon 61, Cal-Fullerton 51		Chgo 1017, 3	23 94 112
Puget Sound 74, Chicago 64		Colo 816, 3	21 83 100
Utah St 92, Utah 90		Phoen 821, 3	19 86 124
Whittier 93, Cal-Poly Pomona 79		Minn 418, 7	19 81 134
TOURNAMENTS		WALES CONFERENCE	
Columbus Christmas First Round		North Division	
Jacksonville St 81, N Georgia 76		Mont 23, 5	4 10 152 70
Columbus 90, Auburn-Montgomery 86		NY Isl 10210, 30	105 102
Pro Basketball At A Glance		Phila 1619, 2	34 132 9 8
By The Associated Press		Indy 1611, 2	34 97 107
National Basketball Association		Minn 1213, 4	28 91 92
EASTERN CONFERENCE		Birm 922, 1	19 104 129
Atlantic Division		Western Division	
Philippia 15, 10	600	Winnipeg 1812, 1	37 145 105
Boston 13, 11	542 1/2	SDiego 1712, 2	36 107 99
N York 12, 14	462 3/2	Houston 1411, 4	32 94 87
NY Nets 11, 15	423 4 1/2	Edmntn 1318, 1	27 88 118
Buffalo 11, 16	407 5	Phoen 1217, 2	26 102 138
Central Division		Calgary 1116, 2	24 87 91
Cleveland 16, 9	640	Tuesday's Results	
Houston 15, 12	556 2	New England 3, Quebec 1	
NCrins 13, 13	519 3	Houston 8, Phoenix 3	
Santon 14, 13	519 3	San Diego 6, Edmonton 1	
Washington 10, 13	435 5	Wednesday's Games	
Atlanta 11, 17	393 6 1/2	Minnesota at Cincinnati	
		Birmingham at Phoenix	

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Johnny Marks Was Hero After Writing 'Rudolph'

By TOM JORY
Associated Press Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Johnny Marks remembers a visit to a Japanese bath in Tokyo, four or five years ago.

... And there you have these girls who give you a bath. And I was having this bath and this girl was scrubbing my back, and what do I hear? Dum di da-dum di dum-dum. And I turned to her and I says, 'What are you singing?'

'She looked at me in utter scorn. 'Don't you know (squeaky mock-Japanese) 'Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer'?''

Does Johnny Marks know that song? He wrote it — 27 years and 113 million records ago.

'I don't think there's ever been a record that catapulted

itself like that one," muses the trim, 67-year-old composer. "It's the only one I know of that became No. 1 on the country charts, on the pop charts, in the jukeboxes."

Johnny Marks became an overnight hero to millions in 1949, though few knew his name. He's a hero today, still behind the scenes. Millions will hear his biggest hit in countless tongues. Millions will see three Christmas specials on TV — Johnny Marks wrote all the music. Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer was just telecast for the 13th year in a row.

It was 1948. Tin Pan Alley. Nearly a decade earlier, Robert L. May had written the "Rudolph" story in Chicago as a Christmas giveaway for his employer, Montgomery Ward and Co.

"I wrote it," recalls Johnny Marks, "easily one of the worst songs ever written. It was just terrible. I threw that away, and

the following year, I rewrote it. And that is the song you know today.

"I can sing it for you. The first one went, 'Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer, had a very shiny nose.' But that's a terrible tune. (It only resembles the well-known smash hit.)

"Now what happened is, a year later, I'm walking along the street, it's never happened before, I started to hum. Dum di da-dum di dum-dum. You see, what I'm doing is inverting the notes, instead of going down, I'm going up."

Out went demonstration

records — to Dinah Shore, Bing Crosby "all the top artists of the day, including Gene Autry. What's great about this, I did not know this man (Autry), I had no relation with him.

"He got the record at his office, played it over, and took it home with seven other songs to

pick four for his next record session.

"He decided not to do 'Rudolph'. He said, 'I didn't feel it fit my image.' But his wife said, 'Gee, I think 'Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer' is one of the greatest songs I ever heard. Put it on

one side of the record for me, put what you think are the hits on the other.'

"And of course, the rest is history."

Johnny Marks looks and plays the part. Trim white goatee, mellow cigar. He taps his foot as he hums through a

tune. Home is in Greenville Village, "a little yard in the back." His office probably hasn't changed much in the last quarter-century.

He set up St. Nicholas Music Co. to publish "Rudolph," and he's concentrated on Christmas songs since.

Presented Service Pins

Twenty-eight Greenville Utilities Commission employees received service pins recently in recognition of continuous service with the company.

Five-year pins were presented to Shelby B. Hudson, Johnny L. Council, Henry C. Crumble, Raymond E. Eakes, Leon Harris, Lee Langley Jr., Bobby A. Mills, John Henry Sharpe, Albert Sherrod, Ella Grace Ward and James A. Ward.

Receiving ten-year pins were James S. Harris, Charlie L. Morris, Claude Porter, Jesse E. Sheppard and Marjorie J. Wells.

Fifteen-year pins were presented to Leroy Godley, Clarence Taft and Mildred C. Wilson, while 20-year pins were given to David E. Woolard, Johnnie Gorham Jr., Ernest T. Buck and Hilton R. Nichols.

Henry W. Hoell, Lenwood F. Hudson, James C. Roebuck and William F. Weston were cited for 25 years of service and Willard R. Jackson received a 28-year pin. Edward L. Pollard was presented a 29-year pin, Carl Abee a 35-year pin, and James L. Whichard a 36-year pin.



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Other assets	374,459
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Points held by or beneficial to selling interests	
Other monies held for proceeds	
Subscriptions receivable on late payments	33,092
Interest, dividends and net assets income tax and earned	33,774
All other assets as detailed in statement	1,960,000
Total Assets	3,900,000
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Liabilities	16,000
Less adjustment expense	
Contingent liabilities and other similar charges	
Other expenses (including taxes, losses and fees)	6,496
Taxes, losses and fees (including Federal income taxes)	14,504
Patent license fees	
Unearned premium	
Dividends declared and unpaid	
(1) Dividends	
(2) Policyholders	
Points held by company under reinsurance treaties	
Amounts retained or received by company for services of others	6,433
Unearned premium on reinsurance in reinsuranceed companies	
Balance on paid items held on unpaid items	
Total	472,965
Less funds held in relation to monies for account of such reinsuranceed companies	327,466
Excess of statutory reserves over statutory reserves	
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement	
Total Liabilities	145,499
Residual surplus funds	643,500
Capital paid in	281,714
Other paid in and undistributed surplus	357,750
Unassigned funds (surplus)	
Surplus in separate jurisdictions	1,532,564
Total	3,060,000

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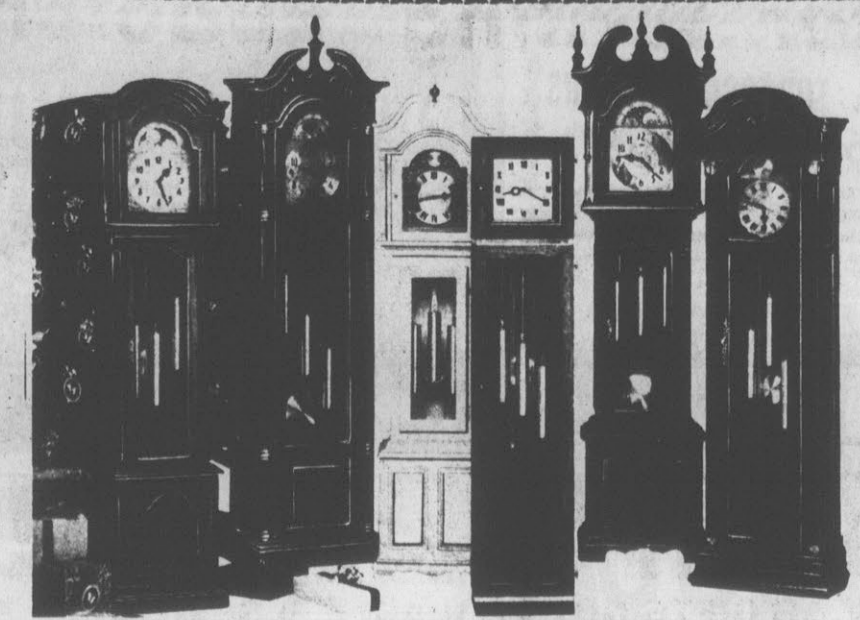
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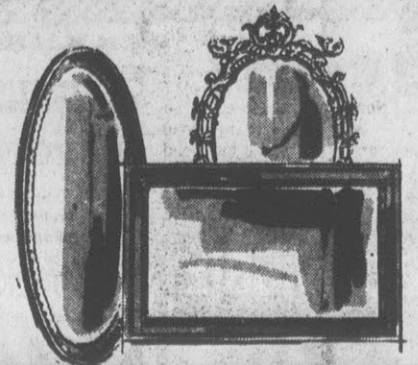
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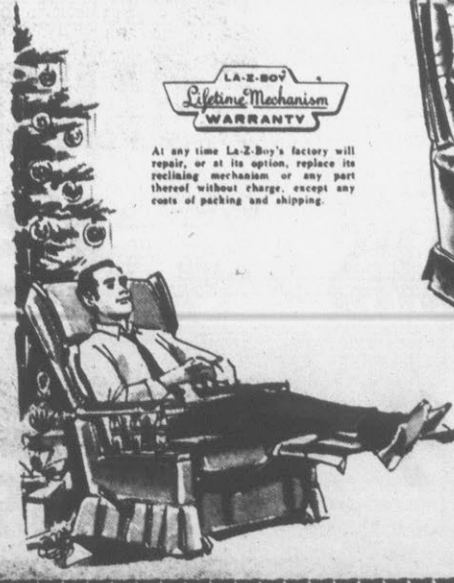
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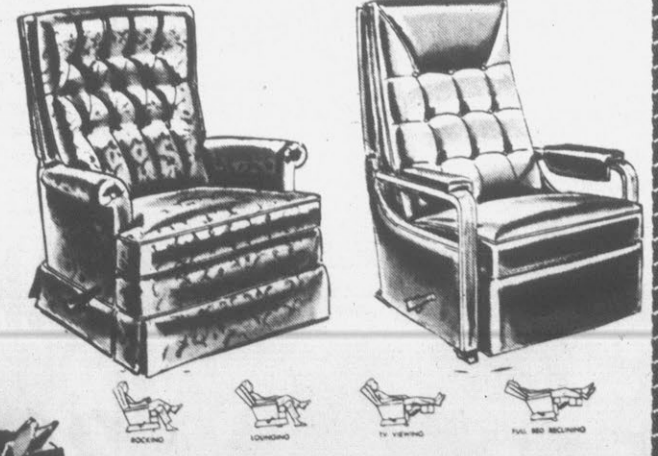
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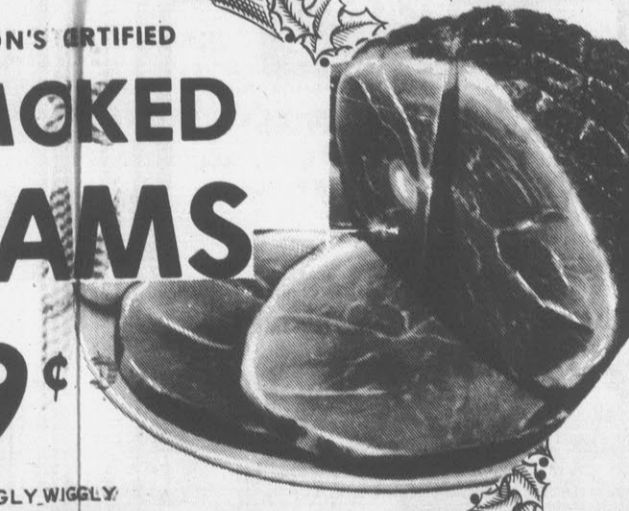
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Has Not Been A Good Black Holes May Not Be Black Year For New Shows

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — It's not been a good season for new series. Of 14 shows the television networks have axed since September, 11 were new entries in the hotly contested 1976-77 season.

The news came Tuesday as both NBC and CBS, fighting to catch up with ABC in the ratings, made public their midseason lineups that call for six new series — four on CBS, two on NBC — to air early next year.

In addition to dropping "Gibbsville," NBC said it was axing television's only Western, the new "Quest" series. It had confirmed trade reports of that show's demise last Dec. 7.

NBC's two new series, each an hour in length, are "Nightmare," a suspense anthology program for Wednesdays, starting Feb. 2, and "Fantastic Journey," a Thursday science-fiction fantasy that starts Feb. 3.

Two new CBS shows are comedies. They are "A Year at the Top," a Norman Lear series about an aged music group that makes a deal with the devil for youth and success. The other show, which premieres on Monday, Jan. 17, is "On Your Own," a domestic comedy.

In readying for midseason combat with top-ranked ABC, CBS, whose ratings have been unexpectedly low most of this season, also massively juggled its prime-time program schedule for next January.

It put seven returning series in new time periods, changing the current schedule on every night but Thursday and Saturday.

Meanwhile, the latest A.C. Nielsen ratings say an estimated 22 million television sets were tuned to ABC's "Happy Days" last week, making the most-watched show on network television.

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1976

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GENERAL TENDENCIES: A good day to use whatever spare time you have to consider gifts for those on your Christmas list. Also a good day for any work which requires precision.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Get together with partners and come to a better agreement for the future. Try to reconcile with any who have opposed you in the past. Avoid a troublemaker who could create problems for you.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Meet with associates and plan how to make the future brighter for all of you. Be on the lookout for new clothing, accessories that will improve your appearance. Use care in driving, walking.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You are in a position to get together with close friends and have a delightful time which has been difficult to do in some time. Get some talent working better, also. Be wiser to the ways of others.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) You can understand better how to get around bigwigs and gain their favor. Some career affairs can be handled most efficiently now. Show that you are a capable person.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Do those things that will please those who are your associates and make the future more ideal for all. Tackle important reports. Avoid the temptation to spend too much money.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Listen to what those you trust have to say that can help you financially and otherwise in business. Make your property more valuable through repair, etc. The evening can be fun socially.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You are charming and dynamic today and can easily get others to see things your way. Act positively. Go out socially and make a fine impression on others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Quietly make those arrangements that help you get ahead faster in the future. A discussion with a clever adviser is also wise. Take no chances where your health is concerned.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) A good day to be your outgoing self and see as many persons as you can, make new plans for the future. Know what you want to accomplish in a personal way, too. Take positive steps.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Show appreciation for the good work of higher-ups and gain their favor. Some civic work you do can be helpful to your community and make your life better.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) A good day to take a trip that will bring you the right kind of benefits that you want and need. Meet interesting new personalities, too. Use your intuition in order to get the right kind of results.

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BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF
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NORTH
♠ 432
♥ Q9
♦ 10864
♣ AKQ9

EAST
♠ KQJ
♥ KJ10
♦ Q972
♣ 1054

WEST
♠ 96
♥ 87643
♦ KJ53
♣ 83

SOUTH
♠ A10875
♥ A53
♦ A
♣ J762

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass
3 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
4 ♠ Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead: Six of ♠

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West got off to the best attack when he chose to lead a trump. Declarer made a key move when he allowed East's jack to hold the first trick. East continued with the queen, won by declarer's ace. Declarer now tried a heart to the queen. This would have guaranteed the contract had West held the king of hearts, or had East been dealt only two trumps.

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Nathan C. Brooks Jr., director of the Division of Church Programs for the Baptist State Convention, who is retiring December 31, says that Christian spirit in the churches is presently on a positive level.

The meeting is part of the review process for the company's application for a federal permit to undertake dredge-and-fill work on South Creek near the Pamlico River. This would enable the company to begin mining phosphate rock for foreign and domestic fertilizer needs and transport it by barge to Morehead City Harbor.

The Corps has prepared a draft environmental statement about the proposal and does not anticipate a decision about whether to issue the permit for several months. The state dredge-and-fill permit and water quality certificate have both been issued.

Meeting On Barge Plans

WASHINGTON N.C. — North Carolina Phosphate Corporation's proposal to provide barge transportation facilities for mining operations in Beaufort County will be the subject of a public meeting Wednesday. The Wilmington District of the US Army Corps of Engineers will sponsor the 7:30 p.m. meeting at the Washington High School in Washington.

Church Giving Program Friday

The Wells Chapel Church of God in Christ will present "The Coming Celebrated" Friday at 7:30 p.m.

The musical program will be directed by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Deveaux. Members of other churches will participate in the program.

The public is invited to attend.

Retiring SBC Director Sees Gains In Outlook

"The spirit that I sense in North Carolina is very positive. I think we have seen real gains in attitudes and outlook. . . I think we have Baptists who still have distinct differences and viewpoints, but I think our spirit is more harmonious," Brooks said.

Brooks says that people are taking a more aggressive part in the life of the churches but that the challenges of the church members continues.

North Carolina's problems in this regard are not unique within the SBC, Brooks says.

"I don't think we are in any worse shape than other states in the Southern Baptist Convention. But I also see some real commitments on the part of a lot of people in the state and I think it's growing deeper," he said.

Brooks plans to stay busy after retirement by teaching Bible courses, writing materials, and making public speeches.

A native of Bridgeton, Brooks is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brooks of Greenville.

TV Log

WNCN-TV Ch. 5

WEDNESDAY
7:00 Truth
7:30 Match Game
8:00 Jeopardy
9:00 Movie
11:00 News
11:30 Movie

THURSDAY
6:00 Car Today
8:00 Morn. News
9:00 Kangaroo
10:00 Magazine
11:00 Gambit
11:30 Love of Life
11:55 Paul Harvey

WITN-TV Ch. 7

WEDNESDAY
7:00 Adam 12
7:30 News Noon
8:00 John Davidson
9:00 Dean Martin
10:00 Book David
11:00 News
11:30 Tonight Show

THURSDAY
5:00 Bonanza
6:00 Almacan
7:00 Today
7:30 News
8:35 News
9:00 Today
10:00 Douglas
10:30 Sanford
11:00 News
11:30 Tonight

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

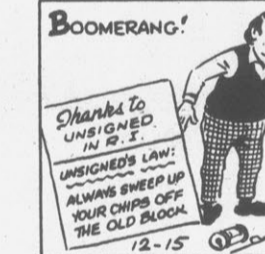
WEDNESDAY
6:50 Emergency
7:30 Tell Truth
8:00 Bionic Woman
9:00 Sarita
10:00 Angels
11:00 News
11:30 Rookies
12:00 News

THURSDAY
6:50 Tidings
7:00 America
8:00 America
9:00 Monty
10:00 Dinah
11:00 Edge Night
12:00 Den Ho
12:30 Children

WUNK-TV Ch. 25

WEDNESDAY
6:30 Guppies
7:00 Rookies
7:30 A Classic
8:00 Wonder Anew
9:00 Performances
10:30 Christmas
11:00 Tennyson
11:30 Sign Off

THURSDAY
3:00 Rabop
3:30 A Classic
4:00 Sesame Street
5:00 Mister Rogers
6:00 Elect. Co.
6:30 A Classic
7:00 Zoom
8:00 Vision On
9:00 The Deal
10:30 N.C. News
11:00 Firing Line
11:30 Sign Off
12:00 Jaenne Wolf
12:30 Sign Off



Outdoor Pageant Planned Sunday

WINTERVILLE — The Sixth Annual Outdoor Christmas Pageant will be presented at the Winterville Missionary Baptist Church Sunday, December 19 at 5:30 p.m.

The pageant features a cast of characters depicting the nativity in tableau. It is interpreted by the combined youth and adult choirs. Live farm animals will be used to add to the authenticity of the scenes.

The public is invited.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1. Fraud
2. Slough
3. Newt
4. Persian fairy
5. Hank of twine
6. Deplete
7. Epochal
8. Housewife's chore
9. Reactionaries
10. Japanese family badge
11. BPOE member
12. Copyreads
13. Egg white

DOWN

14. Kind of dance
15. Haven
16. Harry
17. Religious maxims
18. Extinct bird
19. Bizarre
20. Hereditary
21. Wild rice
22. Dismal
23. West Indian sorcery
24. One of the Gershwins
25. Easy gait
26. Green or black
27. Small barracuda
28. Leading man

SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

1. Aviv
2. Female sheep
3. Sandarac tree
4. Background
5. Animal's breast
6. Blade
7. Aphorism
8. Green copper arsenate
9. Plessantries
10. Two-year old sheep
11. Beckon
12. Tree
13. Stylishness
14. Establish
15. Completely
16. Name of several Pops
17. Elephant's ear
18. So-called
19. Mythical lance
20. Ironer
21. Synthetic language
22. Receive
23. In a line
24. Recording
25. Potato buds
26. Joke
27. Beame
28. Irrascibility

Ford To Holiday At Home In Vail

VAIL, Colo. (AP) — President Ford and his family will spend a 10-day Christmas holiday here despite little snow and poor skiing.

As the Fords have done since he became president, they will rent the home of friend Richard Bass, which is easier for the Secret Service to protect than Ford's own condominium.

The Fords are scheduled to arrive on Sunday.

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New Transportation Secretary A 'White Knight'

By MARY MARZANO
Associated Press Writer
SEATTLE (AP) — A Ralph Nader report described him as a frustrated white knight.
But if Brockman Adams was ever frustrated, that stopped when President-elect Carter appointed him transportation secretary, say Adams' fellow Democrats back home.
"The 'white knight' (from Nader's 1972 investigation of Congress) still applies, but not frustrated. Not as of today," observed state Democratic chairman Neale Chaney on Tuesday.
For Rep. Adams, 49, the appointment comes just months after losing the chance to run for the Senate. The Democratic plan was to have Adams suc-

ceed Sen. Henry Jackson when Jackson got in the finals for the presidency, which never happened. Adams isn't used to losing.
He won when he ran for class office at Seattle's old Broadway High School. He won the 7th District seat as a liberal, wresting it from a conservative Republican. And every two years in Congress has made his reelection easier.
This year, 75 per cent of the voters decided to return him for a seventh term after he spent most of his campaign stumping for Carter.
Earlier this year, Adams was certain Jackson would be on the national ticket and started raising money for his own senatorial campaign. Now it's Jack-

son who's in the Senate and Adams who's in the administration.
"He has earned this advancement, and we of the state of Washington are proud of this excellent choice by President-elect Carter," said Jackson in a brief press release after the appointment was announced.
Adams' steady political climb and the Nader observation that he "has demonstrated he is not

afraid to fight for his beliefs," must have earned him enemies, but they're difficult to locate.
Besides, observes Adams' first administrative assistant, Henry Seidel, "he worked very well and was well liked by fellow committee members. And I don't think there's any group more diverse than congressional committees."
As a representative, Adams fought to end abuses in the

House seniority system. He did such a good job in one year as chairman of the House Budget Committee that fellow Democrats wanted to suspend rules he helped write so they could keep him in the job. Adams refused.
"Despite his views, which are often the minority, he is well-respected for what reporter William Prochnau calls 'eminent decency and scrupulous

honesty,' what lobbyist Jim Snyder labels the 'courage to lay it on the line,' and what Brock Adams himself calls 'sincerity,'" said the Nader report.
Father of four, Adams works tirelessly and long hours, but "Brock is home every evening," said Seidel.
"He is a rare combination," says Adams' former law partner Woolvin Patten. Patten said Adams was a brilliant scholar during his University of Washington days, a "respectable" tennis player, and a confirmed extrovert.

"He loves people," said Patten. "In his earlier days he would stop and talk to strangers on the street. It made him a little unpredictable, but I think he's cured of that by now."
The new secretary is good-humored, say those who have worked for him. "He always likes shaggy dog stories, but he's not a compulsive joke teller," said Patten.
Does the cabinet post mean that Adams, youthful-looking and energetic, has reached the top?

"I don't know how much higher you can go," said Seidel, "other than the Senate, vice presidency or presidency. And I would assume that anyone in public life would be dreaming of that."
"Nobody works as hard as he does without being ambitious, and there's nothing wrong with that," said Patten. "It (the cabinet job) does open up for him a position of national prominence. This gives him more national exposure. And who knows what may happen in the future?"

Investigate 2 Break-Ins

The Pitt County Sheriff's Department is investigating two break-ins at rural residences that resulted in the theft of nearly \$2,000 in property and money.
Sheriff Ralph Tyson said that a break-in at the home of Lloyd Hardee, Rt. 2, Box 604, Ayden, resulted in the theft of \$1,066 in personal property and cash. The stolen items included two shotguns, a revolver, clock, tape recorder, two \$50 savings bonds, and over \$300 in money.
Entrance to the residence was apparently gained by kicking open the front door, the sheriff said. Damage was also discovered to the back door, he pointed out. Total damage to the doors was set at \$150.
The incident, reported at 3:38 p.m. Tuesday, took place sometime between 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., he added.
Deputies are also investigating a break-in at the residence of Mrs. Lester Garris, Rt. 3, Box 444, Ayden.
Reported missing in the Garris break-in were two gas heaters valued at \$300 each, a vacuum cleaner valued at \$200, and two aluminum ladders worth \$30.
The incident, reported on Tuesday, took place sometime between Dec. 8 and Dec. 14, according to the sheriff.

Hospital Bd....

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surgery, active; J. L. Wooten, orthopedic surgery, active; and Judith Yongue, family practice, consulting.
Those staff members recommended for two-year approval were A.L. Furguson, internal medicine and nephrology, active; S. R. Bartlett III, D. D. S., active; William Bost Jr., ear, nose and throat, active; J. M. Collier, D. D. S., from active to consulting; Sellers L. Crisp, orthopedic surgery, active; Richard Evans, D. D. S., from active to consulting; H. W. Hadley, family practice, active; John M. Gambill, family practice, consulting; Malene Irons, pediatrics, consulting; Paul W. Kendrick, internal medicine and nephrology, active; Ray Minges, general surgery, consulting; Phillip Nelson, psychiatry, active; C. T. Pace, ophthalmology, active; Simmons Patterson, general surgery, consulting; O. R. Pearce, D. D. S., from active to consulting; C. M. Ramsdell, internal medicine and rheumatology, active; Robert Ratcliffe, psychiatry, from courtesy to consulting; George Salle, urology, active; B. G. Shappley, pediatrics, active; Allen Taylor, radiology, active; Robert L. Timmons, neurosurgery, active; Earl Trevathan, pediatrics, active; D. H. Tucker, internal medicine and cardiology, active; Bert Warren, D. D. S., from courtesy to consulting; William Waugh, internal medicine, consulting; J.

School Board To Meet Monday

The regular December meeting of the Greenville City School Board of Education will be held Monday, Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. in the board room of the Central Office, 431 W. Fifth Street.
Foremost among agenda items is consideration of the city council's proposal on an elected school board. Other agenda items will include personnel budget matters, and the status of school construction and renovations.

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BYE-BYE, DAISY.
SHE'S SO SPOILED!

Beetle Bailey
HA! I GOTCHA NOW, SARGE! LET'S SEE YOU BREAK THIS HOLD!
GOING OUTSIDE, SIR, BE BACK IN A MINUTE.

The Phantom
THIS IS AS FAR AS WE CAN DRIVE, DEVIL.
HE STOPPED AT THE CANYON.
THEY MAY KNOW WHO HE IS.
WHEN WILL YOU TELL US WHY YOU'RE HOLDING US?
WHEN WE'RE READY, WHO'S THE MAN WHO CHASED US?
MY FRIEND, BOY FRIEND? GOOD. WE CAN USE HIM!

Juliet Jones
THANKS FOR THE USE OF THE STUDIO, RON.
FORGET IT. I'LL RUSH THOSE TAKES THROUGH...
...AND GIVE YOU A BUZZ. I GUESS YOU'RE KIND OF ANXIOUS TO SEE 'EM.
ANXIOUS, DID YOU SAY?
NOT REALLY — IT'S ONLY THE REST OF MY LIFE WE'RE TALKING ABOUT!

Poses Steep Up In Weaponry If SALT Fails

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
AP Military Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect Carter indicates he would move to increase U.S. nuclear weapons if negotiations with the Soviet Union on strategic arms limitation failed to make progress.

This is essentially the view taken by the Ford administration.

"If we can make no progress with the Soviet Union toward reducing over-all dependence on nuclear weapons ... then of course, we'd have to escalate perhaps our investment in strategic arms delivery systems," Carter told a news conference Tuesday.

Carter did not specify what would constitute progress, nor did he place a time limit on determining whether there has been progress.

Negotiations toward a new U.S.-Soviet arms limitation agreement have been virtually deadlocked for months and are now in recess until after the Carter administration takes over in January.

Meanwhile, there was an unexplained delay in Carter's selection of a new defense secretary. It had been expected that Carter would announce his choice this week, with Harold Brown, a former top Pentagon official in the Kennedy and Johnson administrations, rated a leading contender.

But Carter said Tuesday he has not yet made his decision and would not do so this week.

There were unconfirmed reports that Brown is opposed by Senator Henry Jackson, D-Wash., and Chairman John Stennis, D-Miss., of the Senate Armed Services Committee on grounds that Brown had not taken a hard enough line on terms for a SALT agreement. Brown has been a part of the U.S. SALT negotiating team in the Nixon and Ford administrations.

Carter said he had never discussed Brown's possible nomination with Jackson. It could not be determined whether Stennis had been in contact with Carter on the question of a choice for Pentagon chief.

Jackson is known to be a supporter of former Defense Secretary James Schlesinger, who was fired by President Ford last year in a dispute over the size of the defense budget. AFL-CIO chief George Meany, who gave strong support to Carter in the campaign, also backs Schlesinger.

At his news conference, Carter told reporters he is not ready yet to say whether some missile or bomber systems could be eliminated or reduced because they are redundant.

"I haven't studied it yet enough to be qualified," he said.

Carter is faced with an early decision on whether to endorse the Ford administration order starting production of the B1 bomber. During the election campaign, Carter softened his position from a statement that producing the B1 would be a waste to a view that the new bomber should not be manufactured at this time but should be kept under development.

Some sources in the national security field believe Carter might choose a middle ground and approve a smaller number of B1s than the 244 bombers the Ford administration has planned.

The Ford administration's reported tentative decision to propose full-scale development of the advanced "MX" long-range missile in its final budget also could pose a dilemma for Carter.

Some sources suggest Carter might be reluctant to slow down or eliminate major nuclear strategic weapons programs while the nuclear arms limitations talks are in progress. A

Paralysis Not Linked To Shots

ATLANTA (AP) — Federal health officials say an investigation of reports that some persons suffered temporary paralysis after receiving swine flu shots found no connection between the paralysis and the vaccinations.

The national Center for Disease Control said Tuesday its vaccination program monitoring system revealed 54 cases of the paralyzing Guillain-Barre syndrome in 10 states in recent months, but 21 of those persons had not had swine flu shots.

A CDC spokesman said 30 of the individuals stricken had been vaccinated within 30 days before coming down with the syndrome. Vaccination status was unknown in three cases.

The spokesman added that there does not appear to be an increase in the number of cases of the syndrome in this country.

However the true prevalence of the syndrome is not certain because there has never been a national study of the disease, he said.

He described it as "a usually nonfatal condition characterized by symmetric weakness of the limbs, loss of sensation, diminished reflexes and sometimes more severe paralysis."

Also known as acute idiopathic polyneuritis, it begins with

weakness in the legs, then in the hands and arms, and spreads to the neck and face, the CDC said. It usually lasts several weeks and most patients recover fully.

The CDC said the illness came to light because the monitoring system reports anything unusual relating to the swine flu vaccination program.

The reports came in two groups, showing 44 cases noted in Colorado, New Jersey, Alabama and Minnesota, and 10 cases in Ohio, Maryland, Oklahoma, Michigan, Virginia and Connecticut. The figures were not broken down further.

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Firewood Price Up

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — State officials have issued a warning to fireplace owners who don't want their money going up in smoke.

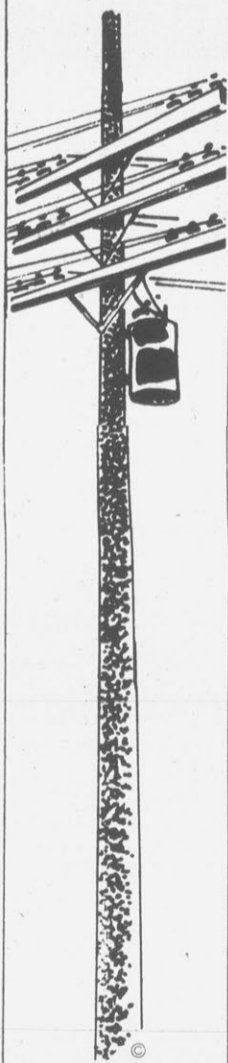
A cord of firewood now costs about \$86, up from \$49.50 in 1972.

"Under North Carolina law, when the amount of firewood is reckoned by the cord, it must be by the standard cord," said Marion Kinlaw, director of the consumer standards division of the state Department of Agriculture. "The standard cord equals 128 cubic feet in volume — a stack eight feet by four feet by four feet."

Kinlaw noted that manufactured logs available in many stores aren't a bad bargain. Eight and one-third cases of these logs are equivalent to a standard cord and cost about \$50.

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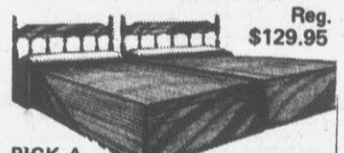
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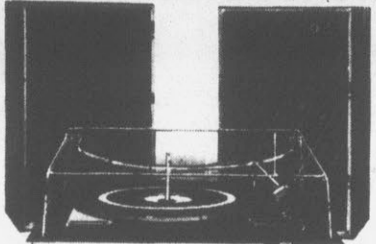
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By STAN BENJAMIN
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal agency suppressed safety questions about nuclear power plants and blackballed engineers who raised them, according to an engineer for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The charge, stated in an interview and implied in public testimony Monday, was in effect denied by NRC officials. They said there were "communications problems" and personality conflicts within the agency responsible for public safety in the licensing of nuclear power.

Engineer Demetrias Basdekas and four other present and past NRC engineers testified to the contrary in a hearing conducted by Sen. John Glenn, D-Ohio. They said unnamed NRC supervisors disregarded or suppressed their efforts to raise unresolved safety issues — not immediate public hazards, but design problems which, in some cases, have already caused worrisome reactor malfunctions.

"We don't want to make the near-misses of the past the accidents of the future," said Basdekas.

The engineers' boss, Ben Rusche, NRC director of nuclear reactor regulation, said management and personnel problems were being corrected and that safety questions were given full consideration, contrary to the charges of the dissident engineers.

Rusche said the electrical, instrumentation and control systems branch, where four of the engineers worked, was reorganized last week to relieve "personality clashes" between engineers and supervisors.

In the process, Basdekas and another dissenter, Evangelo Marinos, were transferred out of their jobs as power plant design reviewers.

Asked why, Rusche later said in an interview that they had requested transfers about a year ago. He declined to provide details but indicated they were dissatisfied at failing to receive promotions.

Rusche testified that the transfers were not retaliatory.

Basdekas, however, scoffed angrily at Rusche's explanation and said that when he tried for a transfer earlier it was blocked.

He told The Associated Press he then learned that while his supervisors were telling him he was doing a good job, they were secretly writing evaluations downgrading his performance because, in his view, he raised unwanted safety questions about the Clinch River Breeder Reactor, a project to demonstrate a "next-generation" type of nuclear power plant.

Basdekas charged that his sudden transfer now, out of power plant review, "was designed to intimidate others and to put me down. They hoped I would get cold feet and be afraid to talk."

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Take Advantage Of Foreign Currency Fluctuation

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer
You don't have to be an international investor to take advantage of fluctuations in the value of foreign currencies in relation to the dollar.

Anyone planning a trip to another country will find it pays to be aware of the changing value of money. Americans buying imported goods also are affected by the ups and downs of different currencies.

Some countries — such as Australia — have formally devalued their money in recent months to try to make their goods more competitive on world markets. Other countries

— such as England — have watched their money lose value because of internal economic troubles.

The impact on U.S. consumers can vary, however. The time lag between the decline of a currency and the sale of a product can cut savings. An increase in the costs an importer pays to bring a product to the United States may offset a decrease in the basic price of the item.

Other factors also affect prices of import. Take French wines, for example. The value of the franc has declined almost 10 per cent since this time last year. That should make

wines cheaper. But the 1976 wines which importers are now buying are supposed to be especially high in quality. That makes prices higher.

The biggest savings, therefore, come when you actually go to a country where the value of the currency has dropped.

Foreign travel by Americans dropped in 1974 and 1975 due to inflation and recession. But a study by Laventhol & Horwath, an accounting firm, indicates that international tourism is back to normal.

On a worldwide basis, the average price of a hotel room this year was just under \$31. Rooms in Europe and the United States were slightly higher than the average; rooms in South America, Africa and Asia were lower.

Inflation is a problem in foreign countries just as it is in the United States. But in some cases, the inflation is offset by the fact that the dollar will buy more than it did a year ago.

A double room at one deluxe hotel in London, for example, cost 30 pounds last November. The pound was then worth about \$2 so the price in American currency was \$60.

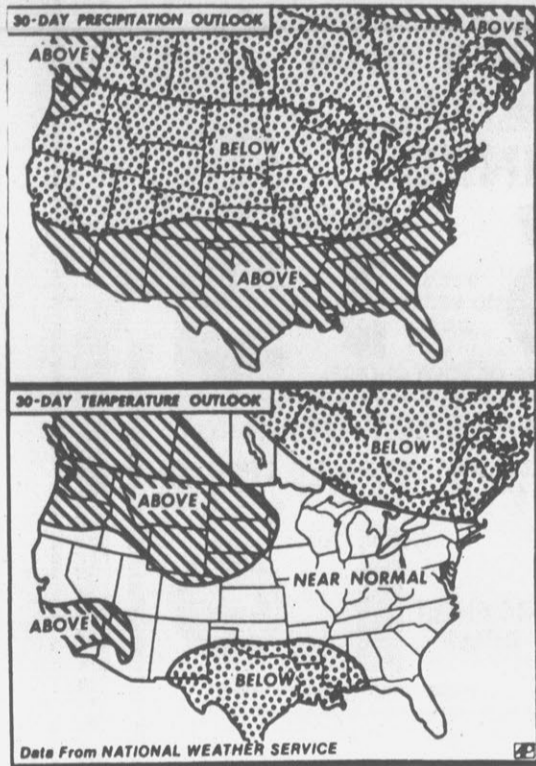
The same room in the same hotel this year is 33 pounds — an increase of 10 per cent in pounds. But the value of the pound has declined sharply and now is under \$1.70. In American currency, the room costs about \$56 — a decrease of almost 7 per cent.

The U.S. dollar now is worth

about five francs; last year at this time it was equal to about 4.6 francs. The Mexican peso has been devalued twice since Aug. 31 and now stands at 25 to the dollar instead of 12.5 to the dollar. Even the Canadian dollar has declined slightly in relation to U.S. currency, dropping about five cents.

You can't assume that all aspects of foreign travel will be cheaper just because the currency goes down, however.

Package tours which include hotel accommodations, meals, sightseeing, etc., are not affected by short-term changes. They are made up well in advance of departure dates and tour operators contract to pay, at a given rate, for the accommodations they sell you. That rate does not change.



Toast Depicted On First Card

NEW YORK (AP) — The first printed Christmas card, produced in 1843, lacked snow, Santa, reindeer, Christmas tree and ornaments. It showed a Victorian family at a feast lifting wine glasses in a Yuletide toast.

The card drew protests from nondrinkers but sparked the tradition of sending cards instead of letters at Christmas. John Culcott Horsley, a Royal Academy artist, created the card at the request of his friend, Henry Cole, whose bulging Christmas list called for a new approach.



BATSHEEP — Not a new crime fighting colleague for Batman of the American TV series, just one of the Suffolk sheep exhibited by J. Bulmer . Sons, waiting to be shown at the Royal Smithfield Show at London's Earls Court. (AP Wirephoto)

ACTIVITIES INCREASE
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (UPI) — According to the Missouri Conservation Commission, there were 120,000 firearms deer hunters in 1965 and nearly double that 10 years later. Bird-watching, canoe-floating and camping all increased by more than 200 per cent.

THIRTY DAY WEATHER OUTLOOK — This is the way the nation's weather shapes up for the next 30 days in terms of precipitation and temperatures, according to the National Weather Service. (AP Wirephoto Map)

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Honor Society Inducts Members

The East Carolina University chapter of Gamma Beta Phi honor society has inducted 124 new members.

The new members are residents of 39 North Carolina counties and seven other states.

Membership in Gamma Beta Phi is limited to students in the top twenty percent of their classes. The society's purposes are to encourage academic effort and reward merit.

The society also engages in worthwhile campus and community service projects and presents an annual scholarship.

Elizabeth Smith of the ECU Department of Library Services is faculty advisor for the campus chapter.

New members were formally received in a campus ceremony Dec. 8.

Names and home addresses of the 134 new Gamma Beta Phi members follow:

PITT COUNTY, Greenville - Phillip Woodard Tetterton, 700 Willow St.; Carol Louise Tate, 420 Lee St.; Mary Charles Stevens, 1401 Greenville Blvd.; William Edwin Ross, 2407 Jefferson Drive; Gail Lynn Porter;

Cynthia Ann Pettus, 203 Pinerridge Drive; James Phillip Nichols, 3228 South Evans St.;

Jack Jenkins, 605 East Fifth St.; Rhonda Gayle Hooks, 1902 East Sixth St.; Melanie Ann Hite, 1720 Circle Drive; William G. Garner, 1702 Knollwood Drive;

Edward Franklin Evans Jr., Route 7; Leslie C. Dickens, 2911 Ellsworth Franklin Evans Jr., Route 7 Leslie C. Dickens, 2911 Ellsworth Drive; Gary Wynne Brown, Route 4; Robert G. Brinkley; and Hugh J. Benson, 131 North Library St.;

Farmville - Sylvia Faye Bryan, 605 Grimmersburg St.; and Kathy Suggs, 104 Melissa Drive;

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MONITOR CALLS

RALEIGH (AP) — Southern Bell Telephone Company has agreed to tell its North Carolina customers that about 100 businesses in the state regularly monitor public calls to their employees.



HEARTS AND FLOWERS — Dennis W. Gill, 88, has promised his bride Mary Lou, 82, a new home after years of apartment dwelling. The couple was married over the weekend in his Nashville apartment. (AP Wirephoto)

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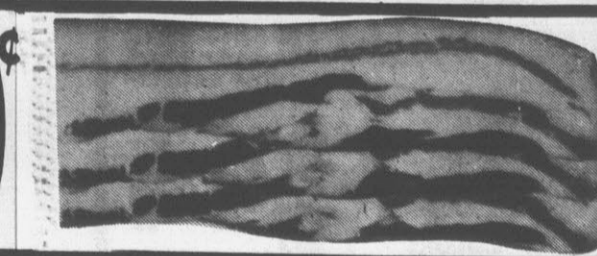
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AMOR SI! POLITICS NO! — Young couple ignores scrawled political slogans on walls of building in commercial center of Madrid as they exchange kisses. Signs urge a no vote in the referendum being held today in which the Spanish government asks for support of its reform programs. (AP Wirephoto)

Carter Easy To Impressionist

By MAXINE YEE
LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UPI) — Jimmy Carter, with his peanut farm and southern background, is one of the newest additions to the repertoire of impressionist-comedian Rich Little.

"It's going to be a big voice that's instantly recognizable," Little said, giving a Carter imitation followed by a wide, toothy grin.

"During his first few press conferences, I thought he spoke in a low monotone. But later during the debates, I discovered he paused a lot, emphasized his words and had an accent."

Little said he didn't start his Jimmy Carter imitation and jokes until he realized the President-elect was a definite contender for the country's highest office.

Little is a study in concentration when he goes into his copycat routines. Besides the voice, he takes on the mannerisms.

No gesture is left out, from the 23 different movements of Johnny Carson to the wrinkled brow, sagging jowls and two-finger victory salute of former President Richard Nixon.

"Politicians are easy to do because they're always saying dumb things," Little said.

"People laugh at politicians because they're supposed to be so wise."

"It's fun trying to mimic politicians. I guess Nixon was the all-time favorite with my audiences, and he was the penultimate caricature. That husky voice, darting eyes and hunched up look gave me a lot to work with."

"Of course, you've got to take a humorous approach to that sort of thing and it's surprising how much humor I was able to get out of Watergate."

Little said the toughest person to copy was President Gerald Ford. He said it took awhile before he realized the Ford secret.

"The key to doing Ford is to speak through firmly clenched jaws. He was the least imitated President of all time."

He said the President is so nondescript that most comedians tell Ford jokes just by tripping.

"Ford is the toughest one in my repertoire. There is nothing really distinctive about his voice. He's so bland. Carter is going to be an entirely new source of material."

As a Canadian, Little is non-partisan and says he tries to give both sides equal time.

Business Honor Society Inducts

The East Carolina University chapter of Beta Gamma Sigma honor society in business has inducted 39 new members.

They include four faculty members from the ECU School of Business and 35 juniors, seniors and graduate students from 18 North Carolina counties and four other states.

Beta Gamma Sigma is a national society, dedicated to principles and ideals essential to good citizenship as well as to a commendable business career.

To be eligible for membership, students must rank in the upper five per cent of the junior class, the upper ten percent of the senior class or the upper twenty percent of those receiving master's degrees.

New faculty members of the ECU chapter are Professors Robert Augspurger, Ouida Debter, J. Fred Hamblen and Phillip George Wapner.

President of the ECU chapter is Dr. Umesh C. Gulati of the ECU Department of Economics. Names and hometowns of area

Collection Spans 7,000 Years

LONDON (UPI) — The British Museum's collection spanning 7,000 years is being brought together for an exhibition to run through February, 1977.

Drawn from eight departments of the museum, the items date from around 5,000 B.C., found in western Asia, through the ancient civilizations and up to the 19th century.

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'Ham' Radio Not Same As CB

(Editor's Note: Ham radio operators were around years before the citizens band "good buddies" came on the scene. Peter Costa of the UPI Boston bureau, better known on the airwaves as WA1VVF, explains the difference — from a personal point of view — in the following story.)

By PETER COSTA
BOSTON (UPI) — Don't confuse a "ham" with a "good buddy." They are as different as a limousine and a pickup truck, bouillabaisse and red-eye gravy.

It's the difference between global communication and a cross-town chat. If that implies a certain snobbishness, amateur radio operators ("hams"), with their superior equipment, do tend to look down their noses at the growing horde of citizens band radio operators.

And though vastly outnumbered, the members of the older established ham radio organizations are beginning to take offense at what they consider an infringement on their territory.

The hams, declining in numbers, fear that the "good buddies" on the CB channels will be allowed more and more frequencies at their expense.

The American Radio Relay League, an organization of 135,000 U.S. ham radio operators, explains the difference

between the two: "Amateur radio is a worldwide technical avocation while the citizens band is a short distance communication service which laymen may use."
"The amateur (ham) is permitted, upon demonstration of skills and technical knowledge through successive examinations, to operate an amateur radio station over a broad range of frequencies allocated through international agreement."

A ham can talk to any other amateur anywhere in the world

about anything he wishes, except the transaction of business.

The citizens band was created shortly after World War II to provide a low-cost, convenient, local mode of communication for businesses. It may be used by anyone over 18.

A ham must use his FCC-assigned call letters (usually a one-or-two-letter prefix indicating the ham's country or region and a three-letter individual suffix, for example WA1XYZ). A CB operator usually just uses his "handle," a self-assigned

nickname, and does not usually identify by FCC-assigned call letters.

Another key difference is that a ham may use up to 1,000 watts on his transmitter while a CB is limited to only 5 watts input. And CBers are forbidden from communicating with anyone more than 150 miles away.

CBers are also restricted to voice communication modes, AM (amplitude modulation) or SSB (single sideband). A ham may use voice, international Morse Code, radioteletype, television, ground and satellite repeater stations, moonbounce signals and other experimental forms.

Before getting a license, a ham must pass a comprehensive test on radio theory and radio engineering principles. He must be able to send and receive Morse code (telegraphy).

A CBer need only be 18 years

of age and is not required to pass any examination.

Today there are about eight million licensed CB users as compared with only 275,000 licensed amateur radio operators.

In addition, there are thousands, perhaps millions, of unlicensed and illegal CBers dodging the \$4 permit fee.

Many amateur radio clubs are now trying to attract and convert CBers into their ranks as a matter of self-preservation. The frequencies for communications are allotted by an international group, largely on the basis of usage.

Another technical difference between the two groups is CBers are restricted to only one band — 27 MHz. Ham radio operators have a wide assortment of bands from which to choose. He can select a band that is "in" and communicate nearly anywhere he wants.

Today the Federal Communications Commission is studying the deregulation of amateur radio, loosening some of the technical licensing requirements, to encourage CBers and others to become hams.



LONG AND SHORT OF IT — Trisha the giraffe nuzzles her new daughter born earlier this month at the Cincinnati Zoo. The newest member of the zoo's giraffe family weighs nearly 100 pounds and stands 5 feet, 6 inches. The first giraffe born in America was born at the Cincinnati Zoo in 1889. (AP Wirephoto)

Royal Invite To Visit England

NEW YORK (AP) — His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester, cousin of Queen Elizabeth II, on a recent visit here expressed appreciation for the hospitality shown by Americans to visitors to this country in its bicentennial year. He invited Americans in return to go to Britain next year to join in that country's celebration of the Queen's Silver Jubilee, the 25th anniversary of her accession to the throne in 1952.

The main celebrations, involving much pageantry, will take place in London in June. But there will be special commemorative events throughout the year all over Britain.

The 32-year-old duke is a professional architect, a graduate of Cambridge University who practices with a firm of London architects. But he also carries out a substantial number of public duties and is president of the East Midlands Tourist Board.

Film Director Sues For Libel

ROME (AP) — Film director Federico Fellini has sued an Italian magazine for libel because it printed an article saying that he had turned into a Casanova during his filming of the life of the famed 18th Century Venetian lover.

The report that Fellini had "lost his head" over a young actress and was about to leave his wife, actress Giulietta Masina, was the cover story of Novella 2000, a Milan women's weekly.

In a statement released through his lawyers, Fellini said the report was "seriously libelous and harming for his personal and family life and deprived of any ground, the fruit of mere imagination."

'Goobers' Came On Slave Ships

BATON ROUGE, La. (UPI) — Peanuts were brought to North America aboard slave ships and were an important food supply for the passengers, according to the Louisiana State University Cooperative Extension Service.

First grown in Virginia and North Carolina, they were known as goobers. The name peanut did not come into general use until about 1807.

It was not until the Civil War that peanuts gained commercial value because of the scarcity of other foods available to Confederate soldiers.

Crude jars of peanuts found in ancient Peruvian graves have traced peanuts to the Incas. There is also evidence that peanuts were grown in Brazil at the same time.

The peanut is actually a legume, a first cousin to peas and beans.

Many Deer Fall To Bow, Arrow

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (UPI) — During the first month of the 1976 archery deer season in Missouri, hunters took 1,235 deer.

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STILL SEWING STRONG — Ole Nelson is 89 years old and he runs a shoe repair shop at Blanchardville in southern Wisconsin. Nelson concentrates on a boot he's sewing in his shop. He operated a farm near here for 50 years before learning the shoe trade at age 75. (AP Wirephoto)

Waste Flushing Can Do Damage

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures

In the fall one woman gets the pre-holiday jitters — her septic tank always goes berserk before she must do a lot of entertaining. She had assumed the installation of it was "a lemon" but now she is not so sure. Her big family may be careless.

She may be on the right track. One Connecticut town sanitarian, Robert J. Jontos, has explained that seven gallons of water to flush a bug down the drain is ridiculous — but a lot of people do it. They are not only wasting water, he says: the conservation of water could add to the longevity of an on-site sewage disposal system where homes are served by private water supplies.

Precautions are necessary to insure the continued operation of a subsurface sewage disposal system, he tells homeowners in Wilton, Conn., the town he serves.

"Better than 98 per cent of domestic sewage is water," he points out. The discharge of toxic materials such as paint thinners, excessive amounts of compounds — bacteriocidal and germicidal — and brine discharges from water softeners can adversely affect bacterial action in the tank, the percolation characteristics of the distribution fields or the quality of the ground water which is eventually recycled into wells, he says.

Most people know little about how their septic system works, he goes on. Different soils do provide different levels of filtration. Fine silty clay and hardpan soils provide the best filtration because liquids move through them slowly. Sandy soils allow water to move through them more rapidly and unless the depth is adequate, proper filtration may not be achieved.

There are many things that homemakers might do to insure the continued operation of a subsurface sewage disposal system and Jontos makes these observations:

—Paper towels and other bulky waste should not be flushed into the system. It can plug house sewer and distribution lines as well as the pump, if you have one.

—Toxic materials — paint thinner, gasoline or any other substance that will have a harmful effect on bacterial action in the tank — should not be deposited in the system.

—Make sure a water treatment unit's backflow discharge is not connected to your sewer pipe. It may shorten the life of your system.

—The septic system may be extended by conserving water whenever possible. Homes may consume about 400 gallons of water a day, a figure that could be cut considerably by using water carefully. Don't let it run

unnecessarily while you brush your teeth, shave, shower or clean bathroom fixtures. Automatic dishwashers consume about 25 gallons of water per cycle so they should be fully loaded before they are turned on.

—The natural bacteriological action of the tank will provide all the digestion that is needed so it is not necessary to use commercial additives in the system to improve its function.

Water may be conserved by placing a plastic bottle filled with water in the toilet tank. Make sure it fits properly. Bricks are not recommended, Jontos says, because they may crack the tank.

Indications of septic system dysfunction include soggy areas on ground surface accompanied by an odor like hydrogen sulfide or rotten eggs. In any event it may be time to call the septic tank cleaning company at the first whiff. (A septic system with a 1,000 to 1,250 gallon tank should be cleaned every two or three years, in Jontos' opinion.)

A septic system that is maintained properly should last for 30 years without difficulty, he points out, but all systems are finite in nature and will have to be replaced in time. That inevitability should be considered in the purchase of any dwelling.

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"You never make these decisions until you see what the opportunities and options are," said the Ohio Republican. He was defeated Nov. 2 by Cleveland Democrat Howard Metzenbaum.

Taft said he will return to the law firm of Taft, Stettinius and Hollister, a firm founded by his late father, U.S. Sen. Robert A. Taft.

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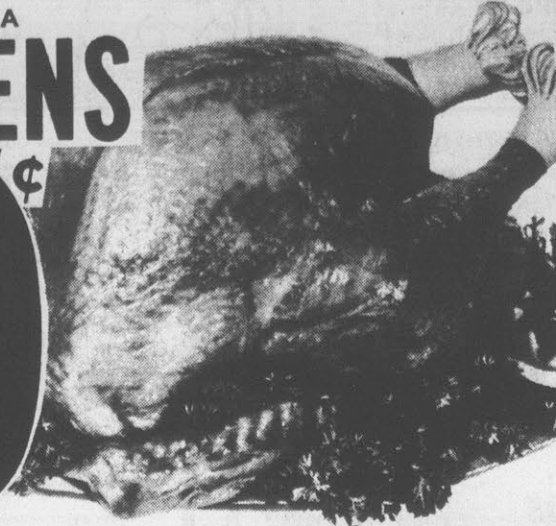
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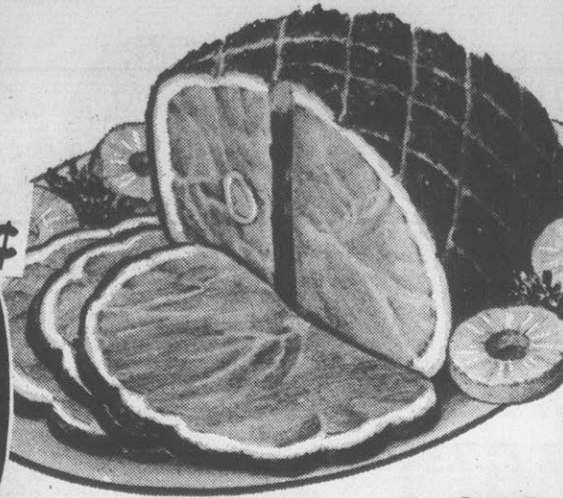
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District Court

Judge Herbert O. Phillips disposed of the following cases during the Nov. 29-December 3 term of District Criminal Court in Pitt County.

James Earl Brown, 703 Imperial St., public drunk, 20 days jail, suspended on payment of cost; carry concealed weapon and ABC violation, not guilty; possession of amphetamines, dismissed.
 Lonnie Linwood Baker, Grimesland, reckless driving, 90 days jail, suspended on payment of \$50 and cost.
 William Davis Barbre, Jr., 1 Scott St., driving under influence, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Richard Douglas Bennett, 106 Ash St., speeding, pay cost.
 David Blackwell, 321 Rountree Dr., assault on female, dismissed.
 Terry Wayne Cockman, Rockingham, driving under influence, dismissed.
 Patricia Clark, 701 A Vanderbilt St., misdemeanor, receiving stolen goods, 12-24 months jail, suspended on payment of \$250 and cost, probation 3 years.
 Michael Wayne Clark, Rt. 4, Greenville, speeding, pay cost.
 Elaska Clemons, Stokes, fail to see safe move, dismissed.
 Kenneth Earl Dail, Winterville, driving while license revoked, speeding, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$200 and cost.
 Donald Junior Edmondson, 1309 Vandye St., driving under influence, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Harriet Stephanie Gilmars, Winterville, speeding, pay cost.
 Marvin Hines, 710 A Vanderbilt, misdemeanor receiving stolen goods, 12-24 months jail, suspended on payment of \$250 and cost, probation 3 years.
 Donald Travis Harper, Kinston, driving under influence, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 L.D. Lamm, Chocowinity, worthless check, 90 days jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Leon A. Morris, Rt. 4, Greenville, speeding, pay cost.
 William Edward Press, 800 Heath St., speeding, pay cost.
 Martha Griffin Parks, 110 S. Harding St., speeding, pay cost.
 Richard Harry Quick, Jr., 8 Hillcrest Tr. Pk., stop sign violation, license restriction, 4th offense, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Thurman Lee Smallwood, Stokes, no operator's license, insurance violation and registration violation, pay \$50 and cost.
 Harold White, 104 A Lakeview Ter., fail to give name and address in accident, pay \$25 and cost.
 Rose Gutierrez, 1911 E. 8th St., ABC violation, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of \$25 and cost.
 David Bruce Simpkins, Jr., Goldsboro, ABC violation, dismissed.
 Leslie Tyndall, Kinston, speeding, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of cost.
 Joseph Barrett, Farmville, public drunk, 10 days jail.
 James E. Williams, 408 Pitt St., public drunk, 10 days jail.
 Michael Wesley Adkins, Rt. 4, Greenville, speeding, pay cost.
 Harold Anderson, Bell Arthur, larceny, dismissed.
 James Archie Biggs, Rt. 9, Greenville, speeding, pay cost.
 Charles Braxton, 307 Vandye St., worthless check, pay cost and check.
 Carlos Anthony Branch, Rt. 3, Greenville, speeding, pay cost.
 James Rogers Bailey, 915 Melody St., speeding, pay cost.
 George Edward Cox, Rt. 1, Greenville, inspection violation, pay cost.
 Robert Elks, Rt. 3, Greenville, damage to real property, pay cost.
 Lou Ann Jeffords, Smithfield, speeding, pay cost.
 Donna Faye Manning, Grimesland, speeding and stop sign violation, pay cost.
 Christopher Howe Olive, Smithfield, speeding, pay \$50 and cost.
 James Everett Pittman, Rocky Mount, exceeding safe speed, pay cost.
 Gloria Jean Perry, Edenton, simple possession marijuana, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$250 and cost; carry concealed weapon, public drunk, dismissed.
 Elmer Gray Pollard, Grimesland, no operator's license, pay \$25 and cost.
 Lynn Bullard Powell, 123 Oakdale Dr., speeding, pay cost.
 Teresa Yvonne Rose, Belhaven, simple possession marijuana, 12 months probation, pay \$150 and cost.
 Bennie Robert Rountree, Belhaven, speeding, dismissed.
 George Reed, Jr., 410 Lathan St., violation ABC laws and public disturbance, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of cost.
 Clarence Earl Roberts, 412 Darden Dr., violation ABC laws and public disturbance, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of cost.
 Grover Conrad Smith, Ayden, speeding and careless and reckless, 90 days jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Melba Simpkins, Rt. 4, Greenville, 5 worthless checks, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost and check in each, \$100 fine, probation to continue.
 Katherine Thompson, Winterville, 2 worthless checks, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost and check in each, probation 12 months.
 Jerry Wayne Taylor, Elm City, exceeding safe speed, pay cost.
 Larry Wright, 605 Hudson St., worthless check, dismissed.
 William Smith, Vanceboro, worthless check, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost and check.

Daniel C. Highsmith, Bethel, no operator's license and driving under influence, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Melba Simpkins, Rt. 4, fail to return hired property, dismissed.
 Brenda Faye Nottoman, Highland Tr. Pk., registration violation, pay cost, cost remitted.
 Frank Ray Kilpatrick, 1808 Forest Hills Dr., registration violation, pay cost.
 David Williams, 1008 A Myrtle Ave., assault on female, pay cost.
 Johnnie Leigh Bradshaw, Rt. 3, Greenville, illegal hunting of deer, 90 days jail, suspended on payment of \$150 and cost.
 Truland Hugh Beavor, 1302 Willow St., speeding, pay cost.
 Roy R. Beacham, Rt. 3, Greenville, hunting violation, not guilty.
 Wade Hampton Cooper, Jr., 208 Pitt St., possession of fireworks, pay cost.
 Melvin Edward Crisp, Washington, speeding, pay \$25 and cost.
 Bud Junior Cale, Walstonburg, speeding, pay cost.
 Othar Earl Gooden, 608 Golden Pl., following too close, pay cost.
 Melvin Edward Crisp, Washington, speeding, pay \$25 and cost.
 Jimmy Heath, Dickinson, 3 cases public drunk, 5 days jail.
 Ruby Yvonne King, Grimesland, speeding, pay \$15 and cost.
 Ghary Glen Langley, Grimesland, speeding, pay cost.
 Elizabeth Dees McCulley, Atlantic Beach, fail to see safe move, dismissed.
 Phillip Cameron Narron, 1600 Spruce St., improper equipment, dismissed.
 Jacob Lee Pope, Jr., Rocky Mount, exceeding safe speed, pay cost.
 Marcella Diane Randolph, New Bern, speeding, not guilty.
 Leslie McDaniel Spaulding, 110 Greenfield Blvd., speeding, dismissed.
 David Donnelle Sawyer, Rt. 4, Greenville, driving under influence, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$200 and cost.
 Walter Johnson Williams, 310 Dudley St., speeding, pay cost.
 Arthur Woods, Jr., 108 Josie Lane, injury to personal property, not guilty.
 David Andrew Wadford, 308-C Belk Dorm, possession of firecrackers, pay cost.
 Patricia Ward, Rt. 5, Greenville, worthless check, pay cost and check.
 Cornelius Ellis Williams, Hobgood, no operator's license, not guilty.
 Arthur Wilborn Patterson, 217 Belvedere Dr., assault on female, dismissed.
 Robert Harrington, 1007 Imperial Dr., public drunk, 5 days jail.
 Joe Walter May, Farmville, 2 cases of public drunk, 10 days jail, suspended on payment of cost.
 Jimmy Lee Brown, Rt. 4, Greenville, hunting violation, pay cost.
 John Bynum, Fountain, worthless check, pay cost and check.
 George Freeman, New York, driving with excess of 10% blood alcohol, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 David Allen Holloman, Farmville, exceeding safe speed, pay cost.
 Clarence Johnson, Farmville, ABC violation, 5 days jail.
 Bobby Ray Powell, Rt. 4, Greenville, driving under influence and insurance violation, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$100 and cost.
 Roy Travis Page, Stantonburg, speeding, pay cost.
 Reginald W. Ricks, Wilson, driving with excess of 10% blood alcohol, pay \$200 and cost.
 Louis Artist Smith, 603 Roosevelt St., driving under influence, 3rd offense, 12 months jail, suspended on payment of \$300 and cost.
 Clarence Johnson, Farmville, fail to comply with restriction code, pay cost, cost remitted.
 Richard Elmo Vester, Rocky Mount, speeding, pay \$25 and cost.
 Johnnie Clarence Williams, Farmville, driving under influence, no operator's license, speeding, and transporting tax paid whiskey with broken seal, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of cost and \$100.
 Ervin Donell Williams, Farmville, driving under influence, 2nd offense and possession of controlled substance, 6 months jail, suspended on payment of \$400 and cost.
 Howard Roscoe Williams, 104 Downing Rd., reckless driving, 90 days jail, suspended on payment of \$20 and cost.
 Louis Artist Smith, 603 Roosevelt St., driving under influence, dismissed.
 Larry Griggs, Bethel, assault, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost.
 Jarvelia Motley, Charlotte, worthless check, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost and check.
 Ben Junior Ward, Williamston, worthless check, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of cost and check.
 Sam Dancy, Farmville, trespass, dismissed.
 Rufus Stancil, 1007 W. 3rd St., driving under influence, 4 days jail.
 Stella Lofton McLawhorn, Ayden, speeding, 30 days jail, judgment continued on payment of cost.

Hypothermia Is Dangerous

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Winter hikers face a deadly threat from the same bodily mechanism that permits bears and other hibernating animals to survive the cold.

Moulton Avery, director of the Carolina Wilderness Institute in Greensboro, says hypothermia — artificial lowering of body temperature — can cause stupor, collapse and then death in unsuspecting outdoorsmen.

Scientists believe that hibernating animals experience a form of hypothermia which drops their temperatures and slows their metabolism, permitting them to survive on small amounts of stored energy.

The same phenomenon is used by doctors during heart surgery.

But it is fatal outdoors unless uncontrolled conditions, Avery warns.

Hikers should beware of sweat or rain on the body and wind, which can rob body heat, Avery says.

Make camp, get into dry clothes or hug somebody to fight hypothermia, he advises.

His Choice: Play Santa

RALEIGH (AP) — H.O. Ross, a Raleigh mail carrier, would like to wear his red Santa Claus suit complete with long white beard while delivering mail on his route.

"I think the post office might frown on that though," Ross said as he walked briskly from house to house delivering Christmas cards and packages.

But the 48-year-old carrier doesn't let a little thing like the U.S. government stand in his way — not at Christmas.

For years, he has dressed up as Santa and visited the children on his route at night after checking first with their parents.

He plays Santa every year at the Wake County Home and anywhere else his services are requested.

"I've had the Christmas spirit since October," Ross said. "I like the feeling, the spirit, the atmosphere of Christmas."

He doesn't mind the extra Christmas mail that he delivers to the people on his route.

"They really look forward to getting Christmas cards even if it's just from the person next door," he said.

Ross, a grandfather, created a mild sensation on his route recently by wearing a regulation sweater over his uniform one freezing day. He's so accustomed to cold weather that he rarely wears a coat.

First To Make Christmas Legal

NEW YORK (AP) — Alabama in 1836 was the first state to grant legal recognition to Christmas. By 1890 all states and territories acknowledged Christmas, including the District of Columbia in 1870.

Christmas is the only annual religious holiday to receive this official commendation.

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All Sizes **59¢** Lb.

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CALIFORNIA **Red Grapes** 3 Lbs. / **\$1.00**

WISHBONE FRENCH OR THOUSAND ISLAND **DRESSING** 16 Oz. Bottle **69¢**

FRESH FLORIDA **ORANGES**

 **49¢** 5 Lb. Bag

RED **Potatoes** 10 Lb. Bag **99¢**

WHITE **Grapefruit**

 **10** Each

FLORIDA **TANGERINES**

 **59¢** Per Dozen

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Christmas Sale

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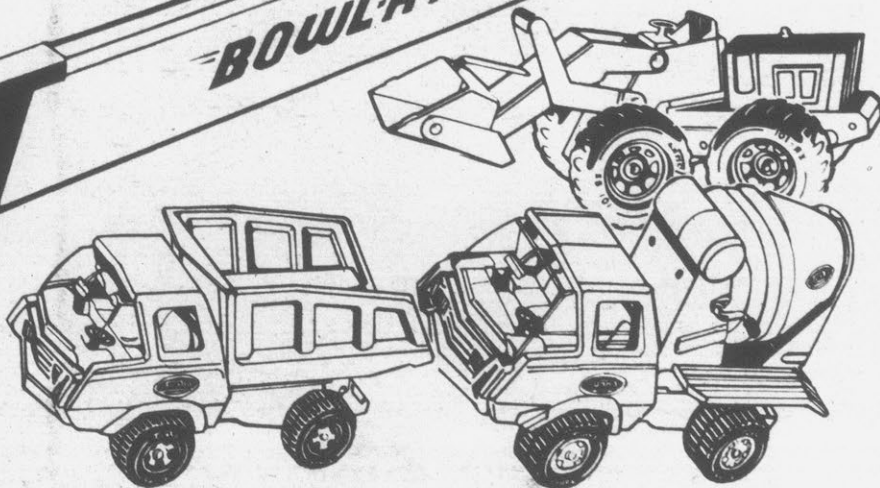
Coleco Bowl-A-Matic 300. With automatic pin setter & ball return, bowling ball, molded pins and solid wood construction.



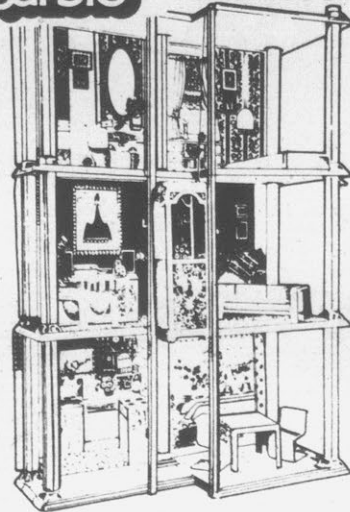
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Tonka Toys. Choose Mini Loader, Mini Dump Truck or Mini Mixer. All feature working parts, realistic design & sturdy construction.



Barbie TOWNHOUSE



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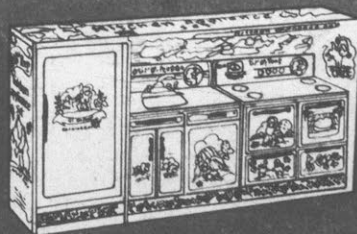
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Mattel Barbie Townhouse
Working elevator stops at 3 floors. Modern rooms with sturdy furniture. Over 3 1/2' high. Assembly required.

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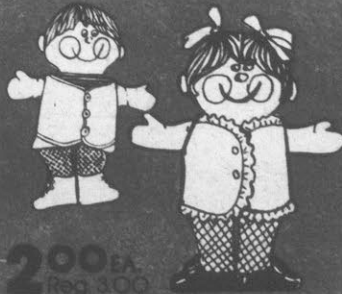
Onto Art Lil' Sport Basketball
Soft foam basketball, adjustable pole, weighted base, basket rim w/ net & backboard. Ages 3 and up.



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Reg. 11.00

Walvonia 3-Pc. Pop Pop Kitchen. 1 1/2" stove, 10" refrigerator & 11 1/2" sink with drain faucet. All steel construction.



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Playkool Dapper Dan or Dassy Lassy Doll. Helps children learn how to dress themselves. 10" tall.



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Reg. 7.50

Milton Bradley Sunken Treasure. Game of skill & color. Ages 8 to 14. Batteries not included.



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Reg. 10.50

Max Magic Shot. Plastic shooting gallery. Spinners pop up & balls ring. Safety enclosed.

Meet your match and save

**Men's vest and
jean sets...on sale**

17⁰⁰

The total look is yours with fashion jeans and matching vest. Ass't. styles and fabrics including brushed and denim. Vest sizes S,M,L,XL. Jean sizes 29-38.

**If bought separately
The vest 6.00
The jeans 11.00**

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Men's sport shirts. Whether for dress or casual, look smart in this long sleeve sport shirt. Available in dark checks and plaids. Sizes S-XL. Reg. 10.00

**Sale. Men's 3 pc.
sport coat set**

37⁰⁰

The co-ordinated look is now and so are you with this 3 piece set. The 3 pocket sports coat and slacks are complemented with a matching vest for that finished look. All in easy care 100% polyester. Jacket and vest sizes 36-46. Slacks sizes 30-42.

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The coat 20.00
The vest 8.00
The slacks 9.00**



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Men's dress shirts. Comfortable long sleeve dress shirts in an assortment of fashionable fall solid colors and patterns. Sizes 14½-17.



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Pkg. of 3

Fruit-of-the-loom underwear. Pkg. of 3 in 100% cotton. Your choice of briefs, athletic shirts or T-shirts in white only.



325

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Men's scuff slippers. The soft touch...soothing comfort in brush corduroy scuffs. Sizes 7-12.



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Reg. 14.00

Men's sweater sets Solid ribbed acrylic sweater vest with print acetate nylon long sleeve shirt. S-XL.

Bedtime savings with a holiday flair

\$3 & \$4

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Lucky you! Our entire stock of ladies' sleepwear is reduced

Now you can choose from our entire collection of ladies' long and short gowns, baby dolls and pajamas. At these great prices you can afford one for all your moods! Select from a variety of fanciful fabrics including 100% nylon tricot acetate, nylon brushed and more in an array of solids and prints. Sizes S,M,L.



Slippers Scuffs
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Reg. 2.99
Ladies' slippers or scuffs
Pamper your feet with snugly scuffs or soft chalet slippers. So comfortable you barely know they're on. Sizes 5-10.



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Reg. 3.50-4.00
Sleep or play coveralls. Various styles of brushed nylon or stretch terry with a delightful assortment of embroideries and appliques.



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Reg. 3.25-4.50
Girls' sleepwear. Entire stock reduced! Choose from a wide selection of pajamas and gowns. 2-4.



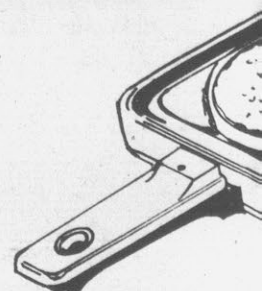
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Reg. 5.00
Ladies' polyurathane handbags
Attractively styled short shoulder & clutch bags with numerous features. Tan with multi-stripes.

Christmas Sale

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GE Frank-N-Burger
Reversible grid with flip-lock handle and non-stick surface. Flip grid and grease tray are immersible. No. HM-1

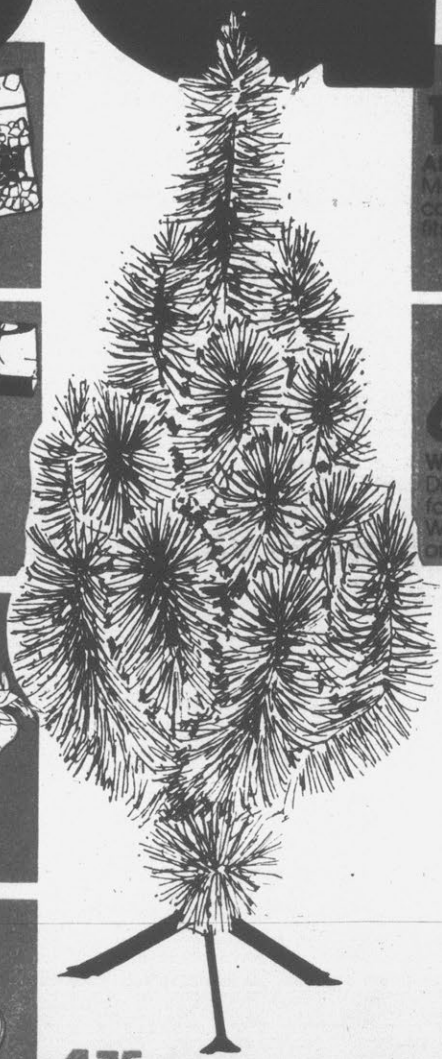


50¢
Pkg. of 25 Gift Bows
Instant stick-on bows in 4 colors. Limit 2

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Pkg. of 4
GE Indoor Replacement Bulbs
Choose from multi-colored Cool Brite Bulbs or Standard Bulbs. No. 's C7CB, C and CC.

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Poinsettia Plant
5 plastic poinsettia plants in 5" foil wrapped pot.

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Safe T Tree Stand
All steel construction. 17" diam., holds 1 gal. water. For trees up to 8' tall.



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3 Ft. Table Top Christmas Tree. One piece, 22 tips. Fire retardant. Perfect for limited space.

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Athletic Tube Socks
Multi-stripe, over-the-calf socks. One size fits all.

7.75
Kent Basketball and Goal Set
Official size and weight basketball with steel goal and net. No. 5439-15

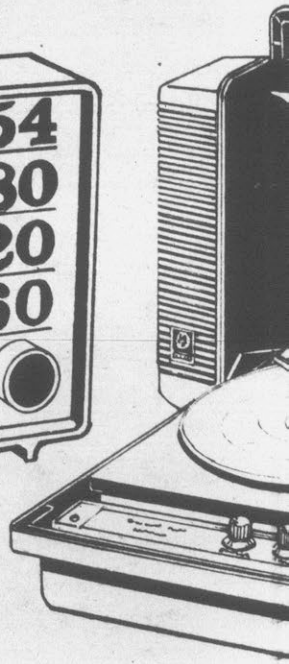
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Kent 17" Darts
3-color board, brass-tipped. Reverses for ball game.

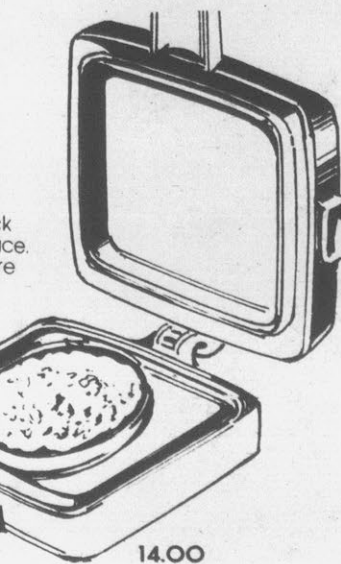
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Wooden Jewelry Box
Divided tray and drawer for rings and earrings. With fabric lining, mirror on lid and satin finish.

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Crossman Air Rifle
Power master rifle with 180 shot bolt action and solid steel barrel. No. 760

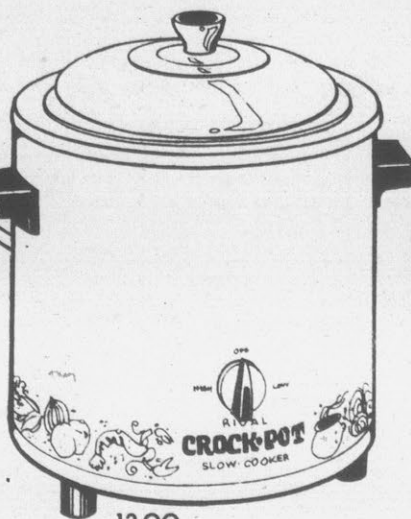
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Marksman
Shoots 20 BB's. Button safety.

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Concept 2000 Sing-A-Long Radio. AM portable with P.A. system. Choose from Raggedy Ann, Mickey Mouse or Snoopy. No. 489/451





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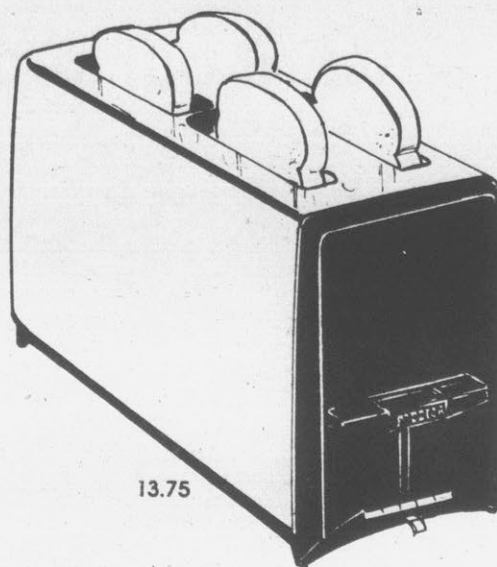
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Rival Crock Pot. 3 1/2-qt. capacity. With a stoneware liner for even heating. No. 3100

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Proctor 4-Slice Toaster
Features "Select-Ronic" color control and snap-open crumb tray. Chrome finish with black accent. No. T522B



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Dart Game
Set with 6
darts
and basket
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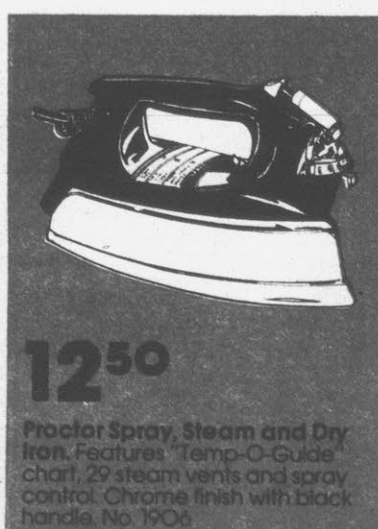


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Air Pistol
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Norelco Dial-A-Brew Coffee Maker. 10-cup automatic drip filter coffee maker with Dial-A-Brew for strong, med. or mild coffee. No. HP5140



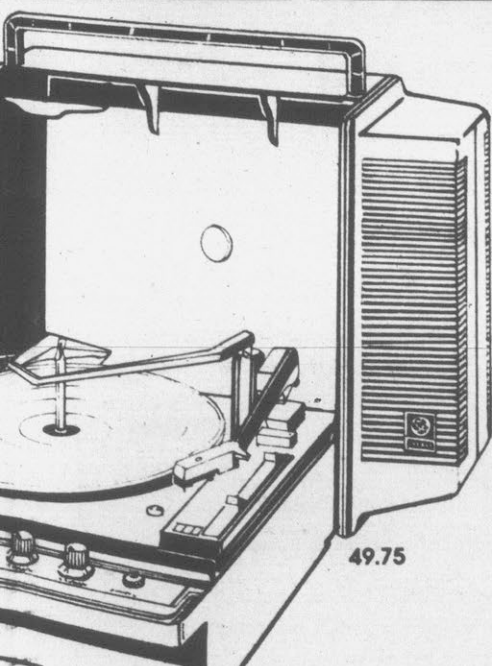
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Proctor Spray, Steam and Dry Iron. Features "Temp-O-Guide" chart, 29 steam vents and spray control. Chrome finish with black handle. No. 1906



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Sunbeam Mixmaster Mixer. 5-Speed switch. With "Touch a Button" for instant extra power. No. 3-72



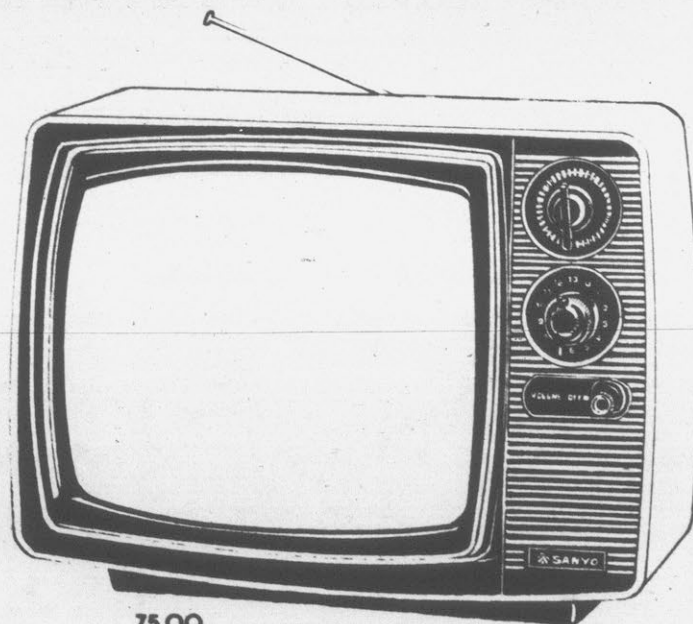
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Interstate Wildcat Automatic Stereo Phonograph. Drop down changer folds away for total portability. With separate volume controls for each speaker and tone control. No. 936

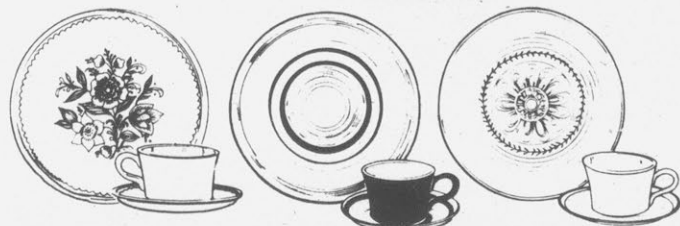
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Sanyo 12" Diagonal Black & White TV. 100% solid state chassis. VHF & UHF detent tuners. Tan finish cabinet. No. 21T63



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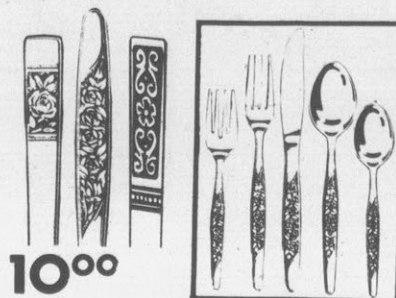
Save at our super Christmas housewares' sale!



45-Pc. Ironstone Dinnerware Set

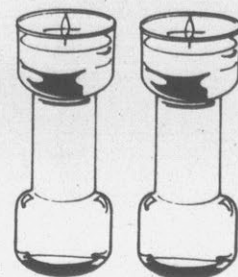
8 place setting plus covered sugar, creamer & vegetable bowl. Choose from Casablanca, Nutmeg, Fern or Santa Fe patterns.

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50-Pc. Flatware Set. Service for 8. Choice of 3 patterns.



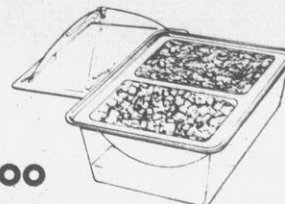
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Set of 2
The Un-Candle™ by Corning
Pyrex 7" floating candle set.



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18 lb. Capacity Oval Roaster. Blue porcelain with gravy well. For 15 lb. fowl or 18 lb. roast.



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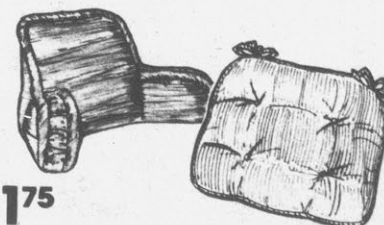
Compartment Food Savers. Smoked plastic outer bowl with white inner liner. Keeps food hot or cold for hours.



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Bed Pillows. Red label polyester. Soft, 21" x 27".

Medium Polyfoam..... 2 FOR 7.00
Firm White Duck Feather... 2 FOR 9.00



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Corduroy Chair Pad. In gold, melon, brown or green.

Captain Chair Pad..... 2.95
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Bubble Bath or Dusting Powder. Choose 28 oz. Santagria Strawberry Bubble Bath or 5 oz. Lander Dusting Powder.

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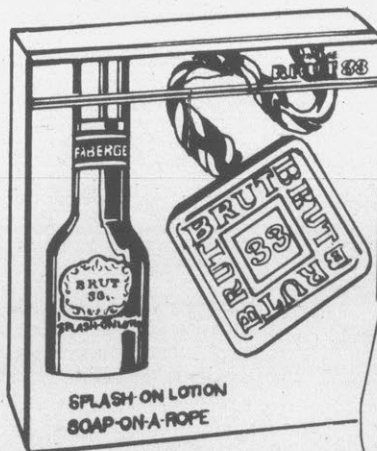
Mennen Skin Bracer
6 oz. bottle.

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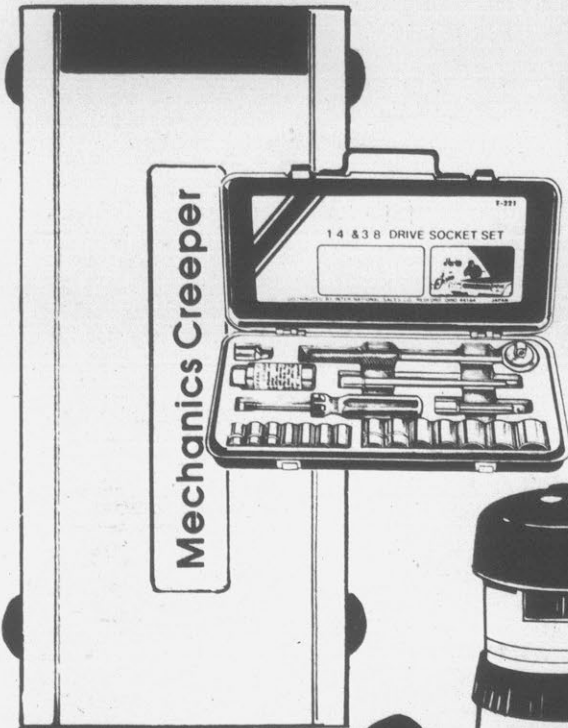
Old Spice After Shave Lotion. 4¾ oz. size.

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Faberge Brut 33 Gift Set
Contains 3½ oz. splash-on lotion & 5 oz. soap-on-a-rope.



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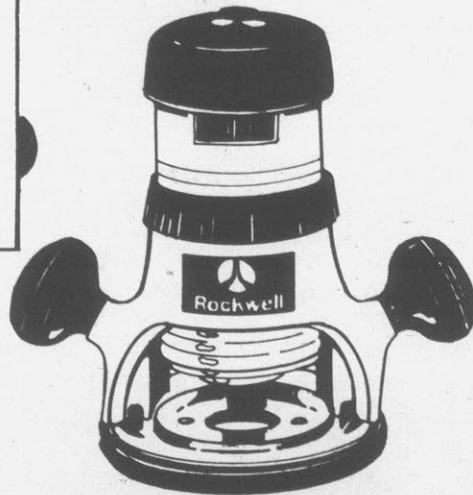


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Sparkomatic Mechanics Creeper
4 hardwood slats with cushioned headrest. No. SC100

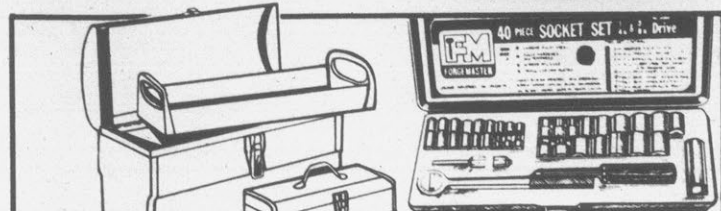
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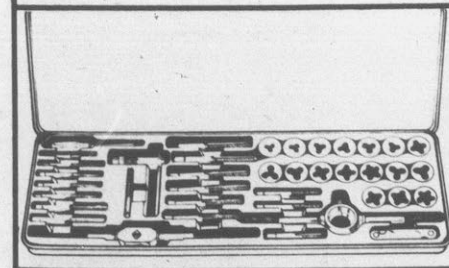


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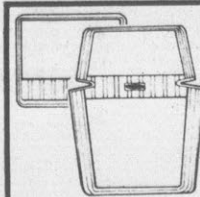
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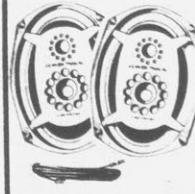
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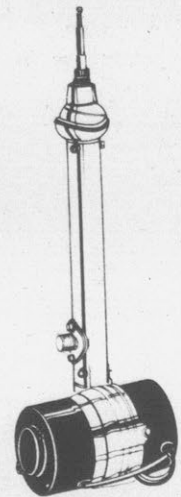
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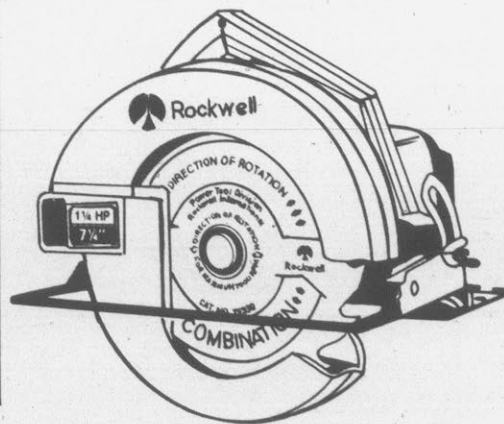
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