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At Least 46 Injured In Amtrak Derailment

By ROXINNE ERVASTI
Associated Press Writer
OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Six cars of a Chicago-bound San Francisco Zephyr Amtrak passenger train plunged off a steep embankment before dawn today, injuring at least 46 travelers, authorities said.

There were no deaths and authorities said most of the injuries were bumps, bruises and cuts.

Greg J. Gee, 27, of Farragut, Iowa, was the most seriously injured. He underwent surgery and was listed in serious condition at Bergan-Mercy Hospital, a spokesman said. The hospital listed two others in fair condition.

The derailment happened just 10 minutes before the 11-car, twin-engine train was due at the Omaha station at 3:05 a.m.

Sarpy County Sheriff Pat Thomas said two sleeping cars, a diner, a lounge car and two coaches tumbled down the embankment. Another car left the tracks but was not overturned and two engines and four other cars remained on the track bed.

The accident came less than 24 hours after an Amtrak passenger train heading for Houston from Chicago slammed into an oil truck near Ponca City, Okla., killing the truck driver and two trainmen. None of the 110 passengers was hurt seriously.

The cause of the derailment near Omaha today was not immediately known. An Amtrak spokesman said the train was traveling at 55 miles an hour when the wreck occurred.

About 180 passengers and crew members were aboard. The injured were taken by ambulance and patrol cars to two hospitals in Omaha and nearby Papillion. Other passengers and crewmen were taken to the Sarpy County Courthouse, where the sheriff's department fed them coffee and doughnuts and later shuttled them to Midlands Community Hospital for breakfast.

Those aboard said they used sledgehammers to shatter windows to escape when they could not open the doors. A registered nurse aboard the train helped check injuries until authorities arrived.

William White, 47, a sleeping

car porter from Oakland, Calif., said he was in a roomette when the derailment occurred.

"Mostly it was people hollering and yelling," he said. "I tried to calm them down." He said he crawled out through the top of the train, smashed some windows and tried to help passengers out.

David H. Berg, a Houston attorney on Carter's transition staff, said Wednesday, "We've agreed in substance on what our recommendations to Gov. Carter will be with respect to the pardon and treatment of military offenders."

Berg said he was going to work immediately to work on the pardon for draft law violators and an executive order, "subject to the approval of Gov. Carter and the new attorney general."

Berg met earlier this week with Charles Kirbo, the President-elect's adviser, and former federal appeals court judge Griffin B. Bell, now a Kirbo law partner and a longtime friend of Carter.

Berg's use of the terms "military offenders" and "executive order" signals that Carter's clemency program is not confined to draft law violators and

raises the possibility that as many as 250,000 ex-servicemen could benefit from Carter's action.

An executive order in cases of military offenders would represent a decision by the commander-in-chief to change the service records of the men involved. No pardon would be useful because in many instances the men have not been convicted of any crime.

The ex-servicemen include Vietnam veterans, many decorated for valor, who got in trouble with the military after service in combat and were discharged as undesirables. There also are thousands classified as deserters and who were captured or returned voluntarily, eventually being given undesirable or other less-than-honorable discharges.

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Clemency Plan Could Cover 250,000 Men

'Informed Sources' Reveal Appointments

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer
PLAINS, Ga. (AP) — President-elect Carter is naming Rep. Andrew Young to be U.S. ambassador to the United Nations and Charles L. Schultze to be chairman of Carter's Council of Economic Advisers, informed sources said today.

Sources in the Carter camp also said Joseph A. Califano is the top candidate to head the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. As chief domestic policy adviser to President Lyndon B. Johnson, Califano was the principal architect of the Great Society programs, many of which are administered by HEW.

Carter also is believed close to choosing Rep. Robert Bergland, D-Minn., to be secretary of agriculture.

Carter is expected to announce the appointments of Young and Schultze at a 2:30 p.m. EST news conference today.

Young, a Georgia Democrat, will be the first black named to a high-ranking post in the Carter administration. The U.N. ambassadorship is considered to be cabinet-level.

Young, 44, was a strong Carter supporter during the primary election campaign and was viewed as helpful in putting

together Carter's huge majority among black voters in the general election. He won reelection to his third House term last month and previously had indicated some reluctance to leave Congress for the U.N. post.

Schultze, 52, has described himself as an economic liberal. He served as budget director from 1965 to 1967 in the Johnson administration. Since 1968, he has been a fellow at the Brookings Institution, a think tank here.

The Council of Economic Advisers is a three-member panel that advises the president on a broad range of economic policy issues and forecasts economic trends. In the past, the person serving as CEA chairman has been one of the president's top two or three economic advisers.

Califano, 45, was a Pentagon lawyer when then-Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara appointed him to be a top aide. In that role, he was involved in decisions leading to deeper U.S. involvement in Vietnam.

Califano transferred to the White House staff in 1965 after Johnson noted his work on behalf of a supersonic airliner.

Meanwhile, Carter has enlisted Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., who favors the creation of a Department of Energy and

Natural Resources, to help clear the way for government reorganization in the energy area.

Meeting with reporters and several dozen tourists in a park on the main street of Plains, Jackson said he would ask Chairman Abraham Ribicoff, D-Conn., of the Senate Government Operations Committee about speeding energy reorganization.

Former Secretary of Defense James R. Schlesinger, who was fired from that post by President Ford last year, has been mentioned as a potential "energy czar" in the Carter administration. He previously served as chairman of the old Atomic Energy Commission.

5000 Still Subject To Prosecution

LUDWIGSBURG, West Germany (AP) — Five thousand West Germans are still subject to prosecution for Nazi atrocities, but because of poor health or a lack of witnesses fewer than 10 per cent will ever stand trial, the government's chief war crimes investigator says.

Adalbert Rueckerl's Central Office for the Investigation of National Socialist (Nazi) Crimes has three more years to identify war criminals who have escaped detection. On Dec. 31, 1979, a once-extended, 30-year statute of limitations for wartime killings runs out, and the government no longer will be able to initiate investigations.

However, it will continue to prosecute some suspects unmasked before the cutoff date and to help authorities in other countries prosecute Nazi war criminals.

Winter Peak Load Pricing Discussed

By WILLIAM N. WELCH
Associated Press Writer
RALEIGH (AP) — Peak load electricity pricing could be in use as an experiment by a limited number of North Carolina families this winter, according to testimony presented to the state Utilities Commission today.

Donald H. Denton Jr., a vice president of Duke Power Co., said metering equipment would be available by Feb. 1 to provide peak load, or time-of-day, pricing, to 350 residential and industrial customers.

All customers participating in

the experiment would be selected at random by computer and allowed to volunteer to participate, he said.

Plans for similar experiments, requested by the commission earlier this year, also were presented by the other two major electric utilities serving North Carolina — Carolina Power and Light Co. and Virginia Electric and Power Co.

The proposals before the commission would allow the companies to test peak load pricing among willing consumers

Comments On Nomination Report

ATLANTA (AP) — Rep. Andrew Young, D-Ga., said today a report that he has accepted a nomination to be ambassador to the United Nations "is the conclusion of some of my constituents."

A rabbi said earlier that Young had told a Jewish men's club in Atlanta he had accepted the nomination.

Rabbi Harry Epstein said Wednesday night, "This matter was uppermost in his mind because he had made the decision and he had told the President-elect about it."

Young said today, "I had a private conversation with some of my constituents. What was said was their conclusion and not my own."

Epstein was present when Young kept his appointment to speak to the Ahavath Achim Synagogue men.

The congressman refused to comment, but said he was going to Plains today. President-elect Carter had a news conference scheduled and was expected to announce two or three major administration appointments.

"His whole talk centered about the United Nations, what the UN represents, what it can mean and what role he could have," the rabbi said. "He didn't offer details."

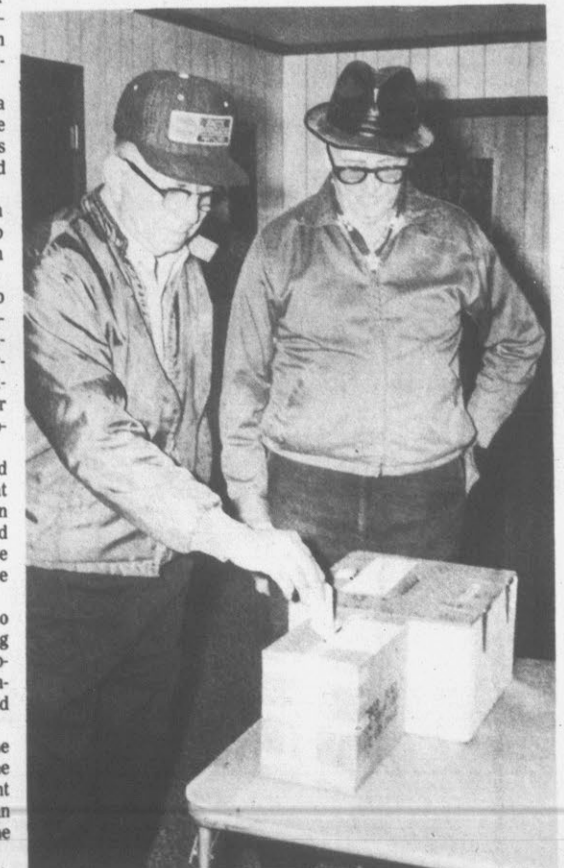
Young, 44, was a top aide to the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., and helped plan highly-publicized marches and demonstrations in Alabama, Florida and Illinois.

An ordained minister in the United Church of Christ, he was an executive vice president of King's Southern Christian Leadership Conference in the 1960s.

Young was an early supporter of Carter and delivered a nominating speech at the Democratic National Convention.

Young is known on Capitol Hill as a man who works inside the Congress and does it well.

A native of New Orleans, he holds a bachelor of science degree from Howard University and a bachelor of divinity degree from the Hartford Theological Seminary in Connecticut. He was pastor of several churches in Alabama and Georgia before joining Dr. King's group in 1961.



FARMERS VOTE — Rufus Hardee, left, and Roland Futrell cast their vote this morning for the tobacco marketing quota referendum held today. A vote of yes by two thirds of the voters will continue the present tobacco system. A vote of no will mean an unlimited production, no price support and similar referendum next year. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

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CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL WOES

I'm having trouble with a correspondence school called National Training Service Inc. I signed up with them some time back for an aircraft mechanic's course. A man came to a local motel to sign people up. He told me that if at any time I wanted to quit the course, I could and get a refund. I got the first lesson and saw it wasn't what it was cracked up to be, so my wife and I decided I'd better get my money back. I'd already paid \$30. I wrote the company a nice letter, explaining and waited for my refund. It didn't come. Instead I got a letter talking about a "settlement amount." Rather than have a bad debt on my credit record, I then sent them another \$35 even though I had received nothing for my money.

Now months later, I'm still being billed, but now it's for \$285, the full price of the course. I don't feel I owe it, yet it's a care. The bills are now from a Charlotte collection agency, which is also calling me quite often. D. E.

Hotline called the Charlotte collection agency, but was told that any discussion would have to be with the company itself. It was an account transferred from the National Collection Bureau in Bronx, N. Y., a spokesman said.

We then got the address of National Training Service from Sheppard Memorial Library, since you had thrown away all your correspondence with the company and did not have the address.

We wrote the company, explaining what you were told initially, that you'd only received one lesson which you did not return for checking, and that you had canceled promptly with a letter of explanation. We also said that you would ask the N. C. Consumer Protection Division of the Attorney General's Office for help, if you could not straighten out the matter at no further cost.

The date of our letter was Nov. 22. Dec. 13 we got a copy of a letter from National Collection Service, advising National Training Service that "the account has been withdrawn from collection efforts."

We advise all our readers to be extremely careful in signing contracts with correspondence schools. If there is any kind of program given at a local school, it is usually the better alternative. We felt fortunate to be able to help this reader because he was bound by a contract. However, he's still minus \$65 and he received nothing but a lot of headaches for his money.

Spanish Voters' Choice

By FENTON WHEELER
Associated Press Writer
MADRID, Spain (AP) — Spanish voters rejected appeals from both the left and the Francoist right and overwhelmingly approved a return

to parliamentary democracy after four decades of dictatorship.

With 98.4 per cent of the ballots cast in Wednesday's referendum counted, the government said 72.9 per cent of the

3 Appointments Made By Hunt

RALEIGH (AP) — Three cabinet officials, including the first black to be appointed to such a position in the state's history, were announced this morning by Gov.-elect Jim Hunt.

Hunt confirmed speculation that former Chapel Hill Mayor Howard Lee would be named secretary of natural and economic resources.

Also appointed this morning were Dr. Sarah Morrow of Greensboro as secretary of human resources and Joe Grimsley as secretary of administration.

"Howard Lee was an excellent mayor in Chapel Hill. He displayed the kind of aggressive, innovative leadership in solving community problems that I believe should be applied statewide in North Carolina," Hunt said. He added, "Howard Lee's vision, his administrative ability and his deep feeling for the average people of this state will make him a superb secretary."

Noting that he has known Grimsley since high school, Hunt said, "He has shown that he is an excellent manager. He knows how to work with

people; he knows how to make government respond; he knows how to manage a budget and plan for the future."

"Dr. Morrow," he said, "has done in Guilford County what I want the Department of Human Resources to do in North Carolina. She has brought better human services to people, particularly to our young children."

Dr. Morrow, 55, has been director of the Guilford County Health Department since 1969.

Phillip J. Kirk currently heads the Human Resources Department, one of the largest in the state with responsibility for all state health and social service programs, including Medicaid, welfare and mental health.

Lee is former mayor of Chapel Hill. He ran unsuccessfully for lieutenant governor this year, winning the most votes in the primary but losing the Democratic nomination in a runoff with House Speaker Jimmy Green.

He was the first black mayor of predominantly white Chapel Hill. George Little is present chief of the Natural and Economic Resources Department.

Children Have Positive Feelings Toward Elderly

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Young children have extremely positive feelings toward old people, a University of Michigan study reports.

"They view the elderly as warm, permissive and helpful," psychologist Christine Pickford says. "This favorable impression grows stronger during the early elementary years."

During adolescence the attitude shifts, she notes. Teenagers see old age as a time of lost identity and disorientation. Adults dread the loss of financial and physical independence. And the elderly themselves take a negative view of aging, even though they have a positive image of other old adults and of themselves.

"Children notice the way they are treated," Dr. Pickford explains. "They are not concerned with practical matters like financial security or failing health."

"They notice, for example, that the elderly have more free time and relinquish it willingly. Old people are seen as more permissive, while parent-aged adults are more authoritarian and bossy. Since children equate permissiveness with niceness," she explains, "they also link niceness with being old."

Dr. Pickford's doctoral study at U-M focused on 120 children aged 6 through 8, comparing their attitudes and beliefs about young adults (aged 25 to 35) and old adults (aged 65 and older).

Specifically, she examined whether the age of the adult in-

fluenced the child's reaction to him.

"There's been considerable controversy over whether or not young children are even aware of age differences," she explains. "For the first half of this century, it was believed that children were impervious to racial differences and other social issues until adolescence."

"But in the late 1930s and 1940s, several studies documented the early presence of racial and ethnic prejudices, even in 3-year-olds."

Comparable studies in the 1960s and 1970s have examined children's reactions to age differences. One research team concluded that children do not perceive age differences until age 10, while another argued that 5-year-olds can make these distinctions.

"My findings strongly support the latter view," Dr. Pickford says. "The children were shown photographs of young and elderly adults and asked to choose, for example, 'who is busier?' 'who more often makes you angry?' 'who shows you how to do things?' 'who is more likely to boss you around?'"

The children showed no confusion in choosing who, in the photos, was older. And they consistently attached different character traits to younger and older adults.

How did Dr. Pickford know which traits to ask about? In a pilot study, she asked third and fourth graders to write stories about old people, and based her questions on the age biases

they expressed.

The interviews and the essays reveal that young children agree on many things: they see old adults less often; they view them as less active, less healthy and, in general, sadder and lonelier than young adults.

But they are also seen as nicer and more permissive, Dr. Pickford found. Young adults are more likely to "boss children" and "make them angry." Yet the children also admit that young adults "show children how to do things." For the question, "whom do you like most?" young and old adults were chosen equally.

"That last point indicates that children feel more ambivalent in their evaluation of young adults," the psychologist says. "Their feelings toward old adults, however, are decisively favorable."

Dr. Pickford, who received her doctorate at U-M last year, believes her study strongly supports the trend toward employing the elderly as tutors and other helpers in the public school system. The children she interviewed expressed a strong fondness of old people and sadness that they were infrequently in contact with them.

"This is true for adults as well as children," she notes. "Many studies have shown that people have positive feelings about the elderly as individuals, but negative feelings about growing old."

"Thus, increased contact with the elderly might also help teen-agers and adults deal less fearfully with old age."

At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck



As I stated on several occasions, playground supervisors should receive combat pay.

There is no other job in this world where conditions are as hazardous, the enemy so well-trained and human life is treated with so little regard.

My friend Esther and I used to crouch in a trench near the vent fan of the cafeteria to keep warm and talk of home.

"They're awfully quiet out there," I sighed, looking out over a field of children.

"It's always quiet before the battle. Remember how quiet it was before the Frisbee attack last year?"

"How many adults did we lose in that battle?"

"Three, counting Mrs. Marsh who was tied to a slide and left through the C lunch hour."

"My feet are cold and wet. I wish I had a change of dry socks."

"You know what they'd do to us if we left our post, don't you? Give us an extra six months out here."

"Hey, the kids are regrouping."

Tell me it isn't what I think it is."

"I'm afraid so. They're lining up to play crack the whip. You wanta go on this one?"

"Do I have to?"

"Do it for the Gipper."

"You mean little Ronnie Gipper who was airborne for 10 minutes and landed in a cornfield three miles down the road?"

"That's the one."

"Wait a minute," I hesitated. "They're having chicken fights on the horizontal bars. This may be a trap to get us in the middle."

Esther held her breath. "You may be right. I'll tell you what we should do. You maneuver around past those boys who are shaking down the second graders for the milk money and on beyond the group who are destroying themselves on that patch of ice. Then double back by the kids sailing over the bars on the swings and act like you're going for the group that's putting eggs on the slide, only don't fiddle with them. Go for the crack-the-whip line. Got it?"

"I got it," I said burrowing my head in my coat collar, "but what are you going to be doing?"

Esther threw herself on the ground and clutched pathetically at my legs. "Give me a break," she sobbed. "I've only got two weeks left here before I begin library duty. Don't ask me to go out there!"

Engagement Announced

MISS ELIZABETH LOUISE DAVIS, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Russell Reid Davis of Amelia Court House, Va., who announce her engagement to Tony Lynn Smart, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Glenn Smart of Winterville. The wedding will take place in April.

Turkey And Ham, Good Combo At Christmas

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

When I was a child, Christmas meant a week of fun in the home of my grandparents in Virginia.

The climax was the Yuletide feast built around a great turkey flanked by a Smithfield ham such as only a Southerner can cook, and a bowl of creamy oyster stew.

The meal was preceded by a rich eggnog, of which the youngsters were only allowed a couple of spoonfuls, accompanied by celery, pickles and bits of savory sausage.

The meal was climaxed by a damp, rich fruit cake spiked with bourbon whisky and enough homemade cookies to satisfy a small army of hungry

grandchildren.

In later years when I came home from school and college to the Long Island home of my parents, we often replaced the traditional turkey with a prime rib roast of beef with oven browned potatoes and creamed onions. But I cannot remember a holiday without ham, often sent to us by relatives in Virginia. Usually it was served with candied sweet potatoes, a combination we also had at Easter.

Ham, both fresh and cured, has a history that goes back a lot farther than turkey. It was the centerpiece at pagan festivals long before Christmas existed.

Legend has it that Columbus brought eight pigs with him on

his second trip to the Americas.

When De Soto landed at Charlotte Harbor, Fla., in 1539, he brought with him 13 hogs. It didn't take the Indians long to acquire a fondness for roast pork and records show that the Spanish encampment was burned twice by Braves trying to get at the growing stock of pigs. Years later, when the French explored the Mississippi River, the Indians fed them pork descended from the original De Soto herd.

Ham is also a Christmas favorite in Europe, and here is a recipe I obtained years ago for baked ham with brandy sauce from the Charentais region of France. To make it easier for housewives with small apartment kitchens I substitute canned ham.

1 canned ham, about 5 pounds

1/4 cup apple juice

1/4 cup cognac

1/4 cup corn syrup

1/4 cup brown sugar

1 tablespoon dry mustard

Whole cloves, pineapple and maraschino cherries for decoration

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

Mix apple juice, cognac, corn syrup, brown sugar and mustard together and brush on ham after studding it with cloves.

Bake for 1 hour basting frequently with above mixture. Garnish with pineapple slices and cherries. Good with a chilled rose wine.

Engagement Announced

Mrs. Bertha Warren of Ayden and Mr. Owen Edwards of Rt. 2, Winterville, announce the engagement of their daughter, April Mae Edwards, to Aubrey Quent Wilson, son of Mrs. Mattie Wilson Brown of Baltimore, Md. The wedding will take place Jan. 2.

Heavy cream seasoned with vinegar and sugar makes an old-fashioned and still delicious dressing for shredded raw cabbage. The cream may be used plain or whipped.

Couple Weds In Ceremony

The marriage of Betty Ann Kleckner and Wiley Bryant Hales was solemnized Friday at 5 p.m.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. James H. Bailey in the chapel of Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Edwin H. Kleckner of Montandon, Pa., and Mrs. Anna R. Kleckner of Lewisburg, Pa.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Clarence Johnson Hales of Grifton, and the late Mr. Hales.

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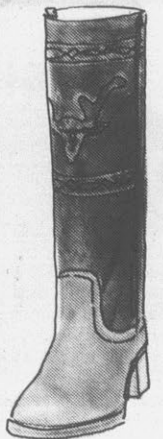
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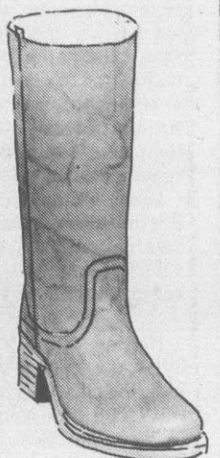
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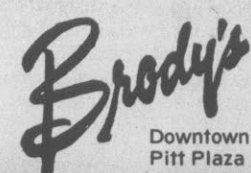
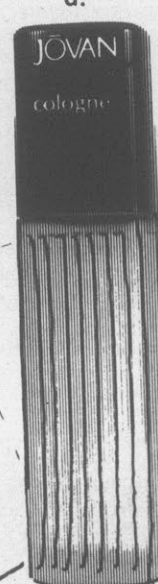
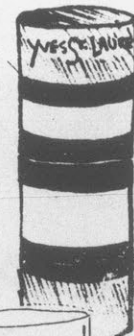


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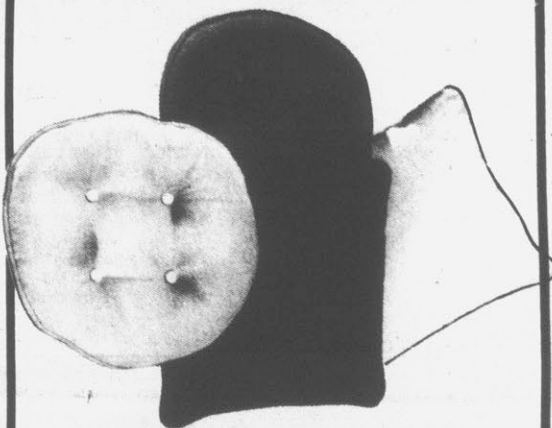
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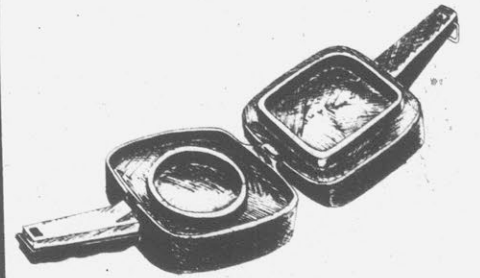
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Truly, A 'Curious Institution'

A college professor, who was an elector from Wisconsin, called the Electoral College "a very curious institution."

And indeed it is. Perhaps suited to the times when it was established by the nation's founders, it now seems to stand in the way of citizens choosing their presidency.

The Electoral College should be looked at by Congress. At the same time the entire voting process should be studied with an eye toward efficiency.

With the electronic equipment available now, there is no reason why votes could not be cast all over the nation with a push of a button or by a coded card.

And with computers available it is technically possible for votes to be fed from voting booths into a central computer so that results could be tabulated instantly.

Of course there would have to be safeguards against fraud, but that possibility has always existed, even with paper ballots.

There is a popular demand for getting voting results early in these days of instant communications. Equipment is available to do this but a uniform voting system will have to be devised before it is possible.

New Bonding Authority A Proper Move

Pitt County has established a bonding authority to issue bonds for financing industrial facilities and pollution control systems.

The bonds could be issued for private industry or public utilities. William F. Cox was named chair-

man of the authority.

This is a proper move for our county now that such bonds are legal in our county. Hopefully this authority will be helpful in bringing desirable industry to our county.

THIS AFTERNOON

No Big Change For Talley

By BILL NOBLITT
RALEIGH — How will it be leaving the cloistered confines of academe for the real world of hardball politics?

Not so very different, confesses Dr. Banks Cooper Talley, Jr., who will become executive assistant to the governor next Jan. 8.

"I look forward to it's being interesting and exciting," says the vice chancellor for student affairs at N.C. State University.

"I'm not entirely a stranger to politics. We have a little of that on university campuses, and I have had some little introduction to hassles in the university world."

"We have our different constituencies, you know. Each demanding different things: the faculty, alumni, students..."

Talley feels. Or at least, he says. "I was gonna say that but didn't because I've never been in government."

Exactly what will his new duties be? Gov-elect James B. Hunt, Jr. and Talley explain them in somewhat different terms—not far apart, but far enough to leave room for discussion. Does this mean he and Hunt can be expected to disagree—professionally and cordially—from time to time, or does he expect Hunt to want to hear only that which pleases him?

"He and I have talked a great deal about that... he expects people to give advice and counsel."

"Discussion will go on about various directions which things may take—in house."

"Then, if we are effective as team players, it means moving in the direction decided upon even though we had taken an opposite approach. If, however, it is a matter of principle, one

would have to get out."

Hunt labels Talley "my strong right arm" who will free him from administrative duties and will meet frequently with department heads and is "going to be the man I expect them (department heads) to see first."

Does that make Talley the "gatekeeper," the H.R. Haldeman or Gene Anderson of the Jim Hunt administration? Far from it, Hunt protests.

His is a new post in which he will handle administrative duties and offer counsel and advice, Hunt says.

An Openness
The key to the post is in Talley's personality and nature, the governor-elect insists. Talley is a quiet-spoken, graying man of 50 years. He talks in low-key drawl and smiles readily.

A native of Bennettsville, S.C., he has degrees from Chapel Hill in history, masters' in education and doctor of philosophy. He has been at N.C. State since 1951, and is married to the former Louise Wooten of Goldsboro.

So what does all this mean to the job Talley will be doing as Hunt's right arm?

"I can't overemphasize this matter of trust which we have talked about," Hunt says. "It is a real thing... it's something you have to feel and know, and with Dr. Talley, it's there... openness and trust."

Not all the roles and duties and relationships have been defined, though Hunt and Talley have talked long about them. But both agree it will work out.

Of the governor-elect, Talley says, "I agree with his goals and politics, and I think we can work well together."

Talley stayed out of the political campaign, tending his duties at the university. It is surprising to some that he won such a choice plum from the young man who was once a student on the campus where he served as director of student activities and dean of student affairs.



A Great Pregnancy Flap

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

The Supreme Court continues to catch flak from cartoonists, editorial writers, and women's organizations for its opinion of December 7 in the pregnancy case. The barrage, in my own view, is wholly unwarranted. The Court in this case did exactly what it should have done.

The facts are not significantly in dispute. The General Electric Company provides for its employees a "Weekly Sickness and Accident Insurance Plan." The plan provides benefits equal to 60 percent of average weekly earnings to employees who become totally disabled as a result of nonoccupational sickness or accident. The plan specifically excludes benefits by reason of pregnancy.

A group of women employees at the company's plant in Salem, Va., filed a class-action suit against the company. They contended that the pregnancy exclusion clause violates Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The act forbids an employer to discriminate against any individual because of the individual's sex.

In its 6-3 decision, the Court found no violation of the 1964 act. Speaking through Mr. Justice Rehnquist, the majority concluded that General Electric's plan "is nothing more than an insurance package which covers some risks but excludes others." Impermissible discrimination does not result, the Court added, "simply because an employer's disability benefits plan is less than all inclusive."

For that level-headed, common-sense decision, the Court is being denounced as if it were the institutional embodiment of male chauvinist swinishness. One cartoonist equates the plaintiffs with a pregnant Statue of Liberty. The Washington Post complains that the decision is "out of touch with the reality of modern life." The women's liberationists "are howling their heads off; they seem to have forgotten a dozen cases over the past five years that have been decided wholly in their favor."

This was not a case of constitutional law. The question before the Court was entirely a question of statutory construction. In deciding such issues, the Court looks to the language of the statute itself, to administrative interpretations of the statute, and to the legislative history.

In this case, the language of the statute was not much help, for the statute does not define "to discriminate." The record of administrative interpretation was of little help either. The Equal Employment Opportunities Commission had declared flatly, soon after the act was adopted, that a pregnancy exclusion clause was not a violation of the law; six years later the EEOC changed its mind, but its "guidelines" in any event, have no force of law. As for legislative history, it appeared that Senator Hubert Humphrey, as floor manager of the bill, had sought to make it "unmistakably clear" that "differences of treatment in industrial benefit plans" would not constitute discrimination by reason of sex.

Given this record, what was the Court to do? Critics of the decision appear to want the Court to sit as a kind of super-legislature, enacting its own statutory law. But this is not the function of the Court. In any rational view, the Court's duty is to tend to its own knitting, and to leave legislation to Congress.

Mr. Justice Brennan, Continued on page 5

Pursue Quake Studies

By DAVID ESPO
GOLDEN, Colo. (AP) — The federal government, spending more than \$10 million this year to see whether scientists can predict earthquakes, is investing \$5,000 more to check the claims of housewives and psychics who claim they already have the ability.

"There have always been people in history who made bold predictions," said Roger Hunter, the geophysicist with the National Earthquake Information Service in charge of the program. "We're keeping file, and if someone makes a hit we can say, yeah, sure, this time, but look at the mistakes."

The program, launched four months ago, frankly is designed to reassure the public about wild claims such as the perennial one that a killer quake might plunge California into the sea. But the job of Hunter's computer also is to see whether there actually are people who can do what scientists have yet to learn.

Hunter, who works only part time on the project, receives information from "scientists and people who think they're scientists to people who send me their dreams." He stores the data in his computer, then checks the claims against actual earthquakes.

Most of what he receives is uninteresting to an agency that would like to know more about when and where earthquakes will happen, Hunter said.

Some predictions, correct "down to the nearest hour," proved statistically invalid because of other flaws.

—A forecaster predicts a quake in an area where chance also would dictate one would occur.

—He foresees a tremor in a geographical area so large that it is meaningless.

—He fails to pinpoint the time or the magnitude of the shock that eventually occurs.

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THE INSIDE REPORT

A Divorce, Scottish Style

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK
LONDON — As if non-stop economic crises were not enough, the ominous spectre of Scottish nationalism now actually threatens the break-up of the United Kingdom — accompanied by England's loss of major revenues from Scotland's oil.

Scotland's separatist movement could ultimately deprive the central government of much of the rich new Scottish oil production it has been counting on. One leader in the governing Labor Party, asked whether Scottish separatism worried him, told us: "Worry? It terrifies me."

Although that may be exaggerated, a keg of political dynamite clearly lies underneath Scotland: the nationalism that, in varying forms, is one of the major, world-wide political movements of this generation.

Scotland's 5.25 million British subjects today would undoubtedly vote against full independence from England's 50 million by a

thumping majority. But acrimonious debate now starting in Parliament over the government's devolution bill (giving Scotland a little regional autonomy) is certain to fire tempers, revive long-dormant emotional issues and probably stimulate movement toward independence.

"This isn't a devolution movement in Scotland," Margot McDonald, a leading Scottish Nationalist, told us last week. "This is an independence movement, a movement toward full sovereignty." Mrs. McDonald, who looks more like a pretty young housewife than a political radical, exudes confidence and passion in what has become her life's cause.

To such nationalists, the Labor government's offer of "devolution" ranks just above a bad joke: an elected Scottish assembly with highly circumscribed regional powers to allocate funds for health, housing and undergraduate education. But the money is to be voted

by the British Parliament and the British central government retains tight veto power over the assembly.

But to many in the English-dominated Parliament, the government's offer of even this highly limited devolution is too much, opening the door to escalating demands from the nationalists. Why, then, did Prime Minister James Callaghan's government decide to open the door at all?

One basic reason is curiously parochial: fear within the Labor Party that its vital Scottish wing would defect or lose out to the Scottish Nationalist Party (SNP). Out of 70-plus seats in Parliament from Scottish constituencies, the Labor Party has 40, the Conservatives 21 and the Nationalists a mere 11 (even though the Nationalists claim almost one-third of the Scottish vote in the last general election).

To hold the line against any form of devolution was to risk losing these Labor constituencies to the Nationalists at a time the Labor Party could not afford the loss of any seats. Consequently, one Labor cabinet member told us, "we had to do something." He added ominously that he hoped this first stage of devolution would also be the last stage and not "another Danegeld" — the piecemeal loss of England to the Danes 1,500 years ago.

Other Editors Say Bellow's Advice

(Greensboro Daily News)

In 1949, William Faulkner asserted in his famous Nobel lecture that modern man would prevail over the forces of darkness. In 1976, Nobel laureate Saul Bellow is no less sure. But in his Nobel lecture at the Swedish Academy last weekend, Bellow did offer some thought-provoking suggestions about the state of the bedraggled art of living today.

You hear Bellow's theme cropping up in a number of different contexts these days. In a nutshell, it is that people — especially writers and intellectuals — are trapped in a complex web of preconceived notions, outmoded ideas and academic encumbrances. There is a desire, Bellow said, to return to "what is simple and true," to toss out old systems and useless intellectual baggage.

Referring to recent books based on the thought of such leading lights as Marx, D.H. Lawrence and Baudelaire, Bellow noted, "How weary we are of them. How poorly they represent us. The pictures they offer no more resemble us than we resemble the reconstructed reptiles and the monsters in a museum of paleontology. We are much more limber, versatile, better articulated, there is much more to us, we all feel it."

What Bellow appears to be arguing for, if news accounts of his speech are accurate, is a return to the originality and creativity which have been at the base of all significant flowerings of civilization. But this creativity is not to be found in much of what passes for intellectualism today — arid parlors of thought and artistic expression cut off from the broad public which, in times past, has infused art with vitality and meaning.

Fortunately, Bellow holds out more hope for the better instincts of people than for the tired clichés of the parlor. The notion of returning to our roots, of questioning our assumptions, of looking beneath the "wreckage" of cherished systems, is a healthy one. And Bellow's cautious optimism is a pleasing antidote to the prophecies of doom we are so accustomed to hearing — and too often unblinkingly accept as gospel — in this anxious, troubled world.

40 Years Ago Today

December 16, 1936
A United States proposal for consultation by the American republics if American peace is menaced from within or without won final approval today from the full inter-American peace conference, along with eight other projects.

The American plan, only slightly modified as it passed through a committee, had the unanimous sponsorship of all 21 American republics. It was described by United States Secretary of State Cordell Hull as "epochal."

It reiterated a similar recommendation of the Montevideo Pan-American conference of 1933.

Negotiations for a new commercial accord between the United States and Italy have begun to replace the expiring treaty of 1871, it was announced officially today.

The announcement also disclosed the denunciation today of the existing pact ineffective in one year.

Informed sources said the negotiations centered on a new commercial treaty, not on a separate trade agreement which will come up later.

—Barbara Mathews

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BEYOND THE FIVE SENSES
We go out on a clear, starry night and look up at the heavens. What we see is exactly what our primitive forebears saw fifteen thousand years ago. But something we cannot see makes it quite different. The air waves are alive with broadcast messages from radio, television, and satellite stations.

This example of our limitations shows thoroughly inadequate our five senses are to comprehend the whole of the universe. And yet the skeptic insists that there is no reality beyond what we can see, hear, touch, taste and smell. How pretentious claims of this sort are. Actually, modern science has revealed so many wonders that man need not be overwhelmed with doubt as he reads in the Bible about the great spiritual powers in which man is to put his trust.

Science should strengthen rather than destroy religious faith. If what we apprehend with our limited senses is so, how great may be the things which a good God has laid up for those who trust Him.

—by Elisha Douglas

Middle Managers In A 'Bind'

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — Thousands of corporate middle managers are becoming caught in a career bind that threatens to end their upward mobility and terminate their dreams of the comfortable, affluent life.

Most of the victims are in the middle years between ages 40 and 50. Having advanced steadily in their jobs, they have long assumed that eventually a top management position, with more money and a comfortable retirement, was theirs.

Those aspirations now are being threatened. With the ranks of middle management swollen by past hiring excesses and the slowdown of business expansion, many of them find they have to win their jobs over and over again.

"There's no way for them to relax," said Eugene Jennings, professor, author, student of routes to executive success and confidential adviser to the heads of large corporations. "They're squeezed from the top and the bottom."

The pressure from the top is by upper management that seeks to cut costs and raise productivity. From the bottom they are being pushed by younger managers seeking to pull themselves up the ladder.

"They find themselves too young to retire and, in their own minds, too old to start over again. And they find themselves too high up the ladder to incur risk, and too low to dictate to the corporation," said Jennings.

The professor, who maintains "listening posts" in many of the largest corporations, reports that "few major companies aren't oversupplied with these

middle managers."

He employs alliteration to describe the phenomenon: "It's the middle-middle middle. Managers in a mess of trouble."

Some companies are offering early retirement to encourage them to leave. "However, some of them don't accept the opportunity and have to be pushed." Others are phased into positions known to be deadends.

Jennings, who is trained in psychology as well as in business administration, notes that the common complaint of such men is that they are misunderstood by the company and unappreciated by family and friends.

Having been upwardly mobile since their earliest days in business, many of them cannot explain to their families why they are not continuing to advance into positions and moneyranks they had all but taken for granted.

Their progress is thwarted by many factors that coincide, including the slow economic growth that has plugged up the corporate arteries above them, and confusion and uncertainty about the future of the economy.

Added to this is the realization by top management that a lot of upward mobility was spurious. Men were pushed along without having to demonstrate their competence. Now that they must, some cannot cut it, says Jennings.

The problem is vexing to both employe and corporation, says Jennings, who teaches at Michigan State University. Neither is happy with the situation.

Auto Insurance Profits High

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Insurance Commissioner John Ingram said Wednesday the latest report on state auto insurance profits "just kicks in the head" everything industry spokesmen have been claiming. The report on industry performance in 1975 by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners showed North Carolina was the most profitable state in the country in private passenger car insurance. The study said overall profit on car insurance was 5 per cent, compared with a 2 per cent loss for the industry nationwide. "North Carolina's rates are low, but North Carolina's profits are high," because of low claims, according to W. Byron Tatum, deputy insurance commissioner and chief accountant for the state Department of Insurance. Paul L. Mize, executive sec-

retary of the N.C. Automobile Rate Administrative Office, said he was "kind of" surprised at the study's findings. "But I submit that a 5 per cent profit is not unreasonable," he said. "We also have those who suffered big losses." Tatum said at least two companies made profits of more than 35 per cent on auto liability insurance last year and six others had profits in excess of 19.8 per cent. On all lines of insurance, companies in North Carolina showed profits of 7 per cent, compared with 1 per cent nationwide, good enough to put the state in a six-way tie for first place in those figures.

Clearing To Begin

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Logging and clearing will begin soon to make way for construction on a controversial open highway cut through Beaucatcher Mountain.

Evans Novak...

Continued from page 4 that way. Scottish nationalists remind themselves of that black day in 1707 when Scotland lost its parliament in union with England, when church bells in Edinburgh tolled the somber notes of "Why Am I So Sad on My Wedding Day." The cry for divorce has now entered a new stage, posing a threat to the United Kingdom's political survival and England's economic viability.

Espo Col...

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"Those who make precise predictions are usually wrong. Those who make vague predictions are usually right," he said, sitting in his small office space in the basement of a building on the campus of the Colorado School of Mines.

On his desk was the latest computer printout checking the claims of one of 71 predictors who correspond with Hunter. Next to the desk was a file drawer filled with letters, most containing predictions.

The one among the 71 who has drawn the greatest interest of Hunter and his colleagues is a 59-year-old Florida housewife who emigrated to the United States from Europe. The woman, who shuns publicity and has asked the scientists at Golden not to identify her publicly, reports that physical sensations warn her of impending earthquakes or explosions.

John Derr, coordinator of the National Earthquake Information Service, speaks by telephone with the woman several times a week. He said:

"It appears to me that in many cases she will be able to tell us where the next quake will occur that will be of interest to us."

Kilpatrick....

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leading the dissenters, vaporized at some length about "complex economic and social" considerations. He appeared to be urging that long-established rules of statutory construction should yield to "a realistic understanding of conditions found in today's labor environment." It was somehow important to Mr. Justice Brennan that the EEOC's belated guideline "merely settled upon a solution now accepted by every other Western industrial country." What in the world does that have to do with construing an act of the United States Congress?

The cause of women's equality has fared exceedingly well under the Burger Court. In cases involving chancery law, the armed services, and the rights of women in public employment, this Court has been the girls' best friend. The entirely proper decision in the General Electric case, involving a single insurance plan in the private sector, does nothing to disturb the trend.

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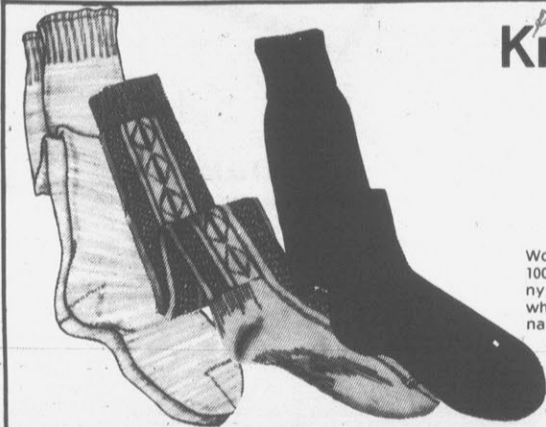
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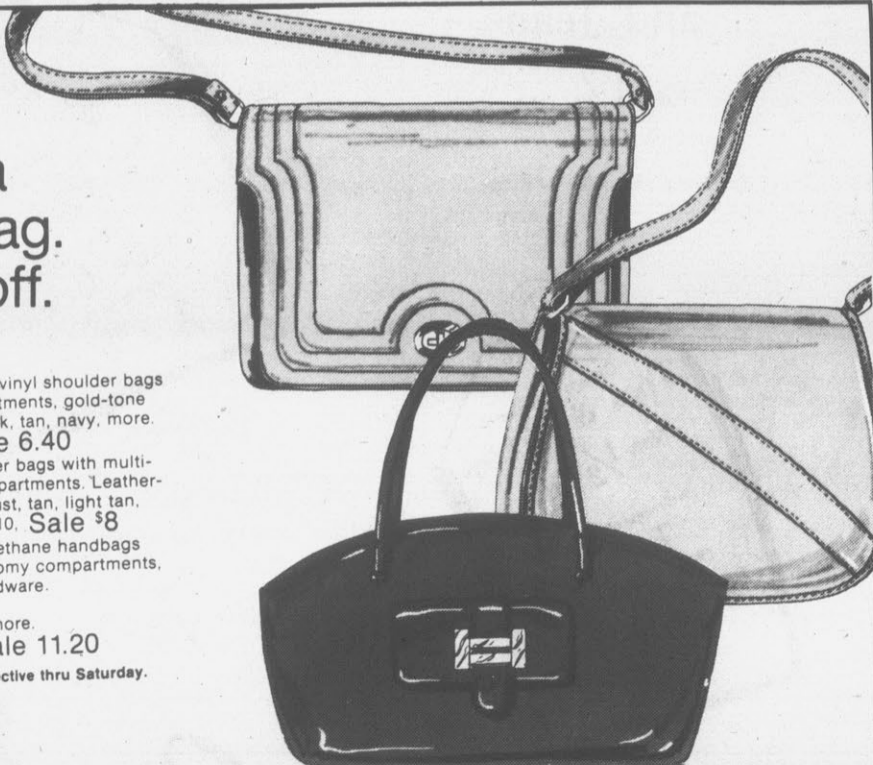
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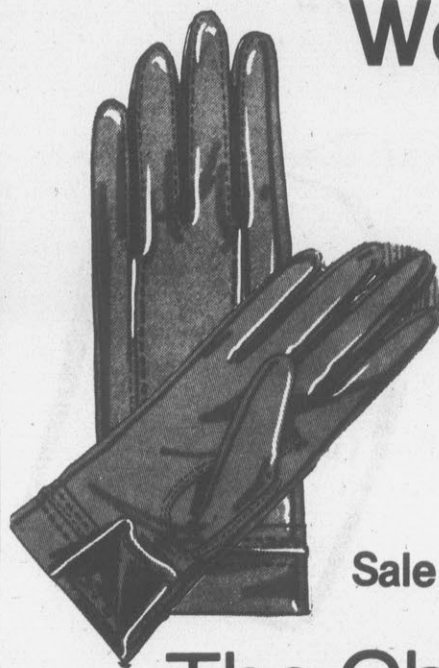
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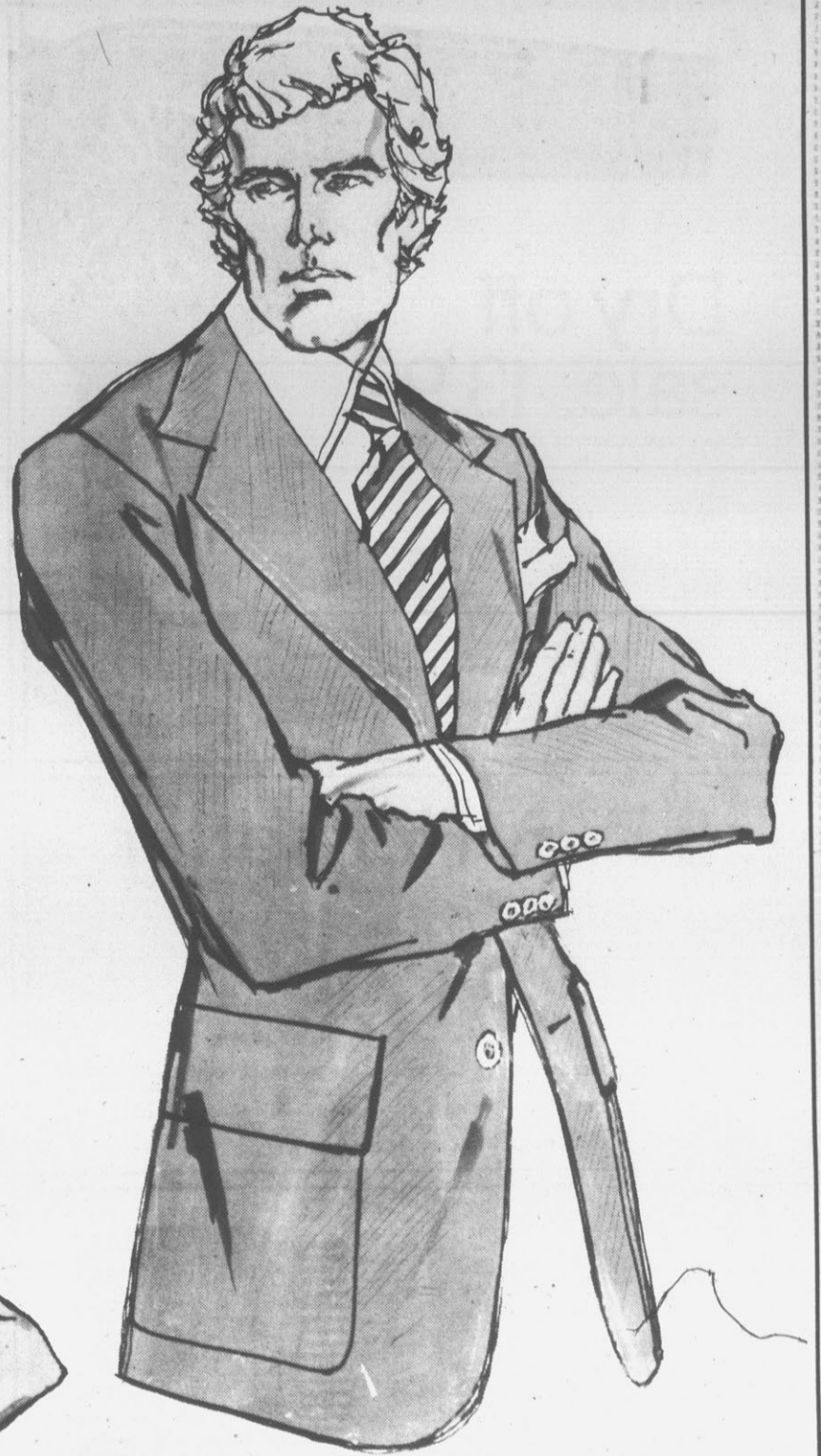
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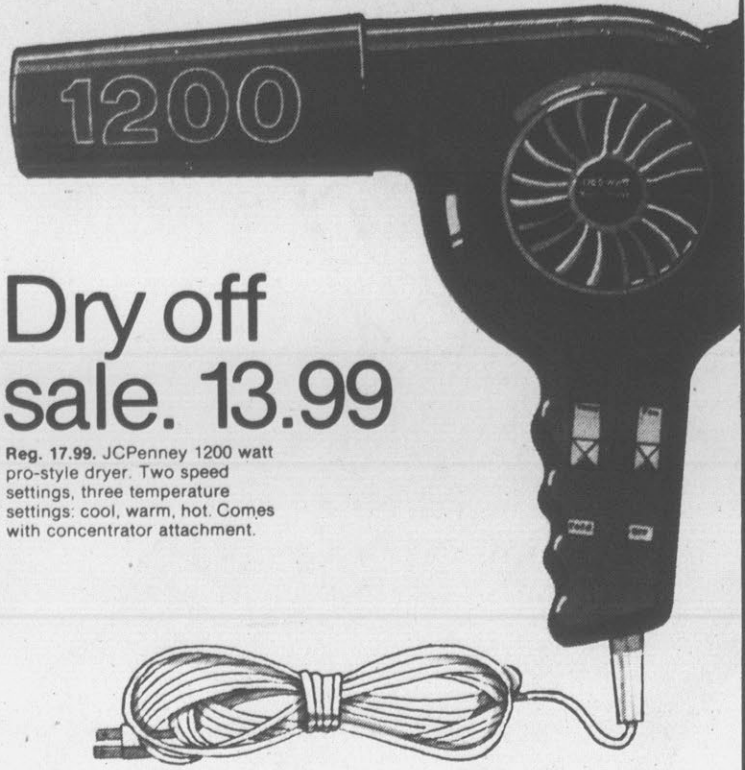


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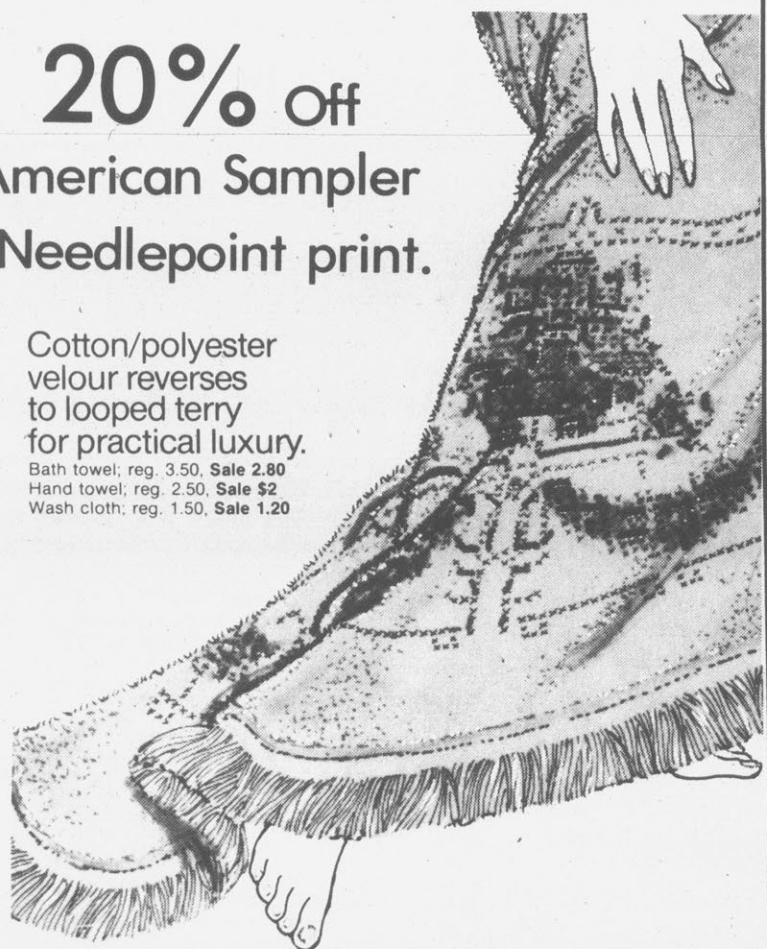


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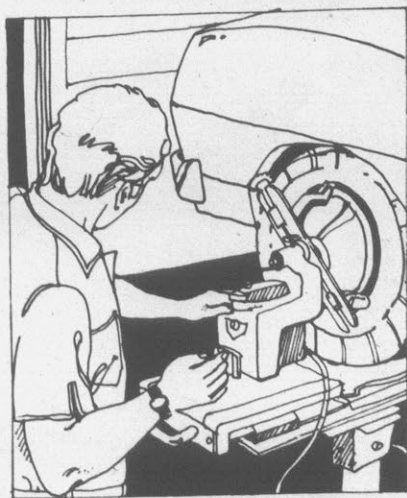
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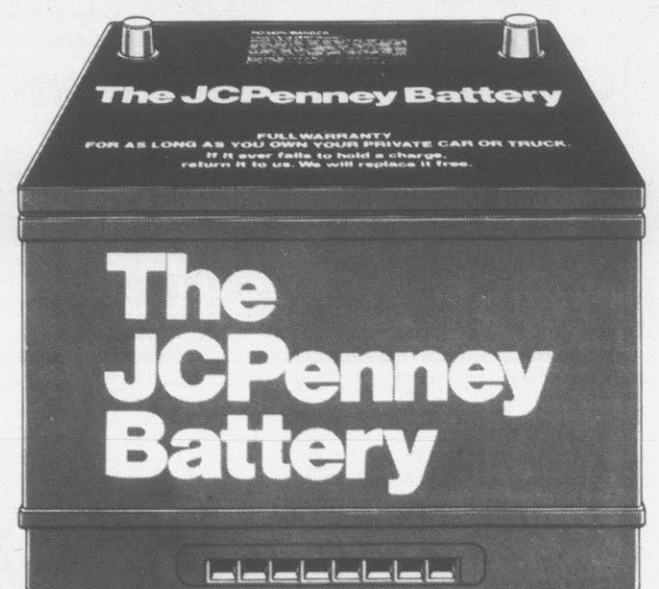
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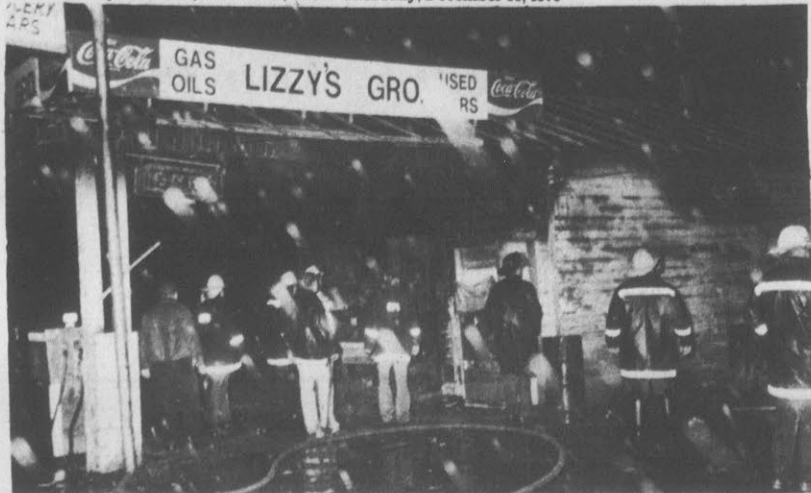
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GROCERY BURNS — The Lizzy Grocery at Lizzy near Maury was destroyed by fire late last night. Firemen from Maury and Castoria responded to the 10:10 alarm and found the store in flames. The owner of the store was listed as

Durward Murphrey, according to Maury fire chief Doc Skinner. The white spots on the photo are rain drops. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

Guerrillas Take Credit For Bomb Blast

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — Radical Peronist guerrillas claim they planted a bomb on the third floor of a defense ministry building that killed at least 15 persons and injured at least 30 others.

Police sources said victims of the blast Wednesday included two diplomats, civilians, an army colonel, a navy captain and other military officers who were attending a lecture.

It was not known if the diplomats were foreign or Argentine, but U.S. Embassy sources said no Americans were among the casualties.

A woman telephoned The Associated Press and said the Norma Arrostito Commando unit of the Montonero urban guerrillas planted the bomb. Miss Arrostito, a leader of the radical left wing of the Peronist movement, was killed Dec. 3 when security agents raided a guerrilla hideout near Buenos Aires.

It was the worst bomb attack in Argentina since 22 policemen were killed July 2 in a police dining hall. In August, a bomb went off under a reviewing

stand shortly after President Jorge Videla had left it; on Oct. 17 a bomb injured 50 persons in the movie theater of an army club in Buenos Aires; and on Nov. 9 a bomb at a police headquarters in La Plata killed one policeman and injured 10 others.

Security sources say they believe these bombings are the work of military or police officers working secretly against the military government. Several officers have been arrested this year and charged with treason.

Police sources said the bomb apparently contained at least 15 pounds of high explosives. They said it destroyed a movie theater in which an army officer was delivering a lecture and heavily damaged the third and fourth floors of the eight-story building.

The sources said a second bomb was found in the area but was defused.

The casualties raised to 1,384 the number of persons reported killed in political strife this year. But the number is believed to be much higher.

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Grifton Girl Named Miss Fashionetta

Miss Gail Dillahunt of Grifton was crowned Miss Fashionetta '76 at the Fashionetta '76 contest held Saturday sponsored by the Iota Kappa Omega Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.



Miss Gail Dillahunt

Miss Dillahunt was crowned by Sandra Jean Harrell of Greenville, Miss Fashionetta '74. First runner-up was Dana Streeter of Falkland; and

Veronica Outerbridge of Greenville was second runner-up. Prizes were presented to all contestants and scholarships will be awarded to the winners upon their entrance to post-secondary education.

Other Fashionetta contestants were Karen Livermann and Angela White of Farmville; Jacquelyn Davis, Patricia Donaldson, Lisa Green, Sonya Morris, Michele Phillips, Barbara Strong, and Stephanie Taylor of Greenville.

Buy Art For State

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — State taxpayers bought \$47,000 worth of art for the North Carolina Museum of Art, it was announced Wednesday.

The museum paid \$35,000 for a sculpture by early modernist Alexander Archipenko and \$12,000 for a Greco-Roman marble carving which dates from about 50 B.C.

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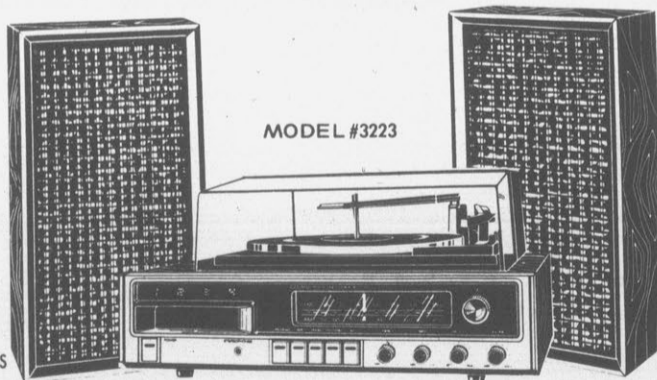
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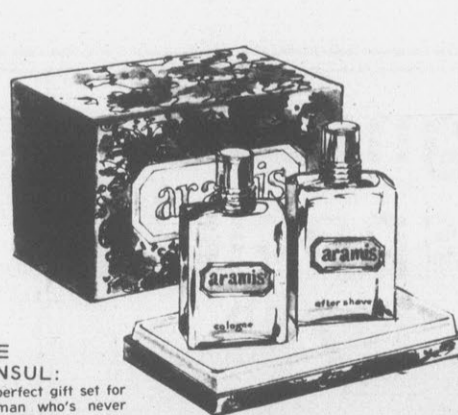
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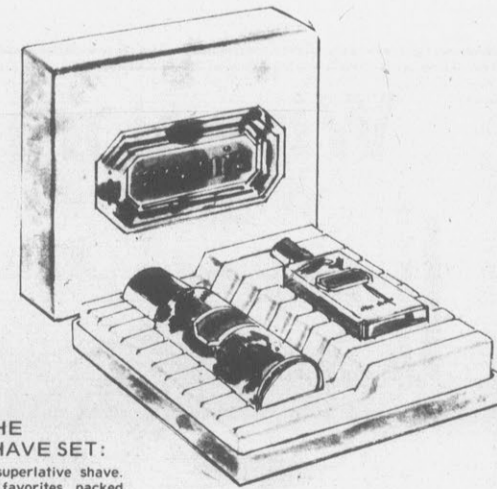
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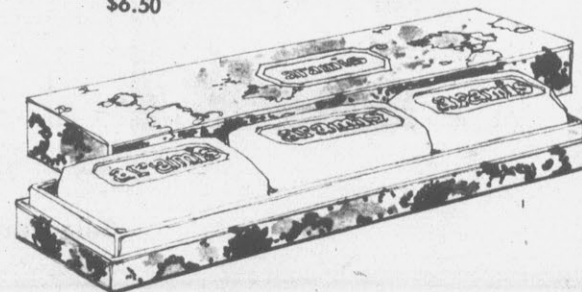
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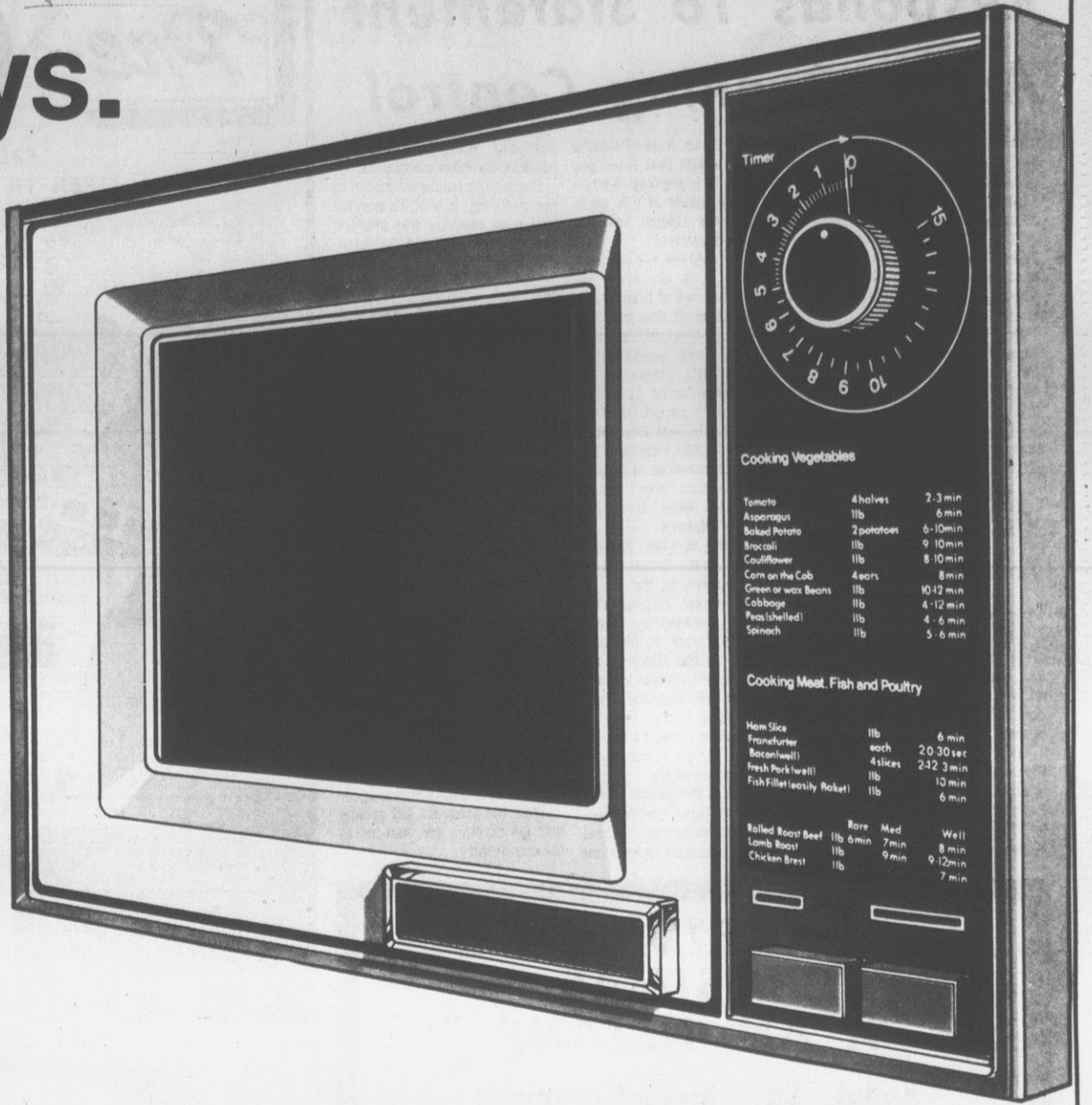
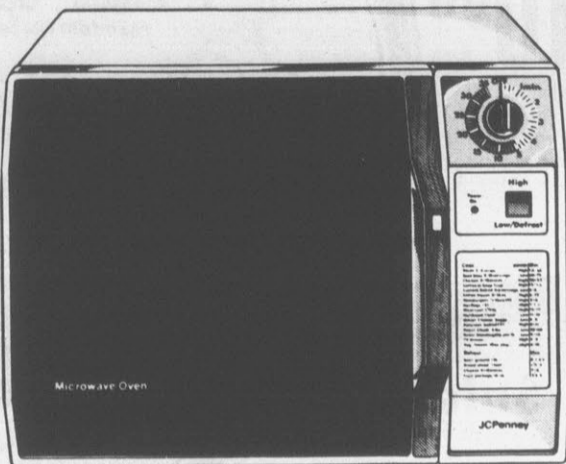
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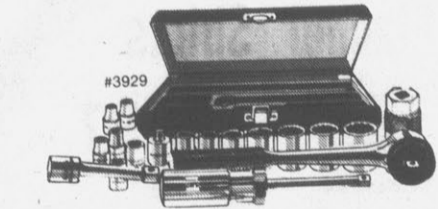
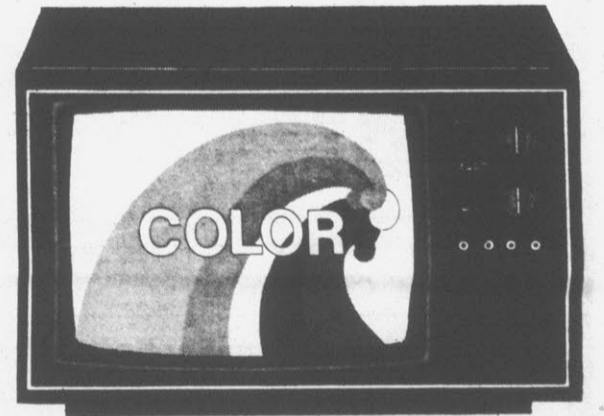


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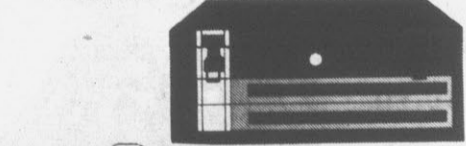
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Reg. 26.99. 19 piece socket set for general needs. has 1/4" and 3/8" drives.

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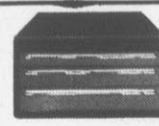
Reg. 32.99. AF/mechanic's tool box has 2 deep drawers, tray with socket compartment, and large till area. Black wrinkle finish, black hardware.



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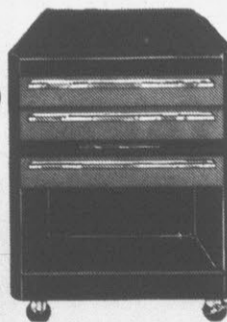
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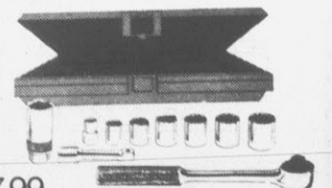


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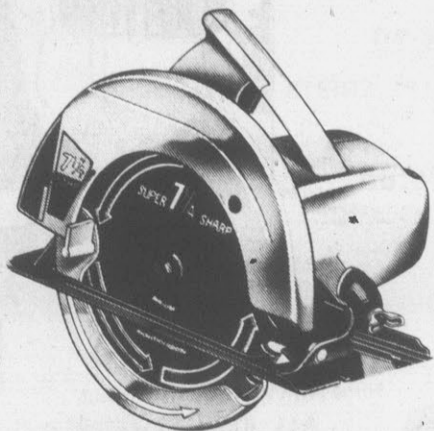


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Reg. 22.99. 11 piece socket set with 3/8" drive includes quick release ratchet, 3" extension bar, 3/8" spark plug socket and 7 most used 12 point standard size sockets.

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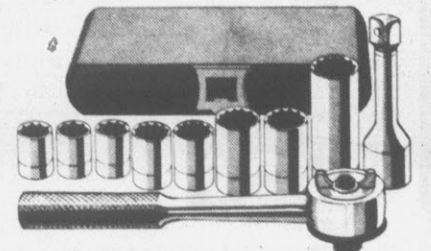
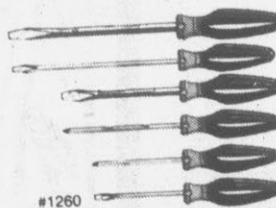
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Responds To Statement As To Banking Control

In answer to a charge that Jews control U. S. banking, an open letter was read at the Kinston-Greenville Hadassah meeting recently.

The letter written by Dr. Joseph Potasnik, was a response to statements by Gen. George S. Brown, U. S. Joint Chiefs of Staff chairman.

Dr. Potasnik noted the strong support Arabs receive from major American banks. He cited Arab petrodollars pouring into this country.

In regard to Brown's allegation of undue Congressional in-

fluence by Jews, Rabbi Potasnik expressed doubt that three per cent of the U. S. population could control the minds of this country's publicly elected senators and representatives.

Potasnik said there is one area in which Jews do exert influence, the area of human betterment. Although they make up less than one-tenth of the world population, they constitute an unusually high proportion of Nobel Prize winners. This year four Jews were recipients of the prize. Dr. Salk and Dr. Sabin, creators of polio vaccines, Dr. Minofsky, discoverer of insulin, and Dr. Nuslin, who isolated digitalis, all were Jews and Nobel Prize winners.

Responding to Gen. Brown's comment that Israel is a military burden to the U. S., Potasnik wrote responsibility does not necessarily mean burden. As Israel is the only democracy in the Middle East, the U. S. has a moral responsibility for the country's survival. Potasnik wishes Israel to be regarded as a friend who now needs the U. S., but whom the U. S. may someday need.

As Israel is the parent of the Judaeo-Christian civilization, our national obligation to Israel is no more a burden than is our

personal obligation to our parents, the rabbi concluded.

During the business session of the meeting, it was announced that used clothing was donated to Caswell Center and the Salvation Army.

Give Christmas Program Sunday

The children and youth departments of the Red Oak Christian Church will present their annual Christmas program Sunday at 6 p.m.

The younger group will present "Christmas Symbols, The Story of Christmas." Their songs will include "Sleep So Sweetly," "Ring Christmas Bells" and "Its a Long, Long Way to Bethlehem." The Intermediate Group will be doing a drill, "The Triumphant Arch."

The CYF group will present a two-act play entitled "The Missing Angel." Those taking part are Steve Padgett, Dianne Manning, Mary Grace Pate, Edna Denton, Donna Worthington, Kemp Bright, Kim Allen, Scott Garris and Amanda Manning.

After the program, all groups will go caroling for shut-ins in the community.

Via Spain To Alabama

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. (AP) — A letter mailed to Leon Spain of Huntsville from Rainsville, Ala., less than 100 miles away on Sept. 29 found its way to his desk after going first to Leon, Spain.

The letter, which arrived Tuesday, was addressed to Spain's company and post office box. The words "care of Leon Spain" were written just before the zip code.

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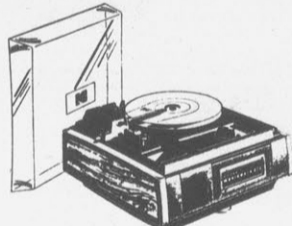
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ECU Staffs Texasgulf Laboratory

AURORA—Texasgulf has approved a \$28,000 grant to the Pamlico Estuarine Laboratory to assist the lab in continuing its research on the ecology of the Pamlico River estuary.

James R. Paden, general manager of the Texasgulf mining and manufacturing complex near here, said the \$28,000 grant for the coming year brings the firm's total financial support of the lab to more than \$415,000 since it was established in 1964. The lab, staffed by personnel from East Carolina

University at Greenville, operates independent of Texasgulf.

"Texasgulf is the only phosphate company supporting the lab on a continuing, annual basis. We have had one small project funded by FMC Inc., but otherwise it's been all Texasgulf."

"We would like to have all the companies involved, but Texasgulf and tax funds have been our mainstay," said Dr. William Queen, the director. The lab issues periodic reports

on its research studies. All of the lab reports since 1964 have indicated that the Texasgulf operation has had no adverse effect on the Pamlico River.

The lab recently issued a report covering studies during the period July 1975 through October 1976.

The lab is housed in five buildings on South Creek near Aurora.

Texasgulf contracted with North Carolina State University at Raleigh in 1964 to begin

research on the ecology of the Pamlico River estuary while the industrial complex was still in the construction stage. As an NCSU operation, the facility was called the Pamlico Marine Laboratory.

Early in 1975, the Institute of Coastal and Marine Resources of East Carolina University assumed operation and renamed it the Pamlico Estuarine Laboratory.

The lab studies the ecology of the Pamlico River estuary with particular emphasis on the effects of phosphate mining and fertilizer materials manufacturing upon the waters.

Texasgulf mines phosphate ore from lowlands along the Pamlico River and manufacture from it fertilizer materials that are shipped to markets across the nation and to several markets overseas. The phosphate deposits, estimated to be more than 15 million years old, are among the largest in the nation. Texasgulf owns or has leases on 50,000 acres of land above the deposits, which are more than 100 feet beneath the surface.

The firm employs about 1100 persons in its mining and manufacturing operations near Aurora. It has an investment of more than \$200 million in the complex.

If a septic tank requires cleaning nearly every year, it may be too small, says Ernest Walpole, extension agricultural engineer at the University of Delaware.



ECU PROJECT STUDIES PAMLICO RIVER—Dr. William Queen, left, Director the Pamlico Estuarine Laboratory near Aurora, discusses a project with Brooks Whitehurst, Manager, Engineering Services for Texasgulf. Texasgulf has contributed more than \$415,000 to the lab since it was established in 1964.

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How's The Weather?

FORECAST for Thursday



WEATHER FORECAST—Mostly clear skies are forecast for the nation Thursday except for rain in parts of the Northeast and Northwest. Mostly

comfortable temperatures will prevail. (AP Wirephoto Map)

Dense fog formed over northern Alabama, northern Mississippi and southeast Tennessee this morning. Eastern lower Michigan also experienced fog.

Meanwhile, rainfall fell off over the southeastern United States as a frontal system moved slowly off the Atlantic coast. But there was rain over eastern North Carolina and southeast Virginia. Drizzle reached from southwestern Vir-

ginia to northern Florida. Skies were mostly cloudy from the middle and south Atlantic states to the Gulf coast.

Another area of cloudiness reached from the northern Great Lakes region into the upper Mississippi valley. Rain fell overnight in northwestern Washington. High clouds reached across the Rockies into the northern plains.

Other areas of the nation were clear. A sprawling high pressure center that had been over Utah extended its influence over a wide area.

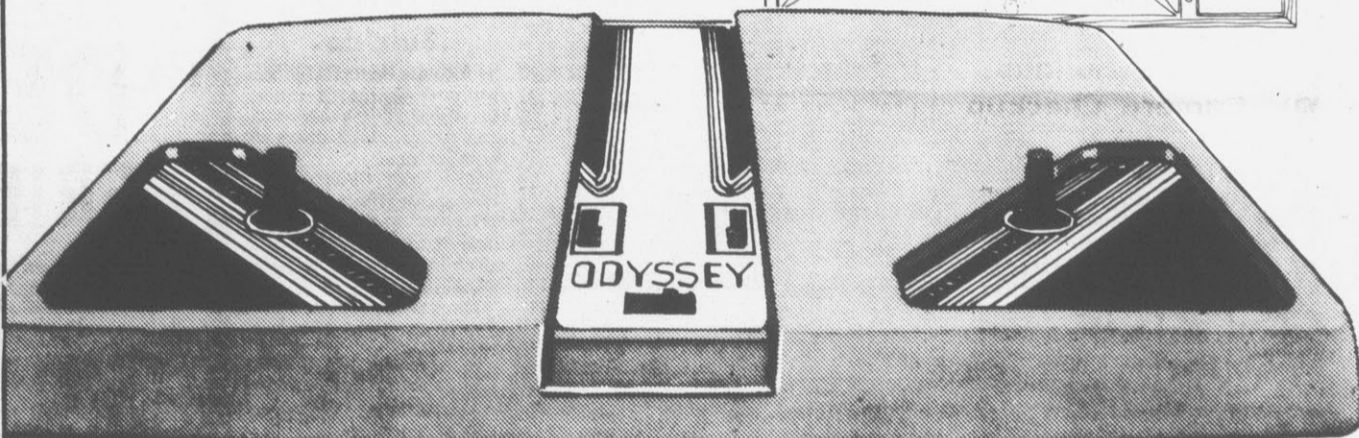
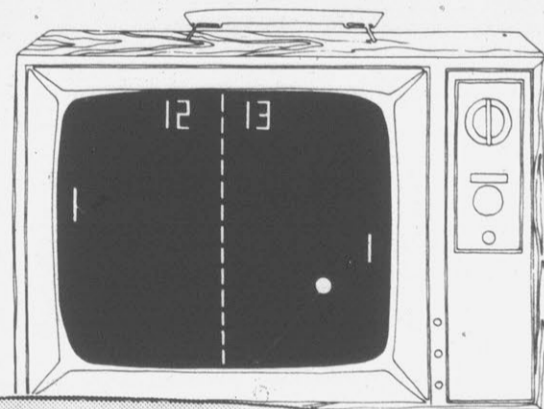
Temperatures were near or above normal across most of

the country. The only below-zero readings were in the higher elevations of Colorado. East of the Rockies, temperatures ranged from the teens and 20s in the north to the 50s along the Gulf Coast and the 60s and 70s in Florida.

In the west, readings varied from the teens and 20s in the plateau to the 60s in parts of southern California. Gusty winds kept temperatures in the 40s in parts of Montana.

Overnight temperatures ranged from 75 at Key West, Fla., to 3 below zero at Alamosa, Colo.

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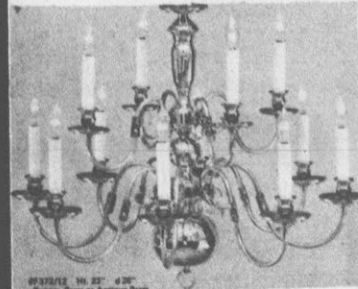
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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Feeder Pigs: Wednesday — Norwood 952 head; Mt. Olive 1,096 head. 40-50 lbs. No. 1s and 2s 46.16-47.26 per cwt.; No. 3s 44.75; 50-60 lbs No. 1s and 2s 43.47-43.50; No. 3s 39.00-43.00; 60-70 lbs No. 1s and 2s 41.75-42.75; No. 3s 35.00-39.25.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Cattle Auctions: Tuesday — Rocky Mount 450 head of cattle and 953 hogs. Slaughter Cows: Utility and Commercial 23.00-27.25; canner and cutter 20.00-24.75; vealers (150-250) good (few) 45.00-51.00; steers (800-1000) good 35.00-37.50; heifers (700-800) good 32.00-33.75; bulls (1000 up) utility and commercial 25.00-30.25; feeder steers (400-500) good 32.00-33.75; feeder heifers (400-500) good 25.00-26.25; feeder bulls (400-550) good 25.25-27.00; swine (180-240) 37.50-37.90; (240-270) 35.60; (300-600) 23.20-24.70. Greensboro 536 head of cattle and 160 hogs. Slaughter cows: utility and commercial 20.25-25.25; canner and cutter 17.00-22.00; vealers (150-250) good 42.00-51.50; calves (325-650) good 25.00-27.25; bulls (1000 up) utility and commercial 27.50-32.00; feeder steers (400-500) good 32.00-35.00; feeder steers (600-800) good and choice 31.00-35.25; feeder heifers (500 up) good 23.00-26.25; feeder bulls (400-550) good and choice 27.25-32.75; swine (180-240) 37.50; (240-270) 36.00; (300-600) 22.50-24.75.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — N.C. Eggs: Wednesday — Market unchanged. Weighted average prices for small lot sales of consumer grade A white eggs delivered to nearby retail stores 87.70 cents per dozen; large 82.86 medium; and 69.62 for small eggs.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — State Farmers Market: Wednesday — Wholesale prices quoted for apples, bushel baskets 5.00-6.00, tray pack cartons 8.00-11.50; snap beans, bushel hampers 7.50-8.00; cabbage, 50-lb bags 4.00-5.50; collards, bushel hampers 3.50; corn, crates 5.00-5.50; cucumbers, bushel baskets 8.50-9.50; oranges, cartons 3.25-4.50; grapefruits, cartons 3.25-4.50; greens, bushel hampers 3.00-3.50; lettuce, cartons 6.50-7.00; peppers, bushel hampers 7.50-8.50; Irish potatoes, 50-lb bags 3.00-4.00; sweet potatoes, bushel baskets 4.00-5.50; squash bushel hampers 9.50-10.25.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Charlotte Cotton: Wednesday, market weaker. Strict low middling 1-16 inch 73.00 per hundred pounds.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — Grain: Wednesday — No. 2 yellow shelled corn slightly lower at 2.20-2.40, mostly 2.35-2.37 in the east and mostly 2.43-2.50 in the Piedmont. No. 1 yellow soybeans lower at 6.51-6.71, mostly 6.61-6.69 per bushel.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — The trend on the North Carolina hog market was 50 to \$1 higher today. Wilson 39.00-40.00; High Falls 36.75-37.75; Rocky Mount 38.50-39.00; Kingston 38.50-39.50; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourne, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson 40.00; Tarboro and Bethel 36.50-37.00; Salisbury 35.00.

RALEIGH (AP) (NCDA) — The trend on the North Carolina f.o.b. dock broiler market was steady to weaker today with supplies fully adequate, demand moderate, weights desirable to heavy. The North Carolina dock weighted average price is 34.47 cents per pound this week for small purchases of sized plant grade broilers picked up at processing plant. Estimated slaughter today 1,251,000.

The Meeting Place

THURSDAY
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
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No Guiding Doctrine For Womens Rights

By **RICHARD CARELLI**
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — For seven years, the Supreme Court under Chief Justice Warren E.

Burger has studiously avoided developing a guiding doctrine in its consideration of womens rights. The resulting case-by-case

method has yielded decisions hailed by women. It also has recently produced rulings denounced by feminists, although the court's basic approach has

remained unchanged. The court's philosophy, or lack of one, is being examined closely because of the controversy following the court's ruling last week that employers who provide disability programs for their workers are not legally required to include pregnancy benefits.

Justice William Rehnquist, who wrote the majority opinion, acknowledged that "it is true that only women can become pregnant," but he went on to say that discrimination based on pregnancy is not sex discrimination.

Rehnquist said an employer whose disability programs excluded pregnancy benefits did not set pregnant women apart from men but, instead, from nonpregnant workers, including women.

Another Judge

SPARKS, Nev. (AP) — When John Morrison appears in Municipal Court here on a charge of using obscene language in public, the usual judge won't hear the case.

The usual judge is Morrison. The charge stems from an October dispute between Judge Morrison and Richard Goza, 24, a service station attendant. Each made a citizen's arrest on the other, charging public use of obscene language.

Goza pleaded guilty in Morrison's court and was fined \$100 by another judge who heard the case because of Morrison's involvement.

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Feminists who had been pleased with many of the court's decisions in recent years reacted with surprise and outrage. Attorneys most famil-

iar with the women's movement labeled the decision a product of the court's patchwork approach to women's issues.

Beginning in 1971, when it ruled that states cannot give a legal preference to men applying to become administrators of wills just because they are men, the court has applied a "rational reason" test on a case-by-case basis.

Under this test, a state must have such a reason to differentiate between men and women, the court's majority said then. Lack of that reason violates the 14th Amendment's equal protection clause.

That rationale has been used to uphold a woman's right to equal pay for equal work and equal opportunities in education and business but only on a case-by-case basis.

"The court won't reach outside of the framework of each individual case," said Ruth Bader Ginsburg, a leading wom-

en's rights attorney. "There have been no broad assumptions (in women's rights cases) that characterized past court decisions dealing with racial discrimination."

In a 1973 case, known as *Frontiero v. Richardson*, four justices wanted the court to take such a step and declare that sex discrimination would be treated exactly the same as discrimination based on race or national origin.

If a majority of the court had agreed, states or private employers making distinctions based on sex would have to prove some "compelling interest" in doing so. The burden of proof would not be on those charging discrimination but on those being charged.

Because the court did not agree, a state or company charged with discriminating against blacks must prove it is innocent, but no such obligation is attached to a charge of sex discrimination.

Obituaries

Adkins

Funeral services for Mr. Johnny Leroy Adkins, 28, who died Tuesday, will be held Saturday at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. H. B. Hall, pastor of Parker's Chapel F.W.B. Church. Burial will be in Pinewood Memorial Park with military honors accorded by Det. 1, 213th M. P. Co., National Guard unit.

Forlines

WINTERVILLE — Mr. David O. Forlines, 78, died this morning in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. DeWitt Helm, interim pastor at Boyd Memorial Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Jim Bussell, pastor of Winterville Christian Church. Burial will be in Pinewood Memorial Park.

Mr. Forlines lived at 308 W. Main Street here. A Virginia native, he came to Pitt County as a child and farmed until the 1950's when he moved to Winterville and worked for the A. W.

Anger Company. He retired from this position in 1964, but had since been grounds keeper at Pitt Technical Institute. He was an elder of Boyd Memorial Presbyterian Church. His wife, Mrs. Tarshe Hobgood Forlines, died in 1971.

Surviving him are three sons, Leonard L. Forlines of Mays Landing, N. J., Maynard E. Forlines of Arrowsmith, Ill. and E. O. "Pannie" Forlines of Winterville; two daughters, Mrs. Sallie Musselwhite of Winterville and Mrs. Bruce Harris of Accokeek, Md.; a sister, Mrs. Kennie McGlohon of Winterville; 13 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family has suggested that those desiring to make memorial contributions consider Boyd Memorial Presbyterian Church.

Rountree

NEW HAVEN, CONN. — Mr. Matthew Rountree, Jr., died Monday morning at his home in New Haven, Conn. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Shining Morning Holiness Church. The wake will be held at Keyes Funeral Home Friday night.

Mr. Rountree was reared in the Grimesland Community and also lived in the Greenville Community.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Mable Ruth Mosley, Mrs. Doris Stanley of New Haven, Conn. and Mrs. Edna Joyce Lee of Havre de Grace, Md.; two sons, Matthew Rountree III and Archie Lee Rountree of New Haven, Conn.; three sisters, Mrs. Eugenia Moore, of Washington, Mrs. Febbie L. Green and Mrs. Lillie J. Mills of Grimesland; two brothers, James Thomas Rountree of Norfolk, Va., and M. W. Rountree of Grimesland.

Death Ruled Suicide

Suicide has been ruled in the death of a 72-year-old Greenville man whose body was discovered this morning in the bedroom of his mobile home.

Police Chief Glenn Cannon reported that Robert G. Arnold of Lot 12, West End Trailer Park, died of an apparent self-inflicted .22 caliber gunshot wound in the head.

Cannon said that Arnold's wife discovered the body around 8:30 a.m.

The Pitt County Medical Examiner set the time of death at 7 a.m. today.

Three N.C. Banks Robbed

Two North Carolina banks were robbed Wednesday, raising the state bank holdup total for 1976 to 72; the FBI reported.

Two armed men robbed a branch bank in Clemmons and a lone gunman wearing a ski mask held up branch in Alexander County.

It was not immediately known how much was taken in either holdup.

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks

	High	Low	Last
Abd/Lab. missing	25	25	25
AlliChal	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Alcoa	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Am Airlin	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
A Brands	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
AmCan	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
A Cyan	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am Motors	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
AmT&T	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
BancWV	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
BeaFDs	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
BethSH	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Boring	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Borden	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Burling	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
CarPac	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Celanese	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Champion	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Chessie	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Chrysler	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Citico	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Comwe	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
ChnGrp	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
DeitsAir	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
DownCh	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
DukeP	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
DuPont	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
EastAir Lin	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
EastCo	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Easton	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Eastmark	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Exxon	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Firestn	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
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GenFood	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
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Grace	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Greyhd	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
GuifOil	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Hercules	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Honywil	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
IBM	268 1/2	268 1/2	268 1/2
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UnCarb	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
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Conley Downs Jaguar Matmen

HOLLYWOOD — D. H. Conley's wrestling team gained a 54-9 victory over Farmville Central last night, in a match much closer than the score would indicate.

The Vikings won 11 of the 13 weights, but in many instances, the decisions were close ones. One Farmville win came on a pin, while six Conley victories were by falls. One came on a forfeit.

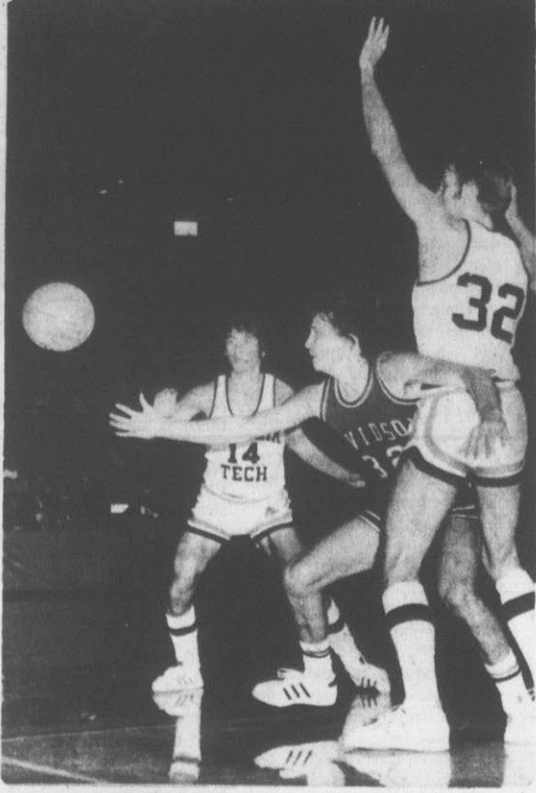
Paul Bridges, at 185 and Ronald Harris at 132, each recorded their fifth straight wins by pins, while Charles Hanson, at 167, won his fifth straight match, but took it on a decision.

Farmville Central's Horace Williams, a state placer last year, was beaten by Harris, pinned in the final four seconds of the match, for his first defeat of

the year. John Dupree, the Jaguar heavyweight, also suffered his first loss to unbeaten Lo Carmon.

Conley is now 5-0, while Farmville is 3-2. The Vikings host Rocky Mount and Farmville travels to Southern Nash on Friday.

Summary:
98: Gary Harris (C) pinned Jan Joyner, 0:59.
105: Joe Ebron (FC) pinned Donald Hardy, 3:31.
112: Alton Crandall (C) pinned William Harper, 2:15.
119: Floyd Crandall (C) pinned Mike King, 3:49.
126: David Newton (FC) decided William Small, 7:4.
132: Ronald Harris (C) pinned Horace Williams, 5:56.
138: Larry Powell (C) decided Carl Davis, 7:4.
145: Marvin Hardy (C) decided Robert Williams, 5:4.
155: Ronald Roach (C) decided James Mercer, 8:6.
167: Charles Hanson (C) decided Aaron Gorham, 6:5.
185: Paul Bridges (C) pinned David Cockram, 1:55.
195: Jesse Davis (C) won by forfeit.
Unlimited: Lo Carmon (C) pinned John Dupree, 5:28.



HINDERED — Grappling his way through Georgia Tech defenders guard Ray Schnitzer (14) and center Randy Foster (32), guard Ernie Reigel (32) of Davidson can't reach the basketball to keep it in bounds at Atlanta Wednesday. The action occurred in the first half. Georgia Tech won the game, 59-44. (AP Wirephoto)

Togetherhness Key To Berth

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — Maybe it sounds corny, but the playoff-bound New England Patriots credit love and togetherhness for much of their success in a surprising turnaround in the National Football League.

"These guys love each other," said Coach Chuck Fairbanks. "Love in a violent game—it's really something."

Fairbanks, who suffered through a dismal 3-11 record in his third year as coach in 1975, admits "the team has come on faster than I thought it would" in posting an 11-3 mark this season.

Naturally, there are many factors for the success which has carried the Patriots into the playoffs for the first time since their American Football

League days in 1963. However, everyone talks mainly about "love," "togetherness," and "cooperation."

The Patriots opened the season by blowing a first-half lead and losing 27-13 to the Baltimore Colts. Neville called a team meeting at a nearby motel.

Anyone with something to say got his chance. The clearing of the air must have helped. The Patriots went out and scored upset victories over Miami, Pittsburgh and Oakland the next three weeks.

The Patriots scheduled a final workout at Schaefer Stadium today before flying to Oakland and putting a six-game winning streak on the line against the Raiders Saturday in the opening round of the playoffs.

Dennison Has Way With TDs

DALLAS (AP) — At 6-foot and 208 pounds Doug Dennison doesn't frighten anybody off the line of scrimmage.

But what the third-year player from Little Rock State in Pennsylvania does better than any other Dallas Cowboy is score touchdowns.

The former free agent running back has a knack of hitting the tiniest of cracks where the going is toughest and surviving while the referee throws up both hands.

"Doug Dennison is the best guy I know to give a football on the goal line or short yardage," says Cowboy Coach Tom Landry.

A 12-yard touchdown run last week against Washington is a prime example. Dennison slashed off tackle where he was

challenged at the four-yard line. He struggled and staggered into the end zone with the tackler wrapped around him.

Dennison will probably never be a 1,000-yard gainer, but he works as hard or harder than anyone on the Cowboy team.

But he is perhaps the most publicized and unheralded player on the Cowboy team. He will not start Sunday because Preston Pearson is a better pass receiver.

It would be easy for the Los Angeles Rams to overlook him in Sunday's National Conference title game. But he's been strictly poison for every team that forgot he was around.

Today's Sports
Basketball
Georgia Southern at East Carolina (7:30 p.m.)
Rose at New Bern (girls)
Southern Nash at Farmville Central (7 p.m.)
Wrestling
Ayden-Griffon at Camp Lejeune
Williamston at Ahoskie
Friday's Sports
Basketball
North Johnston at Roanoke (6:30 p.m.)
Rose at New Bern (6 p.m.)
Bear Grass at Bath
Ahoskie at Williamston (6:30 p.m.)
Jamesville at Mattamuskeet
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Farmville Central at Southern Nash
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BOSTON (UPI) — The Boston club hit nine home runs in 1976 to lead all other National League teams in that category in its first season of play.

Clemson Seeks Seventh Win

By The Associated Press

Clemson takes its 6-0 record to Miami, Fla., tonight, where the 13th-ranked Tigers are favored over Biscayne College, but the rest of the Atlantic Coast Conference is idle until Saturday.

Wayne "Tree" Rollins has been the Tigers' big man this season in more ways than just height.

He averaged 18.8 points per game and 16.2 rebounds after five starts, including 28 points and 23 rebounds in a 133-78 mismatch against Tennessee Tech.

But his defensive prowess has been equally impressive, due to his proficiency at blocking shots and barricading the enemy's middle.

"This is his last year and he's playing for more than just the team," said Coach Bill Foster. "He's playing for a livelihood. That has to be a subtle motivation."

Despite Rollins' impressive statistics, Clemson is not a one-man show.

Stan Rome leads the team in scoring with a 19.4 average, despite playing little more than a half in each game.

"We've played pretty well," said Foster. "We have scored much better than I thought we would."

"We are doing basically the same things we did last year, but we are a little quicker and we have a year's experience. The guys are more sold on what we're doing," he said.

Rollins and Rome scored 22 and 20 points, respectively, Tuesday night as the Tigers lashed Buffalo 98-67, missing the 100-point mark for the first time this season.

Rollins also picked off 16 rebounds and blocked six shots, Rome added five rebounds and four other Tigers scored in double figures during the rout.

Duke was the only other ACC team to see action Tuesday night. The Blue Devils faltered early and often, but finally got their act together in overtime to beat Connecticut 64-59 in Madison Square Garden.

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Cincinnati Stays Unbeaten As It Downs Miami; Salukis Win Easily

OXFORD, Ohio (AP) — Cincinnati Coach Gale Catlett thinks his basketball team is too banged up to deserve its No. 6 national ranking.

But Miami of Ohio Coach Darrell Hedric disagreed after playing the Bearcats Wednesday night.

Cincinnati, paced by Gary Yoder's career-high 26 points, had little trouble downing Miami University 79-68 before 10,134 fans in Miami's jam-packed Millett Hall.

"We don't deserve to be ranked in the Top 10 with the injuries we have," said Catlett, whose team won in Oxford, Ohio, for the first time in three attempts. The Ohio rivalry goes back to 1908.

Center Bob Miller, 6-foot-10, had only 13 points playing with a foot injury but was effective enough defensively to force Miami to shoot from the outside. Cincinnati has also lost Pat Cummings and freshman Greg Johnson to injuries.

Cincinnati, 6-0, plays St. Louis at home Saturday in its first regularly scheduled Metro-Six Conference game.

Southern Illinois, the nation's

No. 18 team, was the only other ranked club in action Wednesday night. The Salukis took an easy 79-50 decision over Cal Poly-SLO as Corky Abrams scored 22 points and grabbed eight rebounds.

Elsewhere, Dave Welmer scored the winning basket with 14 seconds left as Ball State upset Ohio State 57-55; Rich Laurel scored 43 points, including the go-ahead basket in overtime, to help Hofstra defeat St. Francis 95-94; Tico Brown and Jim Wood combined for 31 points to lead Georgia Tech over Davidson 59-44 and Bob Falk's 17 points powered Wisconsin over Loyola of Chicago

71-68.

Also, Mike Hay scored 21 points and Kim Malcolm added 17 to pace LIU over St. Peter's 68-51; Walter Daniels and Lavon Mercer each scored 20 points as Georgia defeated Furman 87-83; Detroit stopped Michigan State 99-94 behind John Long's 28 points; Dale Haarman hit all 12 foul shots as Cincinnati outscored Evansville 35-9 at the free throw line for an 89-79 victory; Greg Sanders and Essie Hollis each scored 27 points as St. Bonaventure outclassed CCNY 116-76; Doug Bessert's 26 points and seven rebounds led Wyoming over Eastern Washington 75-66; Ralph Garner's 17 points and 12 rebounds helped Austin Peay defeat Oral Roberts 80-76 and Larry Vaculik and Kurt Schoenhoff scored 16 of their combined 20 points from the free throw line as Colorado defeated Long Beach State 76-70.

Set Fame Election

NEW YORK (AP) — Home run slugger Ernie Banks and perfect game pitcher Jim Bunning are among five new candidates eligible for election to baseball's Hall of Fame.

In addition to Banks, who hit 512 homers for the Chicago Cubs, and Bunning, a 224-game winner who pitched a perfect game for the Philadelphia Phillies, other new candidates on the 34-man Hall of Fame ballot include pitcher Camilo Pascual, outfielder Curt Flood and infielder-outfielder Harvey Kuenn.

The ballots were distributed to veteran members of the Baseball Writers Association of America Wednesday. Election to the Hall requires mention on 75 per cent of the ballots returned.

Last year, pitchers Robin Roberts and Bob Lemon earned the honor.

Players may not be added to the ballot until five years after their retirement from active play, and then only after being approved for consideration by a special BBWAA committee. A player then can remain on the ballot for 15 years before being passed onto the Oldtimer's Committee.

Rampants Top Panthers, 56-12

BETHEL — Rose High School's wrestlers rolled to a 56-12 victory over the North Pitt Panthers last night, claiming their fifth straight victory.

The Rampants picked up wins in 10 of the 13 weights, and won five of the ten by pins. The Rose grapplers picked up two more wins on forfeits and another on a default.

North Pitt's three wins included one pin.

The Rampants return to action on Monday, traveling to Ayden-Griffon. North Pitt, now 1-5, will be back in action on December 30, participating in the West Carteret Tournament.

Summary:
98: Cliff Hagan (R) pinned John Simpson, 5:05.
105: John Lawler (R) pinned Clay Pilgreen, 1:15.
112: James Cherry (R) won by default over Tim Andrews.
119: Jesse Baker (R) pinned Dennis Carroll, 1:14.
126: Ronnie Massenburg (NP) decided Tim Allen, 5:4.
132: Virgil Tyson (R) decided Donald Manning, 12:5.
138: Johnny Harris (R) won by forfeit.
145: Bernard Paige (R) won by forfeit.

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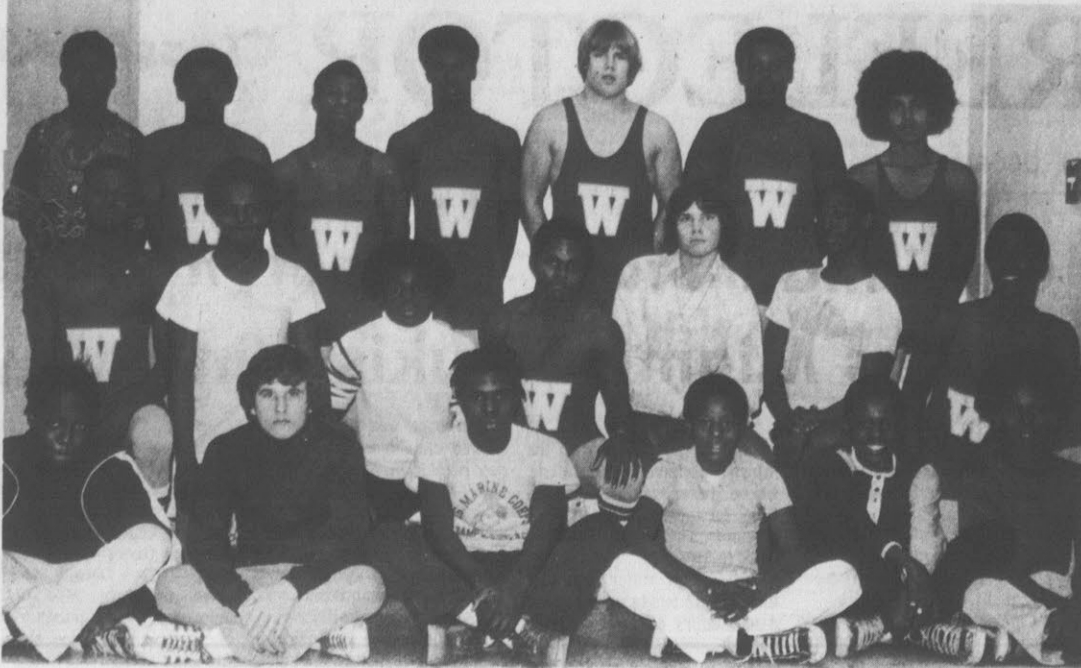
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WILLIAMSTON WRESTLERS — Members of the Williamston High School wrestling team are, first row, left to right: Charles Armstead, Grady Godard, Wayne Speller, Tony Speller, Chuck Perkins, Roger Lee; second row, Johnny Washington, Rodney

Rogers, Shelton Laughinghouse, Keith Griffin, Milton Peele, Larry Gray; third row, James Coffield, manager; Terry Gainer, Vince Williams, Roosevelt Mackey, Warren Lamb, Joe Jenkins, Larry Yarrell. Not pictured is Sam Short. (Reflector Photo)

Williamston Wrestlers Hoping That Losses Will Build Winners

By JIM KYLE
Reflector Sports Writer

Williamston wrestling coach Harold Robinson said it is his fault the Tigers have composed a poor record thus far this season but he expects these early losses to help the team.

"I scheduled people who have been wrestling longer than us because I think the only way you can become better is to wrestle better people," Robinson said. The Tigers, who have fielded a wrestling team for only four years, have gone up against both Farmville Central and D. H. Conley, two of the best teams in the area.

"We'll find out when the tournament rolls around if those

matches will help us; and I think they will. We're going to lose some matches, but we're going to win some, too."

"I hate to lose more than anybody in North Carolina but, at the same time, I hope that when we get beat we will learn something. If the kids will just hang in there and keep believing what I tell them then, when the end of the year rolls around, I think we'll be right in the thick of things."

Robinson said five wrestlers are returning from last year's Tiger team, which was 6-6 and finished third in the Northeastern Conference. Those five are joined by eight inexperienced grapplers to compose

the Williamston squad.

Freshman Ben Jones is the 99-pound wrestler and he "has done a heck of a job" so far this year, Robinson said.

Tony Speller, another freshman, wrestles at 105 and the Tigers don't really have a 112-pounder.

Second-year man Terry Gaines starts at 119 and William Slade is at 126.

At 132, Hank Edwards and Carl Slade are battling it out. Slade has more experience, Robinson said, but Edwards is "real quick" and learning.

Roosevelt Mackin, the 138-pound wrestler, is the biggest surprise on the Williamston team. He is a "proven leader,"

Robinson said and works hard with the younger team members. He is currently undefeated.

Joel Hagan, another first-year wrestler, starts at 145 and conference champion Sam Short returns at 155. "I can't say enough about how much (Short) has done for the Williamston wrestling program," Robinson said.

The 167-pound starter is currently undecided. David Gurganus starts but is young and inexperienced and Ricky Moore could move in when he becomes eligible in January.

At 185, Warren Lamb is in his second year and another second-year man, Joe Jenkins is at 195. Grady Winstead is the top heavyweight, but he is out with a knee injury.

Plymouth and Edenton are the top two teams in the conference this year, just as they were last year, according to Robinson. Both these schools have more established wrestling programs than the others in the conference but the other schools are catching up, Robinson said.

Robinson also took time to thank East Carolina University wrestling coach John Welborn for the job he has done to improve wrestling in eastern North Carolina. Welborn has taught many of the coaches in this part of the state, Robinson said, and is largely responsible for the growth of wrestling in the area.

Wrestling Peterson Was Dream Come True

One day last summer, while working as a policeman in New Jersey, Jay Dever was watching the Montreal Olympics. At the time, John Peterson was attempting to win a gold medal in wrestling for the United States. Dever, who had wrestled in high school, was asked by a friend if he would like to wrestle Peterson in the Olympics.

"Sure," said Dever, wondering if his friend was a candidate for some institution.

Last Friday night, that question became reality, as the East Carolina wrestling team, of which Dever is a member, faced the Athletes in Action, of which John Peterson is player-coach. Both men wrestle at the 177 pound weight class, so it happened. Jay Dever, freshman wrestler, faced John Peterson, Olympic gold medalist.

"My friends started taking bets on how fast I'd get pinned," Dever said afterwards. "I don't think any of them figured it would go more than the first period."

It lasted much longer than the first period. In fact, the two wrestlers went through two scoreless periods before Peterson prevailed, pinning Dever with 53 seconds left in the match.

What was the Moorestown, N. J., native thinking about during the second period break when it was a scoreless tie.

"There was one main thing I was concentrating on," explained Dever. "There was a good looking girl in the stands and I was thinking about her," he admitted.

"Seriously, I was thinking that as crazy as it might have seemed, I still had a chance to beat him. Then I got in on him, but didn't keep my head up. He took advantage of that and turned me over."

Peterson was asked after the match if he was just carrying Dever along.

"No way," he said. "I just couldn't get him over, he was too strong."

Even with his super performance against Peterson, Dever has not been too satisfied with his progress to date with the ECU wrestling squad.

"I'm strong and pretty quick," he said, "but there is a lot about wrestling that I don't know yet. It gets really frustrating at times, because I don't know all the things I should. I guess I'm a slow learner."

Dever feels he is improving though, and gives credit to head

coach John Welborn and assistant coach Mike Waller.

"Coach Welborn has really been great," he said. "He has shown patience and understanding with my rate of progress. I think he is the main reason I decided to wrestle at East Carolina."

"I can't say enough about Mike Waller," Dever continued.

"He finished fifth in the NCAA tournament last year, and he has been working with me a lot this year, so I am improving."

Dever will continue to improve as he gains experience. As for his match against Peterson, he said, "It was a tremendous challenge." Then, he adds with a smile, "How soon do you think I can get a rematch?"

'Shooting' Starts In Olympic Rights War

HOWARD SMITH
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The battle lines have been drawn. The wheeling and dealing is over. The high commands of the three major networks are on hand. Two years of preliminary negotiations will climax over the weekend with a meeting in Moscow.

And within the next few days it should be known which network will own the television rights to the 1980 Summer Olympics.

"When you look back over the last several years to what has captured the fancy of the American viewing public, to what has brought viewers to their TV sets that might not otherwise be there, the answer is the Olympics," says CBS President Bob Wussler. "We would be hard pressed to find a better way to spend our money."

And spend someone will. ABC paid \$25 million for the rights to the Montreal Games last summer. The price tag for the 1980 Games is expected to be in neighborhood of \$100 million.

But the Olympics are a big prestige item, and the networks are willing to risk a loss in order to give their image a big boost.

But CBS turned the idea down, saying it would prefer to take its chances alone.

And those chances look pretty good. A brief look at the competition:

CBS—The network is rated the favorite. CBS has worked very hard for the Games and may be willing to bid higher than the others. Network officials have pursued the Soviets vigorously for 2½ years. Also, CBS has been in a slump lately and needs the Games badly to restore lost prestige.

ABC—Experience is the key to ABC's presentation. The network did a fine job in Innsbruck and Montreal, and the Russians were impressed. But there is a feeling that ABC, having already invested in the 1980 Winter Games in Lake Placid, N.Y., would be less than bereft if it lost out.

NBC—Rated the longshot. Network sources have been pessimistic over their chances of landing the Games, and the feeling in some quarters is that NBC isn't really sure if it wants them.

Danny Murtaugh first managed the Pittsburgh Pirates in 1957.

It's not a bad ratings booster, either. ABC averaged a 47 per cent audience share, meaning 47 per cent of the televisions turned on were tuned to ABC, over the two weeks of the Summer Olympics. And the network drew a 35 per cent share over the 11 days of the Winter Games in Innsbruck.

ABC says it made a profit on the Olympics, a small one, but the network gained immeasurably in prestige.

The 1980 Games in Moscow, in addition to being expensive, are fraught with pitfalls. The Russians will doubtless exercise some editorial controls over the enterprise and could insist that some air time be devoted to "Soviet Culture" of dubious interest in the U.S.

These considerations and others prompted talk of a network pool. ABC was in favor of it because, as one source explained, "We think the other networks would do such a poor job that we would look great by comparison." NBC favored it because, a spokesman said, "The three networks together could resist any political pressure from the Russians better than one alone."

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Pressure No Problem As Hayes Scores 45

By The Associated Press
Elvin Hayes says he feels a lot of pressure when Phil Chenier is out of the lineup.

But he certainly did not let it bother him Wednesday night. Hayes took the scoring load on his broad shoulders, firing in 45 points as the Washington Bullets defeated the Kansas City Kings 104-100 in National Basketball Association action.

In other NBA games, the Philadelphia 76ers defeated the Phoenix Suns 97-87; the Detroit Pistons blitzed the Golden State Warriors 136-116; the Los Angeles Lakers trimmed the New Orleans Jazz 115-105; the Boston Celtics stopped the Milwaukee Bucks 129-125; the Indiana Pacers defeated the San Antonio Spurs 116-102, and the Denver Nuggets defeated the Seattle SuperSonics 117-103.

Hayes connected on 19 of 32 shots and grabbed seven rebounds in his best performance since scoring 46 points in a playoff game against Buffalo two years ago.

76ers 97, Suns 87
Julius Erving collected 25 points and George McGinnis 25 as Philadelphia beat Phoenix. Philadelphia raced to a 17-point first-period lead and never trailed. The Suns reduced the lead 33-31 with 7:51 left in the second quarter, but a 10-point 76ers' spurt led to a 51-41 half-time advantage.

Pistons 136, Warriors 116
Guards Kevin Porter and

Chris Ford each tossed in three baskets during a 16-0 first-quarter spree as Detroit swept past Golden State. The Pistons, winning for the fifth time in their last six games, trailed 10-6 when Porter scored two baskets and Ford followed with two more, giving Detroit a lead it never relinquished.

Lakers 115, Jazz 105
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar's 35 points and 16 rebounds led Los Angeles over New Orleans. The Jazz played most of the second half without leading NBA scorer Pete Maravich, who re-injured an ankle after scoring 15 points in the first half.

Celtics 129, Bucks 125
Boston rallied behind Charlie Scott in the fourth period and defeat Milwaukee. With Milwaukee in front 107-104, Scott scored 12 points while the Bucks managed just four, put-

ting Boston in front to stay. Scott wound up with 29 points, while Milwaukee's Junior Bridgeman had a career-high 41.

Pacers 116, Spurs 102
Wil Jones scored 26 points and grabbed 19 rebounds, both season highs, leading Indiana past San Antonio. The Spurs led 53-50 at halftime, but Indiana took the lead for good midway through the third quarter and steadily widened the margin to as many as 22 points late in the game.

Nuggets 117, Sonics 103
Dan Issel poured in a career-high 38 points while David Thompson added 24 and Bobby Jones 23, leading Denver over Seattle. Trailing 86-80 after three periods, Seattle rallied behind Dean Tolson's six consecutive points and pulled within 104-101 with 2:17 left.

Chocowinity Tops Bullets

JAMESVILLE — Chocowinity High School pulled away from Jamesville's Bullets in the final period Tuesday night to take a 47-36 victory.

The Jamesville girls took a 42-25 victory in their game, winning their fourth in five starts.

In the girls' contest, Chocowinity pushed out into a 12-6 lead after the first stanza. But Jamesville rallied, 10-4, in the second period and tied it at 16-all at intermission. Jamesville inched out into the lead after the third period, 24-22, then pounded Chocowinity, 18-3, in the final quarter, to win going away.

Joyce Manning led the victory with 21 points. Lauren Dixon had 13 to lead Chocowinity.

Jamesville was able to inch ahead at the end of the first period of the boys' game, 11-9. But Chocowinity came back and tied it at the half, 17-17.

The visitors inched out into a 31-29 lead as the third period

drew to a close. Chocowinity then outthit the Bullets, 16-7, in the final quarter to pull out the victory.

Dwayne Kellum led Chocowinity with 14 points, while Freddie Smith had 13. Eric Davis led Jamesville with 16.

Jamesville travels to Matamoras Friday.

Girls' Game
Chocowinity—Dixon 13, Bright 8, Ruffin 2, Beasley 2, Harvey 2, Smith, Harrell, Blount, Hudson, Rogers, Layton, Jefferson, Jamesville—Modlin 2, S. Hardison 1, L. Modlin 4, Martin 4, James 8, Barber 2, Manning 21, K. Hardison, Davis, Staton, Chocowinity 12 4 4 3-25
Jamesville 6 10 8 18-42

Boys' Game
Choco 9 11 James 9 11
Windley 3 0 6 Barber 2 0 4
Wilson 1 8 2 S. Hardison 2 0 7
Kellum 6 2 14 DiNardo 2 3 7
Smith 5 3 13 Whitehurst 2 1 5
Snaw 0 2 2 Davis 7 2 16
McCuller 1 0 2 Williams 0 0 0
L. Williams 2 0 4 Williams 0 0 0
A. Williams 2 0 4 Totals 15 6 36
Totals 20 7 47

Chocowinity 9 8 14 14-47
Jamesville 11 6 12 7-36

Defeat Hard For Grevey To Take

By CHARLES WOLFE
AP Sports Writer
COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — When South Carolina met third-ranked and undefeated Kentucky Monday night, it ended an anxious wait for Bryan Grevey.

Not only were the Gamecocks trying to get untracked after a 1-2 start, but many Kentucky players were close friends and summer companions of the 6-

Bengals Big Test

OAKLAND (AP) — Mark van Eeghen, who broke through the 1,000-yard barrier last weekend, says the breakthrough for the Oakland Raiders' running actually attack came a week earlier.

"The Cincinnati game was our big test. It was no secret that the teams we'd played the past few weeks weren't too tough. But then we went out and ran for more than 200 yards against the Bengals, a playoff-caliber team. Our running game is back in high gear," van Eeghen said Wednesday.

The Raiders totaled 228 yards on the ground, including 74 by van Eeghen, and Ken Stabler threw for 217 yards and four touchdowns in a 35-20 victory Dec. 6. The loss cost the Bengals a spot in the National Football League playoffs.

The Raiders already were assured of a playoff berth—they open against the New England Patriots here Saturday—and it appeared they had nothing to gain in the Monday night meeting with Cincinnati.

Oakland, whose 13-1 record was the best in the NFL this year, had depended mostly on Stabler's passing over the first half of the season. The Raiders had rushed for 211, 250 and 179 yards in the three games before Dec. 6, but the opponents were Kansas City, Philadelphia and Tampa Bay.

foot-5 sophomore from Hamilton, Ohio.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grevey flew to Columbia, S.C., for the game, as did Bryan's older brother, Kevin, a former All-America at Kentucky and the Washington Bullets' top draft choice in 1975.

Nearly 11,000 fans, hungry for an upset, filed into gleaming Carolina Coliseum, where the Gamecocks' eight-year record had been 92-9.

Kentucky raced to a 10-0 lead, increased it to as much as 34 points and handed South Carolina its worst defeat in 12 years, 98-67.

The game over, Bryan swallowed his disappointment and exchanged warm greetings with his friends, including Rick Robey, Mike Phillips and James Lee, who had dominated inside play, Jack Givens, who led all scorers with 28 points, and co-captains Larry Johnson and

Merion Haskins.
Inside the dressing room, Bryan slumped on a wooden stool and reviewed the game's grim statistics.

He had hoped for a big game, he said, because the Gamecocks traditionally were hard to beat at home.

Instead, the Wildcats used a smothering 1-3-1 zone defense, taking away South Carolina's inside game, dominated the boards and hit 61 per cent from the field to 41 per cent for the Gamecocks.

"I really thought I'd play more than I did," said Bryan, who saw just seven minutes of action and scored two points.

"I was really pumped up, emotionally ready to play. We all were."

"I lived with those guys all summer (in Lexington, Ky.)," he added. "We kidded each other about Dec. 13. I was definitely psyched up."

"Alabama beat us on the road by 24 and, for a team to come in here and just handle us the way Kentucky did, that

really says something for the way they're coached and the way they play," he said.

"I haven't seen the schedule," said a dressing room visitor. "You guys play them any more before you graduate?"

"Yeah, next year," Bryan said. "Up there, I'm not looking forward to that at all."

Asked if the loss made him regret signing with South Carolina instead of accepting a scholarship to Kentucky, Bryan said, "No, I'm really happy down here."

Returning to the nearly deserted arena, he met his parents, 9-year-old brother, Normie, and a smiling Kevin.

"You guys didn't do too well against that press. Didn't you practice it?" Kevin chided.

"Yeah, all week," Bryan said. "It didn't make much difference, did it?"

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Stars & Stripes	29	27
Five Points	29	27
Littlefield Int.	29	27
Pin Fallers	23	33
Country Boys	22	34
D.S. Swain	18	38
American Legion	14	42
High game, W. Tucker, 235; high series, J. Bowen, 401.		

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Wednesday's Games

Boston 129, Milwaukee 125
Philadelphia 97, Phoenix 87
Washington 104, Kansas City 100

Thursday's Games

Indiana 116, San Antonio 104
Detroit 136, Golden State 116
Los Angeles 115, New Orleans 105

Friday's Games

Denver 117, Seattle 103
Indiana at Cleveland
Atlanta at Houston
New York Nets at Kansas City

Friday's Games

New York Knicks at Boston
Milwaukee at New York Jets
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Pro Basketball At A Glance

By The Associated Press

National Basketball Association

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World Hockey Association

Eastern Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Quebec	19	12	39	182	117
Cinci	17	10	36	137	98
Indy	16	11	34	97	107
Minn	12	14	28	91	97
N.Eng	12	15	28	101	111
Birm	9	21	19	108	135

Western Division

Winnipg	18	12	37	145	105
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Vancvr	6	21	19	86	126

Wales Conference

Norris Division

Mont	12	15	4	32	160	72
L.A.	11	12	10	32	108	103
Pitts	12	13	5	29	91	100
Drt	9	16	4	22	78	102
Wash	8	18	4	20	83	125

Adams Division

Bstn	19	9	2	40	114	93
Buff	17	8	3	37	97	68
Toto	11	11	8	34	118	104
Cleve	19	15	7	25	87	102

Wednesday's Games

Los Angeles 3, Atlanta 1
Toronto 4, St. Louis 1
Cleveland 7, Detroit 3
Montreal 8, Colorado 2

Thursday's Games

St. Louis 8, Boston 1
Cleveland at Pittsburgh
Vancouver at Detroit
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Friday's Games
Toronto at Washington
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WASHINGTON (AP) — When the Washington Redskins missed gaining a berth in the playoffs in 1975 for the first time in five years, Coach George Allen knew some changes had to be made. And changes he has made.

Fifteen of the players who will go against the Minnesota Vikings Saturday in the first round of the National Football League playoffs were not on the 43-man roster on the final game of 1975.

There are six new starters from the team that finished 8-6 a year ago, six backup men and three who are used primarily on special teams.

None of the newcomers were acquired in the draft. As has been documented many times, Allen acquires veterans through trades for draft choices primarily.


During his six-year stint in Washington, he has made trades involving 106 players and 131 draft choices.

Bethel In Two Victories

BETHEL — Bethel Elementary School captured a pair of victories from Snow Hill yesterday.

Bethel won the girls' game, 49-9. Connie Dupree and Emma Brown each scored 10 points to lead Bethel.

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To Host DCYF Convention

Members of the St. Paul Disciple Church of Christ Young Fellowship Organization will host the Disciples of Christ Young Fellowship (DCYF) Convention which will be held at the Morning Star Holiness Church Saturday, December 18 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Activities for the day include a morning session of devotion by the host church and a talent show from 33 participating churches. After lunch, the churches will be divided into groups for workshop sessions. The host church officials are as follows: Teresa Walston, president; Patricia Moore, vice president; Bertha Phillips, secretary; and Julia Keyes, treasurer. Advisors for the group are Miss Lillian Allen, Miss Ovula Wilson, Mrs. Myrtle Allen, and Mrs. Josephine Meeks. Rev. Willie Wilson is district elder and Rev. Alex Matthew is the pastor. Daniel Rawl is the president of the DCYF Convention.

No Evidence That Any POWs Alive

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon can resume the grim business of reclassifying the 728 Americans still officially listed as missing in action in Vietnam.

A special House committee reported Wednesday that it could find no evidence to indicate that any Americans are still held captive in Indochina or that any of those considered missing are in fact alive.

Fifteen months ago, when the committee began its probe, the Pentagon halted its case-by-case reclassification of the MIAs in deference to the committee's investigation.

Thus far, no one officially listed as an MIA in Vietnam has been reclassified as anything other than killed in action.

The House panel stopped just short of flatly declaring that the 728 remaining MIAs were dead, a job the Pentagon would have to do. But Rep. G. G. Montgomery, D-Miss., made it plain that there was no hope.

"There comes a time when you have to make sad statements, and that's what the committee has done. This is a final, sad chapter to our involvement in Southeast Asia," he told a news conference.

The report said the committee had been led "to the belief that no Americans are still being held alive as prisoners in Indochina."

Montgomery and another committee member, California

Republican Paul McCloskey, said the report should not deter the United States from pressing for any information the Vietnamese might have about missing Americans. Envoys of both countries are currently negotiating in Paris, with the MIAs a major issue.

The United States has vetoed Vietnam's applications for United Nations membership because of the MIA issue.

A spokeswoman for the National League of Families of American Prisoners and Missing in Southeast Asia said the Paris talks between Vietnam and the United States are a continuing argument against the committee's conclusion.

"For the first time, we have an opportunity to obtain actual information on what happened to these missing Americans," a league spokesman said.

The committee report said 2,546 Americans did not return from the war, including 41 civilians. The Pentagon still lists 728 as officially missing.

It said that the percentage of men unaccounted for in Vietnam was quite low in comparison to previous wars. In World War II and Korea, 22 per cent of those killed were first listed as missing. None was ever found alive after being officially listed as missing, the panel said.

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Gospel Program

A gospel program will be held at Oak Grove Holiness Church in Bonners Lane Sunday at 7 p.m. Featured singers are the Seven Spirituals and the Golden Tones. The public is invited.

PWP Change

Parents Without Partners' potluck supper, set for Friday at 7:30 p. m., will be held at Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church instead of at Planters National Bank, as was previously announced.

Oak Grove Musical

A musical program will be held at the Oak Grove Holiness Church located on Bonners Lane Saturday at 7:30 p.m. Featured singers will include the Golden Tones, Shirley Williams, Vickie Hawkins, and the Jones Spiritual Singers of Hookerton. The public is invited.

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Minister Leaves Oil Conference

By NICK LUDINGTON
Associated Press Writer
DOHA, Qatar (AP) — Saudi Arabia's oil minister, Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, abruptly left the ministerial conference of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries today after other OPEC members rejected his call for a six-month freeze on the price of oil.

Yamani, whose country is OPEC's largest producer, told reporters he was flying back to Saudi Arabia. He refused to say whether he would return.

It was believed Yamani was returning home to consult with King Khalid. One conference source said the delegates heard Khaled was in touch with the Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi of Iran, who has called for a 15 per cent hike in the current base price of \$11.51 a barrel for crude oil.

Saudi Arabia proposed a six-month delay in raising the price of crude, but at closed-door sessions Wednesday night and today the 12 other OPEC members called for increases.

Sheik Abdulaziz Bin Khalifa al Thani, oil minister of Qatar, said that "discussion revolved around 15 per cent."

However, a member of the Iranian delegation, Shuaddin Shasa, said he believed "the atmosphere of the conference" indicated an increase of less than 10 per cent.

Oil Minister Taleh Abdulkarim of Iraq said there was a wide divergence of views and he doubted a decision would be made today.

The meeting was scheduled

to end Friday.

Saudi Arabia and Iran, which is OPEC's second-largest producer, were expected to be the decisive voices in the final outcome.

The Qatar delegate said all 13 OPEC members completed presentation of their views at today's session. The meeting opened Wednesday in this Persian Gulf emirate.

Some delegates said Wednesday the Saudi Arabian price-freeze proposal was only a bargaining position and that the Saudis would accept an increase of up to 10 per cent.

Saudi Arabia has closer ties to the West and less need for increased oil revenues than most other OPEC members.

On Wednesday, the government radio in Iran predicted a price increase of 12.5 per cent, and some oil ministers were still talking about 25 per cent.

Indonesia suggested a two-step increase, six months apart, totaling 10 per cent.

U.S. experts estimate the price of gasoline in the United States would go up one cent a gallon for each 8 per cent increase in the price of crude oil.

Challenged To Debate

RALEIGH (AP) — The North Carolina Coalition Against the Death Penalty has challenged Lt. Gov.-elect Jimmy Green to debate the issue on the WUNC television network in early January.

William S. Geimer, co-convenor of the coalition, said Wednesday he had sent a letter to Green suggesting the debate. Green was out of the state and

not immediately available.

In proposing the debate, Geimer told a news conference, "We believe that the more you know about the death penalty, the less attractive it is." The coalition has opened what he termed a "vigorous" campaign against the death penalty.

Geimer said the campaign would in part seek to counter "an almost secret gearing up of the legislative process" to put

North Carolina "back into the business of killing people."

The coalition presented a draft of a copy of a capital punishment bill prepared by the attorney general's office. Geimer said the measure would apply capital punishment in the same inequitable manner as previously, with blacks, the poor and the uneducated receiving harsher sentences than more privileged citizens.

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Fiddling First Love

By DAVE BEYTON
Huntington Herald-Dispatch.

DUNBAR, W. Va. (AP) — Bobby Taylor works as a dental technician, but his first love is fiddling.

And when old-time fiddle enthusiasts close their eyes, some of them say they swear they're listening to Clark Kessinger, perhaps the best old-time fiddler ever.

The reason is simple. Bobby, 24, was a student of Kessinger's before the old fiddler died in June 1975. Bobby was one of the few people Kessinger ever taught.

Now, Kessinger's protege is getting a reputation of his own.

He won the old-time fiddle contest in Bluefield in 1974. This past June, he took top honors at the old-time fiddle contest in Lewisburg. Last month, he was named the top old-time West Virginia fiddler at a festival sponsored by the West Virginia University Foundation at Morgantown.

He won over Wirt County's Glenn Smith, who for years has been known as the king of the Mountain State's old-time fiddlers.

Bobby won the contest with "Red Bird," a Clark Kessinger tune.

Kessinger's career as a fiddle player spanned 50 years. A native West Virginian, he was three times the world champion fiddler, having won those titles at the fiddler's contest in Union Grove, N.C. He also captured a national fiddler's championship in the late 60's at Weiser, Idaho.

Kessinger appeared on national television, including the Today show, in the late 60's. He also appeared on the Grand Ol' Opry and was well-known at old-time music festivals across the country.

In 1970, a stroke forced Kessinger to give up traveling and remain at his St. Albans home, for the most part. It was during the last five years of his life that he tutored Taylor.

"Clark didn't show too many people any of his fiddle styles," Taylor said. "But he seemed to like me from the beginning. He mostly taught me his bow techniques since the hand he used for the strings was partially paralyzed by the stroke."

Kessinger also was egocentric, Taylor said. "He didn't think much of other fiddlers. There was only one — the late Blind Ed Halsey of Ashland, Ky. — who he admitted was better than he was."

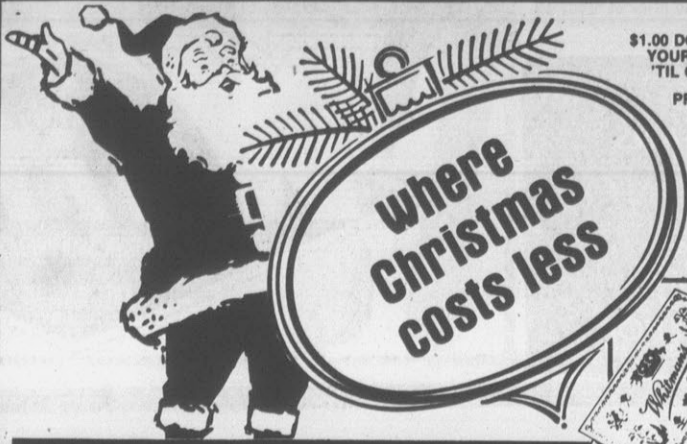
Today, Taylor surrounds himself with memories of the world-famous fiddler. He has nearly every record Kessinger ever cut.

"Kessinger was a legend before he died," said Taylor.

"He's a legend today and I suspect they'll still be talking about him a hundred years from now."

Taylor said he's been playing the fiddle since he was 16. He sought out Kessinger, who didn't live far from his home. He listened to Kessinger's advice and said he soon found he was able to play the complicated mountain tunes in the complicated way Kessinger played them.

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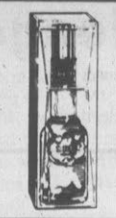
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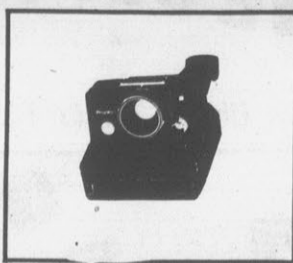
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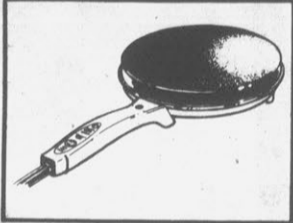
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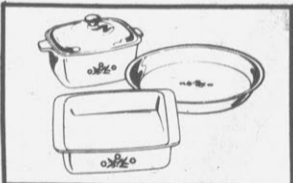
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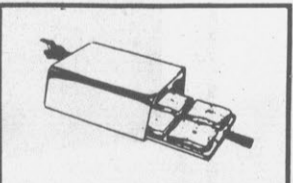
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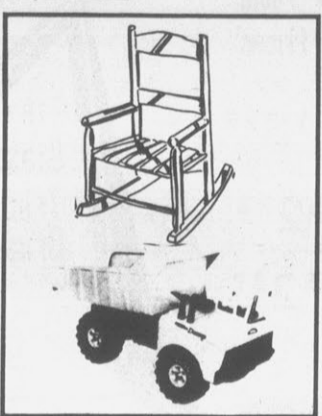
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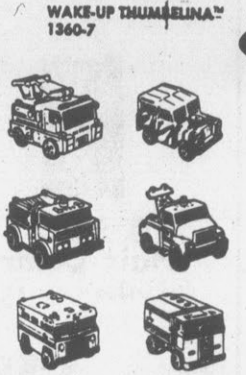


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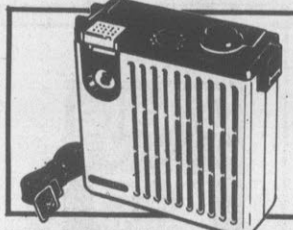
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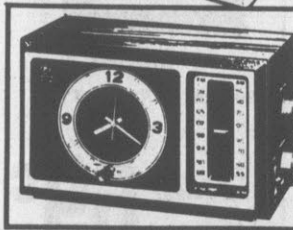
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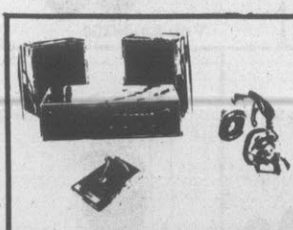
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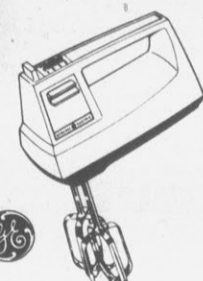
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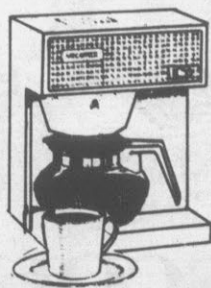
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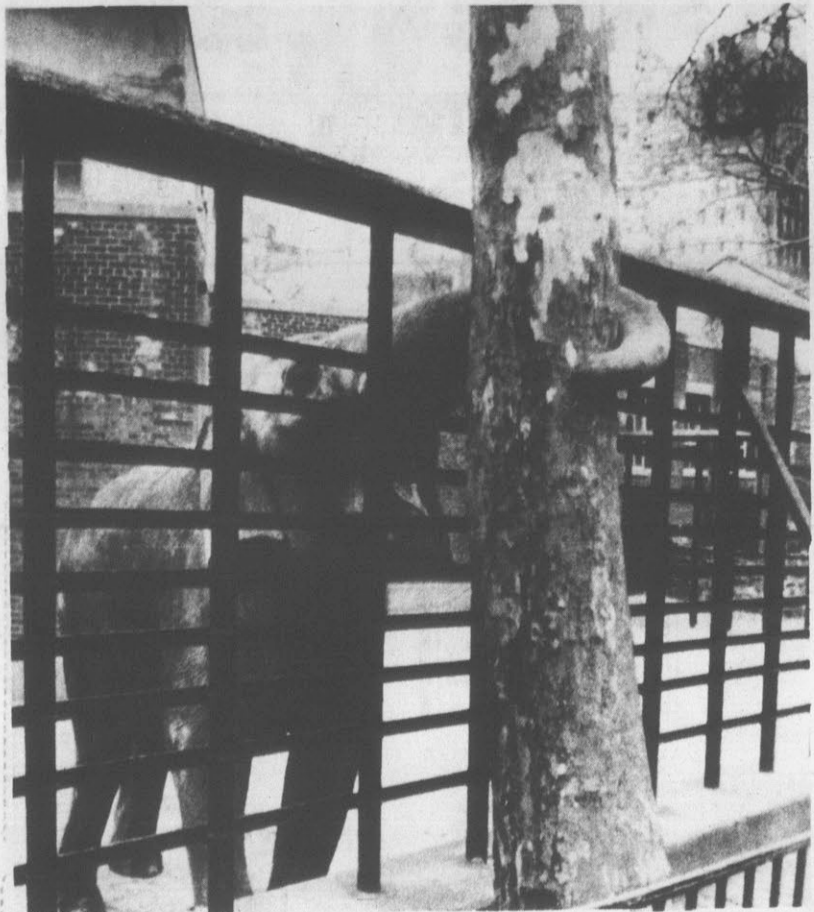


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By EDITH M. LEDERER
Associated Press Writer
KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) — Jamaican voters gave a landslide endorsement to Prime Minister Michael Manley's Socialist, pro-Cuban policies in an election that the 52-year-old prime minister termed a "victory for the Third World."

Unofficial returns early today gave Manley's People's National party (PNP) 45 of the 60 seats in the House of Representatives and Edward Seaga's Jamaica Labor party six. Nine seats were undecided, but computer projections gave a division of 48 to 12.

The PNP held 35 seats and the JLP 15 in the outgoing 53-seat house.

The popular vote was not so lopsided. Nearly complete re-

turns gave the PNP 392,000 and the JLP 285,800.

At an election celebration Wednesday night, Manley appealed for national unity after the most violent campaign in the Commonwealth island's 14 years of independence from Britain.

The prime minister, whose party took over the government from the JLP in 1972, announced he would carry out an election promise to make the Caribbean nation a republic.

He warned of "very difficult times" with less "frills and luxuries" and greater sacrifices from the 2 million people.

"The real meaning of the victory is that the Jamaican people have sensed there is another way of living — a way in

which man has dignity," he declared.

The result was a resounding rejection of Seaga's call for promotion of foreign investment and a pullback from the close relations with Cuba cultivated by Manley. Seaga claimed the prime minister's ties with Prime Minister Fidel Castro were leading Jamaica along the road to communism, and his Socialist policies were scaring off foreign investment needed to bolster the ailing economy.

Political analysts said Seaga, as expected, picked up votes in Kingston from the middle class, which had the most to gain by a JLP victory. But his party's traditional rural base was eroded, particularly among the sugar workers.

Manley said the chief reason for this was his land reform program and the government's establishment of sugar cooperatives. The cooperatives have given the workers a voice in the industry and raised wages from \$1.50 to \$5.30 a day.

The voting was more peaceful than expected. But police said they shot and killed one man fleeing with stolen ballot boxes, and that two other men were reported beaten by a crowd after allegedly voting illegally.

During the three-week campaign, more than a dozen persons were reported killed in po-

litical violence. In an attempt to reduce postelection violence, the government extended an election-eve ban on political meetings and marches for 30 days.

World's Grain Stockpile Up

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The world's reserve stockpile of wheat and other grain may rise nearly 42 per cent in 1977, largely because of bumper harvests this year in the United States and the Soviet Union, according to the Agriculture Department.

By the time new harvests are ready next July 1, an estimated 156.2 million metric tons of wheat, corn and other grain will be left over as a buffer against food shortages, the most since 1972, the department said Wednesday.

This year, after poor crops in Russia and elsewhere, the world reserve was 110.1 million tons, about what it was in 1975, the department's Foreign Agricultural Service said. A metric ton is 2,205 pounds.

Officials said global grain production this season was estimated at a record of 1,086.6 million tons, up from 981.6 million last year. That was an increase of 22.3 million tons from a similar estimate Oct. 27.

World grain consumption for 1976-77 was estimated at 1,040.5 million tons, also a record, compared with 981.4 million last year. Thus, with production outstripping consumption, the reserve left over next summer will rise sharply.

Officials said the prospective increase in grain supplies will be due mostly to larger crops in the Soviet Union, the United States, Australia, Argentina and other exporting countries.

Also, grain production was larger in Europe than had initially been expected because of drought, the report said. The figures included wheat and coarse grain, such as corn, bar-

ley, oats, sorghum and rye. In the United States, wheat is used primarily for human food, while corn, the largest crop, is used as livestock feed.

But corn and the other grains also are used extensively in many countries as human food and therefore weigh heavily in making world food estimates.

The Soviet Union's grain harvest was estimated at 220 million tons, which includes 210 million of wheat and coarse grains plus 10 million tons of rice, beans and miscellaneous crops not included in the world grain total. In 1975, the Russian harvest of all grain was 140 million tons, the smallest in a decade.

By comparison, the U.S. grain crop this year totaled 247.8 million tons of wheat and coarse grain, up from 242.2 million in 1975, the report said.

The huge harvests mean that there is "a decline in the projected level of wheat trade" in the offing next year, because so many countries have had good crops.

But the report also said there is "a tendency toward levelling off of world wheat and coarse grain prices that had been declining rather sharply since midsummer" of this year.

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CP&L Staff Shakeup

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Carolina Power and Light Co. has announced a shakeup in its top-level staff, the first such reorganization in a decade for the state's second largest utility company.

The shuffle was based at least partly on recommendations of a consulting firm, which has been studying the company for a year.

"This company has grown to the point that another organization study was made," said company spokesman Albert Morris. He added the changes were aimed at "assuring a continuing efficient operation."

Sherwood H. Smith Jr., 42, was named president and chief

administrative officer, replacing Shearon Harris, 59, who is now board chairman and chief executive officer.

J. A. Jones, executive vice president, was named chief operating officer. Edward G. Lilly Jr., senior vice president, was made chief financial officer.

E. E. Utley, group executive for power supply, W. E. Graham Jr., general counsel and group executive for legal, regulatory and communications, and Dadrrell V. Menscer, group executive for corporate services, were named vice presidents.

Under the old system, four group executives reported to Harris. Now Smith and Jones

will each have three group executives reporting to them and they will report to Harris, a change recommended by the consulting firm.

Department heads elected vice presidents included Wilson W. Morgan, system planning and coordination, Patrick W. Howe, technical services, and Earl F. Stephenson, customer service operation support.

The announcement came Wednesday at the utility board's regularly scheduled December meeting. In other business, the board:

—Declared a quarterly dividend of 43 cents per share of common stock, payable Feb. 1 to shareholders

\$5,190 Damages In Collisions

An estimated \$5,190 in property damage resulted from two collisions investigated by Greenville Police yesterday.

Officers reported heaviest damage resulted from a four-vehicle mishap at the intersection of Fifth and Tenth Street about 5:15 p.m. involving trucks driven by Richard Allen Cannon of Kinston and James Franklin Elks of Rt. 3, Greenville, and cars driven by Melvin Hudson Boyd of 104 Nichols Drive and Carmen Morgan Dawkins of 123 Oxford Drive.

Investigators, who reported Cannon and Mrs. Dawkins were injured in the collision,

estimated damage at \$2,500 to the Cannon truck, \$1,500 to the Dawkins car, \$190 to the Elks truck, and \$200 to the Boyd vehicle.

Cannon was charged following investigation of the mishap with having improper brakes.

Cars driven by Teresha Lynn Pierce of Rt. 4, Snow Hill and Herbert Herman Moore of Glendale Court Apartments collided about 12:55 p.m. on Memorial Drive, 300 feet north of the Arlington Drive intersection.

Police, who said both drivers and a passenger in the Pierce car were injured, estimated

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GENERAL TENDENCIES: The daytime finds some unexpected matters arise to test your patience and give you the chance to study what arrangements are more satisfactory. However, the evening is fine for getting all your activities on a better foundation.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Keep promises made to others during the day and then you can socialize in the evening. Take no chances with credit.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Daytime hours are not good for putting some new plan with associates and get just fine. Try a new approach with associates and get better results in joint affairs. Avoid the social in the evening and keep out of trouble.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Use more constructive methods in handling whatever it is that you have promised to do and get good results. Your intuition is not accurate during the day but you can rely on it in the evening.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Forget that entertainment that will cost you a lot and little satisfaction will be yours. Listen to what your partners have to suggest and follow the best of these. Be careful in traffic.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Use diplomacy at home and get rid of tension there. Back others in the afternoon and gain their esteem. Make the evening a happy one at interesting social affair. Dress elegantly.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Use proven ways to handle whatever tasks are ahead of you and get good results. Consider the feelings of others, especially close ties. Evening is fine for entertainment you like.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Monetary affairs can be quite tense during daytime, so be sure to use tact and diplomacy with everyone. Listen carefully to what an adviser has to say in the evening.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Take care you do not act in haste in some situation that is important to you and then you can handle it well in the afternoon. Keep calm during the day. Have a good time tonight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) The day may be quite tense but by evening all eases up and you can confer with a good adviser. Handle detailed work efficiently.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Your friends are not dependable during the day, but by evening they change their tune. You can then gain some cherished aim. Show that you are a wide-awake and charming person.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Study your obligations well and plan how to discharge them efficiently. Find the

right answers to credit matters that are giving you trouble. PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Plan time early in the day to figure out just where you are going in both business and personal life and then make right plans in the evening. An associate sees your views best in the evening. IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY . . . he or she will be able to start ideas in a most clever and precise way. Give as fine an education as possible and permit travel early. Don't neglect religious training. 'The Stars impel, they do not compel.' What you make of your life is largely up to YOU!

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Everything In 'Network' Is True

By DOLORES BARCLAY Associated Press Writer NEW YORK (AP) — He paces around a darkened, memory-filled office, chain-smoking tiny cigars, listening to the hiss and buzz of an ancient radiator, this writer who has enraged television executives on both coasts.

"Everything in 'Network' is absolutely true," says Paddy Chayefsky, who wrote the screenplay for the movie about the television industry. The film begins national distribution today.

"We tell a story about a network that has to kill a guy because his ratings are lousy.

That's the whole point of the movie," Chayefsky says. "Some people in television took the movie personally. They thought it was an unfair assessment. I thought it treated news people very favorably."

Chayefsky, an Academy Award-winning writer, dismisses the controversy surrounding his film. Some television moguls have denounced it as a fantasy trip, and others have applauded it for its realism. It has aroused some audiences to shout back to the evils of television and the staggering powers of corporate institutions.

But when his ratings begin to

slip again, network executives plan with cool aplomb his on-camera assassination by terrorists who had been hired by Christenson for a weekly dramatic series on terrorism.

Chayefsky, 53, says he hates television even though he flourished in the industry during its golden age in the 1950s.

"When I was in television, they had terrific ideas and people and inventive programming," the bearded writer said, shifting now and then in his desk chair. "But television destroys talent. It doesn't allow for natural invention."

It is the institution itself that he said, and not the people in it, he said, because television is dedicated only to profits and ratings.

screen that yes, they too are "fed up" and "mad as hell."

"Oh, the network people will get over it — the ones who are upset," he said. "But most of the people I talked to love it. The characters all said what I think."

It took the Bronx-born playwright 1½ years to finish "Network."

The movie tells of Howard Beale (played by Peter Finch), an aging, alcoholic, but once-popular newscaster. He's put out to pasture by the head of network news, Max Schumacher (William Holden), because

of bad ratings. Beale announces one night, on live network television, that he plans to commit suicide on camera in a week. He tells his audience he is fed up.

Schumacher and other network execs decide Beale should not be allowed on the air waves again. But Beale has captured an audience. Ratings surge for the ailing network. And hard-edged, TV-weaned Diana Christenson (Faye Dunaway), who heads network programming, decides to turn the news segment into a variety hour starring Beale as the "mad prophet" of television, with a soothsayer, a gossip columnist and a live studio audience.

On the show, Beale preaches with evangelical zeal of the



Cancer Never Is Contagious

By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: Three years ago I had cancer surgery, which necessitated an iliotomy. It was rough, but I'm glad to be alive.

Two months ago lung cancer hit me. More surgery, but I'm still fighting because I love life and want to live. I'm now back at work at my art gallery and have adopted an "I'll cry tomorrow" attitude.

The reason for this letter might strike you as unbelievable, but it's true:

An old friend of mine has refused to see me because I have a "contagious disease"—cancer! Can you believe it? (She's no dummy. She writes for The Miami Herald.)

Then another incident occurred that nearly floored me. I walked into The Palm Bay Club, and another friend who had always hugged and kissed me when we met, said, "Please don't come near me.... you're contagious!"

At this point, do I laugh or cry? Both of these women are very intelligent.

Abby, will you do all of us who have cancer IN us and have had cancer taken OUT of us a big favor and set the record straight? And you may use my real name.

DOROTHY BLAU: MIAMI, FLA.

DEAR DOROTHY: After writing this column for over 20 years, I can believe anything, but the insensitivity and cruelty of your "friends" is equaled only by their ignorance.

Although there is still much that we do not know about cancer, one fact is certain, according to the American Cancer Society, it is NOT contagious.

DEAR ABBY: Someone wrote to you using the word "gypped" and in your response you used the same word. Abby, I'm sure that if you knew the origin of the word "gypped," you would cease using it.

It derives from an ethnic slur against gypsies to denote dishonesty.

Please print this so your readers will be aware that the word is offensive to others, and its use only serves to perpetuate racist language.

NORA N. IN HOLLYWOOD

DEAR NORA: My apologies. I plead "guilty" to the charge of ignorance. But "not guilty" to the charge of racism.

DEAR ABBY: I work in an office where there are five men for every woman. Whenever a man here retires, resigns or is transferred, the men have a luncheon or dinner for him. And they say, "No women allowed."

When you've worked with a person for 20 years, you develop a warm and personal relationship. His departure affects all of us. So when the women are barred from the going-away event, we see red. What can we do about it?

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DEAR LEFT: You can have your own farewell luncheon to honor the departing, with no MEN allowed!

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BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF
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DAVID CASSIDY AT FATHER'S RITES—Singing actor David Cassidy, star of The Partridge Family on television, leaves a chapel with his mother, actress Evelyn Ward, after funeral services in Los Angeles Wednesday for actor Jack Cassidy. The elder Cassidy, who died in a fire Sunday, was the father of David and the former husband of Miss Ward. (AP Wirephoto)

Looks Like Santa Even Without Suit

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — Even without a red suit, White Troutman looks like Santa Claus.

He has a long white beard, a belly laugh that shakes his body, a lap made for children, twinkling eyes and rosy red cheeks.

But you would have to call him a reluctant Santa. White, 81, retired seven years ago and he intends to stay retired.

But at this time of the year when Santas are in demand, Troutman gets plenty of requests to play the role of jolly Saint Nick. Malls and stores in his home county of Cabarrus and neighboring Rowan keep asking him year after year to be their Santa. Troutman keeps turning them down.

Until this year, he would only do it for a couple of churches, and with them it was always for one night only.

But a pretty Salisbury shopkeeper who loves Christmas

prevailed upon him to play Santa for two afternoons a week this year.

"I still don't know how she did it," said Mrs. Troutman.

She made her husband his Santa suit and goes along with him to play the role of Mrs. Santa.

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WNCT-TV Ch. 9

THURSDAY
12:00 News
7:00 Truth or
7:30 Squares
8:00 Waltons
9:00 Robert's
11:00 News
11:30 Movie

FRIDAY
4:00 Car Today
8:00 Morn. News
9:00 Kangaroo
10:00 Price Right
11:00 Gambit
11:30 Love of
11:55 Paul Harvey

WITN-TV Ch. 7

THURSDAY
12:00 News Noon
7:30 Nashville
8:00 Gemini Man
9:00 Best Sellers
10:00 Gibbville
11:00 News
11:30 Tonight

FRIDAY
5:00 Bonanza
6:00 Aimanac
7:00 Today
7:25 News
7:30 Today
8:25 News
9:00 Today
9:00 Douglas
10:00 Sanford &
10:30 Sweepstakes
11:00 Wheel of
11:30 Stumpers

WCTI-TV Ch. 12

THURSDAY
12:00 Don Ho
7:30 Emergency
8:30 Tell Truth
9:00 Koffer
9:30 Randall
10:00 Walker
10:00 Med. Center
11:00 News
11:30 Streets Of
12:37 Dan August
1:30 News

FRIDAY
6:50 Tidings
7:00 America
9:00 Montage
10:00 Dinah
11:00 Edge Night
11:30 Happy

WUNK-TV Ch. 25

THURSDAY
5:00 Mister Rogers
6:00 Zoom
6:30 Vision On
7:00 The Deaf
7:30 N.C. News
8:00 Firing Line
8:00 Visions
10:30 Jeanne Wolf
11:00 Sign Off

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Study Debunks Myth

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (AP) — Authors of a new employment study say their report debunks the widely-held belief that college graduates in North Carolina can't find satisfying jobs.

"The assertion that recent college graduates seem to be heavily 'underemployed' and dissatisfied with their jobs is not supported by the findings of this report," the study says.

The survey of 1974 graduates of 16 campuses in the state university system was sponsored by the system's Board of Governors. It found that:

- Fewer than one in 10 of the nearly 1,700 graduates interviewed in the study indicated they were looking for more satisfying jobs.
- Bachelor degree graduates of predominantly white campuses are earning an average salary of \$8,000 a year. Doctoral degree holders were

earning nearly \$17,000 on the average.

- Graduates of traditionally black schools earned slightly more than the average, although fewer found jobs.
- Men are earning more than women. "On aggregate, male graduates earned nearly 40 per cent more than female graduates," the study says. "The overall mean annual earnings for all males were estimated at \$11,200 and at \$8,100 for females."
- Graduates in law averaged an estimated \$13,500, while nearly 75 per cent of master's degree graduates in business administration earned more than \$15,000.
- Nearly 80 per cent of spring graduates had jobs a year and a half after graduation. Another 14 per cent were still going to school.

Prison Officials Hoping To Get Help From Hunt

By DAVID TOMLIN
Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — State prison officials are hoping for decisive action from Gov.-elect Jim Hunt to help their antiquated, overcrowded system survive the next few years.

Hunt's staff is expected Friday to receive a series of proposals designed to quickly add between 1,000 and 1,500 spaces to the system's available space, according to W. L. Kautzky, assistant director of the division

of prisons.

Officials are also hoping for long-range planning for construction of major new facilities.

Alternatives Kautzky said officials would like Hunt to consider are:

- Major renovation of deteriorating Central Prison here.
- Use of presently unoccupied space in state hospitals and youth development schools to house some types of inmates.
- Construction of portable modular units.

—Expansion of some of the system's existing 78 facilities around the state.

—Commutation of sentences of some inmates, particularly those convicted of so-called "victimless crimes."

—Changes in state law that would permit state prisons to transfer some inmates to county jails.

—These proposals are designed to try to give some flexibility to the system that just

isn't there now," Kautzky said. "If a crisis were to occur, if a facility were to burn down for instance, it would put incredible stress on the system."

North Carolina's prison population now stands at just over 13,000, well beyond what it ought to be housing.

Kautzky said the system really should not overload more than 20 per cent beyond capacity, which puts the safety ceiling at slightly under 12,000.

Officials knew there would be

problems as far back as 1967 and warned that over the following five or six years the state would need four or five new prisons to accommodate the expansion.

They got one 480-unit facility at Morganton in 1972 and con-

struction on another at Salisbury is to start early next year. No others are in the works right now.

"We think at this point we will have considerable support from Gov.-elect Hunt," Kautzky said.

Commission Studying Freedom For Howard Hunt

By MARGARET GENTRY
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Parole Commission is deciding whether it will give Watergate conspirator E. Howard Hunt a Christmas gift of freedom from prison.

The commission reviewed Hunt's case in a private meeting Wednesday but delayed announcing a decision until today so Hunt could be notified before the news became public.

The commission also was expected to announce a decision on the case of David Sylvan Fine, who is serving a seven-year prison sentence on his guilty plea to charges stemming from the 1970 bombing of a building at the University of Wisconsin.

Hunt, 58, is confined at the federal prison camp at Eglin Air Force Base in Florida and has served almost two and a half years behind bars.

He becomes eligible for parole Jan. 10 and presumably would not be released before then even if the commission approves the parole.

As is customary, the commission began the review procedure a few weeks before the eligibility date.

Hunt was sentenced in November 1973 to a term of 30 months to eight years. He automatically becomes eligible for parole after serving the minimum time of the sentence.

Hunt was one of the seven original Watergate defendants convicted of planning and carrying out the break-in at the Democratic National Committee headquarters in the Watergate building in 1972.

He pleaded guilty to six charges of conspiracy, burglary and wiretapping. Later, he attempted to withdraw the guilty plea, but his request was denied.

Hunt went to prison for about 10 months, then was released in

January 1974 pending the outcome of his appeal of the conviction.

He remained free for a little over a year but went back to prison in April 1975 after his appeals were denied. In calculating the time he has served, officials did not include the year he was free.

Fine, 24, has served less than four months, but the commission reviewed the case because the sentencing judge instructed that Fine would be eligible for a parole at the discretion of the commission.

Fine eluded the FBI and other authorities for five years before being arrested in San Rafael, Calif., last January.

Fine and three other student radicals were charged with bombing Sterling Hall on the university campus in Madison. The blast killed a research physicist, Robert Fassnacht, and wounded four other persons.

Two of the others charged, Dwight Alan Armstrong and Leo Frederick Burt, have never been apprehended. They were dropped from the FBI's list of "most wanted fugitives" last April because investigators concluded they had fled to Canada.

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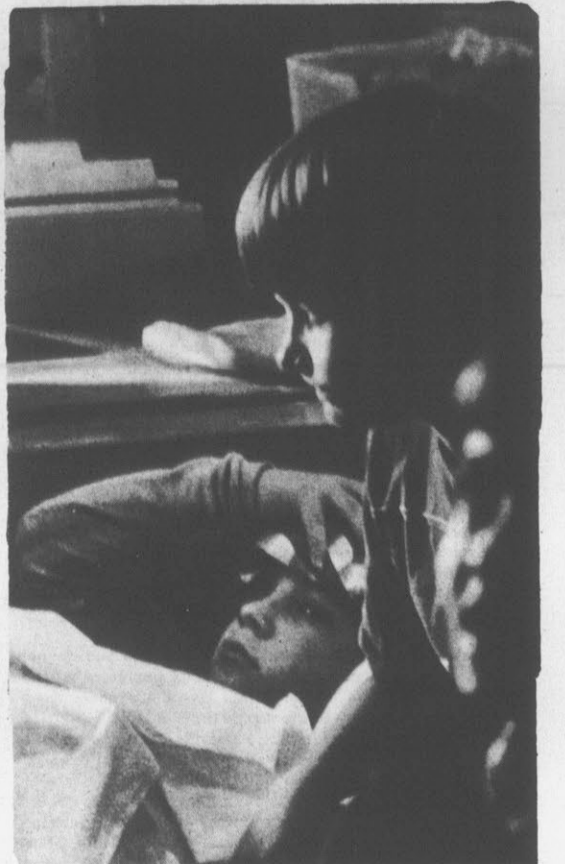
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Voters Reject

SANTA FE, N.M. (UPI) — New Mexico voters rejected a proposed constitutional amendment Nov. 2 which would have allowed Gov. Jerry Apodaca and other top elected state officials to serve two consecutive four-year terms.



RECOVERS — Tony Burke, Nashville, lies down after being one of 23 fourth, fifth and sixth graders who collapsed at Pennington Elementary School in Nashville Wednesday. Officials say the children were rushed to hospitals where they were treated and released. Officials say the cause may have been fumes from a laquer spray in an adjoining room. The child on the right is not identified. (AP Wirephoto)

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New Execution Date

By DAVID BRISCOE
Associated Press Writer

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Gary Gilmore's lawyer said today he is considering court action to prevent his client, who has asked for a quick death by firing squad, from being kept in a stripped-down cell to await a Jan. 17 execution date.

Prison officials have confined Gilmore to the bare cell for 15 of the 32 days before the date, saying he broke prison rules.

The 36-year-old convicted killer vowed to renew his bid for freedom under a legal technicality, while his mother and capital punishment foes awaited court rulings on their efforts to stop the execution.

Ronald Stanger, one of Gilmore's attorneys, said he will determine whether to seek a U.S. District Court order to prevent the prison from taking away Gilmore's privileges.

"Gary says he never received any rules. They didn't hand out a booklet," Stanger said. He said prison officials apparently feel they have to discipline Gilmore so he won't cause trouble, which he said is strange, since the inmate is sentenced to die in a month.

Stanger said he wants to make sure the prison is not treating Gilmore this way because of the notoriety he has received.

"Tell them to give me liberty or give me death," Gilmore told his attorneys Wednesday shortly after 4th District Court Judge J. Robert Bullock set the new date over his protests.

As Gilmore, handcuffed, shackled and wearing red, white and blue tennis shoes, was led from the crowded Provo courtroom, a reporter asked whether he had a message for Nicole Barrett, his 20-

year-old girlfriend. She was confined to a mental hospital after the lovers took sleeping pills in an abortive suicide pact.

"I love her more than life itself," Gilmore responded.

Earlier, in the courtroom, he told Bullock: "Monday is what I want. I would like to see my mom, possibly see Nicole and my relatives."

When Gilmore returned from the hearing, his cell had been "stripped" — emptied of everything except toilet facilities and a mattress — as punishment for violations of prison rules. A spokesman said the violations included his attempted suicide Nov. 16 and his signing a commercial contract with ABC film producer Lawrence Schiller, who was an unauthorized visitor.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF RESALE
North Carolina
Pitt County
WHEREAS, the undersigned, acting as Commissioner in that certain Special Proceeding known and designated as 75-SP-44 appearing of record in the Clerk of Superior Court's Office, Pitt County, North Carolina, advertised and offered for sale the land herein described; and WHEREAS, within the time allowed by law, pursuant to G.S. 1-339.27, an advance (upset) bid was filed with the Clerk of Superior Court and an Order directing the Commissioner to resell said land upon an opening bid of FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$4,725.00). NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of said Order of Resale of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, and the power of sale contained in said Special Proceeding, the undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale upon said opening bid at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Pitt County Courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on

Thursday, December 23, 1976
12:00 Noon

all that certain parcel of land more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING, at a stake in the edge of the road in the Chapman line and runs a southerly course with the said line to the run of Creeping Swamp, thence up said run to a stake a point just halfway to the edge of the road halfway between Chapman's line and the mouth of Hall Branch. Thence a direct line a northerly course to a stake on the edge of the road halfway between Chapman's line and Hall Branch Bridge, thence a westerly course to a stake being in Chicod township.

This property will be sold subject to outstanding taxes and assessments. Highest bidder required to deposit in cash Ten (10%) per cent of the amount of the bid up to and including ONE THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,000.00) plus Five (5%) per cent of any excess over ONE THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,000.00). Pursuant to Order of Resale hereinabove referred to, the highest bidder is also required to deposit with the Clerk of Superior Court on the date of said resale. Sale remains open for Ten (10) full days for confirmation.

This the 7 day of December, 1976.
Robert D. Rouse, III
Commissioner

JAMES, HITE
CANNENDISH & BLOUNT
Attorneys at Law
P. O. Drawer 15
Greenville, N.C. 27834
Telephone: (919) 758-5797
Dec. 9, 16, 1976

NOTICE
Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Lazarus Mills, 1215 Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned Executrix within six (6) months from date of the first publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of November, 1976.
Lois Harris Mills
P.O. Box 233
Grifton, N.C.
Executrix of the Estate of Lazarus Mills, Deceased.
Nov. 25; Dec. 2, 9, 16, 1976

NOTICE OF SALE
North Carolina
Pitt County
TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with Section 115-126 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the Greenville City Board of Education having decided that the real property described herein is surplus and unnecessary for school purposes, will sell to the highest bidder for CASH at the Pitt County Courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1976,
those certain lots or tracts of land located in (or near) the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lots or tracts 1, 2, 3 and 4, containing a total of 12 acres, as shown on that certain map entitled, "Lynndale School Site, Greenville, North Carolina," dated January 15, 1968, prepared by Rivers & Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers and of record in Map Book 16 at pages 91 and 91A of the Pitt County Registry, to which map reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

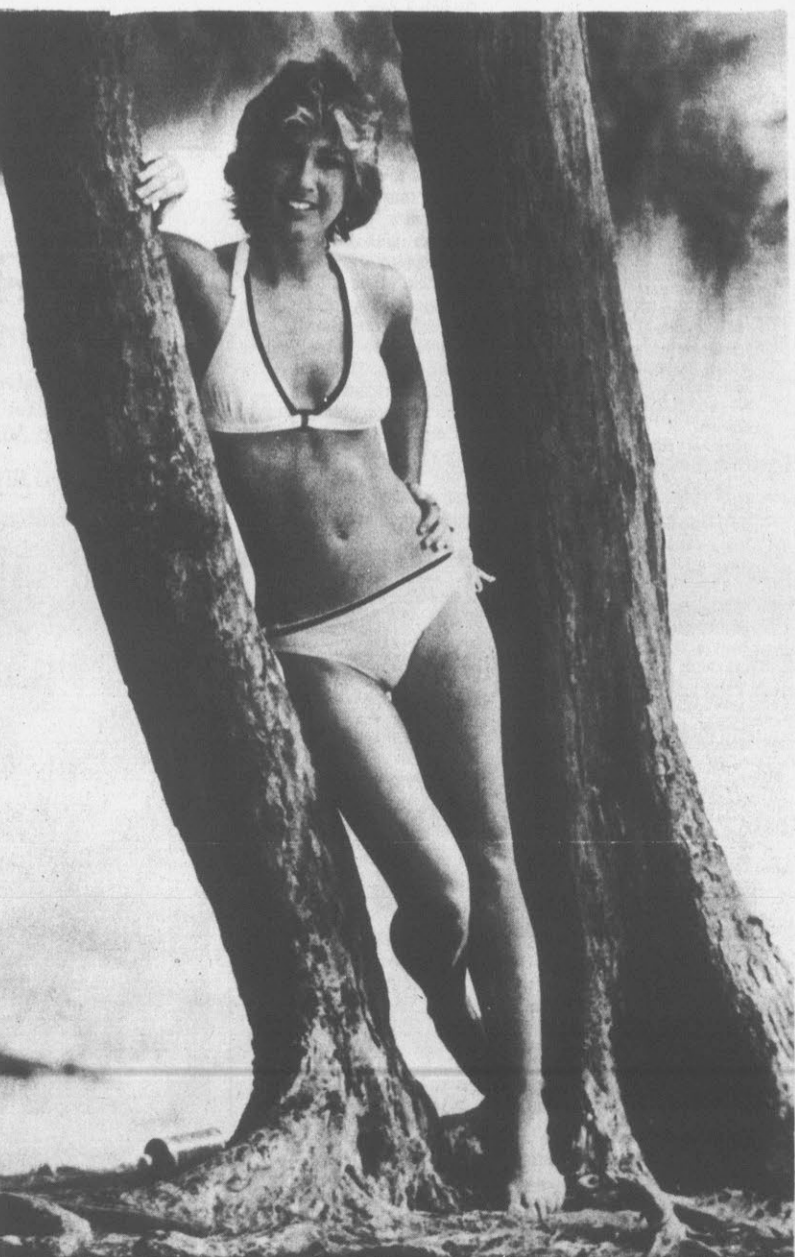
The above land will be sold for CASH, and the sale will remain open for ten (10) days to permit the making of an upset bid. The deposit will be required of the highest bidder on the date of sale.

The Greenville City Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Additional information pertaining to the property herein may be obtained from the office of the Superintendent of the Greenville City Schools, Glenn L. Cox, which office is located at 421 West Fifth Street, Greenville, North Carolina.

This the 16th day of November, 1976.

GREENVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Henry Dunn Jr.
SPEIGHT, WATSON AND BREWER, ATTORNEYS
Nov. 22 and 29; Dec. 6 and 16



THE ONE IN THE MIDDLE IS NANCY — A visitor to Miami, Nancy Gora of Linden, New Jersey, is flanked by a pair of Australian pine trees as she poses on Key Biscayne. Nancy, 23, is spending a few weeks in the sunny part of Florida. (AP Wirephoto)

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14 Chrysler
CHRYSLER 1969 Newport. Factory air, excellent condition. \$52,000 actual miles. 756-2904.

16 Ford
FORD 1975 Maverick, 4 door, air, AM/FM radio. Excellent condition. 746-6849 after 4 p.m.
MAVERICK 1973. 4 door, V-8, vinyl top, radio, power steering, automatic, 29,000 miles. One owner. Excellent condition. \$1995. 746-6236.
MUSTANG II 1976. 2200 miles. Call 752-3204 after 6 p.m.
FORD 1970 Torino GT. Air conditioning, power steering and brakes. \$650. 746-3730.

17 Lincoln
LINCOLN 1970 Continental, low mileage. \$1,699. Call 752-4121.

19 Oldsmobile
(OLDS CUTLASS 1970) Automatic, power steering, air, 4 door, radio, heater, 87,000 miles. Current NADA Retail \$1475. Will sell for \$1100. Call 756-6019 after 6 p.m.

20 Plymouth
PLYMOUTH 1968. 4 door sedan, 6 cylinder stick. It runs. 524-4077.

21 Pontiac
GRAND PRIX 1969. Good condition. \$900. Call 758-0241; 758-3455 after 6:30.

22 Foreign
OPEL 1968. 2 door sport coupe with rebuilt engine. \$295 or best offer. 758-0802.
TOYOTA 1975 Celica. 20,000 actual miles, air, AM/FM radio, 752-1650 nights and weekends, 758-0340 days.
TOYOTA 1972 COROLLA. 4 speed, good condition. 752-4620.

27 Bicycles For Sale
BOY'S 26" 3 speed bicycle. Excellent condition. \$39. 756-6673.

29 Boats For Sale
12 FOOT aluminum creek boat with 5 HP motor for \$200. Call 758-0241; 758-3455 after 6:30.
21 FOOT CHAPPARAL. 115 HP Mercury, tandem galvanized trailer with electric winch and extras. 1976 model. \$4,000. 758-0340.

31 Campers For Sale
CRISP MOBILE HOMES and camper sale. Has now got camper parts and accessories in stock. 946-0311 or 946-3416.

33 Campers For Rent
PICKUP TRUCK CAMPER shell with paneling and electrical hookups. 753-5466.

35 Cycles For Sale
HONDA QA-30. For boy or girl. \$140. 752-3373 after 5 p.m.
1974 SUZUKI TC-185. Dual range transmission (5 x 2); electric start. Very good condition. 758-3615 days, 758-5692 nights.

40 DOGS & PETS
AKC COLLIE pups. See Barbara Sutton, Route 1, Box 530, Winterville, N.C.
SMALL RAT TERRIER Chihuahua puppy for sale. 746-4277 or 746-6575.
1975. 10 HORSEPOWER Mercury motor, metal detector, 6 foot stereo, girl's bicycle. 746-4297 or 746-6575.
AKC PEKINGESE male puppy. Show quality. 758-3603.
AKC REGISTERED Saint Bernard puppies. Males, \$125; females, \$100. 758-0144.
AKC BOXER puppies. Fawn, male and female. Jim Smith, 825-6391.
AKC REGISTERED German Shepherd puppies. Black and silver, black and tan. 758-4237.
OLD ENGLISH Sheep Dogs. AKC registered. Excellent pedigree. \$100. 752-7059.
CHRISTMAS COLLIES. AKC champion bloodline. Whelped 11/15/76, \$75-\$100. 752-6424.
SKUNK. 9 months old, housebroken. Best offer. Unusual! 758-7591.
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GERMAN SHORT-HAIRED Pointer puppies. AKC registered. Excellent pedigree for both field or show. Call 756-6763 after 6 and on weekends.
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SUBURU 1973 Station Wagon. Yellow, 4 new tires. Good transportation. 33 miles per gallon. Can be seen at 108 North Harding. Reasonably priced. 757-6949 office, 752-4806 home.

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MGB 1964. Tonneau and hard top. Body and interior in excellent condition. Needs engine work. Best offer over \$450. 756-3639.
VW 1968. \$75. 302, 1970 engine and transmission. \$75. 389 engine and transmission. \$75. 758-3890.
FIAT 128. 1974 with AM/FM, many other features. Excellent condition. Low mileage. Asking \$1950. Must sell! 756-0800 after 5:30.

DATSUN 1974 2602. 2 + 2. Call 752-9405 after 6 p.m.

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37 Trucks For Sale
1976 DATSUN TRUCK. Approximately 11,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$2800. Call 756-6234 or 756-0805.
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SEWING MACHINE operators. Apply at Ayden Division of USI, Highway 111 Bypass, Ayden, N.C.
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 Send resume to:
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 Experienced quality Control Supervisor needed to take over Quality Control department. Prefer experienced quality control person with engineering background. Only persons with experience will be considered.

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 Growth and expansion of houseware program creates immediate openings for individuals with the following experience:
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 Excellent benefits. 3 1/2 day work week. 42 hours a week. Send resume to:
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 Sale begins 9:00 Friday morning December 17th and runs until 6:00 Friday night December 31, 1976.

	Retail Price	Sale Price
1977 Buick Century	\$5595	\$4995
1976 Buick Regal	\$5395	\$4895
1976 Chevrolet Monte Carlo	\$5295	\$4895
1976 Buick Century	\$4995	\$4495
1974 Buick Electra	\$4695	\$4195
1974 Chevrolet Monte Carlo	\$3995	\$3695
1974 Buick Regal	\$4295	\$3895
1974 Datsun 710	\$2695	\$2195
1974 Ford Maverick	\$2995	\$2295
1971 Buick Skylark	\$1995	\$1795
1970 Buick Wildcat	\$1595	\$1295

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 Greenville Blvd.
 Phone 756-1877

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BRICK MASONS wanted. 4 years experience necessary. Call 752-4090 or 753-4105 after 6 p.m.
IF YOU ARE THE RIGHT PERSON
 I will start you with \$800 a month guaranteed! Send you to formalized training school, minimum 2 weeks training, expenses paid. Train you in selling and servicing established accounts. Must have car, good references, be ambitious, competitive and willing to do some traveling. Outstanding hospitalization, profit sharing and savings plan. Call today for an appointment.
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44 Work Wanted
WOMAN WOULD LIKE to keep children in her home for working mothers. 756-6309.
WOULD LIKE to keep children in my home for working mother. Hot breakfast and lunch. 758-0066.
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YOUNG CHRISTIAN woman desires to teach piano lessons. Call 758-4582 after 5 p.m.
BRICK MASONRY, underpinning, patch work, barbecue pits. Bricks or blocks. Call 758-0216.

46 FOR SALE
48 Farm Equipment
AUTOMATIC ROANOKE harvester with three trailer. Like new. 825-6171.
8N FORD TRACTOR and disc harrow. Perfect condition. Call 758-4736.
T-ROW ROANOKE tobacco harvester with defoliators, cutter bar, box dump. Self-propelled. Like new. Used 1 year on 20 acres of tobacco. 825-7861, Bethel.

50 Garage-Yard Sale
ANTIQUA AUCTION SALE every Friday at 7:30 p.m. Hawley's Antiques, P.O. Box 104—Highway 903, Stokes, N.C. 27884. NC License Number 76. Colonel George T. Hawley, Auctioneer.
YARD SALE December 18 from 8 till 12, 109 Prince Road. Children's toys and clothing. Two 10 speed bikes. \$50 each.
YARD SALE Saturday, December 18, 200 King George Road, Brook Valley, 9 a.m. till 1 p.m. Spreads, curtains, clothing, miscellaneous.

54 Livestock
SEMI-RETIRED show horse. 11 year old TB Gelding. Sweet disposition, fun to jump. Needs knowledgeable rider. 752-8455 between 5 and 7.
PLEASURE HORSE, 8 year old sorrel gelding. \$225. 746-2172.

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56 Miscellaneous
NEED FURNITURE? We have it! Brands you'll recognize. Financing available to fit your needs. Home Furniture Store, 701 Dickinson Avenue.
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MUSIC FOR YOUR Christmas party. Disco to live bands. Country music to top 40. Folk or easy listening. Reasonable rates. Eastern Keyboard, 756-7085.
FILL DIRT, top soil, rocks and sand for sale. Large loads. Henry Worthington, 746-3461.
YOU CAN "STEAM" clean carpets, professionally clean with new portable Rinse-N-Vac. Rent at Rental Tool Company across from Hastings Ford. Now open—Rental Tool Company.
FILL DIRT, BUILDER sand, top soil, and rock. J.L. McDaniel, day 752-2382; night, 756-2351.
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WE ARE BEAUTYREST headquaters—bedding and hide-a-beds. Home Furniture Company, 701 Dickinson Avenue.
LARGE LOADS of sand, topsoil, fill dirt and rock sold at reasonable prices. Lots cleared, grade work and landscaping of yards. Call 756-4742 for Jim Hudson.
OAK FIREPLACE WOOD. From 20 to 24 inches long. Split and ready to deliver. Also oak heater wood. N.T. Caton, 752-6730.
FOR HOME USE. Juke boxes, pool tables, pinball games, football. Put in your order now. Christmas Stencil Music Company, Falkland, 752-6331.
MOBILE HOME SKIRTING. 26" x 60", white metal type. \$325 per sheet. Call 758-2525.
OAK WOOD, \$30. Mixed, \$25. Hauled, split and stacked. 752-7323.
TWO 10 FOOT bi-fold doors for sale. Call 758-3648 after 6 p.m.
SANTA'S SPECIAL. Craig AM/FM stereo. 8-track player, turn table. \$189.95. Harmony House South.
AM/FM STEREO CONSOLE. Looks good, sounds good. \$80. Harmony House South.
PROFESSIONAL DISCO MIXER for sale. Harmony House South.
STOCKING STUFFER SPECIAL. Cassette tapes, record cleaners, headphones. All reduced for Christmas. Harmony House South.
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7' SLATE top pool table. Good condition. Call 756-4027 after 6 p.m.
HOTPOINT SELF-CLEANING oven, \$299. Also 19 cubic foot Frigidaire side by side. \$199. 753-2329.
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40 INSTRUCTION
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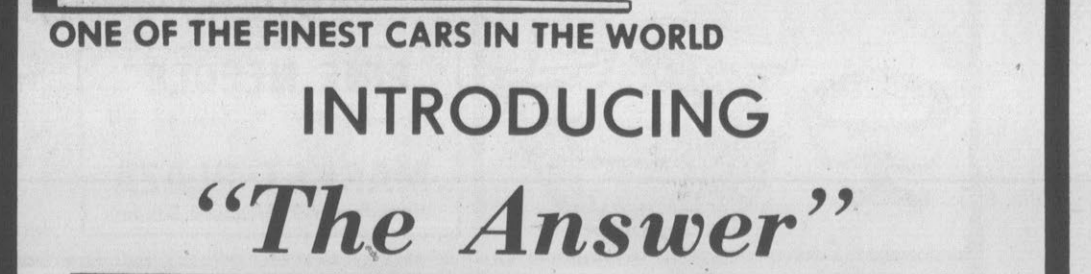
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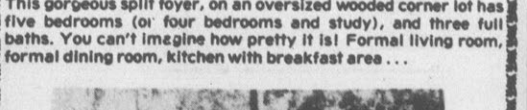
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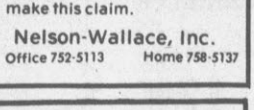
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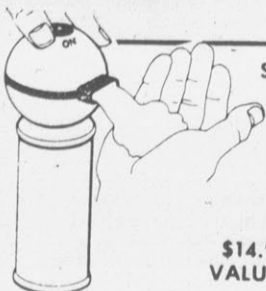
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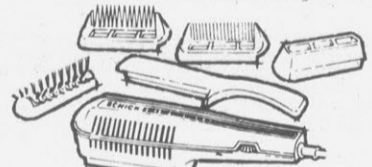
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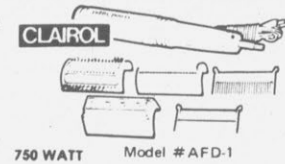
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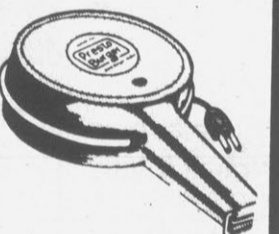
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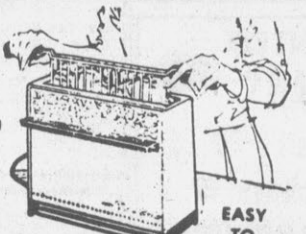
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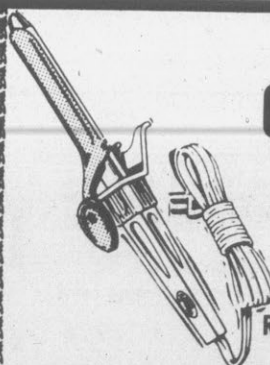
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Soviet Plans Mark Brezhnev Birthday

At Saslows...

By THOMAS KENT
Associated Press Writer
MOSCOW (AP) — Soviet Communist party leader Leonid I. Brezhnev will celebrate his 70th birthday Sunday amid a torrent of praise from the official Soviet media and no sign that he is thinking of retiring. "He is still a modest, unassuming man," claims one of several biographies of Brezhnev issued to mark the anniversary. But that hasn't stopped a wave of honors and

adoration from being heaped upon him as the day approaches. In the past few weeks, the Communist leaders of Romania, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia have all presented state medals to Brezhnev to mark his birthday, calling him a true friend of East Europe and a champion of peace.

Two new films, called "Leonid Brezhnev in Kazakhstan" and "The Life Story of a Com-

munist," have been created to glorify him to Soviet moviegoers. There are also new paintings and a photograph album of Brezhnev's life and a birthday collection of his speeches.

Brezhnev has already been declared a Marshal of the Soviet Union, a military rank held previously by no Soviet leader except the late dictator Joseph Stalin. A bronze bust of Brezhnev has been unveiled amid great ceremony in his home

town of Dneprodzerzhinsk in the Ukraine.

No one is predicting what additional honors may be given him on the birthday itself, although there is talk of more statues and medals or perhaps an honorary title from the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

But since Brezhnev still likes to stress the Soviet leadership's

supposed team spirit, he is likely to follow former Soviet boss Nikita S. Khrushchev in abstaining from the wild hero-worshipping of Stalin's birthdays.

Stalin used celebrations of his 50th birthday in 1929 to have himself recognized as the sole ruler of the Soviet Union following the purge of his opponents.

His 70th birthday, on Dec. 21, 1949, was a state occasion with thundering salutes, a Red Square procession and the launching of balloons carrying his image.

Khrushchev's 70th birthday, on April 17, 1964, was substantially less lavish. It included, however, many congratulatory speeches and telegrams, plus a large Kremlin party. The main oration came from none other than Brezhnev, who was to join with Alexei N. Kosygin and Nikolai V. Podgorny six months later to topple Khrushchev from power.

The themes of the birthday celebration for Brezhnev, as laid out publicly so far, are that he is "of workers' flesh and blood," is devoted to peace and disarmament and is "a democratic person, without a trace of conceit."

As he reaches 70, Brezhnev has shown little sign of winding down his work pace. Although he has disappeared for weeks at a time in the past few years without explanation, his overall health condition appears excellent except for a hearing aid that has appeared this year.

He is clearly the Soviet Union's top leader, with Premier Kosygin and President Podgorny receiving comparatively little attention.

'Love Feast' At Church Sunday

The 22nd annual Christmas Love Feast and candlelight service will be observed Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at Saint James United Methodist Church.

This service, which has become a tradition at Saint James, is an ancient Christian rite first observed on American soil by Moravian colonists in 1753.

Dr. Ledyard Ross, worship work area chairman, and Mrs. Becky Patton are serving as co-chairmen of the event. Others assisting are Mrs. Betty Dough, Mrs. Lynda Harrington, Bruce Hudson, Mrs. Martha Moye, Mrs. Lib Williams and members of the Worship Work Area Committee.

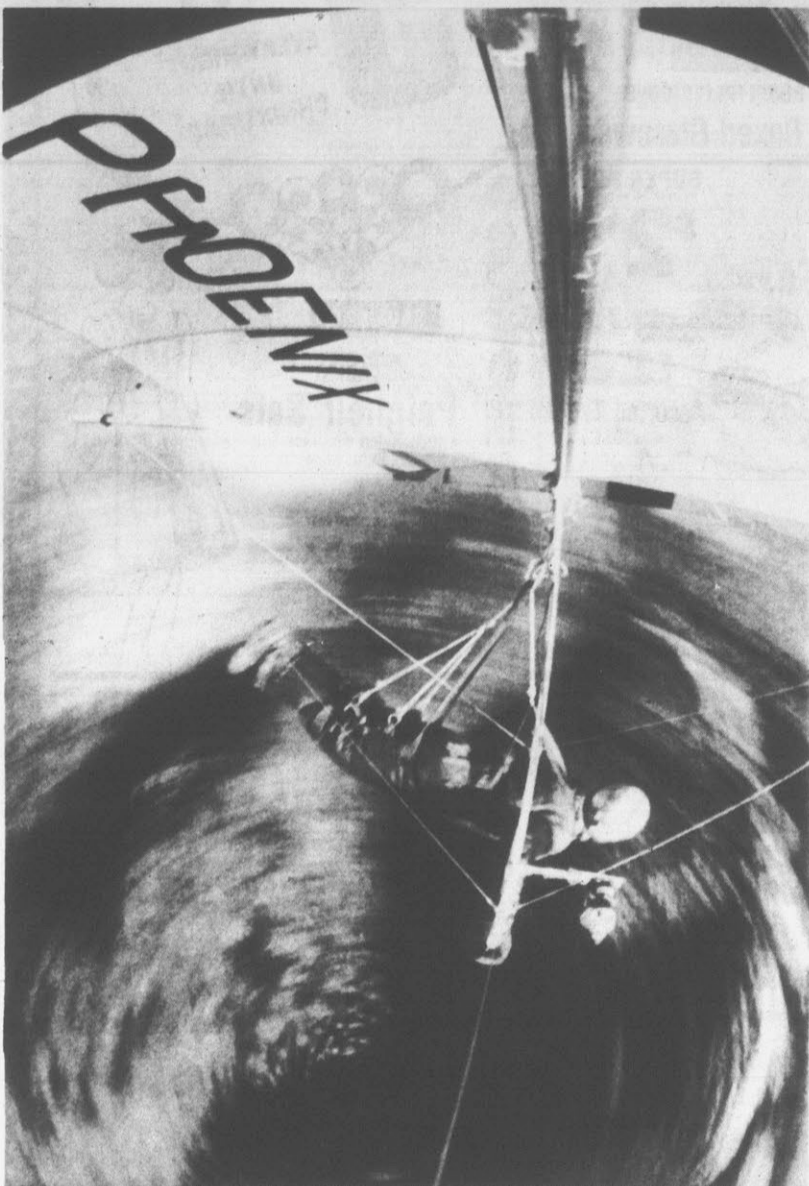
Several elements have been combined for the program. The Christmas scriptures will be read and Christmas music will be sung. There will be a sharing of bread and water and the lighting of candles.

Music will be presented by the Chapel Choir, directed by Miss Kathleen Roundtree, the Handbell Choir, directed by Robert

Dickie, the Chapel Choir, directed by Mrs. Rachel Sturz, and the Cherub Choir, directed by Mrs. Charlene Holloway. Miss Jody Ross, soloist, will sing "Some Children See Him."

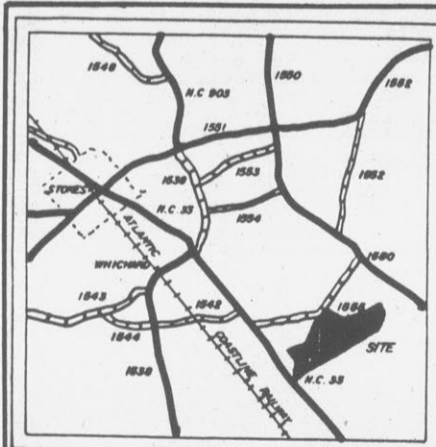
The sanctuary will be decorated with two Christmas trees and numerous poinsettias and greenery. The nursery will be open. The offering received will be for the benefit of the Salvation Army.

The public is invited to attend the program. The church is located at 2000 E. Sixth St.



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stake, a corner (point 'P'); thence North 74 degrees 00 minutes East, 250.6 feet to a stake (point 'Q'); thence North 61 degrees 30 minutes East, 243.05 feet to a stake, a corner; thence South 45 degrees 00 minutes East, 468.55 feet to a stake, a corner; thence North 43 degrees 00 minutes East, 297.00 feet to a stake, a corner; thence North 45 degrees 00 minutes West, 440.05 feet to the center line of State Road #1555, a corner; thence along the center line of State Road #1555, North 49 degrees 00 minutes East 246.3 feet, and continuing along the center line of said road North 45 degrees 45 minutes East, 532.7 feet to point 'S', the point of BEGINNING, containing 67.45 acres, more or less (which include the State road right of way and the area of a farm road, a permanent easement on which is reserved by the grantor herein) and further being all of Tract No. 2 of the J.W. James' Farm now owned by Alice M. James, as shown on a map thereof prepared by L.T. Livermon, Jr., RLSL-921, dated December 1976, as recorded in Map Book — at page — of the Pitt County Registry, to which map reference is hereby made for a more complete and accurate description, and further being a part of the land in the Land Division shown in Map Book 1, at page 206, of the Pitt County Registry."

The seller will reserve a permanent easement of ingress and egress along the right of way of the existing farm road from point 'R' on State Road 1555 to point 'M' as shown on the map in Map Book — at page — in the Pitt County Registry and the conveyance will be made subject to said permanent easement.

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Beirut Enjoys Tenuous Peace

By ALEX EFTY
Associated Press Writer
BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A tenuous peace prevails in Lebanon's war-ravaged capital a month after Syrian troops occupied it and ended 19 months of Christian-Moslem civil war. Most of the bloodletting has stopped. Anarchy is gradually giving way to a semblance of law and order. But the future of Lebanon is still very much in doubt. None of the causes of the conflict or the massive problems of reconstruction and rehabilitation have been tackled.

The Syrian soldiers who were welcomed as peacemakers with flowers, hugs and kisses are increasingly regarded as occupation troops whose departure no one can predict. The hammering of carpenters and the honking of taxi drivers has replaced the din of battle.

The first game warden in the United States was William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids, Mich. He was appointed on March 15, 1887, "to enforce the statutes of this state for the preservation of moose, wapiti, deer, birds and fish."

Some shopkeepers have timidly reopened in their old premises. But thousands of others have lost their shops and business offices. Many are penniless, their entire capital lost in the war.

Syrian army bulldozers have cleared most of the street barricades, fallen masonry and other debris choking the streets. Christians and Moslems cross freely, though not completely without fear, from one side of the divided city to the other.

Merchants, artisans, housewives and others hope the psychological and geographical

partition bequeathed by the war will fade away. But the warlord-politicians on both sides continue to use the same divisive slogans.

Many Lebanese fear a final military showdown may prove inevitable before lasting peace is achieved. Neutral observers

feel this depends on the extent to which the various Lebanese factions try to hinder Syria in its determination to make the Pax Syria work.

An estimated 300,000 people — 10 per cent of the population — lost their homes. Many moved into the apartments vacated by an estimated 500,000 affluent Lebanese and foreigners who fled abroad.

The damage suffered by the Lebanese economy is estimated at more than \$10 billion. Hundreds of millions are needed to reactivate the economy on a small scale, before the work of reconstruction starts.

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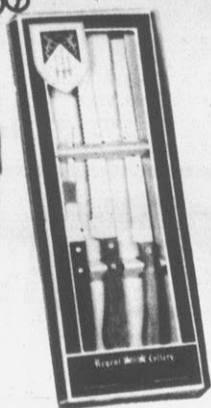
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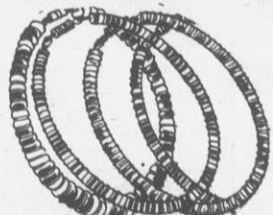


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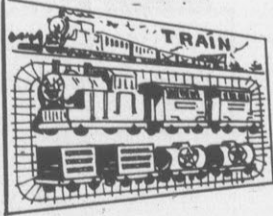
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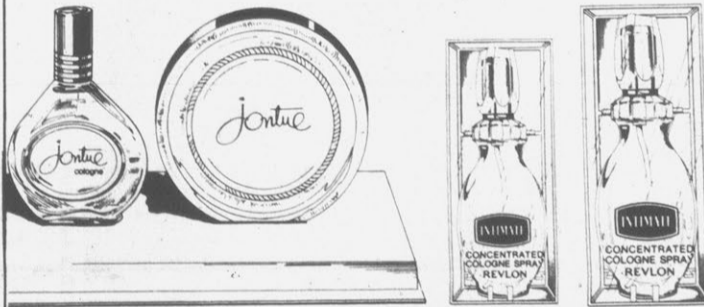


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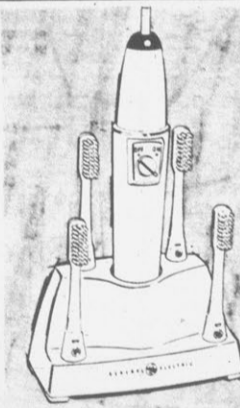
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'Caligula' Film Not Like Making 'The Robe'

By SYLVANA FOA
ROME (UPI)—British actor Malcolm McDowell has become so immersed in his role as the depraved Roman Emperor Caligula that he has a hard time going home at night. "When you make a film it's like being in a cocoon for six months to a year," said

McDowell in an interview in his pale blue dressing room at Rome's Cinecittà. "It's difficult to drop the role entirely when you go home," he said. "But if I tried to treat my wife Margot the way Caligula treated his, she'd give me a thick ear quick." McDowell said he gets many

a good chuckle over the rumors of perverted sex and bestiality which have surrounded the \$8.5 million production of Gore Vidal's Caligula.

"Someone reads me the gossip every morning while they're putting on my make-up," said the 33-year-old actor who first caught the critics' eye with his portrayal of an insolent, revolutionary schoolboy in Lindsay Anderson's "If."

"The rumors really give me a good laugh — especially all that stuff about animals," he said.

But McDowell admits the film, which highlights the debauchery of the four-year (A.D. 37-41) reign of the sometimes sadistic and often immoral Caligula, will not be a children's classic.

"We're not making 'The Robe' or 'Quo Vadis?' This isn't a blue movie but it is sexually oriented."

Walter Alford, public relations man for Penthouse Films,

popped into the room with a bottle of wine which in no sense reflected the \$90,000 per day the production is costing.

"Those stories about love scenes with horses and gods are just ludicrous," he said. "We do have one scene with an actress and a donkey but it is shot through a translucent curtain and the donkey is just a wooden prop manipulated with levers."

"The story about dogs got started because there are two mastiffs in the film and one of them bit a female member of the cast and she was sent to the hospital for shots," Alford said.

"The only horse in bed is a scene where Caligula is sleeping and reaches over to caress what he thinks is his sister Drusilla — it turns out to be his favorite horse, the one he named a senator."

"Of course, we had to keep the horse heavily sedated or it might have kicked Malcolm," Alford grinned.

"We have to remember that Caligula was a pagan who lived before the Christians came along to block people enjoying themselves," said McDowell as

he sprawled on the couch to sip his wine.

"The things Caligula did and the way he lived weren't considered particularly immoral at the time. So we shouldn't try to judge him according to our moral standards."

The censors of Europe and Asia and the rating board in the United States may have other ideas.

McDowell said he was chosen for the part by American author and scriptwriter, Gore Vidal.

"Gore wanted me. If a major studio had done the film they probably would have asked (Robert) Redford — but Redford wouldn't have accepted because this is a very risqué part."

McDowell defended director Tinto Brass against Vidal's charges that the film would be a "turkey" filled with "base-moment pornography."

Vidal has begun legal action to have his name removed from the original title of the film — "Gore Vidal's Caligula."

Vidal's charges coincided with a walkout by French actress Maria Schneider who

was cast to play Caligula's all-too-beloved sister Drusilla. Penthouse said Miss Schneider was "emotionally incompetent to play the role." But the actress said she had quit because she objected to the sex scenes.

"I'm surprised at all the things Gore said because he has never even seen an inch of the film," said McDowell. "He's evidently just been reading the scandal sheets."

McDowell said he first realized that there could never be peace between writers and directors during the filming of "A Clockwork Orange" in which he acted his way to fame as a frightening hoodlum fond of violence, rape and Beethoven.

"There are no great film scripts — there are just great films. There is always this dilemma — 'A Clockwork Orange' will always be thought of as Stanley Kubrick's, not as Anthony Burgess'."

When he first read Vidal's script, McDowell said he was "a bit disappointed."

"It was beautifully written but more like a novelette than a script. So I waited to see who would be director before I made any firm commitments."

Laughing through his startlingly blue eyes, McDowell said he had become rather fond of the willful, autocratic Caligula since filming began last August.

"Right now Caligula is my best friend — if he wasn't, I couldn't do the part. One always tries to look for the

good side of a character — even one who is supposed to be mad and a despot."

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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.

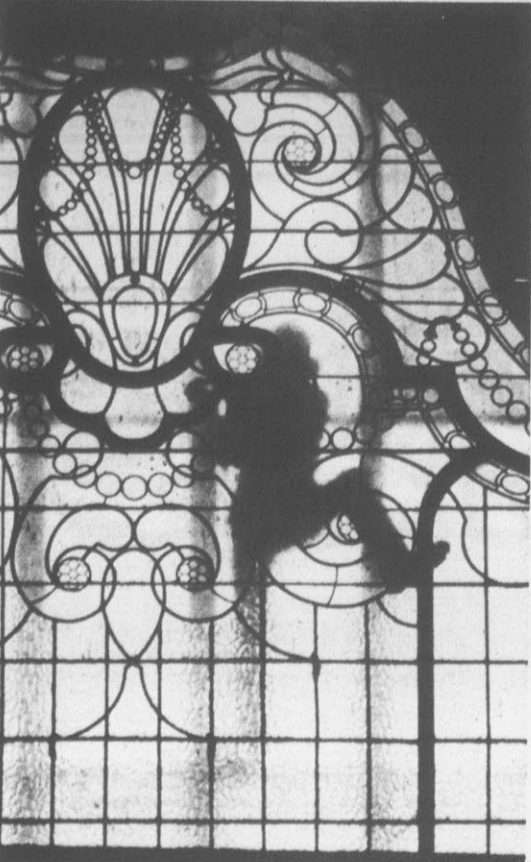
Subjects which will be discussed at the meeting include: (1) General information relating to the 1974 Housing and Community Act; (2) The types of grants for which the Village intends to apply and the amount of funding involved. This discretionary preapplication will be presented to the Department of 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: 946-8043.

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

John T. McDonald Jr.
Mayor



A REAL PANE — Silhouetted against the object of his labors, a worker slowly removes a pane of stained glass from a large lobby window in Cincinnati's historic Albee Theatre. The theatre, which was opened in 1927, is being torn down to make way for a new office building complex. The stained and leaded glass, which has to be removed one pane at a time, has been purchased by a glass dealer who plans to resell the display. Workers estimate it will take two to three days to bring the glass down. (AP Wirephoto)

Planning Trip To Ft. Bragg

The D.H. Conley ROTC has participated in several activities during December including several parades and planning an orientation trip to Fort Bragg.

The Cadet Corps participated in the Greenville Christmas parade Saturday, December 11. Those participating in the parade include the Battalion staff, Color Guard, Drum & Bugle Corp, Company A, Company B and Headquarters Company.

The Pitt Rangers, Drum & Bugle Corps and Color Guard were involved in the Morehead City Christmas parade December 8.

The JROTC is planning the annual orientation trip to Fort Bragg. The purpose of the trip is to familiarize the new cadets with military life as well as to provide an interesting tour for the battalion.

The Pitt Rangers conducted initiation ceremonies December 3. Ten new members were initiated.

Scrooge Jams CB Airwaves

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — "Scrooge" is jamming the airwaves to cut off communications with Santa Claus, says an angry citizen band radio operator.

The operator said a CB user using the name of the Charles Dickens character kept talking on Channel 10 during an hour informally reserved for children's messages to Santa.

The "North Pole Radio Network" was forced to switch to another channel so youngsters could get their requests through to St. Nick, the operator said.

The San Francisco earthquake and fire of 1906 in which 452 people lost their lives was the largest earthquake disaster in the United States.



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Experience, Intuition Guides In Acoustics

By THURMOND SMITHGALL
NEW YORK (UPI) — One man should be sharing the applause with every performer at Avery Fisher Hall these days — the acoustics consultant.

Dr. Cyril M. Harris is not only responsible for the brilliant new sound at Lincoln Center's Symphony Hall but the original acoustical design at the Metropolitan Opera House, the three concert halls at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., Orchestra Hall in Minneapolis, and other enormously successful installations.

When Fisher Hall — completely gutted and re-built to correct its calamitous acoustics — re-opened in October, Harris was very pleased with the approval of critics and audiences. But his biggest satisfaction was a unanimous "aye" from the musicians of the New York Philharmonic.

"They were skeptical up to the last, but now they are friendly," he says with a wry smile, understating the almost obsessive need for orchestral players to hear one another on stage.

Harris rarely re-designs an existing hall. He prefers to start from scratch. This freedom was afforded him at Fisher where he supervised all choices for materials and construction. Throughout his involvement with concert hall acoustics, he has always made a painstaking search for materials that allow the fullest dynamic range.

"I prefer wood and plaster," he said in an interview. "I don't see any point in being innovative; I'd rather let someone else. With a new material you are taking a chance."

Harris works with the construction itself to see that the kind of wood he has chosen and the right thickness of plaster are laid properly for the best sound. Although he may draw a hard line on materials he is sure of, Harris steers clear of a purely scientific approach to his field.

"The knowledge of the exact physical science is helpful and formulas may be 95 per cent effective, but there is still an element of chance to this profession — a black art," he said.

What he believes in, he said, are the art of practical experience, a well-developed intuition.

Equally unscientific is his belief in the role of aesthetics in acoustical design.

"Architectural intimacy aids the sound."

Clearly, this extra dimension has been cited in the rave approval of the new Avery Fisher. The hall is warm-hued in decor and seems to be smaller, more intimate than before. A listener can feel the bass through the feet, increasing his sensory perception of

the music. Why do the old halls seem to have the best acoustics? Harris doesn't think all concert halls were built better for sound, but that the ones we now regard as near-perfect — Symphony Hall in Boston or Orchestra Hall in Chicago — have survived as models by a sort of natural selection. Mistakes undoubtedly occurred in building concert halls, and some materials and shapes were gradually realized to be superior.

Early improvement of theatrical acoustics was made by the ancient Greeks who put a wood cover over the stage of their open theater, or odeon, and built their audience seating on a slope because these ideas helped the sound travel to all parts of the theater.

The secret of the halls built

in the last several centuries was the proper diffusion of sound by the built-in ornamental detail and paneling. Harris seeks to achieve the same diffusion by the same means.

"The big problem of course is doing it to fit the architectural idiom of the hall," he says. Something Harris feels has gone almost unnoticed by the general public in the new Fisher Hall is the ceiling. It has a modernistic but logical pattern of lines which achieve diffusion the same way carved cherubs and other ornate woodwork have in the past.

In fact, for Harris the ceiling has been a secret in the success of all the installations he has made. He demands that it be absolutely tight.

"The sound," he says, "can

get lost in light holes or because of the noise of heating ducts in the space above the stage." In Avery Fisher all the lighting is suspended on a bar from the ceiling and the

heating ducts are behind a surface of plaster 1/2 to 3/4 inches thick.

A job presently in the planning stage for Harris is the National Center For the Per-

forming Arts in Bombay, India. One challenge will be to design the acoustics for Indian music. Since Indian music largely focuses on improvisation and dialogue between instruments of delicate timbre and dynamic range, the hall will have to be smaller and the reverberation time shorter.

Tax Refund Is Awaiting 16

The Internal Revenue Service is looking for 16 local area residents and one businessman who have not claimed undelivered tax refund checks.

Officials identified the individuals as: Martha Barrett, William B. Brown, Clinton R. Barnes, William T. Cooper, Franklin W. Evans, Jani Glisson, Alton Lane Godley, Horace L. Godley Jr., Barbara A. Green, William A. Moye, Noah and Lucy M. Murphy, Debra Lynn Rogers, Lamont Sims, Elizabeth H. Thomas, Willie Wells, and Nancy Daniels Williams.

The one business firm listed by the IRS was Robert Earl Mills for Mills Painting Company.

The IRS listed only the names of those to receive the refunds, the only information disclosable under the Privacy Act.

Officials said full information is necessary to establish a claim, including the name and address exactly as shown on the tax return, the current name and address, the tax year for which the refund is believed due, the type of return filed, the social security number or employer identification number, and the amount of refund.

Further information can be secured by calling the IRS Greensboro office on the toll-free number 800-822-8800.

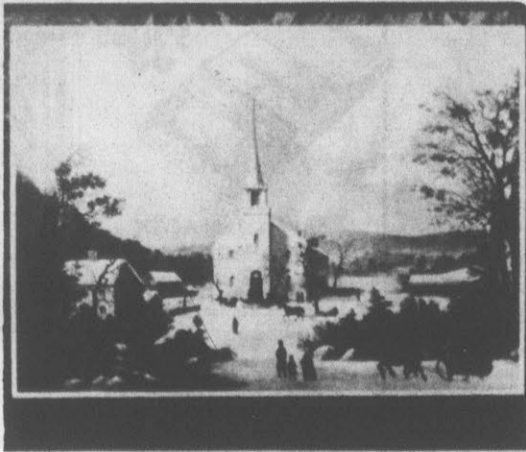
The most common reason for an undelivered refund check, officials noted, is that the taxpayer has moved and left no forwarding address with the U.S. Postal Service.

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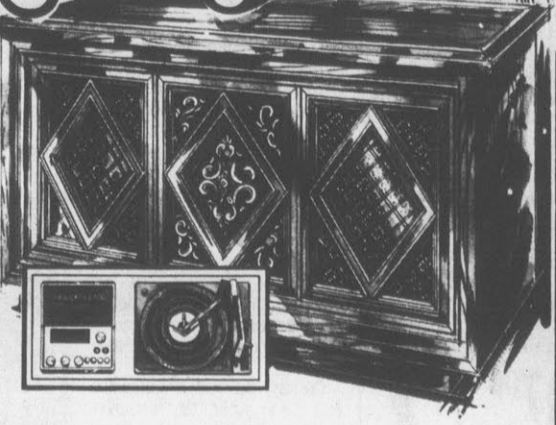
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