

Retrace Tryon Tour —

216 Years Later



Cosby In Atlantic City

Actor Bill Cosby stands beside a priceless Bugatti Royale with Richard J. Googlein, president of Harrah's Hotels and Casinos, at the wheel last week. Harrah's Marina will open this month in Atlantic City. UPI

Thursday Evening

December 4, 1980

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7:00	Face The Music P.M. Magazine	Carol Burnett What's Happening	Family Feud M.A.S.H.	MacNeil/Lehrer Almanac	Welcome Back Kotter M.A.S.H.	Sanford & Son P.M. Magazine	All In The Family Sanford & Son	Joker's Wild Tic Tac Dough
8:00	Waltons	NBC Movie	Waltons	All Creatures Great & Small	Starsky & Hutch	Mork & Mindy Bosom Buddies	TBS Movie: "Hell And High Water"	Bosom Buddies NFL FB Special
9:00	Crystal Gale Special	"	Crystal Gale Special	Sneak Previews Woodwright's Shop	Snowbound	Pittsburgh vs. Houston	"	Pittsburgh vs. Houston
10:00	Knot's Landing	"	Knot's Landing	Planning For Success Small Business	News	"	TBS News	"
11:00	News	News	News	"	M.A.S.H.	News	"	News
11:15	Jeffersons/McMillan	Tonight	Mary Tyler Moore	"	Odd Couple	Nightline Charlie's	Movie 17: "Half A"	Nightline Charlie's
12:00	& Wite	"	Rockford Files	"	Hee Haw	Angels/	Sixpence	Angels/
12:15	"	Tomorrow	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

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8:00	Incredible Hulk	NBC Movie	Incredible Hulk	Washington Week Wall Street Week	Starsky & Hutch	Battle Of Network Stars	Atlanta Hawks vs. Milwaukee	Battle Hutch Stars
9:00	Dukes Of Hazzard	"	Dukes Of Hazzard	Porches	Merv Griffin	"	"	"
9:15	"	"	"	Piaf, Brel & LeBrun	"	"	"	"
10:00	Dallas	NBC News Magazine	Dallas	Cosmos	News	Christmas At The Grand Ole Opry	"	Christmas At The Grand Ole Opry
10:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11:00	News	News	News	Soundstage	M.A.S.H.	News	Night Gallery	News
11:15	Movie	Tonight	Mary Tyler Moore	"	Odd Couple	Dance Fever	Movie 17:	Wrestling
11:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:00	"	"	Movie: "Brinks: The Great Robbery"	"	Perry Mason	Solid Gold	"The Brides Of Fu Manchu"	"
12:15	"	Midnight Special	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Shock Theatre

In December, 1764, William Tryon, fresh from England, set out to tour the North Carolina colony which he would soon be governor. He visited New Bern, Bath and Edenton, stopping at plantations along the way.

In December, 1980, 216 years later, you can retrace his steps in a three-day special tour of the finest 200-year-old buildings in eastern North Carolina, and join in festivities opening the holiday season, including the opening of the Tryon Palace Christmas season.

Jointly sponsored by the Tryon Palace Commission, the N.C. Department of Cultural Resources, the N.C. Department of Commerce and Seashore Trailways, the Dec. 5-7 tour will include special tours and events in town and countryside from Wilmington and Edenton.

Beginning in New Bern on Friday, December 5, participants will visit Brunswick Town's St. Phillips Church and cemetery where Royal Gov. Arthur Dobbs is buried. They will see Orton Plantation and Wilmington's Burgwin-Wright House. Traditions say that Cornwallis stayed here during the British occupation of Wilmington during the Revolution.

The tour leads to Swansboro's Jonathan Green and Peter Ringware houses, and the final stop for Friday will be near Pollocksville at a plantation built for Simon Foscue and owned by his descendants since its beginning.

Continuing Saturday, December 6, the 1980 Governor Tryon Winter Tour participants will tour the Tryon Palace complex, which includes North Carolina's first permanent capitol and historic buildings such as the Stevenson and John Wright Stanly exhibition homes. Outside New Bern the tour will visit Bellair Plantation, begun in 1757 as a country home for Richard Spaight, whose son,

Richard Dobbs Spaight, Sr., and grandson, Richard Jr., both became governors of North Carolina. Bellair is the sole survivor of eighteenth century structures in Craven County and is especially important because it pre-dates Tryon Palace.

The afternoon schedule includes a guided tour of New Bern's historic district.

A special treat for evening is the candlelight tour opening the Tryon Palace Christmas season.

For Sunday December 7, the schedule will cover Edenton's historic district including the 1767 courthouse described as the finest Georgian Courthouse in the south. Also in the district is historic St. Paul's Episcopal Church, second oldest church building in North Carolina and the 1725 Cupola House, often considered the best example of an existing wooden house in the Jacobean tradition in all America. Tour participants will have lunch at the Penelope Barker House.

Afternoon will find tour participants crossing Albemarle Sound to Somerset Place State Historic Site and Historic Bath, incorporated in 1705 and home of many prominent planters, colonial governors, statesmen, plain Quakers and the notorious pirate, Blackbeard. Completing the Sunday agenda is a candlelight dinner at the historic Palmer-Marsh house.

Qualified guides will accompany participants as they retrace the steps of Governor Tryon.

Transportation will be by Trailways bus. Cost of the tour is \$165 per person in double accommodations in the Holiday Inn at New Bern.

Further information and reservations are available from M.F. Gray, Director of Sales, Seashore Trailways, P.O. Box 1229, New Bern 28560; or call (collect) M.F. Gray, (919) 633-1672.

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