

## NCMH receives grants; praise

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Recently-named general director of N.C. Memorial Hospital Eric B. Munson praised the hospital's progress and its board of directors, in a telephone interview this week from his office at the University of Colorado in Denver.

"The NCMH Board of Directors is prototypic as a model for other universities in their achievements," said Munson, who will leave his position as director of the UC teaching hospital in July to come to Chapel Hill.

NCMH received two grants in April including a \$1 million match grant from the U.S. Department of Energy to continue efforts in energy conservation and a \$798,000 grant from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to improve outpatient services.

"I am delighted that (NCMH) received the Robert Wood Johnson grant for ambulatory services," Munson said. "It is money well spent."

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant will help convert the hospital's general medicine clinic into a group practice which will provide around-the-clock,

personalized care to adult patients on a continuing basis. NCMH was among only 15 teaching hospitals nationwide chosen to receive a total of \$12 million in grants.

Under the provision of DOE's \$1 million match grant, the hospital will receive \$523,500 from the federal government and will be responsible for finding state funds to match that amount.

NCMH is in the process of getting the matching funds from the state, NCMH Energy Resources Manager Billie Barnes said this week.

"The funds could come from state legislation or from internal receipts but we (NCMH officials) just don't know yet," Barnes said.

However, NCMH Director of Fiscal Services Charles Wessel said the possibility of getting the funds from state legislation was "out of the question."

"The money will probably come from internal receipts such as patient revenue, but the question is will we have enough receipts," Wessel said. "If we can't match the money, we may lose the grant."

The UNC Board of Governors last week approved a



Eric B. Munson

\$631,000 renovations project for NCMH. The proposed project calls for the conversion of the third floor east of the old hospital wing from intensive care units to a 24-bed medical surgery acute nursing care unit. The project is part of a long-range plan to complete renovation of the hospital.

### grant

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"As the area was upgraded, people's attitudes changed," Jennings said. "Before most students wouldn't have thought of living there."

Parrish agreed. "These are some of the problems which come with making these areas more attractive," he said. "That's why we're looking at the kind of program that looks out for the interests of low- to moderate-income families," he said.

Even with the new 15-year requirement in the community development program, some landlords participating in the program still may be tempted to rent to University students, Stevenson said.

"It's a risk you run with the program," he said. "If he (the landlord) did violate (the agreement) he would be disbarred from further participation in the program."

The rental agreement built into the community development grant implementation program represents only a temporary easing of the displacement problem, Stevenson said. "New housing construction will be the key, whether it's University-owned or private," he said.

But inflation and the rising interest rate make any such construction projects unlikely at present, Stevenson said.

"It looks fairly bleak," he said.

Jennings also said no solution to the town's housing problem was in sight. "More complexes designed primarily for students might help, but that's just not going to happen for a while," he said.

Another town goal in implementing its community development grant is to encourage construction of new low-cost housing in the Northside and Pine Knolls target areas. This can be accomplished in two ways, Stevenson said.

"We can acquire vacant land, engage a contractor to build moderate priced housing and dispose of those units to low-to-moderate-income families," he said.

Financial assistance would be available to help the family buy the homes, he said.

In another method, the town would help a family buy a substandard home and provide the owner with funds to build a replacement structure on the same lot, Stevenson said.

Chris Berndt of the town Planning Department said ways to finance housing construction are being studied by the town.

## News In Brief

### Ship carrying 890 passengers sinks

MANILA, Philippines (AP)—A passenger-general cargo ferry with 890 persons aboard sank south of here Tuesday night after a collision with an oil tanker, the Philippines News Agency reported. It said only 500 survivors had been accounted for.

The agency said the Don Juan, about 300 feet long and 1,372 tons, sank at Maestre de Campo Island—130 miles southeast of Manila in the Tablas Strait—while on a run to Bacolod City in the central Philippines.

It said Gerardo Tsio, port captain in Bacolod for the ferry's owner, Negros Navigation Co., reported rescue workers had recovered 500 survivors by late Tuesday EST.

Neither the name nor ownership of the tanker was known immediately. Tsio told PNA the tanker struck the Don Juan in the port side between two hatches.

### Top Liberian officials executed

MONROVIA, Liberia (AP)—A firing squad of riflemen and machine-guns cheered on by thousands of Liberian soldiers and civilians executed 13 top officials of the deposed government on a sun-baked Atlantic beach Tuesday.

Those executed included former Foreign Minister Cecil Dennis and Frank Tolbert, elder brother of assassinated President William Tolbert, as well as the chief justice, the speaker of the House and the chairman of the party which for a century governed Liberia, long America's closest African friend.

They had been sentenced to death by a five-man military tribunal that declared them guilty of "high treason, rampant corruption and gross violation of human rights." They had been allowed no defense counsel and were given no details of the charges against them.

The executions may have been the opening round of a bloody purge of the old regime by the military men, led by Master Sgt. Samuel K. Doe, who toppled the government April 12 and killed President Tolbert.

### Turner predicts fierce battle for oil

WASHINGTON (AP)—CIA Director Stansfield Turner said Tuesday that potentially "vicious" competition will develop over the next decade for a diminishing worldwide supply of oil.

In a rare public forecast of the international energy outlook, Turner said the Soviet Union will begin importing oil over the next few years, putting increased pressure on already tight Middle Eastern reserves.

For the United States and other Western powers, Turner said, "The cardinal issue is how vicious the struggle for energy supplies will become."

Asked if a major cutoff of Middle Eastern oil to the United States was likely during the 1980s, the CIA chief said it "certainly can happen."

Turner testified before the Senate Energy Committee, which has been investigating strategic implications of a tightening supply of oil.

### Consumer prices jump in March

WASHINGTON (AP)—Inflation surged at a near record 18 percent annual rate for a third straight month in March as consumer prices advanced sharply across a broad range of goods, from food to clothing, the government reported Tuesday.

The steep 1.4 percent rise in consumer prices during March, matching the January and February increases, came even as the economy was believed to have entered a recession. However, government and private economists said the weakening economy would not ease inflationary pressures at the consumer level for several months.

The latest rise in the Consumer Price Index produced a record decline in the purchasing power of an average wage earner during the previous 12 months, but it also brought a 14.3 percent cost-of-living increase for the nation's 35 million Social Security recipients.

March price increases for gasoline, other energy products and medical care were the smallest this year. At the same time, inflation worsened in other areas, suggesting that sharp rises limited mainly to energy and interest rates were now spilling over into the rest of the economy.

### Guerillas release another hostage

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP)—Guerillas released their 38th hostage from the Dominican Republic's Embassy after a two-hour meeting Tuesday with members of the Inter-American Human Rights Commission.

The release of Dominican Consul General Raul Augusto Sanchez left 16 hostages inside the embassy—among them U.S. Ambassador Diego Ascencio—who spent their 56th day in captivity.

### vote

His victory in the popular vote did not translate into nominating delegates. That was a separate contest, and one the Reagan camp claimed to win.

Reagan's state chairman, Drew Lewis, said, "We expect a majority" of the delegates. . . .

I'll deliver for the convention in Detroit a minimum of 50 delegates for Reagan."

In Houston, Bush said he was "very, very pleased" with his victory, and asked, "Isn't it too late to catch Reagan?" nationally, he replied, "I don't believe that."

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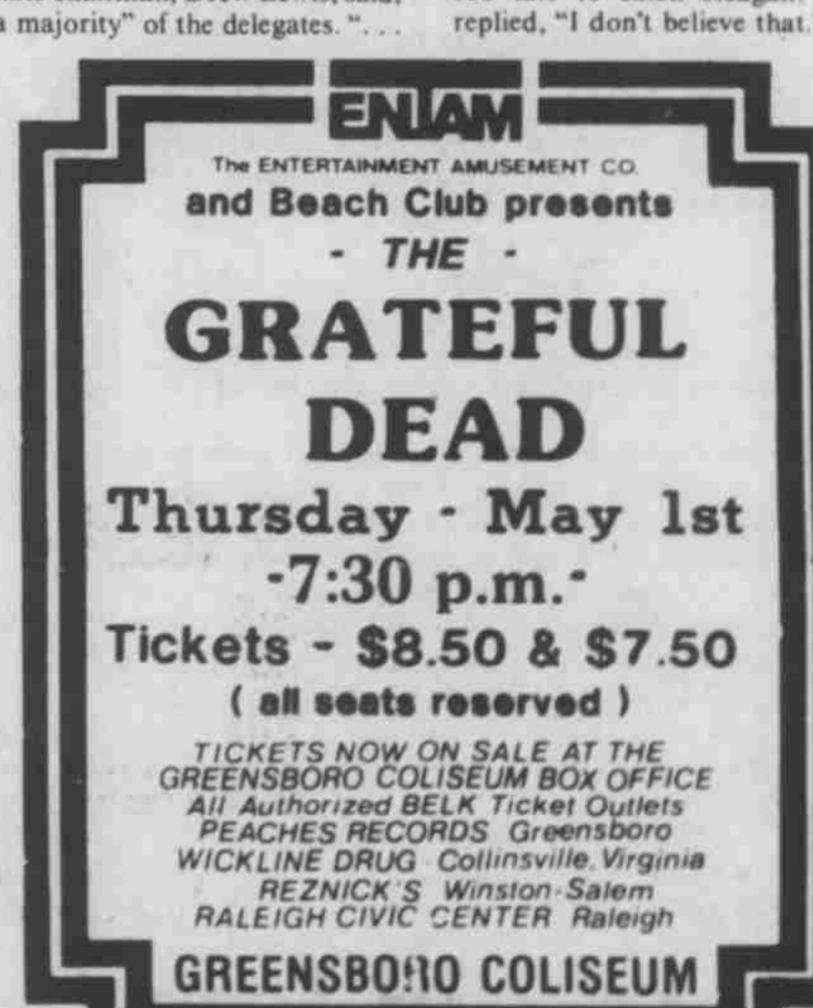
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