

"Terrible Tragedy" In Fayetteville Illustrates Need For Better Roads

RALEIGH — Motor Vehicles Commissioner Ralph Howland has cited Tuesday night's four-fatality traffic accident in Fayetteville as a "terrible tragedy" which all too clearly illustrates several of the major problems facing us in our efforts to save lives on North Carolina streets and highways.

A Fayetteville couple and two Fort Bragg soldiers died when the vehicle in which the soldiers were passengers crashed at high speed into the couple's car at an intersection. The driver and a third passenger in the Fort Bragg vehicle were critically injured.

Fayetteville police were in pursuit of the soldier's car at the time of the crash. Its speed was estimated at more than 100 miles per hour. Ironically, the driver had been stopped by Fayetteville police an hour earlier and charged with speeding 85 miles per hour.

Howland, who has stressed stricter law enforcement and ex-

panded programs of driver education during his first year as Motor Vehicles Commissioner said, "This accident in Fayetteville is a tragic illustration of the need for more effective means of removing from our streets and highways drivers who have no regard for our laws and no concern for the lives of others. Driving is a privilege granted by the state on the assumption that a person is law-abiding and responsible. When a person shows contempt for those qualifications, the driving privilege should be revoked."

The commissioner said the Fayetteville accident also illustrates

the fact that "we are not getting across the message that passengers have a tremendous stake in helping us curtail traffic law violations. There were three passengers in that car Tuesday night. They were riding with a driver who had just been arrested for speeding and was violating the law by speeding again. Now, two of those passengers are dead and the third is seriously injured. The driver survived."

Howland said a study of the past week's traffic accident statistics support his contention.

"During that seven-day period," he said, 274 fatalities were recorded. Nine of those people

N. C. State Clothing Specialist Defines Meaning Of Polyester

RALEIGH—No matter whether it goes under the trade name of Dacron, Kodol, Vycron or Fortrel, a polyester is a polyester.

Polyester is the family name for a whole group of fibers, Mrs. Ruby Miller, extension clothing specialist, North Carolina State University, points out. And all members of that "family" need the same washday care.

For example, all polyesters were pedestrians. Sixteen were passengers. Only seven were driving the cars in which they died. In two instances, the status of the victims could not be immediately determined.

"People must come to realize that they are placing their lives in the hands of another person when they become a passenger in a car. They have every right to complain when the driver takes chances on the road. In fact, they have an obligation. A good point to remember is that the driver wearing a safety belt is occupying one of the safest seats in the car. In a serious accident, he has a better chance of surviving than you do. Don't let someone else take a chance with your life."

A person receiving a transplanted kidney from a relative donor has a 75 to 80 per cent chance of living one year and a 50 to 65 per cent chance of living two years or more.

have wet and dry wrinkle resistance. This means they won't become any more wrinkled wet than dry; provided the garment is not wrung during the washing process.

A garment made with a blend of half polyester will hold pleats and creases that are pressed into it exceptionally well.

Another plus for the polyester group is its wicking action. Perspiration can come through the fabric and evaporate on the surface. Depending on the weave of the fabric, this can mean a comfortable garment on warm days. Polyesters have superior wash and wear performance, too, says Mrs. Miller. However, don't allow oily stains to set for more than 24 hours. Pretreat stains immediately even though you don't plan to wash the garment right away.

Pretreat the neckline with a liquid heavy-duty synthetic detergent just before washing. Rinse, allowing soil to flow off the surface, then follow regular washing procedure.

Another point to remember is that chlorine bleach doesn't make polyesters white, the specialist explains. After repeated washing, white polyester fabrics may begin to yellow. This happens because they pick up and hold stains, such as bacon grease, salad oil and body oil. The only cure is reconditioning or stripping.



NC STRANGER TO RECORD SMASHING — Los Angeles quarterback Roman Gabriel accepts the double-barred cross to officially become the 1968 North Carolina Christmas Seal Chairman. Gabriel, a native of Wilmington and former star quarterback for North Carolina State University, was selected to direct this year's campaign by the North Carolina Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association. Aspiring quarterback Steve Maynor presents the symbolic cross to Gabriel.

KINGS MOUNTAIN and BESSEMER CITY DRIVE-IN THEATRE
 ALWAYS \$1.00 A CARLOAD!
 THURS.-FRI.-SAT. — 3 HITS!
 No. 1 — "What's So Bad About Feeling Good"
 No. 2 — "Just For The Hell Of It"
 No. 3 — "Blue"
 ON SAT. MOVIES RUN IN REVERSE ORDER
 SUN. thru TUES. — 2 HITS
 No. 1 — "World Jane Mansfield"
 No. 2 — "Double Man"
 Wed. Movies Run In Reverse Order.

Trucks pay 38% of North Carolina's highway taxes



North Carolina Motor Carriers Association

This Is The Law

COMMUNITY PROPERTY involving the community property statutes in the eight states which have them that there appears little likelihood that the doctrine will spread to other states.

The fundamental idea behind the community property system is that the husband and wife are considered as constituting a marital community.

All property acquired either by the husband or the wife, or both, during their marriage is declared to be community property; but generally property by gift or inheritance is excepted, and becomes the separate property of the spouse by whom it is acquired.

Property owned by either husband or wife before marriage, and property acquired by means of the separate property of either spouse, usually does not become community property.

Property may be community although title is carried in the form of only one of the spouses.

Where does the community property doctrine exist?

The community doctrine has been incorporated into the statutes of only eight states, all located in the western and southwestern section of the United States. They are Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, and Washington.

It exists today in most of the countries of western Europe, in parts of South Africa touched by the influence of Roman-Dutch law, in Scotland, in Quebec, in Puerto Rico, the Philippines, and in most of the countries to the south of the United States.

It does not exist in England or under the common law of England.

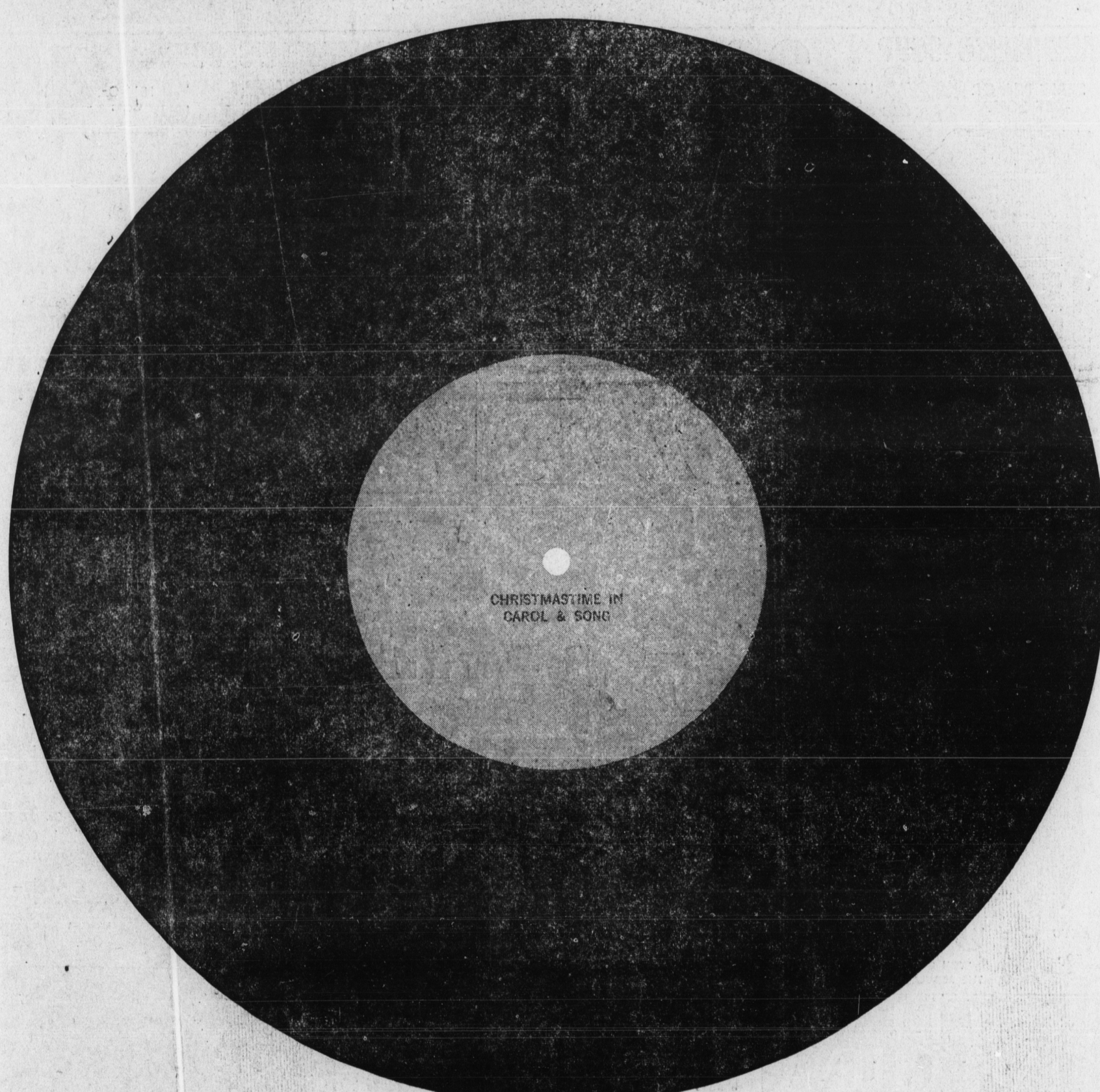
Who manages community property in jurisdictions where such is recognized?

The husband, as the traditional head of the family, is generally vested with the exclusive management of the community property. It is he who makes the contracts to sell and encumber community real property and invests community funds.

Is there any likelihood that the community property concept will spread by legislation into other American states?

No. There is so much litigation

the JOY theatre
 PHONE 739-2176
 THURS. - FRI. - SAT. (G) Rating—Shows 3-5-7-9
 It's a RING-A-DING LAUGH AFFAIR!
 WALT DISNEY presents **The PARENT TRAP!**
 SUN.-MON.-TUES. (M) Rating—Shows Sun. 1:30-3:30-9:00
 Week Days: 3-5-7-9
 Jack Lemmon and Matthew are **The Odd Couple**
 COMING SOON COOGANS BLUFF THE BIG GUNDOWN HELGA



This is a recording.

Of Ed Ames, Harry Belafonte, Vic Damone, Peter Nero, Leontyne Price. Just to name a few. And they're singing all your Christmas favorites.

This special 12" LP RCA Victor record album is yours for just \$1.00 when you join our 1969 Christmas Club or when you deposit \$10.00 in a new or present savings account.

Our 1969 Christmas Club starts November 14, 1968.

Just decide how much money you'll need for shopping next year, and with our 50-payment plan the money will be yours November, 1969.

DEPOSIT WEEKLY	RECEIVE IN 50 WEEKS
\$ 1	\$ 50
\$ 2	\$100
\$ 3	\$150
\$ 5	\$250
\$10	\$500

First Union National

COLD - SINUS Miseries?

Is your head pounding—nose running—are your eyes watering and are you sneezing—sneezing—sneezing? Have you blown your nose until it is raw?

We're sorry you're suffering so because obviously you're not aware of our product SYNA-CLEAR and this is our fault. SYNA-CLEAR is the original timed release tablet that gives up to eight hours of real relief from cold symptoms and clogged up sinuses.

We do not have millions to spend on T.V. to tell you about SYNA-CLEAR just this small ad. We do not gimmick our Advertising and product by offering twelve hours of medication. What is medication without relief?

SYNA-CLEAR is what we offer and it gives you eight hours relief per tablet or your money back in full.

We could go into detail how our product works and about the fine formula, but we would rather you ask the experts about SYNA-CLEAR. The druggist at the store listed below or your family doctor can tell you about the merits of our fine formula. SYNA-CLEAR costs more (\$1.50 & \$3.00 sizes) because it does more. You're buying relief and not gimmicks.

Try SYNA-CLEAR as soon as possible—you know—all your miseries are all you can lose.

This little ad has an awfully big job to do—to get you to SYNA-CLEAR, so as a bonus, we extend our

Introductory Offer Worth \$1.50

Cut out this ad—write your name on it and take it to Kings Mountain Drug Company. Purchase one box of SYNA-CLEAR 12's and receive one more absolutely free. If you have time to tell us about the relief SYNA-CLEAR gave you, we would be pleased to hear from you.

KINGS MOUNTAIN DRUG COMPANY