

Cooking Down East

By REBA MITCHELL

Busy days create a need for easy, quick meals to prepare, with dish washing cut down to a minimum. The pork chop skillet dinner is a real whiz.

PORK CHOP SKILLET DINNER

2 tbs. vegetable oil
 ¼ tsp. salt
 6 small potatoes whole
 5 md. carrots sliced
 4 onions quartered
 ½ tsp. salt
 6 pork chops
 ½ tsp. pepper
 1 (10 oz.) pkg. frozen Eng. peas
 ½ c. water
 ¼ tsp. pepper

Heat oil in electric skillet on medium heat. Sprinkle pork chops with ¼ tsp. salt and ½ tsp. pepper. Brown both sides.

Add potatoes, peas, carrots, onions, and water. Sprinkle with the remainder salt and pepper. Cover and reduce heat and simmer 45 minutes or until meat and vegetables are tender. Yield 6 servings.

Here's a quick, tasty and easy cake.

PINEAPPLE SQUARES

Pineapple cake mix
 ½ c. chopped nuts
 ½ coconut

Prepare as directed on package, stir in nuts, coconut, bake in 9 x 13 pan at 350 degrees until tests done. Glaze while hot ½ cup sugar, ½ cup water ½ tsp. coconut extract, heat until sugar is melted. drizzle over entire cake. Serve warm or cold as you like, cut in squares.

Visitors

Mrs. Ethel Lancaster, Mrs. Lucy Haddock, husband Elbert and son Kinsey of Atlantic Christian College in Wilson were visiting in Vanceboro last weekend. They attended the Riverside Christian Church Bazaar and a barbecue at Crisp RV in Chocowinity.

Kathleen Carawon, Mildred S. Johnson, Lera S. Kee and Sammy Kee visited Robert and Ruby Smith at Brevard Rest Home Oct. 16-17.

While there, at Brevard, they visited Spencer Smith and family.

Wachovia Update

The Wachovia Corporation's net income per share for the third quarter of 1984 was \$.80, an increase of 18.5 percent over the \$.67 in the same period last year. This amounted to \$25.851 million compared with \$21.734 million a year earlier, according to John G. Medlin Jr., chief executive officer.

For the first nine months, net income was \$2.29 per share, a 14.4 percent increase over the \$2.00 in the prior year period. This represented \$73.921 million compared with \$64.348 million earned in 1983.

Income before securities transactions was \$.86 per share, up 21.5 percent from the third quarter of 1983. It totaled \$2.42 per share for the first nine months, up 16.3 percent over a year ago. This was equivalent to \$27.673 million for the quarter and \$78.088 million for the year to date.

All per share data has been restated for a two-for-one stock split effected in the form of a 100 percent common stock dividend paid on August 31, 1984.

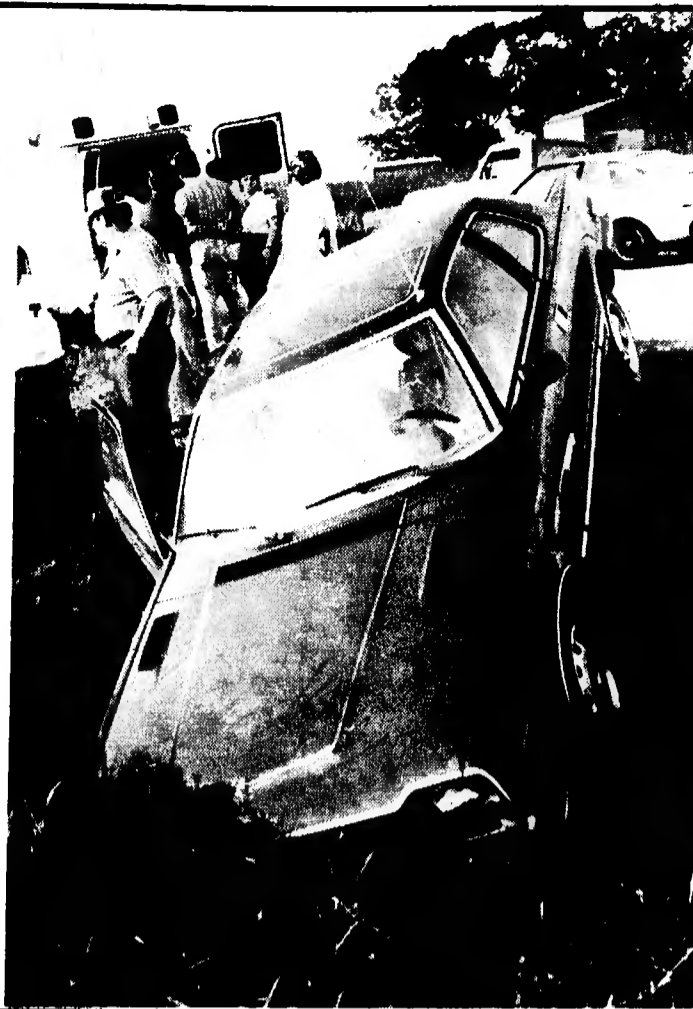
Medlin said the strong performance in both periods was primarily attributable to continued growth of commer-

cial and consumer loans, net interest income and other operating revenues.

Average loans were up \$913 million or 25.2 percent for the quarter and \$673 million or 18.8 percent for the nine months over 1983 levels. Taxable equivalent net interest income advanced \$15.080 million or 19.3 percent from the 1983 third quarter and \$31.234 million or 13.4 percent for the year to date.

Other operating revenues grew by \$4.630 million for the third period or 16.8 percent and \$11.206 million or 13.3 percent for the nine months compared with 1983. Non-interest expense was higher by \$8.283 million or 14 percent for the quarter and \$20.210 million or 11.5 percent for the year to date.

The provision for loan losses was up \$1.433 million for the third quarter but was lower by \$2.755 million for the nine months. Net credit charge-offs were \$44 thousand for the quarter and net recoveries were \$161 thousand for the nine months compared with net charge-offs of \$1.395 million and \$3.285 million in the respective year-ago periods.



Russel Whitehurst took the ditch to avoid collision with a dump truck in which the driver stopped to talk to some girls.

THE CLASSIFIEDS

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Vote Nov 6th

Fort Barnwell Bulletin

By MRS. B.H. MITCHELL

The officers and members of the St. Edwards F.W.B. Church will observe their quarterly meeting on the 3rd and 4th of November. Quarterly Conference and Communion Services will be observed on Saturday night with Elder William Waters in charge.

The Fort Barnwell Community is all geared up for another super Fireman's Day Parade. Mr. Jimmy Smith who promotes the annual event says that we shall try to be ready with the usual happenings with something of interest for everyone.

The parade is scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. with the Marching Eagles of West Craven High School participating. (We love all of them) There will be many other entries in the parade. The Honorable Walter B. Jones and other state representatives are expected to greet the people in Ft. Barnwell on Saturday morning.

The Fire Princess will be selected, games and rides will be featured, barbecued pork or chicken plates will be on sale as well as many other delectable treats to please the appetite.

Prizes to be given away to lucky ticket holders (Contribution of \$1.00 for tickets) are first prize Amana Microwave Oven, second prize is a Sears Gas Fired Grill.

The Fort Barnwell Community would like to welcome all of you. Do come with good eyes and ears, a well rounded billfolder and enough energy to enjoy a day of fun. COME ON OVER!

Elizabeth City State University of Elizabeth City, N.C. held its annual Homecoming Game at Roebuck Stadium on Saturday, October 27th.

The annual parade was a special feature from many states of the Union. The entries were beautifully decorated with participants from Kindergarten to College and from business to disco. The floats were beautiful and carried messages which lead to a better education.

Before the game started three High School bands performed beautifully on the football field. Trophies were awarded 1st and 2nd place winners.

Then Chancellor Jenkins crowned Miss Homecoming

and Miss General Alumni and presented flowers to them and their runners-up.

Then a surprise was in store for all attendants to the game. The U.S. Army 82nd Airborne Division supplied a five member parachute group to jump from a helicopter at 8000 ft. in the air directly on the football field. Three males and two females. The first was a female who jumped with an unfurled U.S. Flag. Her landing was perfect. She landed up right in the middle of the field. The others did almost as well. Two fell (nothing serious) as their feet touched the field.

The Star Spangled Banner was sung as the flag was coming to earth. After performing with excellence the service personnel moved back to their station.

Then it was time for the Elizabeth City Vikings to oppose the Hampton Institute Pirates of Hampton, Va.

It was a tough game. One hour passed before Hampton Institute Pirates made a touch down plus one point. Score 7-0. Another hour and ten minutes passed before ECSU Viking changed the zero to seven on the other side of the scoreboard. The remainder of the time, about 2 hours - the score remained 7-7 a tie. What a game!

Clean Water

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Inlet jetties to funding for studies on factors affecting the states seafood nurseries.

While many questions deal with statewide issues, the poll focussed on matters of special concern in eastern N.C. and the Pamlico-Tar River area.

The poll was sent to candidates for the U.S. Senate, governor, lieutenant governor, N.C. House of Representatives (Districts 1,2,3,6,7,8,9), N.C. Senate (Districts 1,2,3,4,10,11), and U.S. House of Representatives (Districts 1,2,4).

Of 38 candidates on the ballot for the Nov. 6 election, 12 answered the survey.

The Pamlico-Tar River Foundation is a non-profit research and education organization concerned with environmental quality and conservation in the Pamlico estuary and Tar River watershed.