

....From Bob Curry

Financial Planning Service Opens Here

The service to look for when it comes to financial planning is Curry's Insurance Advisory Clinic, also known as the Four Disciplines. It is located at 2202 Beatties Ford Rd.

Not only will an Insurance Advisor and underwriter, Bob Curry assist you, but an accountant, Andrew Gray; a Business Consultant and underwriter Wyndell Walden; a Banker, Steven Brown; a Trust Officer, Floyd Woodward; and a number of attorneys will be available to insure your financial independence.

"To my knowledge this is the first time in North Carolina that all of these professions have merged for the purpose of helping clients grow financially Bob Curry, the president of Asadyieacuclinic said inc only are involved with professionals, but we also work with down to earth, hard working people. Their problems are sometimes greater. We work with all segments of the community.'

There is a broad range cluded.

NABA Offers Free Tax Help

Greensboro - The National Association of Black Accountants in Charlotte will offer free assistance in preparing income tax returns beginning January 26.

NABA members are in the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, which is sponsored by the Internal Revenue Service. The volunteers will prepare 1040A and 1040 forms, according to Ms. Avis Toppin and George Ledbetter, VITA Coordinators. They ask that taxpayers interested in free assistance bring their tax packages to the assistance sites along with their W-2 forms and other pertinent tax documents.

Baton Classes

Baton classes will be taught by Gloria Blackwell at West Charlotte Recreation Center beginning Friday, January 25, and will

continue through March. These classes are taught each Friday from 6-7 p.m. The registration fee is \$1 per week.

-A growing nestegg for themselves and their famil--Money to fall back on in emergencies

of services people come in

for. The following are just a

-Money to be financially independent at retirement -Financial security for their families

Not only can individuals and families benefit from these joint efforts, but business men and women can avoid many pitfalls.

"We advise them of pitfalls in the area of legal matters and taxes that most business people would follow. The business people we assist are the sharpest business people in town,' Curry stated.

In essence, the advisory clinic's goals are to pro-'We want to transform man's thinking from week to month thinking, to year to year thinking. Help them plan to be independent. Even if he were to die the next day, planning would provide the life time dream for his family," Curry con-

Help will be available at Belmont Regional Center, 700 Parkwood Avenue each Saturday from January 26 through April 5, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.; and at the Greenville Center, 1330 Spring Street each Saturday from January 26 through April 5 between the hours of 11:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Junior League

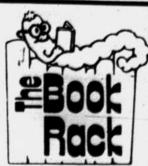
Thrift Shop

Plans Bag Day

Saturday, February 2, is once again BAG DAY at the Junior League's thrift shop THE WEARHOUSE. Between the hours of 9 and 4 smart shoppers may fill a bag full of top quality used clothing for only \$3. It's an ideal time to save on winter clothing for the entire family

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One Million Teen-Agers Become Pregnant Each Year

By Susan Ellsworth

Post Staff Writer One million teen-age girls become pregnant each year.

Many of their babies are birth defect victims who will suffer physical and mental handicaps while others will not live to celebrate their first birthday.

The March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation

By Susan Ellsworth

Post Staff Writer

How will the City of Charlotte prepare for

'We have adopted a com-

prehensive plan," says

Martin Cramton, director

of the Planning Commis-

sion. "We're in the process

in the first half of 1980 to

determine if its valid and

how to put the plan into

Five study groups are

meeting Jan. 21-March 10

to research and discuss

issues in preparation for

the Urban Symposium to

said, "is concentrating on

major issues instead of

lesser issues of import-

During 1980. Cramton

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"'MODELING' A SIX-

"THE YEAR 2002"

VOICES"... Fourteen years later, one of

the three convicted says the other two are

innocent. Is it a con? Should the case be

... A look into the future—Will

racism still be in the picture?

'The focus," Cramton

be held April 14-15.

ance.

growth during the 1980s?

Cramton Predicts H

will hold its 30th annual Fifteen million Americation drives for mass im-Mother's March to request contributions and dispense an opinion survey on the issue of teen-age pregnan-

Results will be used to plan national and health education programs for the defective blood cells, or prevention of birth defects body chemistry disorders. and community programs reflecting health and edu- Dimes Mother's March are cational needs.

of middle income housing.

Providing for higher den-

sity is being examined as a

City travel of the future

poses the question should

the city plan for a future

with reliance on the auto-

mobile, or should Charlotte

to use existing streets more

efficiently while increasing

support for a mass transit

Uptown development will

concentrate on introducing

more compact residential

areas, meeting the demand

for 2,600 middle income

families, and have the po-

tential for doubling jobs,

volvement, according to

To encourage citizen in-

In the TV arena they play for keeps. So a lot of TV

commentators play it safe. Not Tony Brown. He's not at all

afraid of making waves over the nation's airwaves with

honest, hard-hitting reporting. Yet in an industry where careers

are often measured in weeks, his career has lasted 10 years—the

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Frank E. Peterson, the first black general to wear Marine Green

show of its kind. By both blacks and whites alike

encourage mass transit?

possible solution.

system.

Cramton said.

another 250,000 more babies become victims every year.

They suffer from mental retardation. blindness. deafness, missing limbs. Funds from the March of

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used for research, and edu-

Cramton, Charlotte needs

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Some citizens want to

become involved where the

problem is defined rather

than just discussing solu-

hoods to discuss issues.

cans have birth detects and munication against rubella and risk of alcohol and tobacco consumption during pregnancy

> A campaign to improve maternal nutrition and genetic counseling to alert parents to the danger of birth defects are also pro-

> birth to the highest per-

Teen-age women give

Shortage be examined by the study groups

> As coordinator of the Urban Symposium, Cramton explained, "We're look ing at the larger issues that touch everybody

tions at the hearings, he He said many vitizens The planning capability of the government of efhave come to expect city planners to take action in Planners are attempting fectively plan for growth determining growth policies for the city and implement plans," will

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centage of babies having birth defects.

The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Health Department reports a 19.9 percent infant mortality rate in 1978 includes low birth weight babies transferred in from other counties for intensive care

In 1978, 30 percent of live births were to teens, ages 10-19. This represents 5,426 live births

For 19 year olds and younger there are as many abortions as live births. according to James Bost director of the Greater Piedmont Chapter of the March of Dimes.

Half of all teen mothers aren't getting any

natal care during the first three months." Bost said. Low birth weight strong-

ity. The incidence of low birth weight babies to North Carolina mothers under 15 is twice that for women in their late 20s.

The death rates for babies born to mothers under 18 are twice the rates for infants born to 20-29 year olds, according to research conducted by the March of

Bost emphasized that the March of Dames does not condone teenage pregnancies but works to help those. women who are already pregnant to have healthy

The Mother's March will be held Sunday, Jan. 27 he and to raise \$50,000. Volunteers number 4,500 in Mecklenburg County, 1,300

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200 in Anson County

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