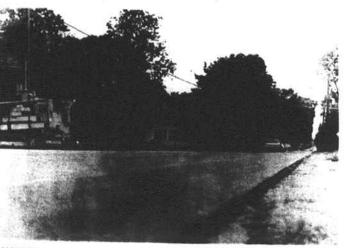
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NOTICEABLE IMPROVEMENT - Motorists using Central Avenue had to put up with long delays last week as traffic movement was disrupted by the extensive re-paving work, but a smooth ride is now the result.

Wildlife Afield

For example, if you've got a small 10-foot cartop boat and you use a 1.7 horsepower outboard on it.

you'll have to have it registered and

numbered beginning New Year's

Day.

There are, of course, some exceptions. If your boat is powered

entirely by said, you won't have to register it. However, if your sailboat has an auxiliary engine (even a small

outboard motor), you'll have to register it. If you only paddle your

boat, and never use an outboard motor on it, you won't have to

register it. Also, any boat that uses

only an electric trolling motor will not have to be registered. Finally,

any boat which has a valid marine document issued by the U.S. Coast

But as of January 1, every other

boat must be registered and

displaying its assigned numbers or be

in violation of both state and federal

Chances are you've already heard

about this, but in case you haven't,

here's some of the background. The

new requirements were passed recently by the North Carolina Legislature (Senate Bill 267) in order to bring North Carolina into compliance with federal boating laws

in existence since 1971. In fact, most

states had already passed laws bringing them into compliance, and

N.C. boat owners who have fished

out of state in recent years may have

realized this too late when authorities issued them a citation for

"We had to get this law passed in

order to comply with federal law so that our boat operators wouldn't get

into a lot of trouble when they went out of state," said Charles Fullwood,

chief of the N.C. Division of Motorboats and Water Safety. "Also,

we had already been told that unless

we passed a law requiring the registration of all motorboats (even

those of 10 horsepower or less) we'd

lose control and funding for our boating program."

Carolina's boating program --administered by the N.C. Wildlife

Resources Commission - may

already know that this program has

paid for 123 free boating access ramps across the state. Also, the

program provides for boating law

enforcement, waterways marking, an

active boating safety program and a

and river channels of obstacles that

we knew the boating public didn't want to lose it," said Fullwood. "It

had already been disclosed that if the

program went under federal control,

it would not provide for such

popular development as boating

Of course, now that a state law has

been passed requiring registration of

all motorboats, the N.C. Wildlife Commission will continue to control

the boating program for the state,

and the money from registrations will be used to further improve

boating and boating access in the

Those who own boats requiring registration under this new law after

January 1, 1976, can apply for a

registration number by writing the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission.

Motorboat Registration, 325 N. Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611. You can register for

one year for \$3, or if you like, the

State Legislature has also made it

possible (through a second bill, Senate Bill 702) for you to register the boat for three years for \$7.50.

However, the three-year option will

not be available until after January 1.

You may want to go ahead and register your boat for the current

year even though you aren't required

to do so by state law yet in North Carolina. The reason is that if you

are planning to fish this summer or

registration is already required for all

motorboats, you'll need a valid

number for your motorboat. If you

want more information on this, or if

you have any other questions concerning the new motorboat registrations, write the above address

and the folks in the Motorboat and

Water Safety Division will shoot you

in a neighboring state where

prevent recreational boating.

access areas."

snagging" operation to clear creek

"It's been a popular program, and

Those familiar with North

operating an unregistered boat.

Guard need not be registered.

If you are one of more than a hundred thousand North Carolinians who own a boat, you ought to be aware of a couple of new laws that could affect you this coming year.

As you probably know, in recent ears North Carolina law has years North Carolina law has required that any boat equipped with a motor of more than 10 horsepower be registered at an annual cost of \$3. Each boat is then issued a number which had to be displayed on each side of the bow.

Beginning January 1, 1976, every boat used on the public waters of North Carolina that has an internal combustion motor will have to be registered and numbered - no matter how small the motor might be.

--COUNTY--

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briefly discussed possible uses of the briefly discussed possible uses of the county office building when it is vacated later this year, including requests from the recreation department, Sandhills Community College, and the Employment Security Commission.

The board tabled any action on the matter until the recreation director, W.K. Morgan, and a representative from Sandhills could appear and detail their plans.

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The board also routinely approved transfers of funds from the contingency balance for 1974-75 to tie up loose ends in this year's

budget. Lester Lester reported the governing body's budget went over by \$600, for travel and department supplies. The tax collector's office was short by some \$3,000 because of a recent change made in the manner of listing professional services, Lester said.

Buildings fund went over \$2,500 for utilities, Lester said.

The Sheriff's department exceeded their budget for vehicle expenses and Lester estimated the total would be \$3,000, but since the jail fund had about a \$3,000 surplus, no actual deficit could be attributed, Lester explained.

The medical examiner budget was estimated at about \$900 over, and the veterans service office exceeded their budget by \$100, for supplies, Lester reported.

The money to cover the various deficits was ordered transferred from the contingency fund, contains \$23,000, Lester said.

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him to the home state candidate With the 1976 Democratic nominee for president likely to emerge from a wheeling and dealing" convention, this could well leave Sanford without many scars when the "wheeling and dealing" in the "smoke filled rooms"

gets underway.

BUSING -- When asked about his stand on "busing for integration", Sanford said: "It has been a failure." Then he went on to say that the school in the poor neighboods should be up-graded into "superior" schools. This, he seemed to feel would be much better than "busing for integration."

By the way, Professor James S. Coleman, author of the controversial "Coleman Report" nearly 10 years ago, says a new study which he is preparing shows a "white flight" to the suberbs to avoid court-ordered school integration in the nation's 20 largest cities resulted in "a general resegregation in all five regions of the

BIGGEST HURDLE -- Sanford's biggest hurdle in becoming a major candidate will be to win in North Carolina where George Wallace has a tremendous back - log of support. Sanford says he will enter the New Hampshire primary, but will not enter the Florida primary which

Exchange finds it hard to understand "why Senator Morgan voted for padding his expense account" when the U.S. Senate recently voted 63 to 35 to permit each senator to draw up to \$102,000 in additional expense enoney each year in the future. Editor Moore points out that Senator Helms voted against the bill while Senator Morgan voted with the majority. FOR SALE: Antique bicycle (80 years), antique oak table and 4 chairs. Call 875-3963.

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The theme for the meeting is "Divine Sovereignty", Balmu Martin, overseer of the Red Springs area, announced.

Martin said the convention program will be devoted to a full explanation of man's problem human survival - and explain how it will be achieved.

The public is invited and admission is free.

Sandhills Names **Teaching Posts**

Dr. H.G. Beard, dean of instruction at Sandhills Community College, has announced several appointments to the faculty for the

1975-76 academic year.
Two instructors, Mrs. Margaret
Hancock and Miss Lois E. Tuey, will teach in the Associate Degree nursing program; Arthur J. Spong, Jr., will teach reading: Daryl A. Alligood will be an instructor in electronics; and Moses J. Long Jr. will teach in the of engineering department technology.

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