

CHRISTMAS PAST -- Christmas is over, but the memories linger on. This picture was taken Tuesday afternoon after a Hillcrest citizen came in to complain about the garbage overflowing the dumpsters. While city residents were relieved of their Christmas trash on Monday, county residents must put up with unsightly remnants such as this until garbage collections are made. These dumpsters are located on Highway 401 Business.

Farm Items By W.S. Young, Agri. Ext. Chr.

Freddie O'Neal Asst. Agri. Agent

For these farmers that might be considering entering into the important to understand that it is a long run committment. It is essential that one has the financial reserves to maintain the business through the preproduction years and during periods of low prices. For some individuals, a pick - your own operation offers promise for a wide variety of large and small fruits. Surveying market potential and planning crop rotations are important to success.

Pork production is expected to rise substantially in 1978. Based on pig crop reports, the slaughter hog supply by quarters for 1978 is expected to be up 10 percent in the winter, 10 percent in the spring and 16 percent in the summer. Hog prices are expected to be between \$35 and \$37 per hundredweight in the first quarter and decline throughout the year possibly below \$30 during the fourth quarter. With this price squeeze, producers should watch costs carefully and consider hedging some of their production on the Futures Market.

Long terms demands for forest resources remains strong. Tracts requiring silvicultural practices such as site preparation and planting should be soundly managed. Pulpwood thinnings and timber stand improvement cuttings should be considered to enhance growth rates of future marketable timber. Landowners with mature stands should carefully time timber sales since the demand for timber and resulting prices varies within a given county during the year.

District Extension Chairman Is Named

Edwin L. (Ed) Yancey has been promoted to district chairman by the N.C. Agricultural Extension

Yancey will be placed in charge of extension programs in the South Central District effective Jan. 1, according to Dr. George Hyatt Jr., extension director at North Carolina State University. He will succeed Dr. Dick Smith, who was transferred to the Southwestern

Counties in the South Central District are Anson, Montgomery, Richmond, Moore, Scotland, Hoke, Robeson, Bladen, Sampson, Cumberland and Harnett. Extension agents in these counties are responsible for conducting educa-tional programs relating to agri-culture, home economics, 4-H and community development.

"Ed has a proven record of leadership in one of our more progressive counties," Dr. Hyatt said in announcing the promotion. Pitt has twice won district honors its extension program since Yancey was named chairman there in 1969. He had 11 years of experience prior to that as an extension agent in Johnston Coun-

Yancey grew up on a farm near Mebane, where his father, J.D. Yancey, still resides. His B.S. degree is in animal science and his M.S. degree is in adult education, both from N.C. State.

He is past president of the N.C. Association of County Agricultural Agents and the Greenville Kiwanis Club. He has served as chairman of the administrative board of St. James United Methodist Church in

Electric Company Requires Deposit

Lumbee River Electric Membership Corp. announced today that due to an increasing number of member - consumers moving away from the cooperative's service without paying the final bill. security deposits will be required upon application for service as of

According to the new policy, adopted by the cooperative's board of directors, applicants for electrical service who can furnish a letter of credit from another electric utility for 12 consecutive months of

timely payments to that utility will be required to pay a \$10 member-ship fee and a \$30 security deposit.

Applicants without good credit ratings will have to pay a \$50 security deposit in addition to the \$10 membership fee.

The security deposits will be refunded in full to members -consumers of the cooperative after 36 consecutive months of payment for electrical service to the cooperative or will be credited to the

Ladies' League

Misfits Take First

week in the Raeford Ladies' Bowling League. They are one game ahead of the Go Getters.
Three Plus One is in third place, ahead of the Lady Stars. The Has Beens, and Alley Cats.

The high game was turned in by Jeanette Ferguson and Barbara Odom, who both had 187s. Wanda Lupo had a 181; Blanche Farmer. 179; Bea Baker, 173; and Edith

Edith Nixon had the high series with a 498. Barbara Odom was close behind with a 497. Jeanette Ferguson turned in a 488 series. and Wanda Lupo had a 472. Jan

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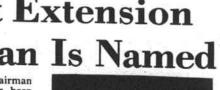
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Walters had a 4/Z, and Blanche Farmer turned in a 467.
Debbie Hutson has the high average, with a 150, followed by Jan Walters, with a 149; Edith Nixon, with a 147; Barbara Odom, with a 143; Patricia Campbell, with a 143; Patricia Campbell, with a 140; and Shiplay Frahm, with a a 140; and Shirley Frahm, with a

In next week's action, the Go Getters will be up against the Misfits. The Lady Stars take on the Has Beens, and the Alley Cats will play Three Plus One.

Team Standings

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Misfits	401/2	271/2
Go Getters	351/2	281/2
Three Plus One	37	31
Lady Stars	37	31
The Has Beens	31	37
Alley Cats	20	48





Ed Yancey

Mr. and Mrs. Yancey, the former Lumberton, have two daughters and a son.

Miss Raeford

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ated from Hoke High and Atlantic Christian College. She teaches at Upchurch Junior High. Joanne's hobbies include music, crocheting and tennis. She will sing in talent competition.

"We are very proud of the seven contestants we have," reported Ricky English, entries committee chairman. "They are all very lovely and talented. These young ladies will truly be the stars of our pageant.

Tickets will be sold Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Reserved seating is \$3 per ticket. General admission tickets will be sold at the door at \$2 each. For reserved seats call 875-4017, 875-8193, 875-5888, 875-2874 or Radio Station

W.S.H.B.
"Without the help of many would not have people, the pageant would not have been as organized," English said. "The wives of the Jaycees have been instrumental and could never be forgotten. To Mrs. Carolyn Hicks, Mrs. Kathryn Zollars and Miss Carol McDuffie, we say thank you for the time you have taken to help us. We must not forget the many Raeford Jaycees for their fine work in sponsoring our first pageant in Raeford. Thank you to everyone.

The Jaycees promise their first pageant will be an casion for all of Raeford to be proud.

CAUTION

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anticipating a quiet holiday,

Barrington stated.

Chief Wiggins and Sheriff
Barrington both advise parents of
children with a first bike to use
caution and good judgment.

"The week following Christmas
traditionally a bad week for

bicycle accidents nation - wide," Wiggins said.

He says parents should give the child training in bike safety. If the parents are not sure of the bicycle safety rules, they can get pointers by coming by the Police Station. Barrington says that supervision

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Office of the County Manager Raeford, N.C. 28376

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