



Photos By Carl Champion

LEGION ACTION — The photos above were shot by Carl Champion in the recent Post 155 American Legion golf tournament at Kings Mountain Country Club. In top photo, Randall Elgin tries to come out of a sand trap and in lower photo, Danny Bagwell, left, and Gene Stone couldn't play golf so they just smiled for the cameraman. The quality of the photos aren't too good, but the quality of the play wasn't so hot either.

Junior High Gridders Open

Heavy Drills, Eye Good Year

Kings Mountain Junior High's footballers began heavy drills yesterday in preparation for their first season in the new Western North Carolina Junior High Conference.

Head Coach Joe Speight is looking forward to a successful season and feels his charges will be contenders for the conference championship.

"We feel like we have as good a chance as anybody in the conference," says Speight. "It'll just be a matter of hard work and getting everybody to jell together."

The Patriots will open their season on September 15 with a game against West McDowell at John Gamble Stadium.

The new conference includes the four Cleveland County teams (KM, Shelby, Crest and Burns) which previously played in the Foothills Conference, West McDowell and East McDowell of Marion and Grandview

Marion and Grandview

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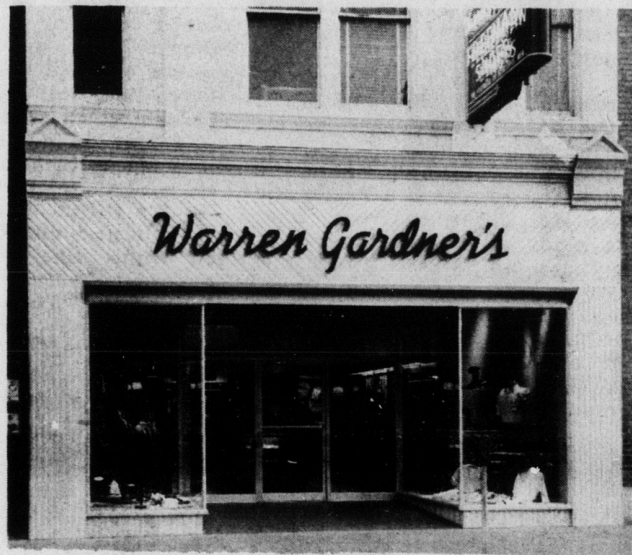
ABC Will Televis ACC Finals

Roone Arledge, director of ABC sports, and Bob James, Commissioner of the Atlantic Coast Conference, jointly announced today that ABC will televise the 1978 ACC basketball tournament on its "Wide World of Sports."

The deal will mean moving the championship game to Saturday afternoon.

The tournament will be held at the Greensboro Coliseum.

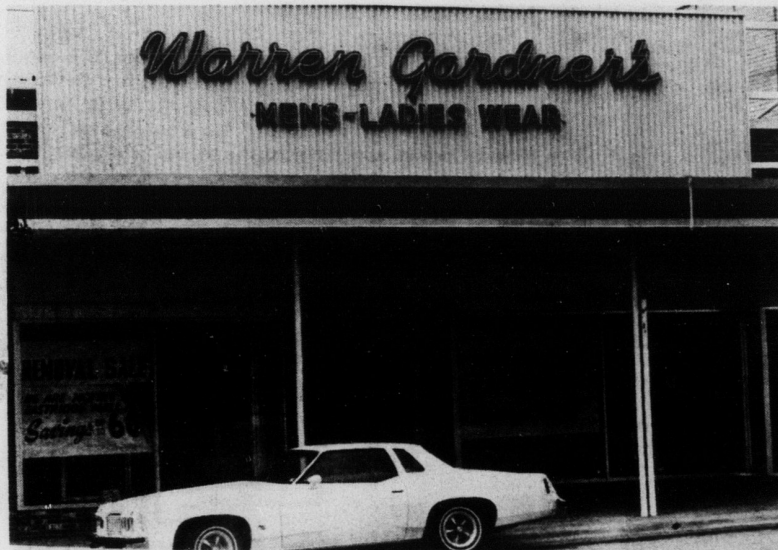
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