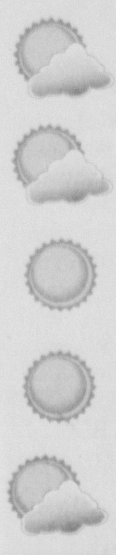


WEATHER

5-DAY FORECAST



Wednesday
Partly cloudy and cooler
High 68 Low 44

Thursday
Partly cloudy and cool
High 61 Low 42

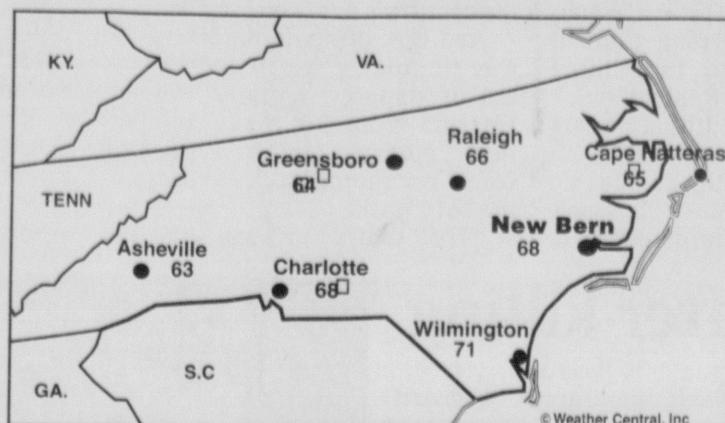
Friday
Mostly sunny and cool
High 62 Low 40

Saturday
Mostly sunny and milder
High 69 Low 49

Sunday
Partly cloudy and pleasant
High 71 Low 55

NORTH CAROLINA WEATHER

Wednesday, October 22, 2003
Forecast temperatures for 3:00 p.m. today.



YESTERDAY

Asheville	78/42/0.00
Cape Hatteras	74/72/0.00
Charlotte	79/54/0.00
Cherry Point	77/51/0.00
Elizabeth City	78/56/0.00
Fayetteville	80/55/0.00
Goldboro	81/55/0.00
Greensboro	78/54/0.00
Hickory	76/48/0.00
Jacksonville	79/46/0.00
New Bern	79/51/0.01
Raleigh-Durham	77/55/0.00
Rocky Mount-Wilson	79/52/0.00
Wilmington	80/50/0.00

SUN AND MOON



Almanac for Wednesday, Oct. 22, 2003

MOON Rises 3:49 a.m. Sets 5:04 p.m.
SUN Rises 7:20 a.m. Sets 6:25 p.m.

MILITARY BASES

Norfolk, VA
Partly sunny
High 64 Low 48

Fort McCoy, WI
Partly cloudy
High 65 Low 40

29 Palms, CA
Sunny
High 92 Low 65

Rota, Spain
Showers
High 68 Low 54

Guantanamo, Cuba
Chance of t-storms
High 88 Low 77

MARINE

South of Virginia Beach
to Little River Inlet

Northwest wind at
20 to 25 knots.
3-6 ft
WAVES

Albemarle and Pamlico
sounds

Northwest wind at
15 to 20 knots.
2-3 ft
WAVES

Tides at Beaufort

High 3.5 ft. 5:14 am 4.0 ft. 5:38 pm
Low 0.5 ft. 11:26 am 0.3 ft. 11:57 pm

THE NATION

City	Yesterday	Today	Tomorrow	City	Yesterday	Today	Tomorrow	City	Yesterday	Today	Tomorrow
Albany, N.Y.	66/52/0.00	44/32/1	46/31/c	Des Moines	71/50/0.00	74/46/s	70/47/p	New York City	69/56/0.00	55/42/sh	51/40/c
Anchorage	36/32/0.00	40/32/sh	40/30/sh	Detroit	66/53/0.00	49/35/sh	48/39/p	Newark	73/52/0.00	56/41/sh	51/38/p
Asheville	78/42/0.00	63/38/p	57/35/p	Duluth	52/44/0.00	59/36/sh	58/37/s	Norfolk	80/59/0.00	64/48/p	56/48/p
Astoria	83/57/0.00	71/46/s	70/47/s	El Paso	86/54/0.00	87/54/s	85/54/s	Omaha	77/49/0.00	77/49/s	76/49/s
Atlanta	75/57/0.00	57/42/p	55/39/p	Evansville	75/58/0.00	67/43/s	65/43/s	Orlando	84/66/0.00	86/60/p	80/60/s
Austin	87/46/0.00	88/57/s	85/60/s	Fairbanks	22/18/0.00	37/14/p	30/12/p	Philadelphia	70/56/0.00	57/40/c	52/35/p
Baltimore	72/51/0.00	58/36/p	55/38/p	Fargo	61/41/0.00	67/37/p	67/41/s	Phoenix	101/72/0.00	102/70/s	98/69/s
Bilings	85/64/0.00	87/52/s	72/39/w	Fl. Wayne	65/54/0.00	55/36/p	57/34/p	Pittsburgh	66/63/0.00	46/33/c	45/34/c
Birmingham	84/52/0.00	76/49/s	73/49/s	Hartford	70/51/0.02	49/32/sh	45/29/c	Portland, ME	57/43/0.01	45/32/c	46/30/c
Bismarck	81/45/0.00	73/44/p	74/36/p	Honolulu	83/70/0.00	87/71/p	87/73/p	Providence	67/48/0.00	50/37/sh	46/33/c
Boise	80/52/0.00	86/48/s	65/33/s	Houston	85/56/0.01	88/62/s	85/62/s	Raleigh	77/55/0.00	66/41/p	62/37/p
Boston	70/48/0.00	47/36/sh	44/33/c	Indianapolis	66/54/0.00	60/38/p	59/40/p	Richmond	78/53/0.00	62/39/p	56/38/p
Buffalo	68/48/0.00	44/36/sh	45/35/c	Jackson, MS	85/51/0.00	84/55/s	78/53/s	Tampa	85/67/0.00	85/63/p	82/61/s
Burlington, VT	53/37/0.99	40/33/1	43/27/1	Jacksonville	83/57/0.00	80/55/p	74/53/s	Sacramento	96/51/0.00	83/53/s	83/52/s
Charleston, SC	82/53/0.01	75/49/s	70/44/s	Juneau	47/28/0.01	48/41/sh	48/42/sh	St. Louis	75/51/0.00	74/49/s	71/52/p
Charleston, WV	72/57/0.00	52/38/sh	49/32/p	Kansas City	79/53/0.00	77/49/s	78/56/s	Salt Lake City	75/46/0.00	82/53/s	73/39/s
Charlotte	79/54/0.00	68/42/p	65/38/s	Las Vegas	91/64/0.00	91/62/s	88/60/s	San Antonio	85/55/0.00	89/59/s	86/63/s
Cheyenne	77/47/0.00	81/48/s	79/38/s	Lexington	72/59/0.00	58/41/p	58/35/s	San Diego	82/63/0.00	76/63/s	73/63/s
Chicago	64/56/0.00	59/40/p	59/42/p	Little Rock	89/58/0.00	84/54/s	79/53/s	San Francisco	70/54/0.00	66/54/p	71/52/s
Cincinnati	69/60/0.00	57/38/p	56/35/p	Los Angeles	82/64/0.00	78/61/s	73/60/p	Seattle	64/60/0.39	61/49/s	54/44/sh
Cleveland	68/54/0.00	49/36/sh	47/38/p	Louisville	76/63/0.00	62/42/p	60/43/p	Syracuse	64/41/0.03	45/33/c	42/27/c
Colorado Spg.	83/41/0.00	82/47/s	80/44/s	Memphis	83/60/0.00	79/55/s	76/53/s	Tucson	95/63/0.00	97/62/s	93/60/s
Columbia, SC	82/55/0.00	73/45/s	68/41/s	Miami	86/73/0.32	87/69/p	85/70/p	Tulsa	85/58/0.00	85/57/s	83/57/s
Columbus, OH	54/50/0.00	52/37/c	50/33/c	Milwaukee	64/54/0.00	58/40/p	59/42/p	Wash. D.C.	73/55/0.00	59/42/p	56/42/p
Concord	70/45/0.08	43/31/1	44/29/1	Minneapolis	59/50/0.00	65/41/p	66/44/p				
Dallas	89/56/0.00	86/59/s	84/59/s	Nashville	80/61/0.00	72/46/p	64/45/p				
Denver	82/50/0.00	82/47/s	82/40/s	New Orleans	86/61/0.00	85/63/s	82/60/s				

TODAY'S FRONTS & PRECIPITATION

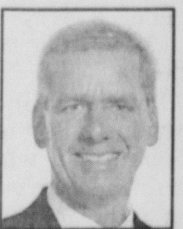


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SKYTRAK 12

Q: Do meteors ever hit the Earth?

A: Meteors are mainly tiny bits of comet dust plunging through the Earth's atmosphere. Their surfaces are heated by friction to incandescence, they vaporize, and leave luminous thin streaks in the sky before they disintegrate. When the particles are larger than dust (chunks of rocks or debris) they sometimes don't completely disintegrate and can reach the Earth with explosive force. These are called meteorites rather than meteors.



Skip Waters

OBITUARIES

Virginia Bender Jenkins

POLLOCKSVILLE — Virginia Bender Jenkins, 91, died Sunday, Oct. 19, 2003, at Homeplace in New Bern where she spent the last 2½ years of her life.

Virginia was born Nov. 1, 1911. She attended St. Mary's College in Raleigh. She was married for 47 years to John D. Jenkins, whom she assisted in the establishment of Jenkins Gas Company in the early 1950s. She was a devoted homemaker and mother, a faithful friend and a spirited lady who loved life, family and friends who leave a special memory for all who knew her. She was a long-time member and supporter of the Pollocksville Presbyterian Church.

A memorial service celebrating her life will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, October 23, 2003, at the Pollocksville Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dr. James Carriker II and the Rev. Dr. Jeff Pinkston officiating.

She was preceded in death by her husband,

John D. Jenkins.

She is survived by two daughters, Carol Jenkins Mattocks and husband, Bob, of New Bern, and Linda Jenkins Stauch and husband, Dick, also of New Bern; and six grandchildren: Kelly Mattocks James and husband, Bill, of Northbrook Ill., Ginger Mattocks Hodge and husband, Chris, of Troy, Mich., John Robert Mattocks of New Bern, Ashlea Stauch Humphries and husband, John, of Morehead City, Andrea Stauch Green and husband, John, of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Austin Blair Stauch of Mammoth Lakes, Calif. She also leaves behind seven great-grandchildren, as well as other close family members.

The family will receive friends following the service in the education building of the church.

Arrangements by Cotten Funeral Home & Crematory.

Paid obituary

Pauline Estelle Sutton Hardy

NEW BERN — Mrs. Pauline Estelle Sutton Hardy, 85, died Sunday, October 19, 2003, at her residence.

She retired from civil service after 20 years of faithful service.

Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, October 23, 2003, at Pollock-Best Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Allan Austin officiating.

Burial will follow at the Hardy Family Cemetery near Seven Springs, N.C.

She is survived by her daughter, Faye Hardy Gamache and husband Lawrence Albert Gamache of Havelock; three grand-

children, James Edward Herring Jr. of Newport, Guy Eric Herring of Dublin, Georgia, and Keren "Kay" Herring Condon of Newport; three great-grandchildren, Jennifer Ann Herring, Dalton James Herring and Octavia Diamond Herring, all of Newport; and one brother, Grover Sutton of Gastonia.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday evening at the funeral home.

Pollock-Best Funerals and Cremations is serving the Hardy family.

Paid obituary

Ivory G. Lupton

HOBOKEN — Ivory G. Lupton, 96, died Tuesday, Oct. 21, 2003, at Brithaven of Pamlico.

He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gardener.

Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Bryant Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lee Toler officiating.

Burial will be in the Flowers Cemetery.

He is survived by three daughters, Martha Stille of Arapahoe, Linda Mitchell of

New Bern and Vanessa Lupton of Arapahoe; one sister, Lela Sadler of Hoboken; 10 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends following the services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to The Meeting Place Church Benevolence Fund, 9284 N.C. Hwy 306 South, Aurora, NC 27806.

Arrangements by Bryant Funeral Home & Cremations.

Raymond Frederick Anderson II

Raymond Frederick Anderson II, 56, died Saturday, Oct. 18, 2003, at Craven Regional Medical Center.

A graduate of Clemson University, he served in both the U.S. Air Force and in the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve. He was a member of Foundation Life Fellowship and worked with Marine Plastics in Pollocksville.

Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Foundation of Life Fellowship with the Rev. Cal Lang-

ford officiating.

He is survived by two daughters, April Victoria Anderson and Erica Ann Anderson of New Bern; his mother, Emma B. Anderson of New Bern; and one brother, Erling Anderson of Wilmington.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Christian Educational Services, 2144 E. 52nd Street, Indianapolis, IN 46205.

Arrangements by Pollock-Best Funerals & Cremations.

Donna Matthews Leili

Donna Matthews Leili, 65, died Tuesday, Oct. 21, 2003, at her residence.

A private memorial service will be held at a later date.

She is survived by her widow, Michael Leili of the home; four daughters, Staci Handschuh of New Milford, N.J., Elaine Boone of Franklin, N.J., and Robin Turner and Randi Wilson of St. Anne, Mo.; one

brother, Gregory Matthews of Caryville, N.J.; one sister, Jeanine Matthews of Toms River, N.J.; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to Craven County Hospice, PO Drawer 12610, New Bern, NC 28562.

Arrangements by Cotten Funeral Home & Crematory.

Terry Bon Williams

VANCEBORO — Terry Bon Williams, 54, of 943 CC Road, died Sunday, Oct. 19, 2003, at his home.

He was a native of Beaufort County. He was a member of Haw Branch Church of Christ and was a guitarist with the Little Creek band.

Graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Haw Branch Church of Christ Cemetery with Pastors Bobby Chandler and Robert Worthington officiating.

He is survived by one brother, Jack T. Williams of Wilmar; and one sister, Peggy

W. Evans of Washington, N.C.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 p.m. today at Paul Funeral Home and other times at the home of his sister, Peggy Evans, 104 South Dimock Street, Washington, N.C.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, Always and Forever Memorial and Honor Program, PO Box 2680, North Canton, OH 44720.

Arrangements by Paul Funeral Home, Washington, N.C.

DEATH NOTICES

Lizette Brewer Darnell, 87, New Bern

Arrangements by Pollock-Best Funerals & Cremations, New Bern

Dora Dillahunt Cooper, Augusta, Ga.

Arrangements by Dent's Funeral Home, Augusta, Ga.

Robert Martin, 54, Raleigh

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William James Saunders, 100, Houston, Texas

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Herbert James Dixon, 65, Pueblo, Colo.

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JoAnn Roberson Jones, 59, New Bern

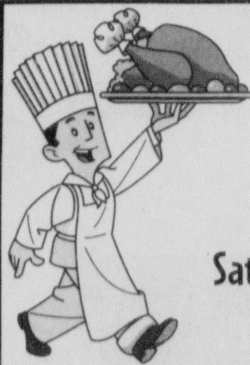
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can feel," said Sen. Anna Cowin, R-Leesburg.

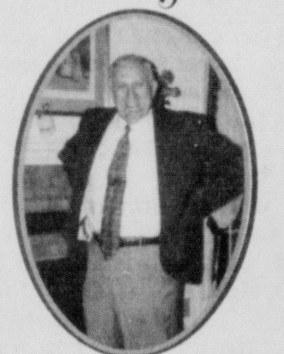
Opponents said government was stepping in where it had no business being.

Earlier Tuesday in Tampa, U.S. District Judge Steven Merryday denied a request by the Advocacy Center for Persons with Disabilities, which monitors the treatment

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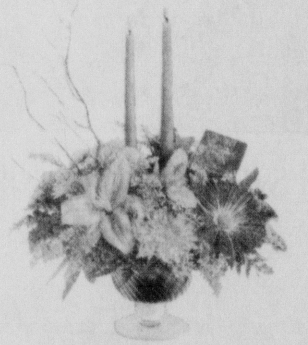
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