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(PETRIFIED WOOD)

(RALEIGH) _ A NORTH CAROLINA STATE RESEARCHER SAYS NEW RESEARCH INDICATES THAT NORTH CAROLINA ONCE HAD A CONSTANT CLIMATE SIMILAR TO THAT OF MODERN DAY SOUTHEAST ASIA. ELISABETH WHEELER SAYS THE STUDY IS BASED ON THE PETRIFIED HULKS OF 70-MILLION-YEAR-OLD TREES. SHE SAYS HARDWOOD TREES THAT GREW IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING THE CRETACEOUS PERIOD APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT AROUND THE TIME DINOSAURS DISAPPEARED. THE PROFESSOR OF WOOD AND PAPER SCIENCE SAYS RESEARCHERS BELIEVE SOME MAJOR EVENT KILLED THE DINOSAURS AND CAUSED THE TREES TO GO EXTINCT AS WELL. SHE SAYS THE STUDY SHOWS THAT THE CLIMATE 70 (M) MILLION YEARS AGO HAD NO COLD SEASONS, SO THE TREES DID NOT DEVELOP GROWTH RINGS FAMILAR IN MODERN TREES. SHE SAYS THE NORTH CAROLINA WOOD CAME FROM THE GOLDSBORO AND LILLINGTON AREAS.

(CIA TRIAL) JOHN BARE, WCHL

(CHAPEL HILL) _ THREE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA STUDENTS ARE CLAIMING VICTORY TODAY IN A CHAPEL HILL CASE INVOLVING THEIR PROTEST OF C-I-A RECRUITING ON CAMPUS. JUDGE STANLEY PEEL GRANTED A PRAYER FOR JUDGEMENT CONTINUED IN THE CASE AGAINST DALE MC-KINLEY OF ZIMBABWE, GRAHAM ENTWISTLE OF CHARLOTTE AND JOEY TEMPLETON OF GASTONIA. THE THREE WERE CHARGED WITH DISORDERLY CONDUCT LAST OCTOBER AFTER CHAINING THEMSELVES TO CHAIRS IN A PROTEST. UNDER THE RECORDEDES, THE BAR THE

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Cons RULING TODAY, THE CASE WILL BE ERASED FROM THE STUDENTS' RECORDS IF THEY VIOLATE NO LAW WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR. AS THEIR DEFENSE, THE STUDENTS ARGUED THEY WERE JUSTIFIED IN THEIR ACTIONS TO BAR THE C-I-A FROM ANY ILLEGAL ACTIONS IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

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READ LAST SENTENCE OF SECOND ITEM IN 15TH NEWSWATCH-TAKE 2:

YEUTTER TELLS N-P-R THE JAPANESE PLAN DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH, AND HE WARNS THE U-S MIGHT CONSIDER SANCTIONS UNLESS THE JAPANESE OPEN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS TO AMERICAN BUILDERS.

(DELETING EXTRANEOUS WORDS)

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