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The SDN Column

Several essential factors must blend to form a good football team, and one of them that was missing last year but exists this year on the Snyder High School team is experience, and already it has made a difference, according to Head Coach Maurice Hodges.

"It has made a big difference in our workouts so far because they can move without thinking," said the SHS athletic director and head coach.

A year ago it was a different story. The 16 lettermen who make up the core of the 1973 varsity squad were mostly greenhorns in 1972.

Of course football fortunes also depend upon some relative factors, and the Tigers will be performing again in Class 4A this fall and no matter how many hosses you can assemble in a school the size of Snyder High they're likely to have you out-manned numerically and possibly in size in schools such as those at Lubbock. But Hodges feels that he isn't waging a battle with as short a stick as last season and the big plus is the experience factor.

"I am well pleased with our practice sessions so far," Hodges declared. "If we can just get our timing perfected by this time next week, we should be ready to play. We only have one scrimmage with another school and it doesn't give us as much time to work on timing as we had when we were three-A."

That scrimmage is set this Friday evening in Tiger Stadium, and Midland High School will be the visitor. Hodges expects both teams to be ready to pop some leather.

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The musical drama "Texas" concluded its eighth season last weekend in Palo Duro Canyon and the total "gate" this time hit 86,292. That makes a grand total of some 585,000 persons to see the show which attracts people from great distances. A survey taken on one typical evening disclosed that 36 per cent of the audience came from over 500 miles away.

There were two rain-outs this year, which is above average. Only 11 performances have been washed out by the elements over the eight-year period. Five other performances were delayed or interrupted by rain, but the audience always waited patiently for the rains to stop, except for once when only the first act was presented.

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The Pioneer 11 spacecraft recently began a seven-month trip through the "asteriod belt" on its way to Jupiter. This belt is merely 156 million miles wide. The spacecraft is due to come out of it on the other side next March 12, but is not due to reach Jupiter until a year from this coming December.

–WACIL McNAIR

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, Aug. 29, the 241st day of 1973. There are 124 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1782, nearly 1,100 persons drowned when an English man-of-war sank while being repaired in the harbor at Portsmouth, England.

On this date—

In 1533, the last Incan king of Peru, Atahpalpa, was strangled on the orders of the Spanish conqueror Francisco Pizarre.

In 1817, the first Abolition newspaper in the United States, the "Philanthropist," was published in Mount Pleasant, Ohio.

In 1901, the temperance crusader, Carry Nation, staged a hatchet attack on a New York saloon run by former heavyweight champion John L. Sullivan.

In 1935, Queen Astrid of Belgium was killed in an auto accident in Switzerland.

In 1943, during World War II, Danish warships were scuttled at Copenhagen in an uprising against the Nazis.

In 1957, the U.S. Senate passed the first broad civil rights bill since the reconstruction after a long filibuster ended.

Ten years ago: The U.S. Embassy in Saigon refused to turn over two Buddhists who had taken refuge in the embassy during a government crackdown on opponents.

Five years ago: A Democratic National Convention in Chicago selected U.S. Sen. Edmund S. Muskie of Maine as the party's candidate for vice president.

One year ago: New Jersey's largest newspaper, the Newark Evening News, shut down after 88 years of publication.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High reading Monday, 91 degrees; low reading, 65 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 68 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Partly cloudy to clear through Thursday. Widely scattered afternoon and night showers and thunderstorms. Low tonight 60 to 72 except mid 50s mountains. High Thursday 82 to 96.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Thursday. Scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers. Low tonight 67 to 77. High Thursday 88 to 98.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy and warm through Thursday with showers and thundershowers more numerous along coast. Low tonight 65 to 80. High Thursday 85 to 95.

Coast: East to southeast winds 8 to 18 knots through Thursday, gusty and variable in numerous showers and thundershowers.

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QUAKE DAMAGES CHURCH—A church in a small village near Puebla, Mexico, shows damage caused by an early morning earthquake that struck Central Mexico Tuesday. (AP Wirephoto)

QUAKE TOLL OVER 600

Rains Drench Rescue Workers

By CHARLES GREEN
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Torrential rains drenched rescue workers in some parts of southeast Mexico today as they searched for bodies or trapped survivors from the worst earthquake in modern Mexican history.

The rains added to an already serious flood problem and drove more people from their homes.

Late figures from the quake areas 120 to 220 miles south and east of Mexico City indicated more than 600 persons perished in the devastating earth shock at 3:51 a.m. Tuesday.

It was the highest death toll of an earthquake in Mexico since the keeping of such records started in the early 1900s.

President Luis Echeverria scheduled a bus tour of the devastated area today.

The quake, coming during the worst rainy season in 30 years, extended a disaster area that already covered much of central Mexico. Seventy-six persons have died in floods in the past month, the homes of more than 400,000 have been damaged and millions of dollars worth of crops have been ruined.

The earthquake, which registered 6.5 on the Richter scale, struck at least 24 cities, towns and villages along the Sierra Madre range in the states of Puebla and Veracruz.

In Richter measurements, an earthquake of 7.0 is 10 times more severe than one of 6.0, which is 10 times greater than one of 5.0. That is because the Richter scale measures wave magnitudes and not something like an increase in automobile speed from 60 to 70 miles per hour.

Huge cracks opened in the earth in Puebla state, into which homes and other buildings tumbled. The craters spouted dust for hours, until afternoon rains damped it.

Ciudad Serdan, 170 miles east of Mexico City, appeared to be in the center of the area hit hardest. The police duty officer in the city reported early today that between 300 and 400 persons were dead in the city of 22,000 people and its adjacent villages.

In Orizaba, a center of the brewing industry, 80 deaths were reported, most of them in the collapse of a five-story building in which 20 families lived.

Twenty-four hours after the quake the exact toll was not known because many small villages along the edge of the extinct Pico de Orizaba volcano were still isolated.

Report On Ocean Dumping

KINGSTON, R.I. (AP) — A university research team says economic pressures and dwindling landfill space may force some East Coast communities to seek permission to dump domestic refuse into the ocean, at least until major recycling programs can be established.

The scientists, from the University of Rhode Island, conducted a one-year study on ocean dumping. They found that few communities have more than 10 years of landfill space left.

The 53-page report concluded that while immediate dump-site areas would be contaminated, their short-term effects "do not appear to be reason for denying the use of the sea floor for disposal of residential solid waste."

However, the report said long-term effects of various metals and organic compounds, as well as the sensitivity deep-sea fauna, should be determined before any major dumping is allowed.

The study, which was released today, was funded by a $38,000 grant from the New England Regional Commission.

Dr. Saul B. Saila, a professor of oceangraphy and zoology at Rhode Island, said if ocean dumping is allowed, it should be used as "an interim procedure to take over until full recycling is possible."

He also said research should be concentrated on develping inexpensive and efficient recycling methods and machinery, rather than on ocean dumping.

The study was concerned strictly with domestic wastes. Industrial wastes were excluded.

US Military Cargo Jet Crash Kills 24

MADRID (AP) — A U.S. military cargo plane carrying several wives and children of American airmen crashed Tuesday night near Madrid, killing 24 of its 25 occupants.

The Air Force said the C141 Starlifter jet was based at McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey and was on its way from Athens, Greece, to the U.S. Air Force base at Torrejon, 16 miles east of Madrid.

The crash occurred 40 miles east of Madrid. A spokesman at Torrejon said the victims included several women and children from the families of Air Force personnel.

The Air Force at Torrejon identified the lone survivor as William H. Ray of McGuire Air Force Base, N.J. He suffered multiple fractures of his left leg after apparently being thrown from the aircraft on impact.

The names of the 24 other persons aboard were withheld pending notification of their families. Spanish news agencies said the plane carried a crew of eight and 17 passengers, including several women and children who were relatives of American pilots.

The plane slammed into the ground about a mile outside the little town of Hueva as the craft was preparing to land at the joint Spanish-American base. Local police said none of the townspeople was affected.

The Air Ministry said the plane crashed after losing contact with the Torrejon control tower. It exploded when it hit the ground and burned, the ministry said.

U.S. and Spanish military authorities sealed off the crash site, and American rescue personnel and investigators were sifting through the wreckage today.

The Air Force said in addition to the people aboard, the plane was carrying nearly nine tons of cargo.

The Starlifter was attached to the Military Airlift Command. The Air Force said it was that command's first fatal accident since 1965.

Delay On Phase 4 Gas Indicated

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Cost of Living Council indicated today there could be additional delay in the start of Phase 4 regulations for retail sales of gasoline. They now are scheduled to go into effect Saturday.

William N. Walker, the council's general counsel, said a third extension of the price freeze on gasoline is among actions being considered as the result of a court ruling that has the effect of exempting most gasoline stations from the new rules.

The Phase 4 regulations provide for a system of rigid price ceilings on gasoline sales and require posting of the maximum permissible price on each gasoline pump.

The council has appealed a U.S. District Court decision that said these regulations are arbitrary and capricious.

"We believe the decision is erroneous and will be disruptive to the economic stabilization program if it is allowed to stand," Walker said.

In a related development, council director John T. Dunlop noted there have been some additional declines in commodities prices and in the prices for live hogs and cattle in wholesale markets in recent days. That may eventually bring a reduction in some retail prices, he said.

Dunlop was asked about reports of widespread price increases by small firms not subject to the Phase 4 requirements that require big firms to wait 30 days before putting prices into effect.

He acknowledged that many small firms apparently have increased their prices, but he said they "may not stick if big companies don't also increase prices."

Earlier, a spokesman said the council may decide within a week whether to grant Phase 4 increases sought by the nation's big four automakers.

School Budget Approved, Tax Rate Set At $1.52

Trustees of the Snyder Independent School District last night approved year-end amendments to the school district's 1972-73 budget, approved a budget for 1973-74 and set the over-all tax rate at $1.52 per $100 valuation.

The public school year ends Aug. 31.

The new budget was approved and the tax rate was set in anticipation of payment of taxes on a total valuation of some $247 million. This is approximately $14 million below the total valuation approved by the board of tax equalization, which is the amount involved in a disagreement between the school district and the SACROC oilfield unit on the valuation of SACROC properties in the district. SACROC's tax department and the school district's valuation engineers have been in disagreement for two successive years over the SACROC valuations. Last year a compromise was reached. Ultimately, it is expected that the issue will be settled in court.

The local maintenance and operation budget for 1973-74 totals $4,126,799, while the interest and sinking fund budget is $480,800. It will require a tax rate of $1.33 per $100 valuation raise the estimated needs of $3,288,000 from local property taxes to be applied to the local maintenance and operation budget, while $470,000 in tax funds will be required for the interest and sinking fund, which will require a 19-cent tax rate, making a total of $1.52.

Based on the original total valuation approved by the board of equalization an over-all tax rate of $1.44 would have been required, with $1.26 going to local maintenance and operation and 18 cents to the interest and sinking fund.

The school district also will channel $2,421,646 in construction funds through its budget the coming year as the major building projects are carried out at the high school and at Lamar Junior High.

E.D. Flynn, school business manager, reported to the board that $281,000 would be carried over from the 1972-73 maintenance and operation budget to the new budget. That represents the surplus from operations of the past year.

In other business at the special meeting, the board approved the use of three school buses for an agriculture day on Sept. 10 and tabled a proposal for a new contract with the Snyder Country Club for use of the golf course by the school's golf teams. The Country Club had proposed a fee of $200 per month, a 100 per cent increase over the old contract of $100 per month.

The administration was given authority to employ an aide for the special education teacher at Lamar Junior High and the board voted to negotiate for liability insurance which would cover all school employes.

NY CUTS VOLTAGE

Power Demands Set New Records

By BARTON REPPERT
Associated Press Writer

With 100-degree temperatures threatening, the New York State Power Pool put a statewide five per cent voltage reduction into effect at 10 a.m. EDT today.

Other utilities on the East Coast and in the Midwest braced for another bout with severe electric power demands as the wave of hot, muggy air hung on.

The cutback in New York came three hours earlier than the five per cent cut Tuesday which the pool said enabled it to meet an all-time record demand of 20,132,000 kilowatts at midafternoon. Temperatures in the mid-90s caused massive consumption of electricity by air conditioners and some power failures were reported.

A spokesman forecast that Wednesday's demand also would pass 20 million killowats.

Auto companies closed down several Midwestern plants because of the heat wave, while some 750 sweltering workers at two other plants simply walked off their jobs.

New York City suffered through a year-high temperature of 98 degrees as Consolidated Edison reported a record power demand of 8,161 megawatts. The temperature-humidity index hit 85, which a spokesman for the National Weather Service said meant "utter misery."

In Washington, the temperature reached 97 degrees and the capital's metropolitan area was under an air pollution alert for the 17th day this summer. Hot, stagnant air holding pollution over the area was not expected to dissipate before Friday.

A spokesman for the Virginia Electric & Power Co. in Richmond said the utility had an all-time high power demand of 7,100 megawatts on Tuesday.

Kissinger To Keep Staff

WASHINGTON (AP) — Henry A. Kissinger plans to ask most key state department officials who served under outgoing Secretary of State William P. Rogers to stay on when he takes over as secretary, administration officials say.

Kissinger wants to keep the staff intact to gain the confidence of the department and bolster morale, said the officials.

He already has asked Deputy Secretary Kenneth Rush to keep his job, and Rush has agreed. Kissinger also was expected to extend the same invitation to all current undersecretaries and assistant secretaries, at least until he gets settled in his new job.

And, administration sources say, Kissinger plans to let department officials help him in making key policy decisions.

Kissinger is said to have told Rush, for instance, to take a leading role in European affairs.

Rush formerly was ambassador to West Germany and has experience in dealing with the Soviet Union and East European diplomats as well as with allied leaders.

Kissinger also has met with Theodore L. Eliot Jr., the new U.S. ambassador to Afghanistan and formerly head of the State Department's secretariat.

WTC's Faculty, Staff Welcomed

The faculty and staff of Western Texas College were officially welcomed for the fall term last night at a get-acquainted dinner hosted by members of the board of trustees in the new WTC Student Center.

Dr. Robert L. Clinton, WTC president, presided during the brief program and introduced new members of the faculty and staff and their wives or husbands. W.A. (Bill) Jones, president of the board, welcomed the group for the 1973-74 school year. Dr. Ben Brock, vice president of the college, gave the invocation.

Board members and their wives formed a receiving line as the guests entered the cafeteria in the student center. These included Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Parks, Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Baize. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson were out of town and unable to attend the event. Wilson is vice president of the board.

Tours of the student center, which was completed this month, were made prior to the serving of the meal.

The new student center is expected to be a focal point for activity on the campus. It is one of the last major construction projects in Phase II of WTC campus development. Also being put into use the first time this fall is a physical education complex, while a museum building is still under construction.

Registration for the fall term at WTC is scheduled next week.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Entertain	31 Events	61 Courtesy	ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19	26-36-37-40 42-58-81-88	LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22	49-51-53-54 71-72-73
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3 Cooperative	33 Delay	63 Should	TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20	16-18-22-27 38-43-83-87	SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21	8- 9-13-15 24-57-60
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Good Adverse Neutral



Is a 73-year-old swinger harmless?

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I recently became very much attracted to a gentleman who proudly admits to being 73. He's a snappy dresser and is full of fun. I am a middle-aged woman, but this man leaves me in the dust when it comes to dancing, tennis, golf, and any other physical exercise you can name.

He seems very much interested in me. My question: At his age, is he harmless?

JOYCE

DEAR JOYCE: If you mean what I think you mean, if he's "harmless" he won't be able to do you any good. But whether he can do you any good without doing you any harm will depend on YOUR condition.

DEAR ABBY: You were wrong when you advised against reporting the fraudulent welfare recipient. If someone told you that he had witnessed a robbery, would you advise him to "judge not"?

Welfare agencies welcome legitimate complaints, and each complaint is objectively investigated. The complainant may remain anonymous if desired, and his name is never revealed to the client. However, vague statements such as, "I know 10 people on welfare who drive Cadillacs and have $1,000 in the bank," are stupid and useless. A person making such a comment usually cannot name a single person who even comes close to that description. Complaints should be as specific and factual as possible.

We find that most complaints are not well-founded because the complainant is trying to "get back" at the recipient, or that he has drawn a wrong conclusion by not knowing all the facts in the case. But it is worthwhile to investigate each complaint.

If fraudulent and ineligible cases can be eliminated from the welfare roles, more resources will be available to help those who are truly in need, and the burden will be lighter on Mr. Taxpayer.

WEST VIRGINIA SOCIAL WORKER

DEAR W. V. S. W.: Thank you for your fair and helpful letter. Your answer was much better than mine. I believe all witnessed crimes should be reported, but encouraging every American to "inform" on his neighbor for an assumed wrongdoing would lead us uncomfortably close to becoming a police state, and that I abhor.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding that lady who wants to be spanked on her bare bottom: I will gladly oblige her. I am a 68-year-old widower. I am also a retired upholsterer with 50 years experience on seats and bottoms.

EDDIE IN CINCY

Problems? You'll feel better if you get it off your chest. For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L. A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send $1 to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal. 90069.

New Journalism Teacher Named

SNYDER—Michael McBride has joined the faculty at Western Texas College as assistant professor of journalism, according to Dr. Ben Brock, vice president of the college.

McBride, a 1967 graduate of Angelo State University, received his master's degree in mass communications from Texas Tech University this month. He has been journalism instructor and student publications advisor at Lake View High School in San Angelo for the past six years. He helped develop the school's journalism facilities and initiated a photography program there.

The Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers awarded McBride a grant for 1973 summer study. He was also recipient of the first ILPC Special Service Award for Outstanding Contribution to Journalism Teaching this year. He received the Edith Fox King Award of Distinguished Merit in Journalism at the 1972 ILPC conference in Austin.

In addition to teaching, McBride has contributed free-lance articles for regional trade publications. A book of his poems, Silhouettes of Sincerity, published in 1969, included southwestern descriptive selections. He was elected to appear in the 1971 edition of International Who's Who in Poetry. In 1972, he appeared in Personalities of the South.

Mr. and Mrs. McBride and their two-year-old daughter, Michelle, live in the Park Village Apartments.

McBride is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. McBride of Rocksprings.

Snyderite's Brother Dies

Marzo Cloud, 59, brother of a Snyder resident, died at 12:05 a.m. today in a hospital at Kilgore.

Funeral service is set for 2 p.m. Thursday at the Rader Chapel in Kilgore with Rev. S.W. Proctor officiating. Burial will be in Kilgore Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Elsie Cloud of Norwalk, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. Glenna Summers of Maywood, Calif., Mrs. Sharline Ivey of Red Level, Ala.; and Mrs. Georgia West of Henderson, Nev.; his mother; Mrs. Emma Cloud of Kilgore; three sisters, Mrs. Leeora Partain of Snyder, Mrs. Lila Brown of Kilgore and Mrs. Lilly Sanders of Dover, Ark.; a brother, Ewun Cloud of Stockton, Calif.; and four grandchildren.

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Firemen Called Out Three Times

Firemen extinguished a grass fire Monday at 4:25 p.m. at 3411 Ave. M. They answered a call at 9:20 a.m. Tuesday one mile south on the Big Spring where a truck carrying hot oil had overturned but no fire erupted. Firemen also answered a call to a house fire at 11:15 p.m. Tuesday four miles west and a ½-mile north of the city.

Puerto Williams, Chile, is the world's southernmost town.

Gasoline Supply Improves

WASHINGTON (AP) — The supply of gasoline is improved and threats of service station shutdowns over the Labor Day weekend have evaporated, the American Automobile Association reported.

In its final summer spot check of gasoline supplies the AAA Tuesday reported improvement in the availability of gasoline for the eighth straight week.

"This week 58 per cent of stations contacted are operating normally—maintaining hours of operation in effect before the summer fuel pinch and allowing motorists to fill their gas tanks," the association said.

The AAA said this compares with 55 per cent normal operation last week and 43 per cent on June 28, the low point of the summer.

Some gasoline retailers had planned a shutdown over the Labor Day weekend, but the AAA noted that this became a protest without a cause when a federal judge suspended Phase 4 controls on gasoline.

The AAA said that of 3,981 stations surveyed 40 per cent were still limiting hours to some degree, 4 per cent were limiting purchases, 1.2 per cent were out of at least one grade of fuel, 1.1 per cent were closed for lack of fuel and .6 per cent expected cutbacks from their wholesalers.

Food Price Hikes Are Defended

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz defended food price increases Tuesday, saying they have been "overdue."

Butz, who stopped in Albuquerque during a tour of western states, said food prices have lagged behind for the past five years.

He said nobody in America has really been "forced to do without" because of food prices and said Americans still spend less of their take home pay for food than citizens of any other country in the world.

Butz said, however, he expects food prices to level off in the near future, with the first official indication coming in the October Consumer Price Index.

He said the price index will take a "substantial jump" in September before the decline is noticed.

The real key to keeping food prices at an acceptable level, Butz said, is to control the general inflation, because food products are "subject to the same inflationary factors as anything else."

On food shortages, he said, "You can never get more by paying less."

Butz predicted this year's farm production will reflect the "most massive increase in history." He said the USDA is going to encourage full production next year.

"It's a great thing for America that we recognize the great market for agricultural products both at home and abroad," Butz said.

Butz repeated he is opposed to any kind of export controls, despite pressure for them.

"They make waves on our shores you would never expect," he said.

Sleeping Pills Sometime Harms

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — Some insomniacs and heavy snorers may aggravate the cause of their problems by taking sleeping pills, says a research team.

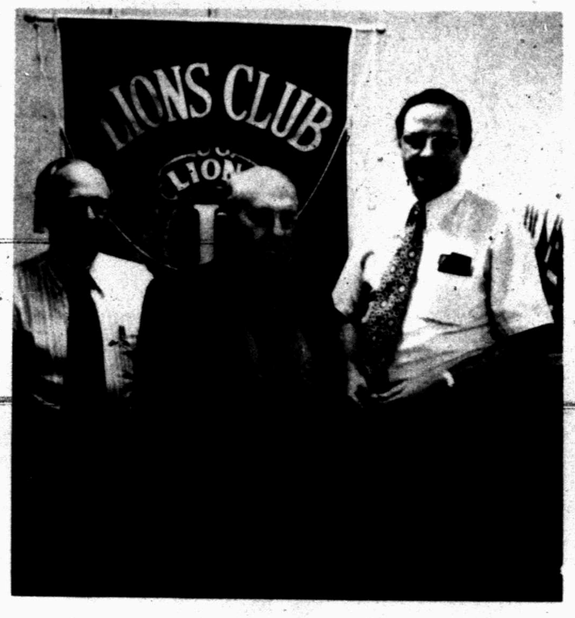
The Stanford Sleep Disorders Clinic team said a study indicated that 10 per cent of all insomniacs may be suffering from apnea, a temporary cessation of breathing that tends to wake a sleeper.

And the team said that, while all persons who snore do not have apnea, most people who suffer from it tend to be heavy snorers.

"Some people taking sleeping pills, particularly barbiturates, might be doing more harm than good if they suffer from chronic insomnia or heavy snoring because they might actually have apnea," said Dr. Christian Guilleminault in an interview Tuesday.

"Such drugs will increase the depression and worsen the condition."

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AT LIONS LUNCHEON—The West Texas Rehabilitation Center was the topic Tuesday at the luncheon meeting of the Snyder Lions club as James Hallmark, right, of the center presented the program. Shown with him are Scott Casey, left, and Harrie Winston, two of Scurry County's co-chairman for the Cattlemen's Roundup for Crippled Children scheduled for Sept. 24. The roundup is held each year to raise funds for the WTRC.

New Instructor Is Named At College

Charles M. Cashion has been employed as instructor in electromechanical technology at Western Texas College, as announced by Gene Robertson, Dean of Occupational-Technical Education.

Cashion, an honor student, graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington in 1966 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering. He was awarded a Master of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Texas in Austin in 1968. He attended the first year of graduate school on a National Science Foundation Fellowship and also worked as a teaching assistant in Fortran programming and first and second semester circuit analysis.

Prior to accepting the position at WTC, Cashion was employed as an electrical design engineer with Narco Bio-Systems in Houston, where he was responsible for the design of instruments capable of monitoring biological phenomena.

He has also been employed as a stabilization and controls engineer for both LTV Electrosystems, in Dallas, and Bell Helicopter in Fort Worth. At LTV he was involved in research in the areas of new stability and guidance systems as pertained to missile trajectory perturbation for a variety of parameters. At Bell Helicopter, he was responsible for the analysis and design of stabilization and controls systems for gun turrets, camera turrets, autopilots and convertiplanes.

Cashion's master's thesis was entitled "Suboptimal Synthesis." He coauthoried a paper "Go, No-Go- Logic Synthesis" in November 1968 for a symposium on proceedings of automatic support systems.

Cashion is married and has two children. He and his wife are members of the Baptist church.

Director Apologizes For Action

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Executive director Delwin Jones of the Legislative Property Tax Committee has apologized for hiring new staffers without clearing their employment with the committee.

Rep. Luther Jones, D-El Paso, complained Tuesday that the director had violated committee rules by hiring George Baker, former House member from Fort Stockton, and secretary Bonnie Griebel without consulting the committee.

Baker was put on the payroll Aug. 1 at $968 a month to coordinate the work of several advisory councils to the committee. Mrs. Griebel started work July 30 at $630 a month.

Delwin Jones, who makes $2,000 a month as director, and Mrs. Griebel both worked at one time for Sen. H. J. Blanchard, D-Lubbock, chairman of the property tax committee.

The committee was created by the 1971 Legislature to study property taxes and to recommend improvements, but it has spent a considerable amount of time defending its creation and the payment of funds to committee members and staffers.

Blanchard first joined the committee at Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby's request to investigate the committee, and it also was the subject of an investigation by a special House committee.

Rep. Jones said Tuesday that "one of the biggest complaints" uncoyered by the House committee was that the last property tax committee "was wasting money ... and this one is wasting more."

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Thunderstorms Swats Texas

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Menacing and sometimes damaging thunderstorms swatted parts of North and West Central Texas during the night and early today, and unstable air pouring ashore from the Gulf of Mexico brought more showers in other sections.

Some of the heavier storms swept through the Dallas-Fort Worth and Abilene areas, loosing rainfall at rates close to one inch per hour.

Police said vicious winds tore the roof off one end of a North Dallas apartments complex but there were no injuries. a resident of the neighborhood, R. T. Bradford, said a tornado or two may have struck there before midnight.

There was considerable shower activity in parts of far West, Southwest and other portions of North Texas and through the coastal plains. Skies were clear to partly cloudy elsewhere over the state.

Rain also fell in many sections late Tuesday, with measurements ranging up to 3.1 inches in a 45-minute deluge at Wharton in Southeast Texas.

Temperatures eased off a few degrees from their peaks of the past several days, but the top marks Tuesday afternoon still went as high as 97 degrees at Mineral Wells. Readings early today ranged from 80 at Galveston down to 66 at Amarillo.

Forecasts held out prospects for more of the same kind of weather throughout the state.

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15TH BODY IS IDENTIFIED

Henley's Lawyers Seek To Block Mental Exam

HOUSTON (AP) — Lawyers for one of two youths accused in the homosexual slayings of 27 persons here say they will ask the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin to stop a psychiatric examination ordered for their client.

While lawyers for Elmer Wayne Henley, 17, told of their legal plans Tuesday the Harris County Medical Examiner, Dr. Joseph A. Jachimczyk, identified the 15th victim of the slayings.

Identified from dental records was Homer Garcia, 15, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garcia of Houston.

"You always try to prepare for the worst but hope for the best," said Louis Garcia, whose son has been missing since July 18. "But there's just no way to prepare yourself for this."

Houston homicide detectives said Garcia's body was recovered from a double grave near Sam Rayburn Reservoir in San Augustine County. The other body in the grave has not been identified.

Four bodies were found near the reservoir, six others were unearthed in High Island, Tex., on a beach and 17 more found buried in a boat shed in southwest Houston.

Henley led police to the Sam Rayburn site and has been charged with four counts of murder in San Augustine County and four other counts here in Harris County.

David Owen Brooks, 18, has been charged with an equal number of murder counts in both San Augustine and Harris counties.

Lawyers for Henley said Tuesday they will ask the appeals court to block a mental examination for their client after State District Court Judge William M. Hatten refused to withdraw his Aug. 22 order directed at both Henley and Brooks.

Charles Melder and Edwin Pegelow, lawyers for Henley, filed the motion to withdraw the order which was sought by Harris County Dist. Atty. Carol S. Vance. Ted Musick, Brooks' lawyer, said he was joining in the request to stop the examination.

Vance agreed Tuesday not to proceed with the examination until the appeals court could rule.

Hatten set a hearing for Friday on a motion filed earlier by Musick to be allowed to consult with Brooks. The judge put off a ruling on the motion so that an arrangement could be worked out with Sheriff Jack Heard.

Skylab Minizoo Doing Well

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — The minizoo aboard the Skylab station is doing just fine. Space spider Anita has spun a web and the astronauts announced the birth of two new minnows.

During a television program beamed to Mission Control Tuesday night, Dr. Owen K. Garriott showed pictures of Anita perched in the middle of what he called a "beautiful web."

Anita on Sunday replaced Arabella, who occupied the spider cage for more than two weeks and was able to adapt to weightlessness and spin a near-normal web after three days. Arabella was placed in a small vial Sunday.

"The first night Anata only spun a very rudimentary web up in one corner of the cage," Garriott reported. "And then last night she did a much better job.

Garriott also said the Skylab acquarium now has five minnors—two adults born before the flight, one born a couple weeks ago and two new fingerlings hatched Tuesday. There are 47 more eggs in the tank.

"It's as if they'd already become adapted to weightlessness while they were still in the egg," he said. "And once they were hatched, they had no problems and they felt right accustomed to zero G."

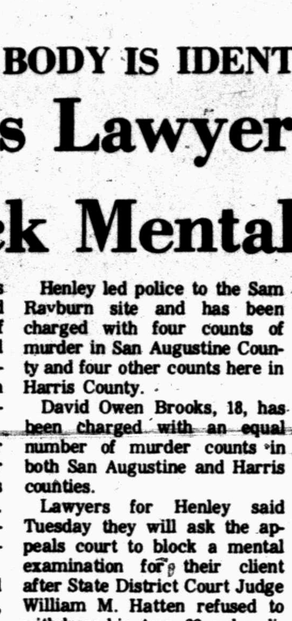
"That's amazing," remarked capsule communicator Karl Henize at Mission Control. "Are you suggesting that this has something to do with how we select future astronauts?"

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Capt. O'Hara Is Decorated

Air Force Captain Brian M. O'Hara has received the Distinguished Flying Cross for aerial achievement in Southeast Asia. Captain O'Hara's wife, Mary Ann, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Moffett, 3007 Thirty-ninth Street.

Captain O'Hara earned the medal as a pilot when serving in Thailand. He succeeded in completing a July 1972, mission despite an aircraft malfunction which damaged part of his aircraft's electrical instruments. He was honored in ceremonies at Griffiss AFB, New York.

Captain and Mrs. O'Hara are now in Guam where he is a B-52 pilot with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

A graduate of Cheshire High School, Cheshire, Connecticut, Captain O'Hara received a B.S. degree and commission upon graduation from the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado.

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PLAN FASHION SHOW — The Executive Board of the Snyder Newcomers Club met at the home of Mrs. Don Wilson Tuesday to plan their annual style show which will be held September 20, at the Scurry County Coliseum. Pictured, standing, are Mmes. Grover Eaton, Frank Edgar, Olin Bunch, Don Wilson; seated, Harold Brown, chairman of the show; Bill Ellison and Art Kane. Everyone is invited to the style show which is free.

Men Glitter In Jewelry



SPARKLE — Men's jewelry runs the gamut from the large watch with black dial, silver rim and wide suede strap to the two-tone gold and silver earring, left. Sterling silver bracelets for men, right center, and women feature silver threads. The woman's dainty oval looped bracelet is from Wells, Inc. A good luck symbol, right, in sterling silver on a silver chain is another fashion accessory. Men's jewelry is from Christian Dior by Destino.

Here's the Answer

By ANDY LANG
AP Newsfeatures

Q — I'll soon be putting down vinyl asbestos tiles in our dining room. There is a radiator in the room. Do I have to remove it before installing the tiles?

A — Removing the radiator is one way of dealing with the situation. Most persons, however, prefer to leave the radiator in place and fit the tiles around the legs. The way to do this is by carefully measuring exactly how the tile will fit around each leg. Using a piece of paper, mark the location of the leg. With that as a pattern, cut a hole in the tile where the leg will fit. Then cut a slit in the tile from the hole to the appropriate edge. Carefully fit the tile around the leg, using the slit to position the tile properly. The slit will not show when the job is completed.

Q — We have bought a house in the country and would like to install a lightning rod. Can you tell us how to do it?

A — Exactly what kind of lightning rod should be used and how it should be connected are tied in with the kind of materials used in the construction of the house. It is wise, therefore, not to attempt a do-it-yourself installation, but to hire a professional.

Q — The ceilings in our old house have calcimine on them. I understand I must remove the calcimine before painting. What's the best way to do this?

A — Rub the calcimined areas with warm water and a mild detergent. In especially stubborn cases, you may have to use steel wool along with water.

Q — I expect to put up new gutters around the house in the next few weeks. How much of a pitch should there be so that the rain water will flow into the downspouts?

A — About one-eighth of an inch for each foot of gutter.

Q — An old bureau has been in the family for many years. We recently took it down from the attic and intend to use it. The finish appears to be in good condition, but is a very dark brown, almost black, as though covered with years of dirt. I'd like to clean it, but don't want to put anything on it that will hurt the finish. What do you suggest?

A — First, clean it with mild soap and lukewarm water, rubbing with a clean, lintless cloth. Most of the time this will be sufficient to remove the dirt. If it seems not to have worked, go over it again, this time with a cloth dampened with turpentine. The third step — only if it seems necessary — is to clean the surface with a cloth dampened with denatured alcohol. Rub lightly, since the alcohol may affect the finish if it happens to be shellac. If nothing seems to work, then the only solution is to use a varnish remover and refinish the bureau. If any of the methods produces the desired result — that is, removes the dirt — but leaves the finish without a lustre, rub the finish vigorously with a 50-50 mixture of boiled linseed oil and turpentine. Complete the job with a coat of wax.

(For either of Andy Lang's helpful booklets, "Wood Finishing in the Home" or "Simple Plumbing Repairs," send 30 cents and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Know-How, P.O. Box 477, Huntington, N.Y. 11743.)

Dancers Invited For Festival

SPOLETO, Italy (AP) — Jerome Robbins has invited 10 of the world's leading dancers to appear in a program for this summer's 16th Festival of Two Worlds here.

He has organized a presentation of pas de deux by couples from five nations with an entree and finale which he will choreograph for all 10 dancers.

The dancers are Patricia McBride and Helgi Tomasson, United States; Carla Fracci and Paolo Bortoluzzi, Italy; Violette Verdy and Jean-Pierre Bonnefous, France; Antoinette Sibley and Anthony Dowell, England, and Malika Sabirova and Muzafar Brzhabov, U.S.S.R.

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WomenNeed Wills For Protection

BOSTON (AP) — What if a woman precedes her spouse in death?

That's question more women are considering these days, according to W. Scane Bowler, chairman of the board of Pioneer Western Corp., a national financial services organization.

"A woman needs to have a properly drawn will just as much as her husband," Bowler said.

He added that keeping a will up to date is also important.

Bowler suggests the following details be given consideration.

— List all real estate a woman owns in her name, its location and value, plus jointly owned property.

— State approximately the real and intrinsic value of paintings, objets d'art, heirlooms or precious jewelry.

— Leave an explicit letter of instruction with the will, indicating all desired arrangements. One example would be educational programs for the children.

Author Separates Myth From Reality

By JOY STILLEY
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — There's a vast difference between the myth and the reality of motherhood, insists Shirley Radl, who has written a book "to warn unsuspecting young couples what it's all about."

"It's also intended to give comfort to all the women who feel guilty because they can't live up to the impossible standards," adds the author of "Mother's Day Is Over," herself the mother of two young children.

Mrs. Radl thinks that being a mother takes special skills and that not every woman is cut out to be one any more than every man is cut out to be a father.

"Although I hope people who really want children and have the skills will have them, you should know what you're getting into," she explains. "Don't let yourself be pressured into it."

Among the pressures she cites are women's magazines, "which present motherhood as fulfilling, a way of cementing a relationship"; would-be grandparents; the peer group, and television programming and commercials.

"The TV says all mothers are pretty and happy and have nice hairdos and wear fashionable pantsuits when they're scrubbing the floor. When Junior comes in and sloshes up the floor she says it's okay because she's got this new Zippy cleaner and will fix it in a snap.

"Actually she's usually wearing jeans or some old shift and tennis shoes, her hair is up in rollers and it's been a bad day, and when Junior messes up the floor she says it's not okay and what she says isn't printable."

In the commercials, she continues, children are all well behaved and clean except when showing how they get their clothes dirty; they don't cry, and when they do misbehave slightly Mom is able to have a nice chat with them and straighten things out.

That isn't so in real life, says Mrs. Radl, who remembers her own disillusionment surfaced one afternoon when her children were age 2 and 3.

"It was 5 o'clock, the mother's witching hour, the kids were yelling and I suddenly wondered if a person could die from irritation. I love my children (Adam, 7, and Lisa, 8) but I don't like doing all the things I have to do: give them enriching experiences; interact with their schools; do it all with a smile on your face, and never be bored.

"There's almost no time to talk to your husband, and when you do it's about how the window got broken. A good many arguments come as a result of disagreements on how to rear your kids; privacy and spontaneity are gone," continues Mrs. Radl, who fondly recalls her first eight years of marriage when, childless, she worked at a job she enjoyed and had an evening out without making elaborate arrangements.

She began talking to other women, interviewing some 200 of varied ages and economic status in her research for the book, and discovered that they too had feelings of resentment, inadequacy and guilt.

"Most of them had never given a thought to whether they should have children. Now they're starting to make a choice," she says. "But usually after people have made the decision not to have children they don't tell anyone because it's not a socially acceptable way to think."

Former National Executive Director of Zero Population Growth and in the same post with NON, National Organization for Nonparents, Mrs. Radl says that while she is still concerned with the population question "it's an abstract projected into the future, but motherhood is tangible and right here.

"We need to help overwhelmed parents with the problems of here and now," says Mrs. Radl, who is in the process of establishing a parental stress group in her home town of Palo Alto, Calif. "We hold group discussions and if we get enough volunteers, we plan to offer respite child care to prevent verbal and physical abuse of children and to help parents who fear they might lose self-control to cope better."

As for her own children, she says when she was halfway through the book her relationship with them changed for the better. "They knew something was bothering me, and they seemed to be relieved when they found out it's the job I don't like — not them."



By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

OUTDOOR SUPPER

Trout in Foil — French Fries
Salad Bowl — Rolls
Melon Wedges — Beverage

TROUT IN FOIL

Recipe may be increased.
2 (each about 1½ pounds) fresh water trout
Garlic powder
White pepper
¼ teaspoon dill weed
¼ teaspoon salt
1 can (8 ounces) small whole white potatoes, drained and sliced
2 small onions, thinly sliced
3 teaspoons lemon juice
2 tablespoons margarine, cut in small pieces
Lemon wedges

Lightly rub inside of fish with garlic powder and pepper. Sprinkle inside of each fish with dill weed and salt; insert potato and onion slices. Drizzle lemon juice in each fish. Insert margarine in each fish. Wrap each in a large piece of foil. Place over hot coals or bake in a preheated 425-degree oven for 30 minutes or until cooked through. Serve with lemon wedges. Makes 2 servings.

Barbara Eden Files For Divorce

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Barbara Eden has filed for a divorce from her husband of 15 years, actor Michael Ansara.

In the suit filed Tuesday in Superior Court, Miss Eden asked for custody of their 7-year-old son Matthew and child support and alimony from Ansara.

The 35-year-old Miss Eden starred in television's "I Dream of Jeannie" series. Ansara, 40, has appeared in numerous television shows, including "Broken Arrow." They were married in January 1958.

Baptist Women See Slides Of Saudi Arabia

The Baptist Women of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday morning. Mrs. Jamie Romine showed slides of Saudi Arabia where she and her husband spent a year. She compared many of the Moslem religious customs with that of Christianity especially pointing out the differences in the status of women in Saudi Arabia. She related that in Saudi men and women never met together for worship, for parties, or any other occasion but met in separate quarters.

The women also brought school supplies, toiletries, towels, napkins and other things for their Christmas in August emphasis to be sent to the Baptist Community Center in Austin, Texas.

Next Tuesday the women of First Baptist will meet for their Business Meeting and Mission program on Ethiopia. Everyone is invited.

Those attending this week were Mrs. Albert Taylor, S.A. Tibbets, W.A. Holt, Frankie Jaco, John Taggart, Walter Wall, Silas Devenport, Warren Cooper, Homer Godair, B.L. Smith, Essie Orms, D.V. Merritt, Sr., Tony Dunn, W.E. McDowell, W.T. Murphreee, Chuck Cashion, Jerry Neill, Bill Emerson, Howard Marlar, Ken Andress, Barney Tate and the guest speaker, Mrs. Jamie Romine.

'Get Acquainted' Event Set At Ira

IRA—The Ira Parent-Teachers Association's annual "get acquainted" event will be an ice cream and cake supper. It is set for Thursday evening between the hours of 7 and 8:30 o'clock in the Ira School cafeteria.

Everyone in the Ira community is invited to attend and members of the Ira PTA have been asked to bring homemade ice cream and cake.

The Ira PTA met Thursday in the high school study hall at 3:35 p.m. in a called meeting.

Mrs. Billy Calley, president, presided. Mrs. Pete Hester gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Franklin Bryant gave the devotional. Mrs. Udell White welcomed the new teachers and mothers. The executive committee report was given and accepted by the unit.

The Ira unit accepted an invitation to join the Stanfield unit in hosting the fall workshop. The unit also voted to host a cake and ice cream Get Acquainted Supper on Thursday night, August 30.

They discussed plans for the high school after game parties and the Halloween carnival.

There were four officers and 33 members in attendance.

Abilene's B&PW Holds District Conference

Abilene Business and Professional Women's Club, Inc. will host the annual District Conference of District 7 of the Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club September 8-9 at the Hilton Inn.

Keynote speaker will be Mrs. Kandy Reeder of Dickinson, Texas, who is third vice president of Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. She will also take part in the breakfast workshops Sunday.

Miss Christine Bower is coordinator and Miss Avis Deavers is general chairman of the local arrangements.

Director of District 7 is Mrs. Yvonne Blakley of Abilene.

Towns comprising the district include Abilene, Baird, Ballinger, Brady, Brownwood, Coleman, Colorado City, Hamlin, Haskell, San Angelo, Stamford, and Sweetwater.

Committee members working on the conference include Jean Collier, registration, Ruth Parsons, entertainment, Mary Nell Beechley, decorations, Mary Frances Lindsey, treasurer, Jean Horton, secretary, and Shelba Hollingshead, publicity.

Bandsman Sues High School

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A high school bandsman has sued his school for $1 million because he was suspended after he displayed a McGovern sticker on his baritone horn at a rally for President Nixon.

George Alan Koenigshofer was suspended from the band Nov. 4 but reinstated in January.

Keonigshofer's suit, filed Monday in Superior Court, said his treatment by Rowland High School officials had made him extremely nervous and given him hives and hay fever.

The suit also contended that the school, band director George Gullet and school principal Thomas Aney violated the youth's right to freedom of speech and unfairly forced him to participate in a partisan political rally.



STATE CANDIDATE — Miss Annette Erwin, District Farm Bureau Queen, is scheduled to compete again in the State Farm Bureau Convention December 3-5 in Abilene. If selected as our state representative, Miss Erwin, will attend the National Contest later in December.

Graham To Serve As Junior Chairman

ROTAN—Fairy Graham, 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham of Rotan, will serve as junior membership chairman of Anne Pettus Shelburne DAR Chapter of Rotan. Fairy's Application for membership in the National Society on lineal descent from William Adduston Rogers was accepted by the National Board in Washington, D.C. on June 1.

Fairy was valedictorian of her graduating class in Rotan High School in May of 1972. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Student Council, Math Club and Yellow Hammer Band.

While in high school she was recipient of numerous scholastic awards, and was active in community life. An accomplished musician, she served as pianist and organist at First Baptist Church.

Fairy is a student at Texas Tech University and is now entering her sophomore year. She is an accounting major, and made the Dean's Honor List in the spring of 1973. Along with a busy scholastic schedule, she will be joining ranks with more than three thousand DAR juniors assuming positions of leadership at chapter, state and national levels. She plans to attend the Texas State Conference in Austin in March, and to represent Anne Pettus Shelburne Chapter as a Page.

Junior membership includes all regular DAR members between ages of 18 and 35. Two thousand eight hundred and seven new juniors were admitted last year.

In addition to assiting in all DAR activities, the Juniors have special activities of their own. Their main project for many years has been the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund which benefits the two DAR Schools, Tamasee at Tamasee, S.C., and Kate Duncan Smith at Grant, Ala. Last year they provided $29,425.00 for this fund.

DAR Juniors pledged $6,500 to the President General's project, "A Gift to the Nation" (the restoration of two rooms in historic Independence Hall in Philadelphia). The Junior's special gift is for the purchase of a mid-18th century Philadelphia Mahogany Slant-top Desk. The pledge has been paid in full.

Junior DAR members serve as Pages at State Conferences and at National Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. each year. They set up Bazaar tables with varied items for sale at these meetings with proceeds going to the Memorial Fund. Another of their special projects is Flags for the blind. At the Bazaar booths they make new friends, exchange ideas, make money for the Memorial Fund, and have FUN while working together.

Junior members of Anne Pettus Shelburns Chapter are Miss Graham, Mrs. Kennis R. Baskin, Miss Joyce Batteas, Mrs. Jim Hale, Mrs. T.H. Schueller, Mrs. T.R. Locke and Miss Anne Shelburne.

N. Y. City Ballet Proves Popular

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. (AP) — The New York City Ballet had its third largest season for attendance in 1973, since the ballet began coming to the Saratoga Performing Arts Center in 1966.

There were 72,802 persons attending this season. Largest attendance for a single performance this season was for the matinee of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" — 5,303 persons. A capacity house — seats with more than partial vision of the stage — is 3,000.

The largest attendance for a season was for last year's Stravinsky Festival.

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European Investors Are Getting Rare Opportunity

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Europeans who believe there is a future to the United States stock market are being presented with a rare, perhaps once-in-a-lifetime, opportunity.

The situation results from two dollar devaluations in less than two years that have effectively reduced the price of blue chip stocks as much as 40 per cent in terms of certain foreign currencies.

Thus a double possibility for profits exists: one, if the price of stocks move higher; two, if the dollar recovers its value in relation to other currencies.

Rinfret-Boston Associates, management and economic consultants to industry and government, compiled a list of discounts for stocks purchased in foreign currencies and concluded, "Ye God!"

Based on August 20 prices, when the Dow Jones Industrial Average closed at 867, the equivalent in German marks was 522, in French francs 746 and in Swiss francs 500.

"In many ways," it commented, "the extent of the dollar decline against the German mark, the French franc and the Swiss franc has been unappreciated." It went on to explain:

"Most people read in the newspapers that the trade-weighted dollar devaluation since December 1971 is about 9 per cent. That figure includes trade with the entire world, and since Canada is our most important trade partner, the figure is not representative of Europe.

"The reason is that the Canadian dollar is virtually at par with the American dollar."

Wise European investors appear to be aware of the advantage, at least based on their buying and selling practices.

Last year they bought far more stocks than they sold, especially in the fourth quarter of the year. The net capital inflow of $2.1 billion was the second highest figure in history.

Through the first five months of 1973, the dominance of purchases over sales was even higher than in the comparable period of 1972. The net purchase balance through May was $1.3 billion, compared with $700 million a year earlier.

THE MIXER

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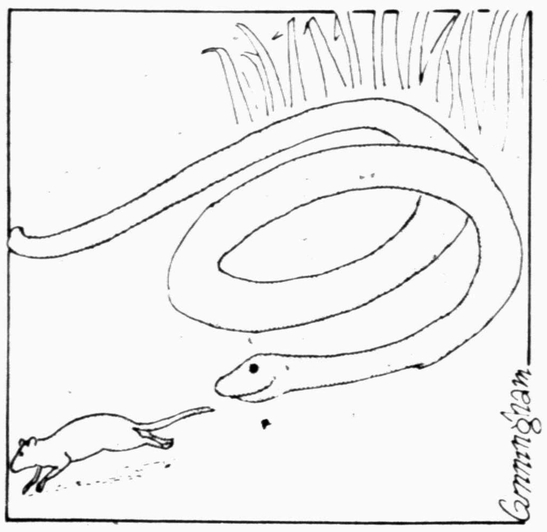
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Junior Editors' Quiz on THE COACHWHIP



QUESTION: *How did the coachwhip snake get its name?*

ANSWER: The coachwhip snake is called that because when it is caught, it thrashes its long, thin tail rapidly in a fashion resembling a whip. It is a swift snake and is seldom captured.

Snakes are the best known reptiles. There are about 250 species found in the United States. Out of this number, only about 36 produce poisonous venom. The majority of snakes are harmless. The coachwhip and other whip snakes are in the harmless group.

The coachwhip snake is closely related to the racers, but thinner and longer. It is a large snake. Some over 7 feet long have been reported. It is a variable brown, sometimes reddish, darker at the head and becoming lighter toward the tail. The coachwhips are alert and fast and are active during the day. They are found in the southeast and the south central part of the United States. Smaller whip snakes, about 4 to 5 feet long, are found in the west. These snakes feed on mice, lizards and small snakes and move rapidly through brush after their prey.

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(Carol Burditt of Oak Ridge, Tenn., wins a prize for this question. You can win $10 cash plus AP's handsome World Yearbook if your question, mailed on a postcard to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, is selected for a prize.)

NY Native Reverses Trend

By HAL BOYLE

SUN CITY CENTER, Fla (AP) — Every year thousands of young people from all over America migrate to New York City, hoping to find fame or fortune in the nation's largest metropolis.

Jerry Gould, a native New Yorker, reversed the trend. He left Manhattan because he could no longer stand it, found opportunity in Florida, and now is one of the country's larger home builders.

"I simply got tired of being pushed about and intimidated in New York," he remarked. "The people who like it feel it is the best place in the world to be, but I feel sorry for them.

"There are a lot of cultural advantages in the big city, but I resent the fact that most of the people who live there don't make enough money to enjoy them. Unless you have money in New York, where's the fun?

"That isn't true in Florida, and other parts of the country. Here you don't have to be rich to play a little golf, go fishing, or just sit and enjoy the climate."

It wasn't sour grapes that led Jerry, who had spent three years in the Army during World War II as a medical technician aboard a hospital ship, to pull up stakes and move south in 1950.

He was a highly successful advertising salesman in Manhattan and had saved up enough money to buy a partnership in his father's retail clothing firm in Miami. Within a short time he also had become a partner in a leading advertising firm and then entered the booming land development field in 1955.

Since then he has built 6,000 homes in Florida and elsewhere.

A pioneer in obtaining legislation to outlaw shady land sale schemes, he prefers the role of "community developer" rather than that of a promoter merely selling land on the installment plan.

He and a partner designed and built Lehigh Acres, a community of some 15,000 people 13 miles from Fort Myers.

But Jerry expects Sun City Center here to be his real life monument in community development. As president of the W-G Development Corp., he bought the 2,000-acre site from the Del E. Webb Corp., founder of Sun City, Ariz. The site has since been enlarged to 11,000 acres, and by 1980 Gould expects 30,000 people will be living there in three adjoining communities.

"That's far enough, I feel, to project for the future," said Jerry. "Theoretically, we have room to put 60,000 residences here and a population of 150,000 persons."

Then he added candidly: "But I'm 49 now, and I may not live to see it."

At present Sun City Center is largely a retirement town limited to residents aged 50 or over, where children under 18 can come only as visitors. Later segments appealing to younger family groups are planned, as well as an area for small ranch estates.

The developers also hope to draw residents from such nearby cities as Tampa, Sarasota and St. Petersburg.

Each year Gould makes several business trips back to his native city.

"I enjoy them," he acknowledged "New York is a great place to visit, but — ." His shrug finished the sentence.

Reserve Peanut Supply Larger

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's reserve peanut supply going into the new crop year on Aug. 1 was 10 per cent larger than a year earlier, and farmers are expected to harvest another record crop, the Agriculture Department reports.

Total carryover of peanuts available for commercial use was 431 million pounds, says the Crop Reporting Board. The August peanut production estimate for 1973 harvest was 3.29 billion pounds, slightly larger than the old mark last year of 3.28 billion.

There were about 130,000 Indians living in the California region of the United States when it was discovered by the Spanish in 1542.

There were 291.3 million telephones in service in the world in 1972.

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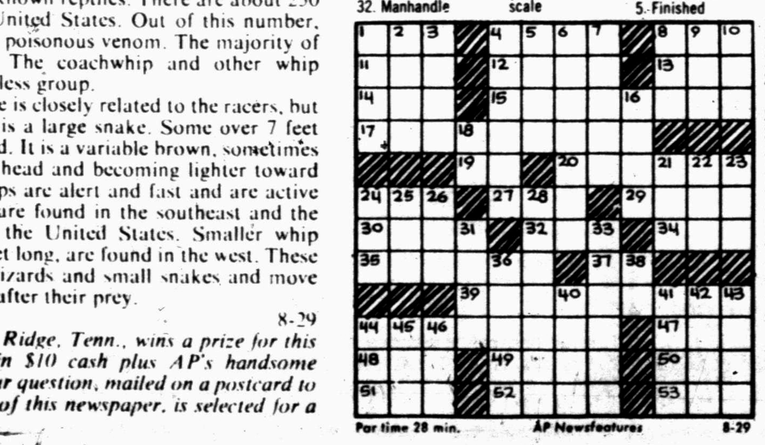
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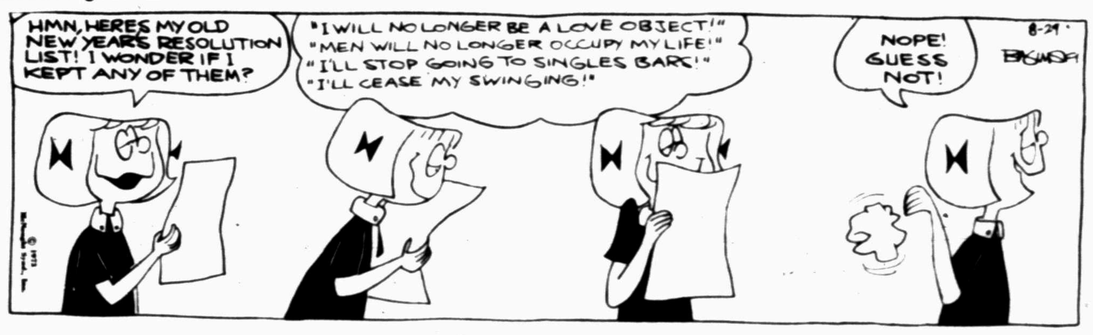
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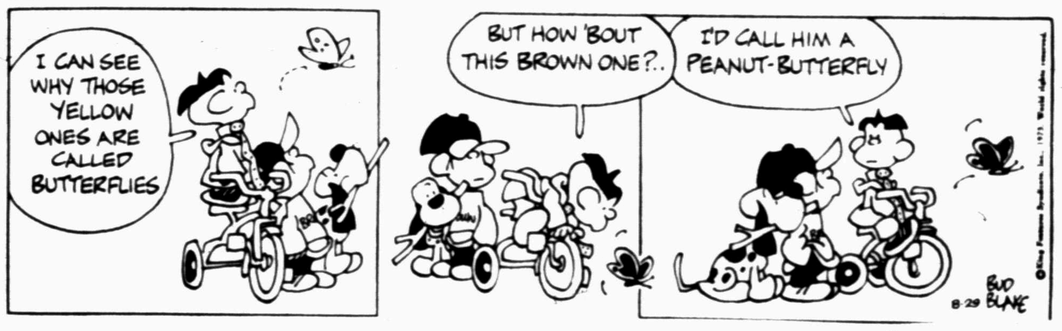
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"If all of you weren't so stubborn, we could all go home."

Boosters Map Plans For Year

The Snyder Booster Club, the organization that supports public school athletic teams, elected Dr. Wilton N. Jones to serve as its president and Mrs. Jones to serve as the secretary-treasurer for the 1973-74 school year at its first meeting of the season last night.

Most of the meeting was devoted to planning activities for the season, which will include scheduled meetings throughout the school year.

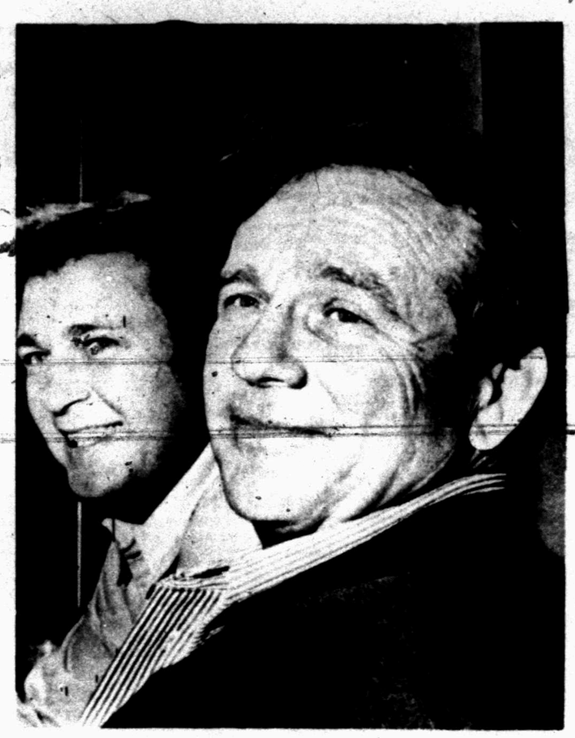
A board of directors will be named within the next few days, with a board member being assigned to each sport for special interest and to prepare programs for club meetings, etc.

Booster Club meetings have been held regularly on Tuesday nights through football season. This year, regularly scheduled meetings will continue as other sports come into season, with a schedule of first and third Monday meetings approved after football season. Athletic Director Maurice Hodges said that some films would be made of all sports so that they may be shown at club meetings.

A Booster Club Creed was drawn up and adopted and copies of it will be distributed soon.

Membership dues of $5 per person for individual memberships will continue. Dues for a man and wife have been set at $7.50. Booster Club officers and members will offer memberships at Tiger Stadium during the football scrimmage Friday evening between the Tigers and the Midland High Bulldogs.

Meanwhile, the Snyder High School Student Council and the Booster Club will give out placards boosting the Tigers prior to the first football game. The season opens on the night of Sept. 7 when the Lubbock Dunbar Panthers will meet the Tigers here.



NEW SAINTS HEAD — John North (right) is backed by a smiling New Orleans Saints owner John Mecom Jr. after he was named the new head coach following the firing of J.D. Roberts Monday night. North has been serving as offensive coordinator of the Saints that went 2-11-1 in 1972 and are winless in four exhibition outings this season. (AP Wirephoto)

BUCKEYES, MICHIGAN CAPABLE
Big 10 May Regain Glory

By JERRY LISKA
Associated Press Sports Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — This may be the college football season when the Big Ten Conference finally elbows the Big Eight out of the national spotlight.

For the Big Ten, co-defending champions Ohio State and Michigan appear capable of dislodging the Big Eight's perennial standouts, Nebraska and Oklahoma, from their customary lofty role in the national rankings.

For many seasons, the Big Eight has outshone the Big Ten as the kingpin conference in the Midwest, but this is a campaign of Big Eight flux over-all and one of pennance for title-shorn Oklahoma.

With new coaches, and minus recent superstars, Nebraska and Oklahoma still rate highly in the Big Eight race. But no matter its ultimate success, Oklahoma is condemned to a wallflower role when the post-season bowl games are played.

The Big Eight recently punished Oklahoma for recruiting sins, banning the Sooners from post-season play for 1973 and 1974, and defaulting the Sooners' 1972 title to runner-up Nebraska.

However, the chastisement didn't erase the Nov. 23 national TV showing of the probable title battle between Oklahoma and Nebraska at Norman, Okla.

That is one day before the Nov. 24 Big Ten finale between Ohio State and Michigan which seems destined, as it has for five previous season windups between these rivals, to resolve the conference championship and the Rose Bowl assignment.

The Midwest's prime independent, Notre Dame, is considered capable of clawing back into the nation's top 10, although the scars may not be healed from the 40-6 Orange Bowl drubbing the Fighting Irish took from Nebraska.

In the Missouri Valley Conference, the title battle again appears to center among last season's tri-champs—West Texas State, Louisville and Drake, with West Texas State slightly favored and Tulsa an outside threat.

Mid-American Conference power is concentrated among defending champion Kent State, Bowling Green (Ohio), Miami (Ohio) and Ohio University, which also will be traveling against such fast outside company as Penn State, South Carolina and Northwestern.

The Mid-American membership has swelled to 10 with the addition of Northern Illinois and Ball State. But those two schools and Central Michigan and Eastern Michigan are not yet booked into the title race.

In the Big Ten, the dropoff seems considerable from the expected two-club title race between Ohio State and Michigan to the rest of the field. But the jockeying should be close for the third spot, since Purdue, No. 3 last season, one game behind Ohio State and Michigan, lost 15 starters including Otis Armstrong and Dave Butz.

Four new coaches appear in the Big Ten, but only one comes from outside the conference. Alex Agase shifted from Northwestern to Purdue and Johnny Pont switched from Indiana to replace Agase at Northwestern.

Indiana tapped Lee Corso from Louisville. At Michigan State, assistant Denny Stolz was elevated to replace retired Duffy Daughterty.

At Notre Dame, Ara Parseghian launches his 10th season hoping to improve on an 8-3 record with a healthy Steve Niehaus as defensive leader and a sound attack hubbed around quarterback Tom Clements and running backs Eric Penick and Art Best.

The Big Eight also has four new coaches, including former assistant Tom Osborne at Nebraska and another promoted aide, Barry Switzer, at Oklahoma. Also elevated to a head post was Jim Stanley at Oklahoma State. Earle Bruce was hired from Tampa to take over at Iowa State.

Rams Acquire Charlie Stukes

FULLERTON, Calif. (AP) — Veteran defensive back Charlie Stukes has been acquired by the Los Angeles Rams from the Minnesota Vikings for an undisclosed National Football League draft choice.

The 6-foot-3, 212-pound Stukes was a fourth-round draft choice of Baltimore in 1967 after playing at Maryland State. Stukes, 29, led the Colts in intercepted passes the last two seasons with a total of 13. He was traded to Minnesota July 23.

Pirates Bring 3 From Farm

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates say three players from their Charleston, W. Va., farm club will join the National League team Saturday.

Called up Tuesday were infielder Fernando Gonzalez, outfielder Dave Augustine and catcher-third-baseman Jim Campanis.

Free-Wheeling Al At It Again

By B. F. KELLUM
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Al Conover, Rice University's unpredictable head football coach, likes to keep his players and assistants guessing as well as the opposition.

It's all because "Big Al" thinks football should be fun as well as hard work.

He believes he can have a winning program and also one in which the players enjoy what they are doing.

Discipline has been relaxed. There are no bed checks. The players can grow hair and chin whiskers down to their knees if they are able and so desire.

Rice players have just one rule—they must conduct themselves in a manner becoming a Rice football player at all times.

During a basketball game last winter, Conover didn't think one of his players was abiding by that rule in the stands and he turned bouncer and escorted the player out of the Rice gym.

Last year, his first season as the Owls' head man, Conover turned sommersaults on the field, directed an opponent's band and threw a chair through a dressing room window.

He even conducted a "bury your mistakes" funeral, complete with hearse and coffin for the players, following a defeat.

Some of the incidents are planned, others just happen.

The clowning, free-wheeling coach found a new way to lift the spirits of the weary players after a practice last week.

At the end of the drill, he called the players together for the dreaded wind sprints.

But then he ordered the assistant coaches to run the sprints, not the players.

After the laughter died down, the players ran theirs.

When it was over, Conover waved them to a nearby spot where cold watermelon was served.

"Those drills are hard and it's hot out there," Conover, 34, said of his latest prank. "They need something to break the monotony."

Just before his team took the field last year against Arkansas in Little Rock, he didn't believe his team was "in the right mood." He threw a chair through a dressing room window. It must have worked. The Owls upset the Razorbacks 23-20.

On his way to the dressing room following Rice's victory over Texas A&M, Conover stopped to direct the Aggie band.

After the Owls were edged by LSU 12-6, Conover drove out onto the practice field the next week in a hearse equipped with a coffin. He had cards listing player mistakes and had them "bury your mistakes" in the coffin. But it didn't help. The Owls were beaten 45-9 by Texas the next week. However, Conover, who took over last year when Bill Peterson was named Houston Oilers' head coach, guided the Owls to a 5-5-1 mark, not a great season but the best record for a Rice team since 1963.

Conover, who weighs 250 pounds, says the players have not looked good in the "carry the coach off the field" play.

"We're working on this and we have some bigger boys this year," he grins. "Maybe we'll look better."

Dallas Falls To Russians

DALLAS (AP) — The Moscow Torpedo Soccer team ended its tour of the United States Tuesday night at Texas Stadium with a 2-1 victory over the Dallas Tornado, runner up team in the North American Soccer League championships.

It was the last game of the season for the Tornado and also the last contest for the team from the Soviet Union, which compiled a record of 4-1-1 on the U.S. tour.

It was also the last game for Dallas' captain John Best, an all-star defender for the Tornado for the last four years.

The Moscow team wasted no time in scoring their victory. They scored first with five minutes gone on a boot into the top left hand corner of the Dallas net on a kick by Anatoliy Solovjev. They held that 1-0 lead at halftime.

In the 75th minute of the contest, Dallas scored on a goal by Kyle Rote Jr., the NASL's leading scorer. The lone Dallas score came five minutes after a Soviet player, Vladimir Krasnov, had been ejected when a Tornado player received a cut on the chin.

The Torpedo's other score came in the 16th minute when Anatoliy Degeterez picked up a loose ball near the goal and rammed it home.

Breedlove Going For Record

WENDOVER, Utah (AP) — Land speed challenger Craig Breedlove says he's patching up his three-wheeled rocket cycle and hopes he's eliminated aerodynamic problems which he says caused the speed machine to flip on the Bonneville Salt Flats Tuesday.

"We're going to repair the car in Salt Lake City and run next week for the record," said Breedlove, who escaped injury in the spectacular crackup.

Breedlove's cycle flipped at about 400 miles per hour Tuesday as he completed a quarter-mile run in which he set a national acceleration record.

Old Pro Nitschke Loses Race With Father Time

By FRANK BROWN
Associated Press Sports Writer

Ray Nitschke's eyes were filled with tears. He had lost the battle with age—a more determined foe than any lineman he had faced in his 15-year National Football League career.

"There's no room on the Packer squad for three middle linebackers," he said, "so I'm retiring."

There was only one regret for the 36-year-old veteran, "...that I can't turn the clock back to 1958 and become a Packer all over again."

His voice wavered, his eyes grew more moist.

"The spirit's still there, but the numbers game got to me.

His expression was nothing new. The brash insistence of Time that aging stars leave the game they love has claimed untold numbers of veteran players.

"I've been prepared for this for the last month or so—even when camp started," Nitschke said. "But I wanted to be prepared to help out if I was needed ... if they called on me."

The call never came. Packer coaches had to concern themselves with Jim Carter, Nitschke's replacement since 1971. The fact that Nitschke had anchored Green Bay defenses through five championship seasons and two Super Bowl crowns just couldn't stop the clock.

There was another, less emotional, departure from pro football Tuesday—that of running back John Riggins from the New York Jets' camp. Riggins, who had been holding out for over $100,000 after gaining 944 yards and being voted the club's Most Valuable Player last season, returned to his Centralia, Kan. home after contract negotiations failed.

"I went for all the marbles," he said. "It was all or none. The way I see it now, I don't think I'll be back."

Meanwhile, things were returning to normal at other NFL camps after wholesale cuts Monday brought rosters down to the 49-man limit.

The Minnesota Vikings traded wide receiver Gene Washington to the Denver Broncos in exchange for wide receiver Rod Sherman and an undisclosed draft choice.

Washington, 28, is a seven-year veteran and a former first round draft choice. His career statistics include 172 receptions for 3,087 yards, but a foot injury has bothered him the last two seasons. A former hurdler at Michigan State, Washington's best year came in 1968 when he caught 46 passes for 756 yards.

Sherman, who has played with the Oakland Raiders, Cincinnati Bengals, then Oakland again before being acquired by Denver, has caught 104 passes for 1,558 yards.

Newly named head coach John North of New Orleans made it clear that he won't be transforming the Saints, 2-11-1 last year, into immediate winners.

"I think it's going to take a little time, but we will get it going," he said on his first day as head man.

The Miami Dolphins dealt defensive tackle Mike Kadish to the Buffalo Bills for veteran center-guard Irv Goode. The Bills also got the good news that running back O.J. Simpson had healed sufficiently from a cracked rib to return to practice.

Surgery Slated For Petrocelli

BOSTON (AP) — Third baseman Rico Petrocelli of the Boston Red Sox was scheduled for surgery today for removal of a calcium growth from his right elbow.

The Red Sox said the operation would be performed by Dr. Thomas Quigley and Dr. Tom Tierney, the team physician, at Hahnemann Hospital. Petrocelli is expected to be sidelined for the rest of the season.

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Rainy Day In June Gave Decker Shot At Success

By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer

A little rain isn't such a very bad thing. Just ask Minnesota pitcher Joe Decker, who stepped into the sunshine after a June shower made him a starting pitcher.

Decker tossed a five-hitter Tuesday night, shutting out Detroit 5-0 for his sixth consecutive victory. That's not bad for a guy who spent two months waiting for a chance to pitch.

The loss kept the Tigers seven games behind Baltimore in the American League East race. The first-place Orioles had their 14-game winning streak ended by Texas, 5-3.

Elsewhere in the American league Tuesday night, Cleveland edged Kansas City 4-3, Chicago downed Milwaukee 6-4, Oakland defeated Boston 6-1, and California beat New York 5-2.

Decker was the long man in the Twins' bullpen—and not terribly happy about it—in April and May. "For the first two months of the season, I pitched 11 innings," said Decker.

Then the Twins got rained out of a game in Cleveland in June and Manager Frank Quilici's rotation loosened up to the point that Decker could get a start. He's been a revelation ever since.

"Finally they went with me, and I'm thankful for the chance," said the pitcher, who ran his record to 9-5 with his shutout over the Tigers. He has not lost since July 13.

Joe Lis drove in two of Minnesota's runs with a single and a homer, dropping the sagging Tigers to their fourth straight loss and 10th in the last 15 games.

Rangers 5, Orioles 3

Baltimore's 14-game winning streak ended when Texas beat an old nemesis, Dave McNally, 5-3.

McNally had won 17 consecutive decisions since 1969 against the Rangers and their predecessors, the Washington Senators.

Indians 4, Royals 3

Frank Duffy drove in two runs and Cleveland hung on to edge Kansas City 4-3, dropping the Royals 5½ games behind first-place Oakland in the AL West.

Tom Timmerman shut the Royals out until the eighth but Fran Healy made it close with a three-run homer against reliever Ken Sanders.

White Sox 6, Brewers 4

Rookie Bill Sharp stole home and Bill Melton hit his 17th homer of the season, as the Chicago White Sox defeated Milwaukee 6-4.

Tony Muser doubled home two runs for the White Sox and Pedro Garcia and Dave May homered for the Brewers.

Angels 5, Yankees 2

Bob Oliver ripped three straight hits including his 15th homer, helping California defeat the staggering New York Yankees 5-2.

Junior fullback Marsh White, of Arkansas, is a cousin to Cincinnati Red second baseman Joe Morgan.

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Tear Gas Ends Ordeal

STOCKHOLM (AP) — "Don't hurt them—they didn't harm us," two women hostages cried as police Tuesday night seized the pair of gunmen who had held four people for 132 hours in a Stockholm bank.

"We never felt the boys were a threat to our lives," 21-year-old Kristin Enmark told a newsman. "We were scared that the police would do something that would force them to turn desperate."

The two convicts—safecracker Jan-Erik Olsson, 32, and life-term murderer Clark Olofsson, 26—surrendered after police pumped tear gas into the bank vault in which they were holding three women and a man prisoner.

There was no bloodshed, and doctors at the hospital to which the hostages were taken said their condition was "good under the circumstances."

Miss Enmark denied reports that one of the other two women had been raped repeatedly.

"None of them did anything to us," she told newsmen who interviewed her in Sabbatsberg Hospital.

Olsson seized the four bank employes last Thursday when police surprised him as he was robbing the main office of the Kreditbanken.

An escaped convict, he demanded that Olofsson be brought to the bank and that they be given $650,000 in ransom and safe conduct out of the country. The government agreed but would not let them go when Olsson insisted on taking two of the hostages with him for insurance.

The convicts had the run of the bank for two days, but police trapped them and their captives Saturday in the 40-by-19-foot vault.

Early Tuesday evening, the police suddenly cut off the lights in the vault and pumped tear gas through holes they had drilled. Olsson fired a burst from his submachine gun and then gave up.

Farriers Take Short Course

Career Corner
by Joyce Lain Kennedy

what job would you like to see explored in this column?



Dear Joyce: I think I might like to be a horseshoer. Maybe I would like to have a little blacksmith shop too. The idea of doing honest labor with my hands sounds good. Where can I learn the work? -- W.C.M., Tucson, Ariz.

About 8,000 blacksmiths are employed in industry primarily doing maintenance and repair work. Another 4,000 or so work in small shops, most of whom are self-employed. Some of these smithies specialize in the shoeing of horses, and are known as farriers. Many farriers have other jobs and hoof it part time. Some people find full-time horseshoeing too strenuous.

SINCE THE EMPLOYMENT of blacksmiths is expected to dwindle slowly during the 1970s, it's lucky for some that the interest in horses is growing. According to an estimate by the American Horse Council, there are about 8 million horses in the U.S. today. The interest in pleasure horses has increased considerably over the past decade, but records on the increase for all types of horses are not exact.

Still, on the theory that the more irons you can heat in your forge, the more likely you'll make a good living at this work, let's look briefly at self-employed general blacksmiths first. Most repair farm implements, tools and mechanical equipment, and often perform other services such as welding, brazing, or tool sharpening.

BLACKSMITHS hammer their way into this work in various ways. Often, it's by obtaining jobs as helpers in blacksmith shops where they gradually learn the trade on the job. Others enter through formal apprenticeship programs (generally 3-4 years) which are found in large industrial firms, rather than in small repair shops. Vocational school or high school courses in metalworking, blueprint reading, and math are helpful.

Smiths have to be in fine form because pounding metal and handling heavy stuff requires considerable strength and stamina. However, the use of power hammers and hoists reduces the physical demands of the work.

TURNING NOW TO FARRIERS in particular, many mainly do "cold shoeing" (using ready-made shoes), and very little "hot shoeing" (making custom shoes). Hot shoeing requires using a hot forge and hammering on an anvil. In fact, most farrier schools teach only enough hot shoeing to allow the farrier to handle unusual problem hoofs.

Speaking of farrier schools, the beginner may take a specialized course in private or public vocational schools, colleges and universities. Some high schools teach horseshoeing. A check of several private farrier schools shows that a typical course is 12 weeks (480 hours) and tuition runs between $750-1,000.

ACCORDING TO WALT E. TAYLOR, president of the American Farriers Association, a large number of farriers work on a mobile basis, going to the horse rather than maintaining a horseshoeing facility. Not including vehicle costs, you can set up a part-time business for about $1,000. Income depends on the volume of business and rates in your part of the country. For example, the rate for shoeing a horse (4 shoes) often ranges from $10-25. Cost of 4 ready-made shoes is about $2.50. A successful full-time farrier handles a volume of between 60-80 horses a week; a part-time farrier might expect 15-30 horses a week.

The American Farrier Association is working to get farriers licensed by states. Only two, Michigan and Illinois, now require licensure. If you like horses and can meet the physical requirements, working as a farrier can be a kick.

FOR MORE INFORMATION The American Farrier Association will send you a list of some 46 schools which teach farriery, plus association literature, and answer questions. Send your request to me at this newspaper, asking for "Farrier." Allow several weeks for delivery.

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BACK AT THE WHEEL—Bret Yarborough of Elk Grove, California who placed second in the Soap Box Derby at Akron, Ohio and was named champ when it was discovered the first place winner had an electronic device hidden in his racer, sits at the wheel again, this time the wheel of his father's power lawnmower at their home in Elk Grove. Gret says "concentration and straight driving" helped him to become the official champ. (AP Wirephoto)

'Tune-Up' Legislation Considered

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Legislation giving state police power to enforce automobile tune-ups is being considered by the House Energy Crisis Committee, chairman Jon Newton said Tuesday.

Newton, a Beeville Democrat, said tune-ups to encourage reduced gasoline consumption might be added to annual motor vehicle inspections.

It would take a new state law, however, to add tune-ups to inspection requirements enforced by the Department of Public Safety.

Newton said in a statement another possible legislative proposal was establishment of minimum standards for air conditioners and efficiency labeling of major appliances.

He said the committee would study the possibility of encouraging cities and counties to use such methods as feeder parking lots and prepaid shuttle bus systems to reduce automobile travel into downtown sections.

"Serious consideration should be given to the revitalization of our railroad system. Trucks consume nearly 60 per cent of the annual energy consumed by transportation and deliver only 20 per cent of the freight.

Budget Board Endorses Briscoe's Phone System

By LEE JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — A streamlined telephone system that Gov. Dolph Briscoe's aides claim will reduce state government's long distance bills by $1 million a year has won the blessing of the Legislative Budget Board.

Briscoe didn't need it, but he sought the board's approval to win the cooperation of state agencies in the proposed TEX-AN system, said his executive assistant, Charles Purnell.

Purnell said the agencies would hesitate to join the system linking all state government offices from El Paso to Beaumont "if they feel the legislature is opposed to it."

"Your recommendation would cause the governor and the agencies to go ahead and put the money into it," Purnell said.

Rex Stallings, director of Briscoe's Office of Information Services, joined Purnell in seeking approval of the board, which includes Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, Speaker Price Daniel Jr. and legislative fiscal committee chairmen.

With TEX—AN, scheduled to go into operation Jan. 1, a state worker in any area of the state can pick up a telephone and call anywhere in or out of Texas, toll-free.

The state would pay a flat $350,000 a month.

Stallings noted that while the board had recommended funds for the phone system earlier this year, they were left out of the general appropriation bill that finally passed the legislature.

Before the item was rejected by the recent compromise committee on appropriations, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. had insisted on immediate payment of a $170,000 installation charge and a separate budget item for the $350,000 monthly operating charge, Stallings said.

Since then, he said, Bell has backed down and will permit time payments on the installation charge and periodic billings on the operating charges so existing appropriations could pay for TEX-AN.

Stallings said the telephone company already was putting in switching stations for the system.

Rep. W. S. Heatly, D-Paducah said the state should insist on improvement in telephone service for its citizens before buying TEX-AN.

"They (the Bell system), should do some house cleaning and linen washing before they start telling us all the wonderful things they are going to do for us," Heatly said.

George Rutherford of the OIS said the $350,000 monthly cost of TEX-AN would compare with $431,201 now spent by the state each month for WATS lines and lone distance calls.

Through 1980, annual savings would amount to $1 million, he said.

Graham Begins British Crusade

LONDON (AP) — Billy Graham, the American evangelist, launched his fifth British crusade Monday night in Earl's Court Stadium, apparently undaunted by three bomb scares and criticism from church organizations and newspapers about his tactics.

An estimated 20,000 persons were in the London stadium for the start of "Spree 73" — for "Spiritual Re-emphasis" — in which the 54-year-old Graham plans to train evangelists and Christian crusaders.

The week-long session, described by Graham's organization as a "Bible teach-in," will end Saturday.

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Phone
573-3912

Tunnell Leaving Railroad Panel

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Byron Tunnell leaves the Texas Railroad Commission with the "best wishes" of Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who will appoint Tunnell's successor on the oil and gas regulatory agency.

Tunnell said Tuesday he is resigning, effective Sept. 15, to go to work for Tenneco of Houston.

He has been on the three-member commission since January 1965 when he gaveup a virtually certain second term as House speaker to accept Gov. John Connally's appointment.

Tunnell's decision cleared the way for Rep. Ben Barnes of De Leon, a close associate of Connally's, to clinch the speaker's job. Barnes had been collecting pledges in the event Tunnell quit.

At the time he accepted the commissioner's job Tunnell also was rumored to be thinking of running for Texas attorney general. His closest friends said that had been his dream.

Tunnell, 47, succeeded Ernest O. Thompson, who was 72 and said to be in failing health. Tunnell was elected to a full six-year term in 1966 and re-elected last year.

This means his successor has five years left on the job, which pays $34,000 a year starting Saturday. The salary goes up to $35,500 Sept. 1, 1974.

Tunnell is a native of Tyler and attended public school there. He received his law degree from Baylor University in 1952. After private practice in Tyler and serving as assistant district attorney of Smith County, he was elected to the House in 1956.

"He has been a distinguished, able and effective public servant and, although I sincerely regret he is leaving government service, I extend to him my best wishes as he begins his new duties on Sept. 15," said Briscoe.

Briscoe's new appointee as commissioner will join former Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey and former El Paso appeals judge Jim Langdon on the commission.

N. W. Freeman, Tenneco board chairman, said Tunnell will assume duties Sept. 16 as vice president in the company's governmental affairs department.

Tenneco is a Houston based, multi-industry company with major interests in manufacturing, natural gas pipelines, oil, chemicals, packaging, agriculture and real estate.

Scarcity Of Beef Near End

WASHINGTON (AP) — The scarcity of beef in the supermarkets may be nearing an end, according to an Agriculture Department spokesman.

"There seems to be a little buildup under way," he said.

"Earlier this month we had verified that 70 packing houses were closed. By early this week we estimated that fewer than 50 were still closed," said the spokesman, who asked not to be identified.

Price controls for all foods except beef were removed July 18. The lid on beef is scheduled to be removed Sept. 12.

In a department report issued Tuesday officials said production of all red meat in July was 2.651 billion pounds, down 5 per cent from June, but about the same as last July.

Other details of the report included:

—Beef output in July was down 3 per cent from June, but about equal to that month a year ago. The January-July output was 4 per cent less than 1972.

—Veal production in July was ddown 4 per cent from June, and was 27 per cent less than last July. Production in January-July was 27 per cent less than a year ago.

—Pork production declined 11 per cent from June to July, and was down 1 per cent compared with last July. January-July output was down 6 per cent.

—Lamb and mutton production increased 10 per cent from June to July and was 16 per cent above last July. However, January-July production was 5 per cent below last year.

—Poultry meat output on a ready-to-cook basis dropped 3 per cent from June to July, and was down 1 per cent in January-July from a year earlier.

Cattlemen Hit IRS Action

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service has seriously threatened the cattle industry, cattle feeders say, by proposed disallowance of prepaid feed as a business deduction.

If feed is bought and paid for in one year but not consumed until the following year, it cannot be deducted when paid, the IRS says.

The Cattle Feeders Tax Committee, the American National Cattlemen's Association, and the National Livestock Tax Committee, after an emergency meeting here this week, said:

"This IRS action, if allowed to stand, will have nationwide repercussions on the cattle industry. In the long run, it will possibly reduce beef supplies and cause further increases in prices to the consumer."

The IRS action was contained in a memorandum of technical advice from the national office of IRS to the Dallas district director and concerned limited partnerships operated by Western Beef Cattle Fund, Inc., of Amarillo.

It stated that feed purchased could not be deducted in 1970 when paid for, but must be deducted as an expense in 1971 when the feed was consumed by the cattle.

The memorandum further said that deduction of the feed as an expense in 1970 would cause "a material distortion of income."

H. C. "Ladd" Hitch, cattle feeder in Guymon, Okla., said that the Treasury Department submitted similar proposals to the House Ways and Means Committee last April.

The cattlemen were told that any change in the tax laws would not become effective until such proposals were enacted by Congress. "It appears," said Hitch, "that the IRS has taken over the prerogative of Congress by this action."

Charles E. Ball, executive vice president of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, said, "As a result of the increase in price of feeder cattle and feed grains during the last 12 months, it will take an additional $100 million of equity capital plus about $300 million of borrowed capital just to maintain cattle production in the State of Texas at the same level of a year ago and the administration wants us to increase beef supplies.

"We have to look to the investment community for equity capital and this action by the IRS will seriously curtail that source of funds," Ball continued. "The cattle industry must have a constant flow of new capital just as other industries. If the IRS action is allowed to stand, beef production will not expand at the rate consumers want."

Two Killed In Car-Train Crash

NEW BRAUNFELS, Tex. (AP) — Two residents of Wimberly were killed Tuesday when their car crashed into a freight train near this old Central Texas town.

Investigators identified the dead as Paul Brinkley, 77, and his wife Pauline, 68.

The accident occurred on Farm Road 306 about three miles northwest of New Braunfels.

Firm Gets Exemption

SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP) — Handy Packing Co. of San Angelo has been granted a freeze exemption by the Cost of Living Council which will permit the firm to raise prices higher than President Nixon's imposed level.

The exemption granted late Tuesday was approved because all other packing houses in this West Texas area had closed and Handy is the main meat supplier for area schools, hospitals and Goodfellow Air Force Base, said San Angelo Mayor C. S. Conrad, who is a co-owner of the plant.

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