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## American GI Is Italy's Top Basketball Player

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LEGHORN. Italy-Italy has se- school where he was a football. lected as its outstanding basket- basketball and baseball star, Westball player of 1953 an American lund completed two years at St. soldier from Atwater, Minn. He is Pfc. Dave Westlund, one Minnesota before entering service,

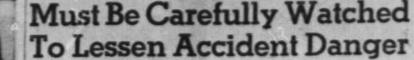
of a number of young Americans He plans to go back and play who have given a strong boost to basketball at St. Cloud when he the court game here. The soldiers' finishes his tour of duty. also have created as much good will among Italinas as a battalion Westlund, who plays with an all- ed were sellouts. And, Westlund of diplomats.

soldier team from the big U. S. any had feeling or heard harsh Army Supply Base in this port city. words between American and Italwas picked as Italy's top player ian players or spectators. by officials, coaches and sports writers-all .Italians. Three other

About 20,000 kilowatt hours of American servicemen were chosen among the top seven. They play- electricity are used to produce two ed in Italy's national amateur bas- short tons of aluminum



MRS. CLARA MCGOWAN (above). 50, of Boston, was aboard the Transocean four-engined plane which crashed in the Pacific 300 miles east of Wake Island. Mrs. McGowan was en route home from Guam, (International)



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THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER

**Children Playing At Home** 

WASHINGTON - Keep a close watch on the children these vacation days, even if they are playing in your own backyard, especially if they are playing alone. Accidents can and frequently do happen in the yard.

If an accident occurs, says the Red Cross, care given within a matter of seconds may determine whether the minor injury becomes vated by moving the victim im- an a major one or whether the major propertly. If breathing has stopinjury becomes a fatality.

One of the common activities that need supervision is wading in a pond or home-type wading pool. water in most of these, a very on the wound, with a pad and tight wages on reut

face down.

Falls and cuts are the most comon accidents around the home. The Red Cross urges parents not If he's co leave garden tools about, or evidence to. permit their children to leave their water may be given in sips. check first for injuries before moving him. Many injuries are aggra-

ped. artificial respiration should be applied immediately. If a person

is bleeding profusely, the first-

Other Red Cross first aid tips Graduation Showers for parents of a child involved in an accident: Help prevent shock by keeping eering students finally gave in to

the injured child lying down in a comfortable position with his head evel with his body until you know Keep now serious the injury is. small child could drown if he fell the injured child warm, maintaining normal body temperature if

possible. Never give water or other liquid to an unconscious person. and there is no abdominal injury. af Hot toys lying around the yard or strps, tea or coffee may be given, par-If a child suffers a severe fail, ticularly if the victim is cold. In cases where the accident appears to be serious, send for a physician or

> In 1950, Scotland had one house for every 3 2/3 persons

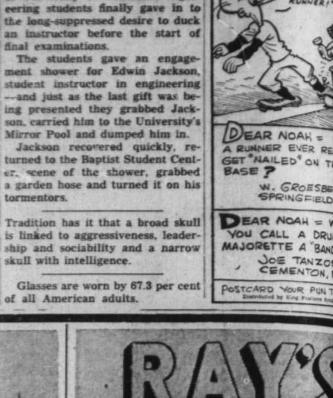
The average Scottish worker Even though there is very little aider should apply direct pressure spends about 5% per cent of his

NORMAN, Okla. (AP)-A group of University of Oklahoma engin-

the long-suppressed desire to duck an instructor before the start of final examinations. The students gave an engage

shower for Edwin Jackson ment student instructor in engineering and just as the last gift was be ing presented they grabbed Jackon, carried him to the University's Mirror Pool and dumped him in. Jackson recovered quickly, returned to the Baptist Student Center, scene of the shower, grabbed a garden hose and turned it on his tormentors

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