

Area News

A television course for college credit is being offered by Cleveland Technical College. Mrs. Sandra Hardin, Dean of Instruction, has announced that the business elective course, "Personal Finance and Money Management" will start Saturday, September 5.

Hosted by nationally renowned financial counselor Robert Rosefsky, this business course basically will show how one can plan his financial future. Among other things, in its 30 programs, "Personal Finance and Money Management" will discuss financial decisions that the average person can be expected to make, including the basics of budgeting; the intricacies of home ownership, income tax and investments. Also covered are insurance and wills and trusts.

This televised course will be shown on channels 17, 33, 58, and Shelby Cable 8 from 12 until 1 p.m. each Saturday.

Additional information is available, 484-4000. Tech's department of Continuing Education also announces six new art classes beginning Aug. 24 through Aug. 27. Painting, including mixed media, watercolor, and oil, will be taught at \$8.00 per person. Students over 65 may study free. For further information call 482-8351.

The Wedding Of The Century

The marriage of Prince Charles to Lady Diana Spencer on July 29th promises to be the most glittering and memorable wedding of the century. Heads of state and dignitaries from all parts of the world will attend the historic Royal Wedding, while the entire British nation and people around the globe watch the colorful ceremony on television.

In America, millions of well-wishers will join the celebration — and look for appropriate mementos to mark this extraordinary event and pass on to their grandchildren. Collectors and souvenir hunters are already being inundated by a blizzard of mass-produced instant memorabilia, ranging from jigsaw puzzles to cigarette lighters.

Official souvenirs with real potential to become valuable collectors' items are the special Royal Wedding postage stamps to be issued by the British Post Office and more than 20 members of the British Commonwealth to commemorate this historic occasion. Included in the omnibus series are such far-flung countries as Fiji, Mauritius, Swaziland, St. Helena, Vanuatu, and Western Samoa.

Worldwide demand for previous Royal Wedding commemoratives (at right) has made these stamps extremely scarce soon after they were issued. Those to be released July 22 for Prince Charles and Lady Diana are of particular philatelic significance because they will be the first Royal Wedding issue for a potential future King and Queen of England.

As a token of goodwill, a limited quantity of the official postcards of the Royal Wedding stamp shown above is now available at no charge in North America from the U.S. representatives of the British Post Office. A special limited-edition souvenir album, containing the British stamps for Prince Charles and Lady Diana as well as a colorful photographic history of previous



A free copy of the official postcard of a special Royal Wedding stamp being issued by the British Post Office to mark the historic marriage of Prince Charles to Lady Diana Spencer, is now available in North America.



The famous "Penny Black," the world's first stamp, was issued in 1840, the same year Queen Victoria married Prince Albert.

Stamp issued in 1948 to mark the Silver Wedding of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

Stamp issued in 1972 to mark the Silver Wedding of Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip.

Original Cost: 1 Penny
Current Value: \$5,000.00

Original Cost: 1 Pound
Current Value: \$180.00

Original Cost: 20 Pence
Current Value: \$2.25

Royal Weddings, will also be available for \$12.95.

For a free Royal Wedding postcard and/or to order the souvenir album, write: Royal Wedding, StanGib Limited,

1325 Franklin Avenue, Garden City, New York 11530. Please include an oversized stamped and self-addressed envelope to expedite processing of orders.

CAMPING ALL YEAR ROUND

BY BOB NESOFF

INSIDE CARE OF RV'S IMPORTANT
Inside maintenance of an RV after having been used for a portion of the season is just as important as maintaining the engine.

There is nothing more annoying or uncomfortable than having to walk through the run-off of a waste tank because it has leaked or overflowed.

As far as possible all hose and other fittings in any trailer or RV should be checked to insure that they have not slipped or corroded. Sometimes the corrosion works its way out from the inside and is not noticed until an actual leak has begun. But by keeping a constant eye out for such a possibility, it can be stopped about as soon as it starts.

Holding and water storage tanks should be drained and flushed every so often as a matter of course. By so doing you are insuring that there will be a proper free flow and any buildup will be halted before it becomes a major problem.

The rigid frame of most RVs also comes in for quite a beating while on the road from normal driving and bumps. It's not uncommon for screws

and fittings to come loose. A simple check with a screwdriver and pair of pliers at all fittings and screwheads may take a few minutes now but spare embarrassment later.

One of the most overlooked items in the tent camper is the tent itself. Too often it is packed away at the end of a trip and left that way until next time. Or, at the most, it is opened up once back home in order to air it out.

Airing out also gives canvas a chance to dry and thus prevent rot and mildew and also gives people a chance to check the material for slight tears or wear.

There are also spots where the canvas may be rubbing against other parts and has become

GOOD GOLF

Tips On A Low Score At A High Age

By Jay Hebert

Jay Hebert, touring pro and tournament winner for 30 years, has been commissioned by Standard Brands Incorporated to assist senior golfers by preparing these tips.

One area in which the golfer who's getting along in years can improve his game is in putting.

The basic principle of good putting is to keep the blade of the putter square to the hole. Most of the time, when a golfer fails to take the putter back square to the target, he makes the error of "breaking" his wrists. This causes him to pull the putter off the line and eventually cut the putt to the right or yank it to the left of the hole.

To correct this habit of breaking your wrists, I suggest placing the index finger of the right hand so that it extends directly down and behind the shaft.

You can't break your wrists then, and the finger also serves as a fine guide in making the stroke. This is especially helpful in improving the putting of senior golfers. It's also to be recommended to golfers of all ages who are erratic on the green.



One recent estimate is that there are 2,314,013 farms in the United States.

FACTS & FIGURES

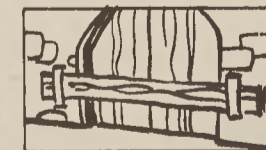
Some news for wives whose husbands smoke.

In a just-published, 20-year study of one million Americans, the American Cancer Society (ACS) could not find any significant increase in lung cancer death rates among nonsmoking women married to smokers as compared with nonsmoking women married to non-smokers.

The study, prepared by ACS's chief statistician, Lawrence Garfinkel, and published in the June issue of the *Journal of the National Cancer Institute*, contradicts a Japanese study published last January that alarmed wives of smoking husbands with the suggestion that they were being exposed to significantly higher risks of lung cancer.

Following its publication, the Japanese study was criticized by other scientists for inadequacies and inconsistencies. And, just recently, it was reported that the Japanese study contains a serious mathematical error which, according to one expert, invalidates the claim in the study of a highly statistically significant relation between the mortality of nonsmoking wives and the amount of their husband's smoking.

In the new study, the ACS analyzed mortality information for women whose husbands smoked fewer than 20 cigarettes a day and for those whose husbands smoke and those who don't.



The word "balk" comes from the Anglo-Saxon *balca*, a wooden beam, referring to the huge timbers that were used to bar doors, thus balking an enemy's onslaught.

Boiling Springs Report

RESCUE

"It's guaranteed to be good", Capt. Julius Hoyle told a hungry reporter. Hoyle was describing home-made ice cream and cakes to be sold by the Boiling Springs Life Saving and Rescue Unit this Sunday, Aug. 30. Proceeds from the sale will help finance operations of the rescue squad. The sale will be held 2 to 5 p.m. in the basement of the unit at North Main.

The squad answered 10 calls during the week, including five emergency calls and one emergency transport. The transport was to Charlotte Memorial Hospital after a one-car wreck Aug. 22 which killed one passenger and left the driver with severe head injuries.

The squad traveled a total of 428 miles and served 277 hours total.

Turn to 88.3 on your radio dial for town council next Tuesday. Radio Station WGWG will broadcast the council meeting live Sept. 1 at 7:30 p.m. on the FM band.

Dr. John Edwin Johns, the ninth president of Furman University in Greenville, South Carolina, will officially open Gardner-Webb College's academic year, as he addresses the student body during Fall Convocation on September 3 at 9:30 a.m. at Bost Gymnasium.

FIRE

22 Aug. Fire spread out of control at an East College address where a resident was burning trash and the flames turned into a grass fire. The Department had it out in 20 minutes.

21 Aug. The Department was on stand-by at The Pantry at North Main after a motorist accidentally ruptured a gas line at the convenient store's pumps about 6:30 p.m. There was no further incident.

19 Aug. A two-alarm fire at Gardner-Webb brought trucks from Boiling Springs City and Rural fire departments. The alarm sounded at 3:11 p.m.; by 3:14 trucks had answered the call at E.B. Hamrick Hall. "Another two minutes and there would have been nothing we could have done to save the building," said Chief Don McSwain. The fire was under control at 3:45 p.m.

Boiling Springs Rural answered a two-truck fire just as the View went to press Tuesday. Trash at a dump on the south bank of the Broad River at Highway 150 caught fire shortly after noon. At 12:35 p.m. the Department appeared to have the fire under control. A peaceful week passed with no calls and no arrests. The Department helped in crowd control in the Aug. 19 fire at Gardner-Webb College campus.

GOOD CITIZENSHIP

What Needs Doing - How You Can Help

STARTING YOUNG

Americans have a long tradition of responding to the needs of our younger citizens. Even in the midst of the Great Depression, when despair hung in the air, some individuals and corporations made reaching out to youngsters an important item on their agenda.

In Illinois, for instance, in 1931, the Paul Revere League was founded by Robert Buehler, then President of the Victor Adding Machine Company, which is now Victor Business Products. The playing field was covered with weeds and rubbish, a small grandstand and a baseball diamond and an old cottage. But to boys with an itch to play, it was a dream come true.

Today, having been renamed Neighborhood Boys Club (NBC), it is still serving youth. In this, the 50th anniversary of its founding, 500 to 600 youngsters each year take advantage of the club and its park — now cov-

ering a square city block. Still team oriented, the club has year-round events which include football, basketball, floor hockey, soccer and baseball. Special events throughout the year have included tournaments, toboggan trips and track meets. The club is still associated with Victor, too. That company pays the staff salaries, donates its parking lot for the club's annual fund-raising carnival, and advertises in the annual community directory of club members. In addition, Victor employees contribute time and energy to the club by working at the club and with the boys.

Among the well-known alumni of the club are Rev. Ray Baumhart, President of Loyola University, comedian and singer George Gobel, Bill "Moose" Skowron, who's played for the Yankees and the White Sox, and Johnny Groth, player for the White Sox and Detroit Tigers.

BACKGROUND ON NUCLEAR POWER

Finding Fuel — Fast

For America to become energy independent and avoid the threat of future supply interruptions, we must develop sufficient domestic energy resources to reliably and economically replace foreign energy imports. One of the most promising alternative sources is nuclear energy from breeder reactors, power plants that create more fuel than they use.

Development of any complex technology involves several stages of research and development, culminating in a demonstration of engineering and economic feasibility under near-commercial conditions. The U.S. Liquid Metal Fast Breeder Reactor (LMFBR) program is well advanced and has reached the demonstration stage.

The Fast Flux Test Facility (FFTF) located near Richland, Washington, is an integral part of the multi-phased LMFBR development program. The project is on schedule and achieved full power operation in December, 1980. Work to date has provided useful breeder component manufacture and construction experience. Future test runs are expected to provide valuable data to help assure optimized fuel costs and breeding characteristics.

As the development of the LMFBR technology has paralleled that of today's Light Water Reactor technology, a minimum of about 25 years can be expected



The Liquid Metal Fast Breeder Reactor is a power plant that creates electricity — and new fuel for itself. It could be a part of the answer to our energy problems.

before the LMFBR is commercially viable if demonstration proceeds promptly.

An extensive Department of Energy sponsored study of advanced reactor concepts, the Nonproliferation Alternative Program, recently concluded that a commercial LMFBR should be developed for commercial use in the U.S. by the year 2010. Accordingly, recent studies by the General Accounting Office concluded that a viable U.S. LMFBR program requires proceeding with the demonstration phase. The Clinch River breeder pilot plant proposed for Oak Ridge, Tennessee is

that demonstration phase.

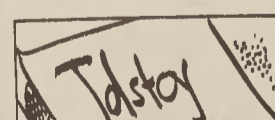
The 66 nations represented on the International Fuel Cycle Evaluation Committee (INFCE) strongly supported the rapid development of breeder reactor technology, even though the former Administration established INFCE to support its stated opposition to proceeding with LMFBR demonstration.

The U.S. LMFBR demonstration program is already late. The viability of the U.S. design must be verified by an operating power demonstration plant if the LMFBR is to be available when needed.

OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE



OLD-FASHIONED TEAMWORK — The only standard equipment on this turn-of-the-century beer buggy was the wagon, wooden wheels and a two-horsepower hitch. Back then, a case of beer held 38 bottles that were individually wrapped in newspaper for the bumpy ride along Milwaukee's unpaved streets.



Leo Tolstoy was nominated for, but never won, a Nobel Prize.

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