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## In famine's shadow

The ability of the world to feed its people, always a difficult problem, is now in more serious doubt than ever before. Last year 10 million people were added to the world's population, which compounded the problem. A "Year of a World Harvest" is planned for this week at the U.N. as well as around the world. See today's centerspread for details.



# Idaho Argonaut

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"Were it left for me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers, or newspapers without a government, I should not hesitate a moment to prefer the latter."

—Thomas Jefferson

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## You decide

Starting in January, students will be paying an extra \$5 per semester to help finance a roof for the stadium.

Whether the students wanted that fee increase or not doesn't matter now—we're stuck with it. Our concern now should be to insure maximum student use of what will become an indoor facility with a multitude of uses.

When the Board of Regents approved the stadium roof fee increase, it also granted students policy-making power on the stadium. To carry this out, a five-student stadium board is being formed.

It will set policy which may last many years into the future.

For instance, those students will decide who gets priority in using the stadium—inter-collegiate athletics, intramurals, Physical Education classes, et al.

They will make recommendations on the financial arrangements for using the new roofed building.

Most importantly, they will recommend who is hired as a manager and serve as watchdogs of the administration.

Hopefully, they will be able to insure the manager's job description provides for dismissal if his management results in a unwanted fee increase. That's something the ASUI might be in need of in other areas too.

These are the type of decisions to be made.

And you can help make them.

If you're interested in being part of the stadium board, get your application at the ASUI office in the SUB.

## Evaluate

The student evaluations of instructors should be taken seriously by all concerned.

Instructors should be sure to leave the room and to appoint a student monitor who is not, to use that old cliché, "a teacher's pet."

Students should be sure to fill out the evaluation fully—especially the comments section, since that's what helps instructors most. (And be sure to use pencil.)

The evaluations are being used by such people as department chairmen when evaluating their faculty members—it's important they be accurate.

# Make mine oily and sweet

Candy may still be dandy, but its cost may soon make it a luxury only the rich can afford.

Sugar, the prime confectionary ingredient, is now rivaling oil as the fastest rising commodity on the world price index. A five-pound bag of su-



Jack Anderson

gar cost 88 cents last year. Today, it runs nearly \$2.50.

The reasons are complex, but a large share of the price rise can be laid to unscrupulous brokers and greedy sugar refiners.

The brokers set themselves up as middlemen, contracting desperate customers and offering them sugar. Once they get an offer, they get the sugar from a supplier they have worked a deal with. The increased costs go into the broker's pocket.

Many legitimate sugar refiners are also taking advantage of the short sugar supply to raise prices well above their costs. Sugar industry profits have ballooned by as much as 500 per cent.

Of course, market pressures have played the most significant role in the price boost. Worldwide, sugar consumption has simply outpaced sugar production. The oil-rich Arab nations have helped inflate demand, bidding up prices on the international market to satisfy a newly developed sweet tooth. And poor crop forecasts around the world mean further increases in the future.

In America, sugar's outrageous price has consumers either boycotting or hoarding the product. Only dentists and nutritionists, it seems are heralding the sugar pinch. The food experts have found that sugar is the only food without nutritional value. And the dentists, of course, hope that less sugar will mean fewer cavities.

The United States is the world's greatest food producer. Unlike the oil producers, the United States has been generous with its surplus food. For 30 years, the United States almost alone has kept the impoverished from starving.

Half of the world's bulk food exports will still come from the United States. Of this, a whopping billion dollars worth of food is given away or is sold to poor countries at low cost.

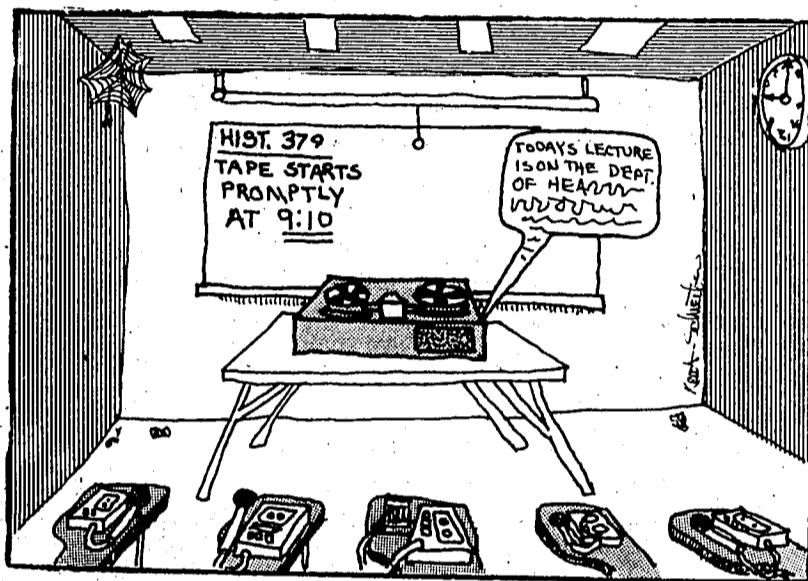
In contrast, the reckless greed of the oil sheikhs is costing lives. They have been showing up at the world's pleasure spots scattering money like autumn leaves. Meanwhile, in places like Bangladesh and India, people are being turned away from the bread lines because they have no money for food. And in Africa, millions are starving because there isn't enough food to go around.

The oil price squeeze has brought fabulous wealth to a few Arab sheikhs. It has also brought starvation to millions of impoverished people.

High oil prices increase the cost of fertilizers and insecticides, which have a petroleum base. This has reduced food production.

Yet an estimated 400 million—twice the population of the United States—don't have enough to eat.

## CAMPUS? by Keith Schreiber



# BSU makes biggest request

"Ask, and you shall receive."

But how much do you receive, in relationship to how much you ask?

This is one problem confronting both the State Board of Education, and the universities they govern.

The total requests vary widely according to the State Board's "Permanent Building Fund Requests for the Fiscal Year, 1975."

The University of Idaho has requested building and planning funds amounting to \$10,177,450.

Boise State University has requested a cool \$14,129,167. In addition building and land acquisition.

ISU on the other hand, has only requested \$7,717,000. But the Regents seem to have paid the most attention to their lower request.

The various items requested have been placed into three priorities. Included in the priorities are requests by the junior colleges, the state historical society, state school for the deaf and blind, and the Eastern Idaho Vocational-Technical School. (This new school at Idaho Falls has requested over 10 million dollars.)

The first priority consists of five-and-a-half million in requests. Almost half of that, \$2,500,000 is for additional funding for the ISU Library.

There can be little doubt, the way that project has been delayed in years past, that it's badly needed.

But the only request from the University of Idaho to make the top priority is money for a pump, pumphouse and tank for the new well the U of I is drilling.

One is never quite sure how much

David Warnick



effect the Board's requests, and order of requests will have on the release of Permanent Building Funds.

Especially when the permanent Building Fund needs to be expanded. The current revenue flow is not enough to meet the state's needs.

But, if the order of request does have any relationship to "receiving," the U of I may be in bad shape. In the First Priority, out of six items, the U of I's request is put at no. 5.

In the second priority, the U of I's requests are listed in spots 9 and 11 out of 11. The two items from the U of I in the second priority are \$2,687,500 for a Life Sciences addition, and \$988,000 to replace the deteriorating Agricultural Engineering Laboratory.

The Second Priority includes a million dollar vocational-technical building for BSU, and an addition to the liberal Arts Building on the Boise campus for the same price.

Priority Three contains the remaining requests of the various institutions lumped together by institution.

For instance, ISU's contains an additional \$2,284,000 request for the

new Library building, and a \$600,000 request to convert the present library to other uses.

The U of I's requests include those enumerated last week. The University is the only one to request specific funds for planning—which is certainly one way for notifying the Board and the Permanent Building Fund Council that at some future date, the U of I will probably request:

- an addition to the Music Building
- a building for the College of Business and Economics
- facilities for Fisheries and Wildlife
- an addition to the Industrial Education building
- facilities for the Physical Sciences.

In addition, it lists a \$15,000 fee for a landscape architect for the west part of campus. One wonders if it wouldn't be better to hire a campus planner for approximately that cost per year—and have him work on areas besides just the west wide of campus.

But probably that's not the type of request that can be made to the Permanent Building Fund Council.

At the present time, the members of that council are: Rep. Emery Hedlund (D-St. Maries), Chairman; Sen. Warren Brown (R-McCall); Murray Johnson, Boise; Vincent Mullin, Idaho Falls; and Gerald Wilson, Lewiston.

Let's hope that they look beyond the mere order of the Board's requests and consider the needs of the U of I. Although the priority division is probably fair, within the divisions, the rankings seem to be slanted against the U of I.

# If only they'd asked the right questions...

By KENTON BIRD  
of the Argonaut staff  
Phoenix

It's not every day that you sit in on a presidential press conference. And it's not every day that you'd want to, either.

President Ford's appearance last week at the national convention of the Society for Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi, didn't result in any major policy announcements or feature any sharp exchanges between Ford and newsmen.

But the press conference did provide some insight on the personality of the man who holds the nation's highest office as well as the people who cover his activities press conference.

Preliminaries began about 3:30 p.m., 2 1/2 hours before the event was scheduled to begin, when the convening journalists started lining up outside the auditorium like college students before a rock concert.

The delegates—about evenly

split between college journalists and their professional counterparts—seemed equally anxious to secure a good seats.

"I've never seen a president in person before," remarked one reporter whose name tag identified him as being from a Dallas newspaper.

We took a place in line and were jostled from both sides as people tried to squeeze closer to the door as the scheduled 5 p.m. opening drew nearer.

But the waves of people trickled rather than flooded into the conference room when the doors finally opened as three Secret Service agents checked the credentials of all the journalists as they entered. (Apparently they weren't worrying about suspicious-looking characters as long as they were accredited.)

After all had entered, the doors were closed and the room sealed off for the hour until Ford would appear.

There was a vacant seat next to mine, which was about 75 feet from the podium at the far right of the room. Within minutes a "planted" Secret Service agent strode up and sat down beside me.

He didn't identify himself as such—"I'm from the Phoenix press," he said when asked—but his conservatively cut suit, the bulge under his arm from a shoulder holster and a small button with a "G" on it on his jacket pocket betrayed him.

The agent calmly but intently studied the crowd of about 1,000 for any suspicious activity. He evidently didn't find any and remained in his seat for the rest of the evening.

As 6 p.m. approached, the audience began straining to catch a glimpse of activities near the door to the right of the rostrum, where it was believed Ford would enter.

First, a few false alarms—Sen. Barry Goldwater

and House Republican leader John Rhodes, both Arizonans, and Eugene C. Pulliam, the elderly publisher of Phoenix's two newspapers.

Then, without any apparent cues, the familiar introduction: "Ladies and gentlemen, the President of the United States."

And without so much as a "Hail to the Chief," Ford emerged and strode briskly to the stage while the journalists—all of whom seemed to have cameras—stretched and leaned for better camera angles.

Ford launched confidently into a 10-minute prepared statement in which he criticized Congress for failing to act on his nomination of Nelson Rockefeller as vice president.

He also elaborated briefly on a subject of interest to this particular audience—his veto of several amendments to the Freedom of Information act.

After Ford's remarks, the session was opened up to questions—but not opened up in the literal sense of the word. Questioning was limited to about 20 members of the Washington press corps, approximately five Phoenix newsmen, and 12 delegates to the convention.

The 12 SPJ/SDX members had been selected on a regional basis by a drawing earlier in the day from the names of all those who wished to participate. A Spokane Daily Chronicle reporter was drawn from the Pacific Northwest.

But here's where the journalists didn't live up to their potential. If solving of the nation's problems is dependent on the skills of the American press, we could be in trouble.

Nicholas von Hoffman, a columnist for the Washington Post, called the reporters who asked the questions "incompetent." And he was right.

"The only thing worse than

the answers were the questions," von Hoffman said the next day. Speaking in a panel discussion on the professional ethics, he commented: "You should worry less about bribes and worry more about what's in your heads."

It's clear that the reporters missed the boat on one key question: Ford's campaign plans for 1976.

Last Friday, the day after his Phoenix press conference, Ford announced that he definitely will run for a full term in the White House in 1976. An aide said Ford was ready to make the announcement the previous night in Phoenix—except that no one asked.

At the news conference, Ford made every effort to sound like a man with an eye on 1976.

For example, he declared: "We are going to solve the inflation. We are going to strengthen the economy, and Watergate is ended. This administration had no connection with it, so we are going to be strong come 1976."

Later, in a response on philosophy for the Republican party, Ford said: "I think that is what we ought to do as Republicans in 1976."

Instead of asking the obvious, however, the reporters were more concerned with making a good impression on national TV than pinning down Ford on crucial issues.

The newsmen and women, for the most part, asked general questions—and Ford responded in generalities. We didn't really learn anything about the man that we didn't know before.

A presidential press conference provides a rare opportunity for a direct interchange of ideas between the president and the people (represented by the media). It's too bad the cream of the nation's journalists didn't take advantage of the opportunity they had.

## For the want of a towel

To the editor:

Today I found out that I have the privilege of attending a "drip dry university." I don't play football, basketball, tennis, volleyball—or any other sport—on an organized university team.

I do enjoy working out at the gym a few days a week, playing basketball, paddleball, etc. On several occasions I've been more than a little disgusted to discover that the time I had chosen to stop my work-out and take a shower had coincided with the time chosen by the "Towelgiver" for his post. I had taken one set of gym clothes home for a wash and had negligently allowed the gym towel issued to me to be included in the wash bundle.

Simple solution! At both of the other universities I have attended a validated activity card could be left with the gym equipment disperser in exchange for gym clothes and a towel—I was even allowed the same service for a guest! Why shouldn't that work here? I made the offer of my card.

The Giver said "No!" "You must have a locker and turn in a dirty towel before you can be issued a clean one."

"But," I countered, "I have a locker, I simply left my towel home. I merely want to temporarily trade my activity card for a towel. I should think the money allocated to the athletic fund from my fees would entitle me to that!"

"Your payment of fees has nothing to do with this," said the Giver. "You can have a towel for

\$2.00."

"I don't have any money with me," I said.

"That's okay," replied the Giver, "I can take your name and student number and the university will bill you for the towel."

Amazing!!!!

Admittedly, the athletic facilities here will be vastly improved upon completion of the stadium roof—at least then we'll all have room to streak around until we drip dry.

However, since I'll be gone when that grand edifice is completed, and since the towel problem has been with me since coming to the University of Idaho, I would appreciate a response from the athletic director to the following questions:

1. Why can't a valid activity card be used to get a towel? (It's good enough to check out a basketball!)

2. If the job of issuing towels is too much for the Giver to handle by himself, what would prohibit an athlete, who is here on a scholarship, from helping with the task? Alternatively, the chore could be offered to any student as a part time job.

It seems to me, that any student (not just the jocks who are here to play for the school) should be able to use the gym facilities any time they are open—and that should include the no-hassle use of a towel.

Still steaming, but not from the sauna—my activity card is not absorbent.

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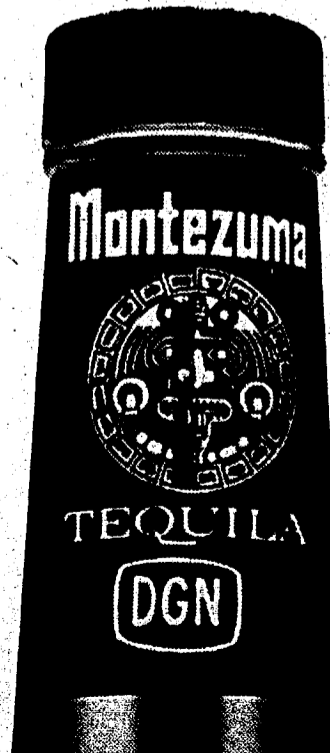
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# Exploring the audiology lab

By CAROLYN HARADA  
of the Argonaut Staff

The audiologist lab located on the first floor of the education building was built with the anticipation that an audiologist would be on staff, guessed Arthur Iriarte, Assistant Professor Chairman to the Special Education Department.

"At present we don't have anyone on staff who is a speech and hearing expert. When the Special Education Program began in 1965, it was through funding from the Bureau of the Education of the Handicapped, which specifically urged the development of programs to train people to work with the mentally retarded," stated Iriarte.

Iriarte mentioned that an audiologist, speech and hearing expert, was hired, but after accepting the job, he turned it down a week later. So then, the program was left in the air at semester.

The Bureau may have put the lab in this building with the possibility of a cooperative venture with Washington State University in mind. This is how the facility is presently being used.

Students from WSU come to the U of I to do practicum work testing children in the area of speech and hearing. The U of I arranged with the Communication Disorders Department (CDD) at WSU

to have WSU students and a supervisory faculty member, Dr. R. Potter, Director of CDD at WSU, to test preschool children in the Education Building on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The advantage of measurements over tuning fork, whispering, and watch tick examination is that intensity, exact frequency, and quality of pure tones can be controlled with the end result that measurements on persons by different audiometrists using different audiometers are comparable.

The audiology lab is used specifically to test depths and degrees of hearing and speech by the intensity of beeps produced by the audiometer. The audiologist tests one ear at a time, said Iriarte.

Audiologists use an audiometer that gives an audiogram. This graph shows the frequencies that a person can hear which determines normal hearing or loss, clarified Iriarte.

Audiograms can also assist in identifying the type of diseases connected with hearing.

The Beltone 15-C is a two-channel, pure tone and speech clinical audiometer. It is adaptable to single or two-room arrangements. Tests may be performed using earphones, bone vibrator, or loud speaker in a sound (free) field. The audiometer is a precise electronic instrument with accessories and receivers such as microphones, monitor phone, right and left receivers with headband, bone vibrator and headband, and a patient's signal cord and switch.

Testing is usually done in a good acoustical environment. The two-sided soundless lab looks much like a safe or "meat locker" with a window between the adjoining walls. Testing is usually done through the use of earphones or bone testing where a bone vibrator is placed behind the ear. This bone conduction audiometry measures the degree of sensori-neural impairment, conveyed Iriarte.

There is no "standardized" method for establishing threshold. Threshold refers to the lowest intensity level at which a person responds approximately 50 per cent of the time. Threshold is measured by progressively increasing the intensity of the stimulus to the point of first response. Once the formal test begins, the stimuli are always begun below

audibility and raised in level until the point is reached where the tone is first perceived. Various methods for determining threshold for pure tone are usually ascending, descending, or combined ascending-descending.

Two methods used for signaling when the stimulus is perceived includes the person raising his finger, hand, or presses a button (which lights on the audiometer) or the person raises his finger, or hand on the side where he perceives the tone, added Iriarte.

Speech audiometry can be used to find out the ability of a person to communicate. Speech Reception Threshold test (SRT) using spondee words and the Discrimination tests (Dt) using phonetically balanced word lists are considered

standard and universally-used methods.

SRT is performed at the lowest level a person can identify words and repeat them correctly 50 per cent of the time, while the Dt is performed at a level which can be easily heard. The Dt is interested in the subject's ability to discriminate between various sounds in language when they are loud enough to hear easily. The SRT is presented by live voice, with the use of a microphone and the tester's own voice, or recorded tape. An advantage of using a recorded tape is that each test is presented exactly the same way from person to person. The results can be compared. With live voices, variations between levels can reduce the validity and reliability to some degree, even though precautions are taken.

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# Famine is knocking on the door

## What did you eat for dinner?



A nationwide "Fast for a World Harvest" on Thursday invites well-fed Americans to share the hunger that is the daily experience of one billion of the earth's people. The money saved by going hungry for one day will help small farmers in Asia, Africa and Latin America grow more food in areas where most of these people live. Kurt Waldheim, Secretary General of the United Nations, says: "Fast for a World Harvest", sponsored by Oxfam-America, is a

welcome example of how individuals have a chance to join together in creating greater awareness of alarming global food shortages and in sharing their resources with those in greater need."

"Fast for a World Harvest" will be nationally observed by colleges, churches, high schools, community organizations and individuals who feel that a more equitable distribution of the world's resources is needed. Con-

tributions will be used for development programs such as water storage, better seeds, and improved livestock management.

The Fast will also direct national attention to the critical global food shortage. Drought, floods, and fertilizer shortages have reduced farm yields in many parts of the world. Increasing population in the developing countries and dietary changes in affluent nations are compounding food

shortages. The average American now requires almost a ton of grain a year (much of it to feed animals for meat), while the average Bengali is lucky to receive the equivalent of a pound of grain a day. Implications for the future are particularly grim for children, whose growth and mental development are seriously and permanently impaired by malnutrition.

Coffee, tea, fruit juice, broth may be taken.

## What Idaho is doing

Student religious groups at the University of Idaho are calling for campus-wide participation in the national "Fast for a World Harvest" on Thursday, Nov. 21.

Campus groups include the Campus Christian Center, the Latter Day Saints Institute and St. Augustine's Center as well as non-Christian denominations, according to Dr. Stan Thomas, affiliate professor of religious studies.

"Nationally the day of fasting is being sponsored by Oxfam-America, a group that has aided the sub-Sahara drought area last year and now is concerned with worldwide famine," Thomas said.

He explained that well-fed Americans are being asked to fast for 24 hours and share the money saved by going hungry for a day with the small farmers of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

The major event of the "Fast for a World Harvest" observance on the U of I campus will be an interreligious service presented by students at 7 p.m. Thursday in the SUB. The service is open to the public.

Individuals may bring their offerings to the service or may send them to the Campus Christian Center, according to Thomas, who said the money would go to Oxfam-America for its agricultural development programs and to Wallace Village for Handicapped Children, a Sigma Chi fraternity project located in Colorado.

"Individuals may specify which project is to receive their contribution," said Thomas.

Co-chairmen for the observance are Robert Gordon, senior pre-physical therapy major from Boise and member of Sigma Chi fraternity, and Robert D. Lassen, senior political science major from Twin Falls.

Individual sponsors of the national project include William F. Buckley Jr., Lester Brown, Rep. Robert F. Drinan, Hubert F. Humphrey, Mike Mansfield, Gloria Steinam and Margaret Mead.

Oxfam-America, which originated in England after World War II, retains a small, modestly paid staff in this country for project determination. It is a non-profit, tax exempt

charitable organization. In announcing the "Fast for a World Harvest, Nov. 21" Oxfam says: "Harvest time, a season for rejoicing in every culture, will generate little celebration this year. In the drought zones of Sub-Sahara Africa; in Bangladesh, where floods wiped out the fall rice crop; in India, where the promise of the 'green revolution' has been stalled by shortages of fertilizer and failure of the monsoons, this year's harvest will not feed the people. Hunger has become the daily preoccupation for one billion people.

"Last spring, some 400 colleges took part in the 'Fast to Save a People,' which was sponsored by OxfamAmerica. The income from this successful event is now being channeled into relief and development programs in the drought zone of Sahelian Africa. Such long-term development projects are, of course, only a first step in the continuing effort needed to reverse the effects of the devastating advance of the Sahara and to assure the resettlement of refugees in viable communities.



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## Half a billion are malnourished

Half a billion people living in a wide tropical band circling the earth are chronically malnourished (map). Half of these are children, whose growth and mental development are being permanently affected. In sub-Saharan Africa alone, 10 million people face famine and the diseases which accompany it. But the food scarcity of today may be only a window into the anguish of tomorrow.

Why? Some 70 million additional people are sitting down to the world's dining table each year. At the same time, Americans and others in the affluent nations have switched their diet from bread or rice to meat. While the average Indian or Mexican is lucky to receive the equivalent of a pound of grain a day, the average American requires nearly a ton of grain a year—much of which feeds the animals which provide him with meat.

The promise of the Green Revolution's "miracle" strains of

wheat and rice has been slowed by shortages of the fertilizer and water required by these new varieties. Rising gas prices have stalled the ability of poor farmers to pump water for irrigation.

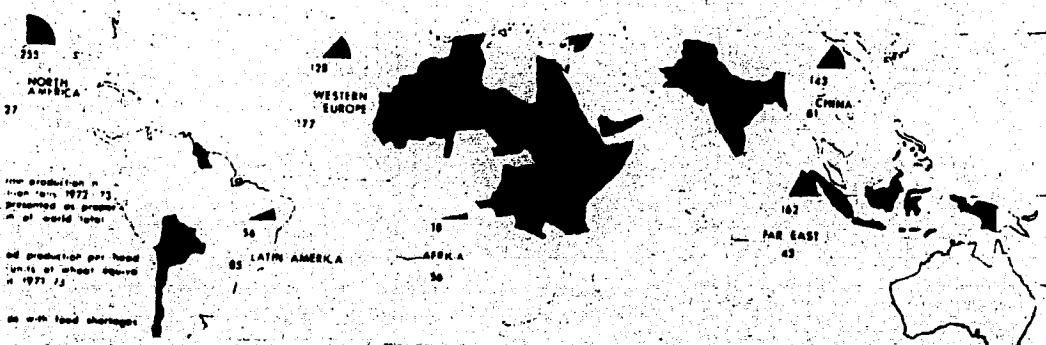
The vagaries of weather—always a question to farmers

everywhere—have been so severe in recent years that scientists suggest that the world's climate may be changing.

More ominous still, the world's surplus of food has reached its lowest level in post-war years. Only a decade ago,

reserves amounted to 95 days of world food consumption. Now reserves are down to 27 days and declining by ten million tons a year while the world demand for food is increasing by 30 million tons a year, mainly because of the increasing population.

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A 163 pound preacher's son from Caldwell has just about wrapped up most of the individual honors this football season in the Big Sky Conference.

Quarterback Jim McMillan of Boise State Monday was named the league's offensive player of the week. It was the third time the senior passer has captured the honor this year en route to rewriting the league record books.

McMillan rates as the best small college passer in the nation and also leads in total offense. So when he uncranked his arm in Saturday's 56-42 BSU victory over Montana, it was almost a "ho-hum" performance.

McMillan merely tossed six touchdown passes and completed 25 of 43 tosses for 403 yards. He also ran for 15 more yards and a seventh touchdown.

His six TD passes tied a record, as did halfback John Smith's four touchdown pass receptions. McMillan now has tossed a record 29 touchdown passes in nine games with a final regular season game left against Idaho.

Others receiving honorable mention for offensive play last weekend were Idaho State

guard John Roman; Weber State fullback Chad Drecksel; Steve Dionas of Montana and Mark Fredback of Idaho.

Others were Collie Mack, Idaho wide receiver and Steve Duncanson, Idaho tight end.

Boise State has wrapped up its second straight crown and most of the team titles. The Broncos now have won 11 straight league games, a record.

The Broncos lead the league in total offense with 510 yards per game and in passing with 335 yards per game. Both figures also lead the nation's small colleges, as does Boise's 43.8 scoring average.

BSU also leads in total defense although Idaho's 79 yard average leads pass defense and Montana State has the best rushing offense, 270 yards per game.

MSU's Steve Kracher apparently has wrapped up the rushing crown with 1,034 yards. Second place J.C. Chadband of Idaho is averaging 75.4 yards but missed last week's game with a hip injury.

BSU wide receiver Mike Holton leads pass catchers with 94 yards per game and 53 catches. Smith of BSU has scored 102 points to lead scorers and also has a 13 game scoring streak going.



## Women's field hockey; not all fun and games

By TIMOTHY McDERMOTT

What can you say about a bunch of women running up and down a field hitting a leather ball with hockey sticks. According to Janice Onuska, the trim and fit coach of the University's field hockey team, "It's great fun."

The game is very similar to soccer in that the idea is to get the leather ball into the opponents net. But Onuska warns "It's not that easy! If a team gets three or four goals in a game it's considered a rout."

The playing field is 100 yards long and 60 yards wide—just slightly larger than a football field. Each team consists of eleven players: one goalie, five offensive players and five defensive players. The game is 70 minutes long, two halves of 35 minutes each. There are no timeouts and substitutions are only allowed if a player is injured. Onuska emphasized "you really have to be in good

shape to play this game. We spend a lot of our practice time in conditioning."

The teams record is 4-4-2, "which is pretty good considering that this is the first year that we have competed in the 'A' class," Onuska said.

For the past three seasons the team competed in the less challenging "B" class. Onuska first learned the game in England and has coached it before. She is very pleased with the teams performance this year saying, "I feel that we are working very well as a team."

Only three of the top 11 players are seniors which is encouraging as far as next season is concerned. Onuska declined to name the top scorers on the team emphasizing that "field hockey is totally a team sport; when we score and win, everybody is involved."

The major problem facing the team is lack of competition. Onuska noted that "Not enough girls are playing the game. WSU and the U of I

are the only teams within a 200 mile radius" However, many high schools are adopting the game which could mean that more universities will bring the game into their athletic programs.

Onuska feels that Title 9, the bill in congress that calls for equal athletic funding regardless of sex, will be a tremendous boost for the women's programs.

"Now that we have all our equipment, we'd like to travel a little more," she said. Many universities are afraid that if the bill is passed it will ruin the men's programs which already are suffering financially. Onuska says "All we're looking for is an opportunity to be a little more equal, not completely equal!" Whatever the outcome, field hockey is here to stay at the University of Idaho. The team will compete in the Northwest District tournament this weekend at Central Washington State College in Ellensburg. This will be the last weekend of competition for the team.

### Hockey team battles to tie

The U of I women's field hockey team faced tough Central Washington last Saturday and managed to hold their opponents to a 0-0 tie in their match at WSU. The game was tight from beginning to end and the U of I team was pleased with the tying performance.

Northwest Tournament, coming up this weekend in Ellensburg.

At the tournament, the U of I team is slated to play the University of Washington, Oregon College of Education, Willamette University, and Skagit Valley J.C.

The team has steadily improved throughout the season, and Coach Jan Onuska feels their tournament hopes are bright.

This brings the overall season record for the team to 4-4-2, with the season finale, the

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# Big Vandal second half effort falls six short

By KEVIN KELLEHER  
of the Argonaut Staff

The Idaho football Vandals put on an impressive showing in the second half of a inter-conference clash with the Huskies of Northern Illinois, but came up on the short end of the score 27-21. The Vandals were down by 20 points in the first stanza, but fought back to within 35 yards of the go ahead points, with only minutes remaining, before fate finally took its toll.

The Vandals played poor football the first half. The defense was porous and a couple key breakdowns put points on the score board for the Huskies. Idaho punter Steve Tanner had an attempted kick blocked, and on the next play, the Huskie fullback burst over from the Idaho two yard line for the initial NIU score.

Idaho's defense was ripped

for three other scores by the Huskie offense in the first half. Running out of a power "I" the Huskies scored all their points on the run. Big plays by both the Huskie offense and defense damaged the Vandal game plan. It was labeled a game between the opposing fullbacks, but it soon became apparent that the Vandals would have to pull something out of their squad that would put the Vandals back in the contest.

Comstock engineered the first Vandal scoring drive, and that didn't come until the end of the first quarter. Late in the second quarter Comstock re-injured his shoulder and was replaced by the now labeled "Craig Morton" of the Idaho football Vandals, senior Dennis Ballock.

The Idaho offense, playing without the services of Chadband, banded together in the second half under the auspices

of Ballock, Fredback, and the little "Nashville Express" Monty Nash. The little "Nashville Express" only saw limited action previously this season, but in far away DeKalb he played an integral role in the Vandal onslaughts of the second half. He rushed 13 times for 68 yards and one touchdown. On the same note, senior Mark Fredback had another resounding afternoon, picking up his fourth 100 yard game.

It took the cool of Ballock coupled with the determine revival of the defensive corps to get the Vandals back into a ball game that was an embarrassment the first half. They never rolled over.

Ballock took the Vandals 61 yards in the first series he entertained and Nash popped through from six yards out. Later, Ballock tossed a scoring pass to Duncanson, on a fourth down situation that resulted in a 14 yard touchdown strike. Tanner put through the conversion point, and the Vandals were down by six. A touchdown and conversion point would give them the game, but those points of speculation would elude a hard fighting, almost desperate Vandal football squad.

The Vandal defense made a gallant goal line stand against a hard charging Huskie team. Ballock drove the team down the field, and it looked as though the Vandals were not to be denied. Fate entangled the Idaho Vandals when Ballock dropped back to pass, received heavy pressure and tried to pass to Monty Nash. Nash tried to haul in the pass at the twenty, but it slipped from his grasp and fell dead to the turf on a fourth down play. The Vandals got the ball back again, but it was a desperation situation and conformity was absent from the now delirious Vandals. It was over, and interception of a desperation bomb fused the victory for the NIU Huskies.

## Plunders and Blunders

kevin kelleher

### Time has come today

Women have long been an abject twice removed portion of society, as far as sport and intercollegiate competition are concerned. Time has come today, in this new decade, that organized competition such as the N.C.A.A. and A.A.U. are beginning to recognize the value of non-sexist competition, especially on the intercollegiate level.

More importantly, women are also making their niche in professional athletics. Bear witness to the resounding victory of Billy Jean King over the chauvinistic male image implanted by one Bobby Riggs. It is an image that many American people envision of women athletics. Billy Jean King is probably the greatest thing that ever happened to women involved in athletics. She breached a bridge over a chauvinistic attitude relating to organized sport in America, and quite frankly it's about time.

The University of Idaho highlights one of the finest intercollegiate programs for women athletes in the United States. Competition includes field hockey, swimming, volleyball, basketball and others. Moreover, Idaho has an excellently trained and well qualified coaching staff, coupled with the excellent WHEB facility.

Students at Idaho ought to support these teams with as much vigor as any other intercollegiate clash. They have only made a niche in athletics thus far, but that niche would become a bite.

### Burning bridges

The Idaho football Vandals dropped a close game to the Huskies of Northern Illinois this past Saturday 27-21. Although it marks yet another frustrating defeat for the '74 Vandal squad, the entire bridge is not afire.

Troxel proved that he has considerable depth in his running game. Rob Dean and Monty Nash put on an impressive showing. It was a losing cause, but there were bright spots.

It almost seemed as though Troxel was keeping some of his former talent out of the ball game in order to get at some fellows who had yet to see any affirmative play-save spring drills. The game uncovered some future talent as well as saving others for next Saturday's encounter with Boise State.

A strange aspect of the Vandal attack is senior-quarterback Dennis Ballock. Dubbed the 'Craig Morton' of the Idaho football Vandals, it seems as though he is always called upon to bail the Vandals out of desperate predicaments. Like his counterpart, formerly of the Dallas Cowboys and now stationed with the New York football Giants, he is called upon when the number one quarterback loses the fire of the offense. It happened a lot in Dallas the past few years, and fortunately it shouldn't happen again next year. Good luck Dennis, 'Craig Morton' Ballock! The bridges continue to burn, but you always seem to make it across.

### Appointment in Boise

The game of the year, for the Vandals, will be played next Saturday in Bronco Stadium, Boise. Everybody has been looking forward to this game since the inception of the '74 football season.

The Vandals have had a frustrating season, but not a disappointing one. The team has dropped some games that could have gone either way, it's a young determined group, and they rally around their coach, and if I might say, gentleman Ed Troxel. Good luck down South!

## Women fare well at WSU Volleyball tournament

The U of I women's volleyball team took the bull by the horns over the weekend and came out remarkably well. The team entered the "A" division of the WSU Invitational Round Robin tournament meeting some excellent competition from throughout the Northwest.

The Idaho team defeated Montana Friday night 15-10, 15-10. The team came back Saturday to play five matches and defeated Whitworth College 15-2, 15-9, and came close but lost to a strong Central Washington team 16-14, 8-15, 10-15.

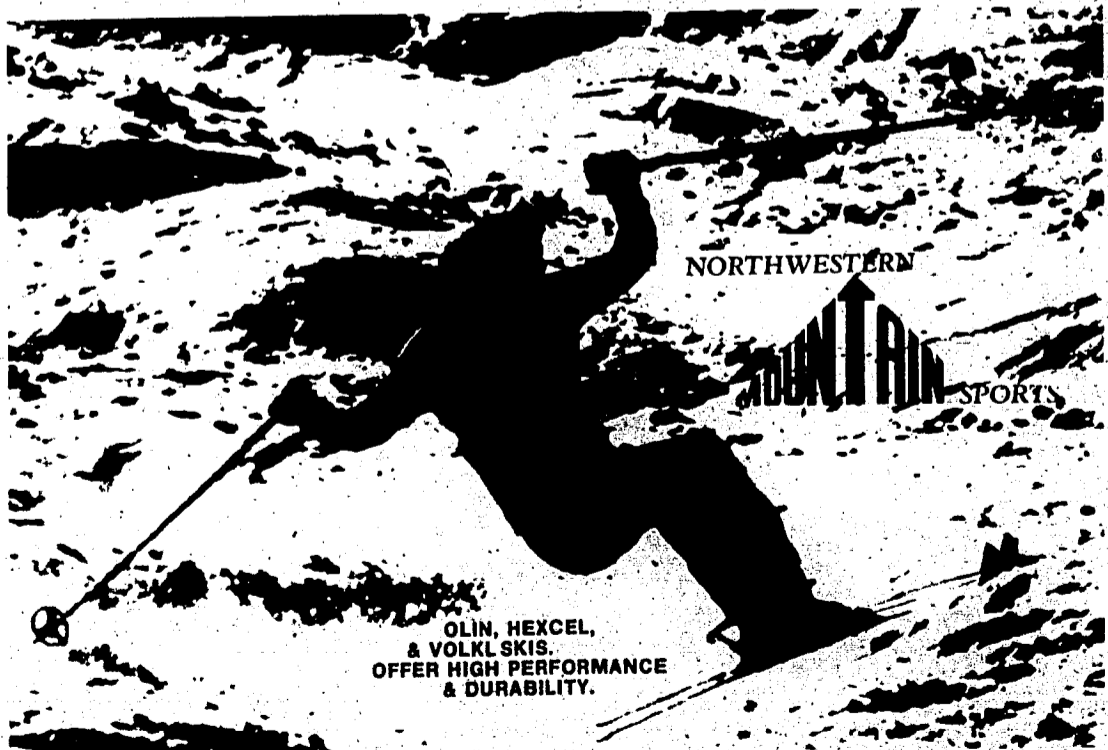
They also beat Eastern Washington 15-6, 15-5, and in one of their best games of the season, the U of I women defeated the WSU "A" team in a hard fought match with scores of 15-13, 10-15, 16-14. The

women's team lost their final match to Western Washington 4-15, 15-12, 10-15.

The only two matches the women lost were to the two teams which tied for first place honors with an overall 5-1 record for the tourney, Central Wash. and Western Wash. The U of I team tied for third with WSU having identical 4-2 records.

There were eight teams in the tourney and the U of I team played consistently well to come out among the top teams overall.

The last home game will be here in the WHEB Gym at 4:30 p.m. this Friday against Eastern Washington. The team then ends its season by traveling to Willamette University for the Northwest B tournament the first weekend in December.



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# Demand for engineers high in job placement

Employment for college graduates is on the upswing, and prospects are for continued improvement, according to Sidney Miller, director of the University Placement Center.

Nationally, Miller said, in spite of the sluggish economy, hiring of college graduates in most fields is improving. Experience at the Placement Center indicates, according to Miller, maintenance of a reasonably high grade point average and the ability to relocate are more important factors in determining whether or not a graduate will be employed rather than the field the student is majoring in.

Of all major subjects offered at the University, according to Miller, the most employable are engineers. Within engineering, chemical engineers are in greatest demand. Mechanical, electrical, civil and agricultural engineers are also in demand, he added.

Accountants, Miller said, run second to engineers in number employed after graduation. Other highly employable fields, according to Miller, include positions within the food industry and general business administration.

The news media, in picturing persons with degrees in education as unemployable is "all

wet," according to Miller. "A person who wants to teach, and is able to go where the work is, and is willing to do the work necessary, will be able to find a job," he said.

The general public has a tendency to stereotype persons with a degree in a certain field as only being employable in that field, he said. Businesses have no such tendency, Miller added, and are looking for "educated people to fill jobs," rather than persons with a narrow field of knowledge.

Miller said that in all fields, graduates must be willing "to go where the jobs are." Civil and chemical engineers, for example, he said, must be willing to go to urban areas where per-

sons in their field are needed. The same holds true, he said, for most graduates in business administration.

Most business, and some engineering graduates go into management training programs with large companies, Miller said. Morrisen and Knudsen company of Boise provides such programs for engineering graduates who show "good management potential," he said.

Most companies, Miller said, "aren't that uptight about whether a student has a BA or a BS degree." Usually they see it only as a difference in the amount of study a person has done in a foreign language, he added.

## Miners could reject new compromise

Some United Mine Workers officials indicated Monday that ratification of coal industry contract and an early end to the miners' week old strike are not as certain as predicted by union President Arnold Miller.

"I want our miners...to know that I'm not for it," said District 31 President Lawrence "June" Floyd of Fairmont, W.Va. "I'm sure we'll turn it down."

The UMW's 120,000 members who mine bituminous coal for steel mills and power plants went on strike one week ago Tuesday at the expiration of their three year contract with the Bituminous Coal Operators Association.

A tentative agreement was reached last week and Miller said Wednesday that he anticipated no trouble in winning rank and file acceptance. He predicted the strike would be limited to two weeks.

Union officials had estimated that ratification of the pact, first by the 38 member Bargaining Council and then the membership, would take 10 days to two weeks. The procedure has been delayed by the death of Bargaining Council member Sam Littlefield, shot in a holdup in Washington last week.

The council recessed Friday and is not to meet again until Tuesday afternoon.

Floyd and other members of the Bargaining Council, were in Bessemer, Ala., on Monday for Littlefield's funeral.

Nick Halamandaris, an officer of District 15 which covers Western states, said at Bessemer that he believed the Bargaining Council should complete its work on the contract by Thursday, "but there is no guarantee of that."

## Girl busts into show biz

Stripper Ann Marie says she's making a bundle capitalizing on man's obsession with a woman's bust. "I was in college when I realized that I had a gold mine," says the 21 year old stripper whose talent measures 67-25-36.

Touring the nation as "Little Annie," the 5 foot 5, 150 pound blonde currently headlines a go go club's show in this Gulf Coast city, drawing up to \$3,500 a week in salary.

"People come wondering what they'll see," says the candid Miss Marie. "I strip simply because if I didn't people would say I'm stuffed."

In her nightly show, Miss Marie proves her doubters wrong. After her act, in which she coyly struts the stage with a mechanical dog perched atop her chest, she holds question and answer sessions with amazed customers.

But the Chicago resident, who began her peekaboo career after dropping out of the University of Illinois, says she gets no kicks from stripping.

"I like to think of my act as comedy," she says. "I got it and it's all natural-no silicone- so I use it."

The daughter of Polish immigrants, Miss Marie says, "I come from a big busted family. I measured 42 inches by the time I was 14."

While her figure more than fills the requirements of her profession, Miss Marie displays a head for business.

"The money is good. I'll be able to retire in a couple of years," she says. "While the others are out spending it on Cadillacs and furs, I'm saving mine to invest in something that will make money for me long term."

After retirement, Miss Marie says she hopes to purchase a farm.

"Maybe I want a farm subconsciously," she says, "to get away from being stared at."

## Greyhound bus line workers go on strike

Some 16,000 bus drivers and other employees of Greyhound Bus Lines struck the nation wide system Monday after 48 hours of around the clock negotiations between the company and the Amalgamated Transit Union failed to produce a new contract, Greyhound President James L. Kerrigan said.

The original contract with the nation's largest bus line expired at 2 p.m. EST.

"We believe the interruption of Greyhound service is unfortunate and unnecessary," Kerrigan said.

"We regret any inconvenience caused to our passengers and will do everything possible to assist them in making alternate plans during the strike."

The negotiations began Sept. 16, broke off at one point, then resumed Saturday and went

almost continuously until Monday's deadline. The old contract expired Oct. 31, but was extended until Monday.

Greyhound's Eastern and Western U.S. divisions were merged June 1, creating for the first time a single contract for the company's bus workers.

At the start of negotiations, held in Phoenix where Greyhound has its national headquarters, the union demanded an across the board pay raise of 60 cents an hour, said William H. Brummit, president of the ATU local here. Bus drivers also sought a one cent per mile increase, he said.

The old contract provided an average wage of \$5.76 an hour or 21.8 cents a mile, whichever was greater. Wages and working conditions for clerks, janitors, office managers, mechanics, operators and office workers vary from region to region, he said.

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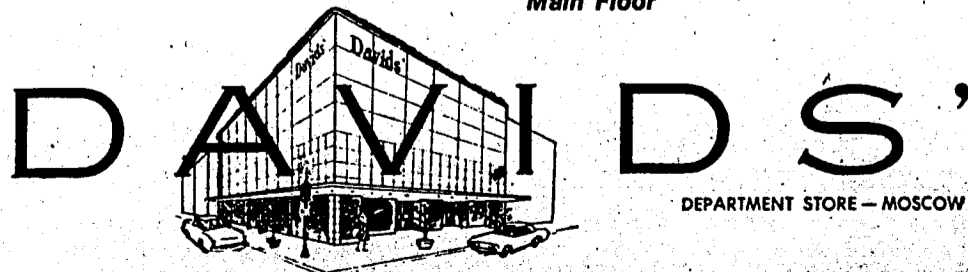


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# Soccer team maintains perfect record at home

The U of I soccer team defeated the University of Montana 2-1 in front of an excited home crowd Saturday in the new Idaho Stadium.

The game began with a stalemate of ball exchanging around mid-field, with both teams having trouble keeping their footing on the wet synthetic turf. Idaho took the initial advantage when Oyviad Lorentzen took a pass avoided the Montana defense and struck with a slick kick to the near post. The baffled Montana goalie had no opportunity for a save.

Idaho's 1-0 lead was held in tact by both a rugged defense and a stingy goalie who consistently blocked corner kicks and shots. Nicos Rossides took advantage of a break and caught the Montana defense out of position and kicked Idaho to a 2-0 lead.

The game then got out of control in a mid-field war of control with both teams going for the big marbles with long passes and rifling kicks. Early in the second half Idaho's defense slipped letting a Montana kick sail to the far wing who booted in the net the only Montana goal of the afternoon.

The game became a tight battle, but a stingy defense and some excellent ball control pulled Idaho through at the final tweet of the whistle.

Coach Rossides said after the game, "Idaho adapted from the beginning defensive tactics intended to draw Montana off their goal. Then through counterattacks, we tried to tilt the game in our favor."

"The tactics worked," Rossides said, "We caught Montana off-guard several times in the first half, scoring twice and barely missing on two other occasions."

Idaho maintains and increases its record of being unbeaten at home in two years. Lorentzen, who scored Idaho's first goal said, "It was an interesting game despite the cold weather."



## Idaho Supreme Court acts

BOISE

For the second time, the Idaho Supreme Court has upheld the first degree arson conviction of Patricia Swenor of Post Falls.

The court, in a decision announced Monday, declined to change its earlier ruling that the

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woman's conviction was proper. Mrs. Swenor was charged with burning down a house near Post Falls.

Justice Joseph J. McFadden wrote a decision adhering to the court's ruling in the woman's first appeal.

In another case, the court reversed a 6th District Court decision and sent it back for trial.

The case involved a personal injury lawsuit filed by Chris M. and Lorraine Fairchild of Pocatello. Defendants were

John G. Olsen and his employer, the city of Pocatello.

Sixth District Judge Gus Carr Anderson granted summary judgement in favor of the city but the high court said there were disputed factual questions on comparative negligence which must be resolved.

The high court also reversed a district court ruling in a Nez Perce estate dispute. The ruling said since the deceased did not live in Idaho and had no property in the state, the district court erred by allowing the estate to be probated.

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# Events

## Argonaut

●The National Association for the Education of Young Children will meet tonight at 7:30, in room 3 at Lena Whitmore school. The group will be discussing how special education is working in the school.

●The FCC examination for third class licenses will be given at 7 p.m. Thursday at UCC 113. Persons who have turned their applications into Cecil Bondurant at the radio-TV center are eligible to take the test.

●Sigma Delta Chi, the society for professional journalists, has scheduled two meetings for this week. Members will receive selling assignments for advertising at a meeting at noon today.

Sherry Jacobsen and Kenton Bird, U of I delegates to the society's national convention in Phoenix last week, will report on their trip at 7 p.m. Thursday. A business session will follow. Both meetings will be in the SUB.

●There will be an Argonaut staff meeting at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Argonaut office to discuss plans for the rest of the semester.

●Chess Tournament Saturday and Sunday in the Blue room of the SUB, registration is from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m. Saturday. Three rounds Saturday and one or two on Sunday. Prizes to the first and second and top score rated below 1551, top four UI students, faculty, or staff qualify for UI championship in February open to all, entry fee is \$2.50.

●A charter bus will be running to Idaho Falls and return for the Christmas vacation. Information in Program office, SUB.

●There will be a ballroom dance session tonight in WHEB. Beginning lessons are from 7 to 7:30 and everyone's welcome from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

●Square dancing this Wednesday night in the WHEB. Beginning lessons are from 7 to 7:30 and everyone's welcome from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

●Homosexuality and the church will be the subject of a film presented at the Gay People's Alliance meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the K-House (next to the Bookie) on the WSU campus, straight—bi or gay—you are welcome.

●Turkey shoot Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the men's gym armory. Cost 50 cents. Sponsored by U of I Naval ROTC pistol team. Everybody welcome.

●Pullman Duplicate Bridge Club meets today and Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at N.S. 1230 Nye Street. U of I students and faculty welcome. Partners provided if needed.

●Alpha Phi Omega meeting today at 6:30 p.m. in the SUB.

●Programs board meeting tonight at 7:30 in the SUB.

●Workshop on Interpersonal Conflict management from 7 to 10 p.m. Thursday in the SUB's chiefs room.

●The library will be closed Thursday, November 28, Thanksgiving, but will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, and regular hours on the weekend.

●On Saturday, will be the second Orienteering meet. There will be two different levels of difficulty so all may participate. To guarantee a bib, there is a sign up sheet at the Army office in the gym. The meet will begin at the gym at noon, there will be a nominal charge of 25 cents to cover expenses.

●Openings are available on Communications Board. It deals with all aspects of ASUI media, including KUOI, the Argonaut, the Gem of the Mountains, and Grapevine. Students who wish to be considered for Communications Board should complete an application from the ASUI offices or see your living group representative.

●The Palouse Audubon society will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the life sciences building in room 301. Don Miller, research associate in the college of forestry, wildlife and range sciences will discuss Caribou and their environment and he will also show slides. The public is invited.

### PREVIEW '74

Preview '74, an album played in its entirety uninterrupted beginning at 10:10 PM.

Tuesday Daryl Hall & John Oats War Babies

Wednesday Jefferson Starship Dragon Fly

Thursday No Preview '74

Thursday Evening beginning at 10:00 PM we will air a new program entitled "Concert: Canadian." Featuring Canadian artists: This week Buffy Sainte-Marie.



A large crowd attended the Fleetwood Mac concert last night, after some technical difficulties which almost put the concert in the SUB Ballroom.

## Timing of love making can determine child's sex

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Parents can have better luck picking their baby's sex by timing natural or artificial insemination around shifts in the woman's body temperature, a medical researcher says.

The sex ratio of offspring was found to change significantly when conceived at various stages during the menstrual cycle, the researcher says. And the method of conception also affects the ratio, he determined.

During the periods when the proportion of male babies increased with natural insemination, the chances of having a male with artificial insemination decreased, he says.

And, at other times when the artificial method produced more males, the chances of having boys decreased with natural insemination.

In a report in the current New England Journal of Medicine, Dr. Rodrigo Guerrero of the Universidad del Valle in Cali, Colombia, says he analyzed the records of 1,318 pregnancies. The cases were drawn from the United States, France, Canada, Mauritius Island and Colombia.

With help from researchers at the Harvard University School of Public Health, Guerrero looked at the proportion of boys to girls in 875 cases in which the parents had normal sex. He also examines cases in which conception came from artificially placing male sperm in females.

It has been established that on about the 14th day of the menstrual cycle, an egg is released from the woman's ovary and becomes ripe for conception. Increasing hormone levels at that time cause a few tenths of a degree rise in body temperature.

The temperature rise has been used as a guideline for the rhythm method of birth control, with women advised to abstain

from sex at this time because they are more likely to conceive.


Guerrero found that the proportion of males from natural insemination decreased from 68 per cent six days before the temperature rise to 44 per cent on the day of the shift.

And in artificial insemination, the proportion of males increased from 39 per cent three or more days before the heat shift to 62 per cent on the day of

the shift.

Guerrero hypothesized that the differences between natural and artificial insemination may be explained by the differences

in environment under which the sperm is kept before conception. These conditions could affect the survival or fertilizing capacity of both the sperms that tend to produce females and those that favor males.



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