

Alumni have a whirl at playing students

Seventy-two Penn State alumni are reliving a part of their college experience this week, without the worries of exams, projects, or intense booking.

The alumni, their families, and a handful of plain ole interested folks are attending the third annual Alumni Vacation College being held July 10-16.

John W. Black, associate director of the Alumni Association, described the week. "This is an idea designed to bring people back to the campus for a combined vacation and educational experience," he said. "We think alumni should have the opportunity to avail themselves of the facilities here in the same way as when they were students."

"The students of summer," as the Alumni Association calls them, live and eat in University residence halls, attend classes taught by University professors, and use the recreational facilities on and near the campus.

Black explained that scheduled activities comprise most of each day, but added, "If the guests would rather play golf, tennis, or swim, they are more than welcome."

A three-hour seminar is scheduled daily. Topics are: "Ethnicity in America" on Monday, "The Diversity of

Population Problems" on Tuesday, "The Current Food Situation from the International Level to the Individual Level" yesterday, and "The Changing Marketplace and its Sweeping Effects on our Society" today. Each class was conducted by University professors.

While the alumni are at class, their children are kept busy with craft demonstrations, sports and games, a nature study, and a theater makeup and an ethnic study class.

The "students" were treated to guided tours of Penn State locales to get an idea how much the University has changed. The stops ranged from Pattee Library and a greenhouse to a wildlife preserve and the Mineral Museum.

A week in State College would not be complete without an outing at Stone Valley. Wednesday the clan ventured out for an afternoon of boating, hiking, and lounging.

Mid-July in State College is synonymous with the arts. Tuesday night the group saw the comic operetta "El Capitan" and the musical "A Little Night Music" Wednesday night. Parts of Thursday and Friday were left open for the Arts Festival.

Corman against judgeship

State Sen. J. Doyle Corman said Tuesday he will oppose a bill currently in the Senate Appropriations Committee which would give Centre County a second judge and create 20 other judgeships statewide.

Citing estimates that a second judge could cost county taxpayers up to \$200,000, Corman said he may sponsor an

amendment which would eliminate Centre County as one of the sites named in the bill.

Saying that local sentiment is apparently against a second judge, Corman said he does not see a need for such an addition for at least another three years.

News from the Wires

Flat airplane fee proposed

MIAMI (AP) — Eastern Airlines proposed yesterday a special \$299 fare allowing two people traveling together to fly on a nearly unlimited basis among 105 cities in the United States, Canada, Mexico and the Caribbean during a 21-day period.

"We're almost right down to bus rates," Eastern spokesman James Ashlock said. "I can't think of anything that benefits the consumer more."

"And we need to fill empty seats. This is just like a store. We need people, and we're trying to come up with incentives to convince people to go."

The offer by Eastern is the first time a major airline has attempted to provide unlimited travel at a basic fee. Smaller airlines have offered similar plans but only on a regional basis, an Eastern spokesman said.

The plan would be similar to a Eurorail pass on European railroads. Amtrak and major American bus companies also offer such a package.

Rizzo wants school loans

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Philadelphia Mayor Frank Rizzo made a plea to the city's business community yesterday to lend \$50

million to the city's financially-strapped school system.

The proposal, presented jointly by Rizzo and Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce president Thacher Longstreth, would have the city's commercial banks, insurance companies and savings banks give the schools the money on a long-range loan basis.

"I am convinced the business community will be available to help in this great hour of need," Rizzo said at an afternoon press conference.

"I've heard many, many times that Philadelphia does not do its share. I take exception to that. Philadelphia has always done its share and will continue to do so. This administration is dedicated to the education of our children."

The city has told state legislators it needs \$170 million to keep the schools afloat next year.

U.S. gas cost plan approved

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House Commerce Committee gave President Carter a major victory yesterday by approving his plan to continue federal controls of natural gas prices.

The vote was 22 to 19 after sometimes angry debate. The committee rejected both a compromise decontrol proposal tying price increases to profit controls and a more sweeping deregulation plan.

Approval sends the nontax portions

of Carter's energy program to a special energy committee that will add them to the tax portions already approved by the Ways and Means Committee and offer the entire package to the House early next month.

Carter proposed to allow the federal price ceiling on interstate natural gas sales to increase from the present \$1.45 to around \$1.75. But he also wants to extend controls for the first time to sales of gas in the states where it is produced.

Australian leader resigns

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Sir John Kerr, whose ouster of the Labor government in 1975 made him the center of a continuing controversy, resigned yesterday as Australia's governor-general.

The resignation of Queen Elizabeth II's representative in Australia was announced jointly at Buckingham Palace in London and by Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser in Canberra. It came 18 months short of the scheduled end of Kerr's five-year term.

Kerr's replacement will be Sir Zelman Cowen, a 57-year-old law professor and vice chancellor of Queensland University. Despite his reputation as a distinguished professor, he is not well-known outside academic and legal circles. Cowen will take office in December.

Spy believed kidnap victim

WASHINGTON (AP) — The wife of a Russian defector-turned-American double agent appealed to President Carter yesterday to end a real-life spy story by interceding with the Russians, whom she believes kidnaped her husband 18 months ago.

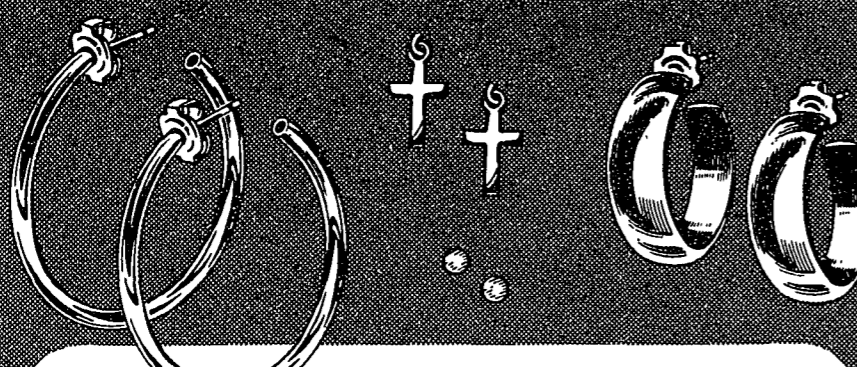
The State Department confirmed that Nicholas Shadrin was acting as a double agent for the FBI when he disappeared in Vienna, Austria, on Dec. 20, 1975, after going to meet two agents of the Soviet secret police.

"We want him back," State Department spokesman Hodding Carter III told reporters. "He's an American citizen whose welfare concerns us."

The White House said Shadrin's wife, Blanka, "has our sympathy and active support," and promised to "continue our best efforts" to secure information about her missing husband. However, spokesman Jody Powell refused to discuss the case further.

But Mrs. Shadrin's lawyer, Richard Copaken, disclosed that two secretaries of State had spoken with Soviet officials about Shadrin, and former President Gerald R. Ford himself wrote to Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev — all to no avail.

Shadrin was employed as a Soviet naval analyst for the Defense Intelligence Agency, the intelligence-gathering arm of the Pentagon. He became an American citizen by a special act of Congress in 1965.

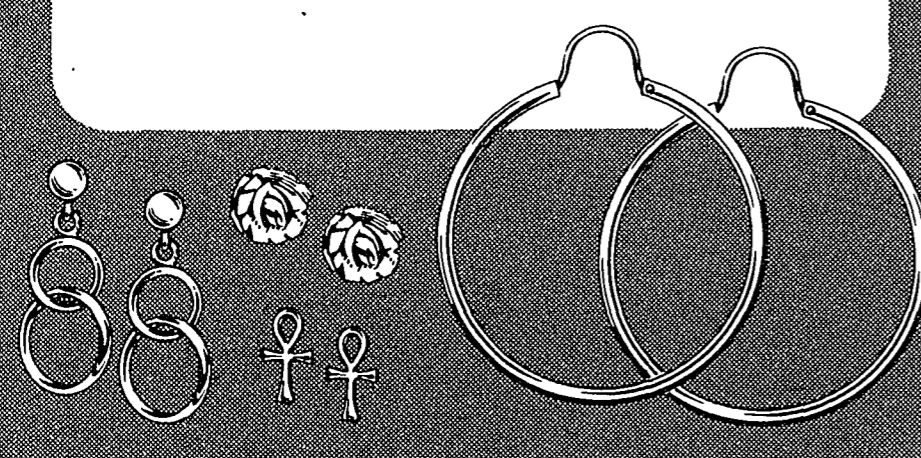


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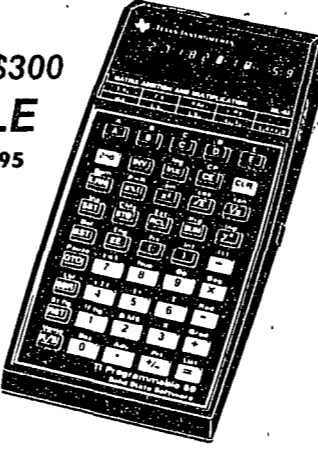
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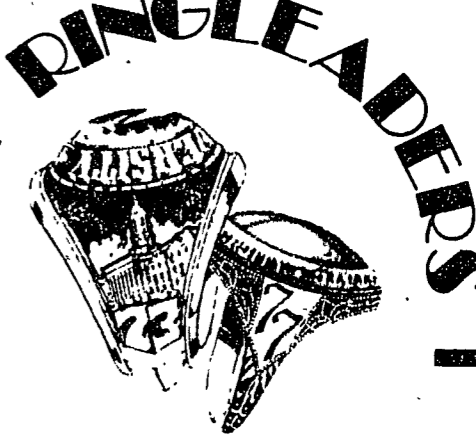
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