

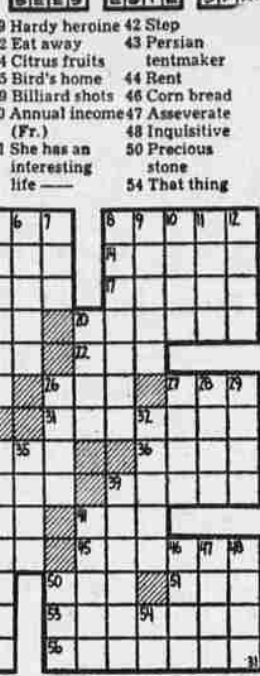
Oakland High Graduate Awarded Scholarship

Miss Mona Lou Gildersleeve, a graduate of Oakland High School this year, has been awarded a competitive freshman scholarship to Seattle Pacific College, at Seattle Wash., according to Oakland correspondent Edith Dunn.

Miss Gildersleeve was the class salutatorian with the second highest scholastic average in her class. During her years at Oakland High she has been a class and school leader. She has held many class offices, participated in volleyball and softball competition for the school, and lettered in the Pep Club during her four years. She served as yell leader her senior year.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS
1 Cinema
2 actress
3 Stanwyck
4 She is one of Hollywood's noted
5 Interests
6 Weird
7 Conducted
8 Places (ab.)
9 Cream
10 Scottish girl
11 Bartered
12 Abstract being
13 Ever (cont.)
14 Fixed look
15 Dance step
16 Perched
17 Shield bearing
18 Perfume
19 Motives
20 College cheers
21 Number
22 Soak flax
23 Contents
24 Short-napped fabric
25 Sorrowful
26 Puissant
27 Surgical saw
28 Amid
29 Sticky stuff (slang)
30 Egg (comb. form)
31 Fencing position
32 Type of fur (pl.)
33 Sea eagles
34 She has been in some movies
DOWN
1 Sphere
2 Scope



STANDING FLOAT

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich.—Most anyone can float, says Iver Johnson, but when you can float standing up you've accomplished something.

Johnson has been clocked floating in a vertical position for 20 minutes without twitching a muscle.

"It's 99 per cent control of the spine," said the 47-year-old retired accountant. "When the spine is straightened from its usual curved position to a perfect plumb line, you float vertically. Of course, the mind must be absolutely serene—otherwise you'd sink," he said.

Johnson swims about a mile out into Lake Michigan to practice.

Licenses Taken From Ten Drivers In New Program

Ten persons have had their driver licenses suspended since August 15 when Secretary of State Newberry's stepped-up driver improvement program went into effect.

During this period 95 drivers in the state received letters notifying them that their driver's license folders were being transferred to the "repeater" file. Thirty drivers were called to Salem for personal interviews in view of their record of frequent accidents or traffic law convictions.

Newberry pointed out that an additional 228 license suspensions were made during this period for other reasons. Most of them — 135 — were mandatory suspensions for driving while drunk. Others were as follows: 36 on recommendations of the courts; 12 for failure to report an accident; and 45 for driving while suspended.

This total, Newberry pointed out, does not include suspensions based upon failure to comply with provisions of the financial responsibility law.

Wide Publicity Given
Billboards featuring the driver improvement program's slogan, "If you won't drive safely, you can't drive in Oregon," are being posted throughout the state according to Jack Schmitt, outdoor division chairman of the Traffic Safety Information Committee.

Several thousand spot announcements on radio and television are being donated by the radio and TV stations of the state.

Purpose of the state-wide drive is to improve the driving habits of the 15 per cent of the drivers who are considered accident-prone and are in the "repeater" class. The secretary of state's office warns drivers after their third accident or conviction within any 12 months period, and may suspend after the fourth accident if he has not proved he can drive safely.

Newberry pointed out that studies have shown that a driver, after two accidents, is three times as likely to have another as a driver who has none. The repeater who has been in four accidents is seven times as likely to crash again as the driver with a clear record.

"It is this group of careless drivers we are after," Newberry said. "If we can't help them become careful, courteous drivers we can't allow them on our highways endangering the lives of the rest of us."

HUCKLEBERRIES LATE
PORTLAND, Ore.—The crop of wild huckleberries in the Mt. Hood National Forest is about two weeks late this year.

The U. S. Forest Service reported Friday that the best picking probably will be in the first two weeks of September.

MODEST MAIDENS



FROM NINE TO FIVE

By Jo Fischer



FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



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French Question Vietnam Faith

SAIGON, Indochina (AP)—The French high command Saturday accused the Communist-led Vietminh of lack of faith in the exchange of prisoners of war.

The French have virtually completed the handover of 29,146 POWs held in northern Viet Nam at the time of the cease-fire, while the Vietminh have released 4,313.

The French say the Vietminh promised to repatriate 9,138 of the 40,172 missing from French union forces in the nearly eight years of war. Only nine senior officers appeared on the Vietminh prisoner exchange list while at least 60 senior officers are known to be missing.

Brig. Gen. Christian de Castries, captured at Dien Bien Phu, has not yet been released.

The deadline set by the Geneva conference for completion of the prisoner exchange in northern Viet Nam was Friday. The International Armistice Commission has told both sides the exchange should be completed by Sept. 3 at the latest and by Aug. 31 if possible.



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