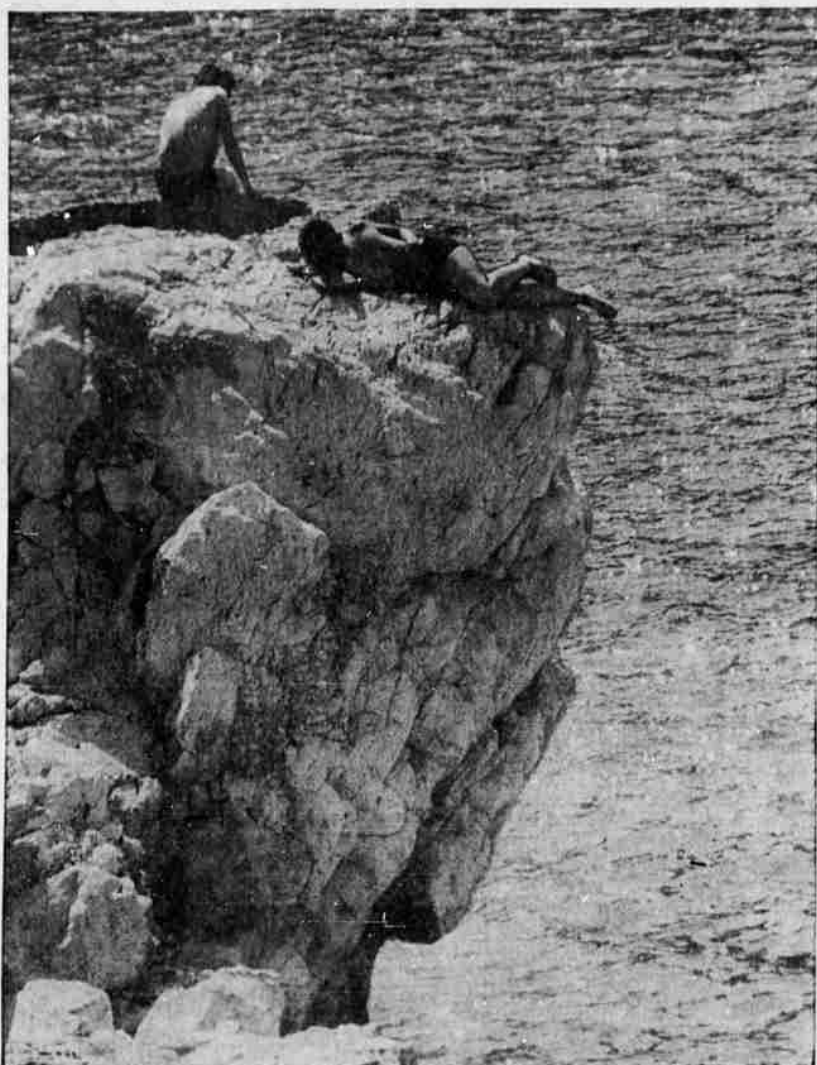


PICTURE NEWS

THE WORLD IN FOCUS



ON THE ROCKS—Stretching out under the bright sun shining over Nice seems to be done high and dry by these young boys. They appear to make themselves comfortable on the jagged rocks lining the French resort town's waterfront.



NO PEEKING—When the Girls Nation met in Washington, they held secret ballots: Heads down, hands up—and it's no fair peeking!



PUPPY FOR SAIL—These youngsters in Sausalito, Calif., have immortalized their sad-faced pet on the main sail of their boat. He's now a sea dog.



HEAT-BEATING — Seems odd to be skiing in August, but it's the cool season down in Portillo, Chile. Young miss beats the heat.



GRACEFUL CURVES—Gracefully stepping into the fall scene, this slim-fitting dress marks the subtle silhouettes created by a Florence, Italy, designer.



GOING PLACES—Joey—(yes, that's right)—Heather is going places. She's now in the movies, on television and has been on the Broadway stage.



WHERE'S THE STEEPLE?—How to place a 650-pound steeple atop the meeting house of Carmel Valley Manor, Calif., is shown by this helicopter. The entire project cost \$4.5 million. It is a retirement community.



CLOTHES CALL—These clothes were found by the lads in MacQuiddy school's lost and found department in Watsonville, Calif. Chances are most of them don't fit.



WHIRLED WIDE—Presenting a striking position, two dancers from the Polish Slask Dance Company, twirl into a fast-stepping folk dance. The twirling motion of the step is accentuated by the whirl of the girl's skirt and the horizontal suspension of her long braid. The couple performed during a Polish dance festival in Warsaw.



LIVE DOLLS, ALMOST—Virginia Black adds the finishing touch to one of her characteristic dolls. She makes them in North Hollywood, Calif.



SHARP SET—Diver Harold Jacobs stuffs a bonito fish into a sawfish's mouth. The huge fish had to be force fed after it was placed into Marineland Oceanarium on the south side of Los Angeles. Usually the creature uses his three-foot noseblade to slash his victims to death, feeding on them at leisure in his natural habitat.



TWISTER—Here's a new twist, but probably the oldest twist in the world. It's a chimney about 100 years old. Perched atop an ivy-covered house, it's located in Vienna, Austria.