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Cermony Opens Sidewalk

THE FIRST two persons to officially use the ODK sidewalk were Mr. Thomas Bolyard, Superintendent of Building and Grounds, and President Stewart H. Smith. The sidewalk was officially opened to the public last Tuesday in a ribbon cutting ceremony by President Smith.

ODK Sidewalk Opened Officially By President

President Stewart H. Smith officially opened the new ODK sidewalk in a ribbon cutting ceremony this week.

The sidewalk runs behind the James Morrow Library to the Science Building parking lot. It was built as a project of this year's Omicron Delta Kappa pledge class.

In addition to a brief talk by President Smith, Mike O'Kane, Parkersburg senior and pledge class president, spoke prior to the ribbon cutting last Tuesday.

President Smith said: "I hope that this will serve as an example to other organizations to do things for the college through their own efforts." He said that he was very proud of the project and he knew that it caused the men many blisters, sweat, and tears.

The president, walked down the sidewalk with members of the pledge class and Thomas A. Bolyard, superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, after he cut the ribbon.

Members of Buildings and Grounds that helped the pledge

class with the sidewalk are Homer Chapman, Floyd McSweeney, Richard Osburn, and Shirley Sansom.

The members of the pledge class are: Richard W. Kyle, Huntington senior; John Gunter, St. Albans senior; George David Huffnagel, Huntington junior; Thomas Clay, Ashland, (Ky.) senior; Jack Wortman, Huntington junior; Tyson Cobb, Huntington junior; Bobby Nelson, Huntington junior; and Michael O'Kane, Parkersburg senior.

VACATION BEGINS WEDNESDAY

Thanksgiving vacation will begin with the closing of classes at noon Wednesday. Classes will resume at 8 a.m. Nov. 30.

Marco's Memorandums

- Friday, Nov. 20—Campus Christian Fellowship Seminar on Alcoholism, Science Hall Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
- Senior Recital, Old Main Auditorium, 8:15 p.m.
- Saturday, Nov. 21—Volleyball Clinic, Gymnasium, 10 a.m.
- Football Game (Away), University of Buffalo, broadcast time 1 p.m., WSAZ radio.
- Seminar on Alcoholism continued, 9 a.m.
- Sunday, Nov. 22—Newman Club dinner, St. Paul's Guild Home, 7th Ave. and 14th St., 6 p.m.
- Spanish Club dinner, 405 Linden Circle, 6 p.m.
- Monday, Nov. 23—Air Force Recruiting Service Center Counseling, Student Union.
- Artist Series, "The World of Carl Sandburg."
- Tuesday, Nov. 24—Freshman Cheerleader tryouts, Student Union, 4 p.m.
- Veterans' Club meeting, Science Auditorium, 11 a.m.
- Marshall Symphony Concert, Old Main Auditorium, 8:15 p.m.

Blood Donations Top Last Years Record, 296 Donate

By SUSAN ATKINSON
Society Editor

A total of 296 pints of blood were donated by Marshall students Wednesday, setting a record for a single visit of the Huntington Regional Red Cross Bloodmobile.

Conrad Smith, Huntington junior and chairman of the blood drive, said he was very happy about the turnout. He expressed surprise at the number of women who turned out, seemingly a larger number than in past years.

This year's total is two over

the record set last fall.

Smith was especially pleased with the ROTC turnout. "I appreciate the co-operation of the ROTC and SFC Harry Jones, instructor in Military Science and Tactics, because without their support we wouldn't have had half the success," he said. A total of 198 cadets gave blood.

Originally, the drive was to have ended at 2 p.m., but the large number of donors forced an extension of the deadline. Donations were still being taken at 4 p.m.

The total number of donations could have been as high as 368, but 72 of the prospective donors were rejected for various reasons.

Anyone who was unable to give blood Wednesday may donate at the Red Cross Center any Monday, Wednesday, or Friday afternoon through Nov. 27. To donate at the center, a student should call Jackson 2-0328 and make an appointment. The Red Cross Center is located at 724 Tenth Avenue.

Donations made on or off campus count in the competition for organizations competing to have the highest percentage giving blood.

Trophies will be awarded to the organization in each division which has the highest percentage of members donating blood.

The divisions are: Men's organizations with over 30 members; men's organizations with under 30 members; women's organizations with over 30 members, and women's organizations with under 30 members. A special award will be given to the ROTC company with the highest percentage. An organization must have 10 donors to qualify for an award.

Awareness Commission Changes Main Project

By BRUCE GRUBER
Staff Reporter

The State Awareness Commission has reduced its scope of activity and altered its main project due to the Student Government's Homecoming deficit.

The commission's major aim will be to promote awareness of the recent State Board of Education's ruling that in 1961 high school students graduating in the lower fourth of their class must

pass a written examination in order to enter a state operated college or university.

Before actual work begins toward this new goal, it must receive acceptance by the Student Cabinet.

Various high schools, civic clubs and Parent - Teachers Associations will be contacted in publicizing the State Board of Education's ruling. The Promotion and Publicity Committee is presently preparing lists of organizations to be notified.

The Office of Development and Alumni Affairs plans to lend financial assistance by handling printing and mailing charges, according to Bill Wortham, State Awareness Commissioner and Huntington junior.

Members, and women's organizations

Students 'Beat' Traffic Tickets On 'Bum Rap'

About a dozen Marshall students beat the law Tuesday on a "bum rap."

The students had received traffic tickets for parking in an area reserved for street cleaning. However, Municipal Judge Richard Tyson dismissed the tickets because 1) the no parking signs had been left posted after the specified time for street cleaning, and 2) the city of Huntington has no jurisdiction over such temporary parking bans outside the downtown area.

So, in view of the second point, although the street cleaning department may continue to put up "No Parking - Street Cleaning" signs on the streets around the college, the students can go right ahead and park.

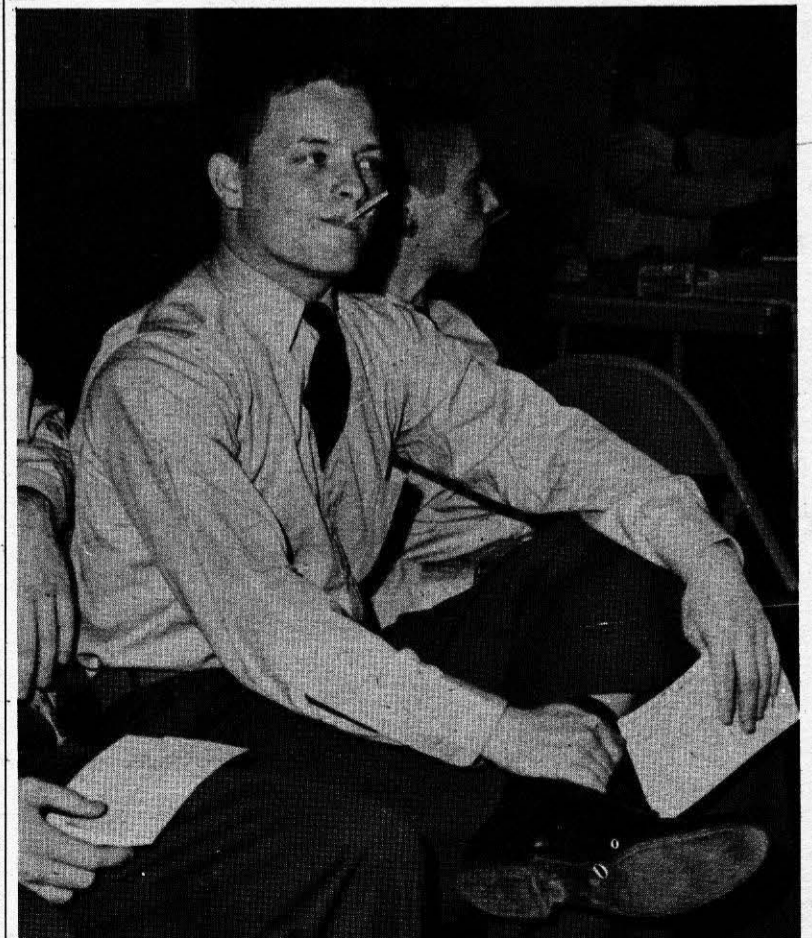
However, a word to the wise—the City Council has discussed the situation and will seek an extension of the city's jurisdiction in the area.

Party System Work Planned

Work on the two-party system is nearing completion, according to Charles Ralston, Weirton junior and two-party system commissioner.

Ralston commented that he will meet today with John Karickhoff, Student Body President to discuss problems in order to settle the question of the basic two party system proposal. They pertain to the establishment of the two-party system on a permanent basis rather than a temporary trial of one year.

Ralston emphasized the fact that the two-party system does not entail the setting-up of two separate parties on a socially affiliated basis. Each party would create its own name and platform in a nominating convention. The campus would be divided equally between these two distinct parties.



Donor Waits His

MIKE BOWMAN, Beckley sophomore, has his temperature taken in preparing to give blood during the campus blood drive which was held Wednesday at the Student Union.

National Teacher Tests Scheduled At Marshall

Marshall has been designated a testing center for the National Teacher Examination next February, Registrar Luther E. Bledsoe, announced.

College seniors preparing to teach, and teachers applying for positions in school systems, are eligible to take the tests. The examinations are prepared and administered annually by the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N. J.

The designation of Marshall as a testing center will give prospective teachers in this area an opportunity to compare their performance on the examination

with approximately 10,000 candidates throughout the country.

At the one day testing session, a candidate may take these examinations: professional information, general culture, English expression and nonverbal reasoning. In addition, each candidate may take one or two of the 11 optional examinations in the field in which he may be assigned to teach.

Applications, bulletins of information, and representative test questions may be obtained from Mr. Bledsoe or directly from the National Teachers Examinations, Educational Testing Service, 20 Nassau Street, Princeton, N. J.

Chemistry Enrollment Leads Area Schools

Enrollment in chemistry courses in the Arts and Sciences College is the largest of any school in this area, according to Dr. Allen W. Scholl, head of the Chemistry Department.

Forty per cent, or 635 students, out of the 1,600 in the Arts and Sciences College now are registered in chemistry courses. Even with the large enrollment, 20 students have had to be turned away at registration. Although the number of students in the Arts and Sciences College has dropped, the Chemistry Department has shown an increase.

There are also 230 students majoring in chemistry, 60 per cent of whom are employed in part-time or full-time jobs.

CJ Copy Deadline Comes Up Dec. 11

The deadline for submitting copy about an organization to the Chief Justice has been set for December 11. A 250 word write-up is to be submitted by that date or no write-up will appear with the picture in the annual.

The write-ups may contain information about history, membership, activities, aims and accomplishments of the organization. The Chief Justice reserves the right to edit copy, although no basic changes of material written in good taste will be made. No extension will be made on the deadline.

Junior Pan-Hellenic Officers Are Named

Jane Norman, Vienna junior, has been elected president of Junior Pan-Hellenic Council.

Other officers include Jeanine Beane, Fayetteville sophomore, vice president; Carolyn Phaup, Huntington freshman, secretary; and Lenora Crabtree, Huntington freshman, treasurer.

Jane Aylor, Huntington junior and vice president of Pan-Hellenic Council, is serving as advisor to the group.

The purpose of Junior Pan-Hellenic is to promote friendliness and interfraternity spirit among sorority pledges and to provide preparatory training for work in the Pan-Hellenic Council.

Among the activities planned this year are a Thanksgiving basket for a needy family, several money-raising projects, and a planned party for Pan-Hellenic Council.

RECITAL TONIGHT

The second in a series of senior recitals will be given at 8:15 p.m. today in Old Main auditorium by Archie Snyder, Weston tenor; Barbara Johnson, Ironton, Ohio, piano; and Michael Donathan, Huntington, piano.

Works by Schubert, Paladihe, Puccini, Barber, Strickland, Sacco and Kountz will be sung by Snyder.

Miss Johnson will play selections from Chopin, Debussy and Bartok.

"Faschingsschwank aus wien-Phantasiebilder" by Schumann will be performed by pianist Donathan.

ICE SKATING AVAILABLE

Students may ice skate today and tomorrow at the Memorial Field House at regular student admission prices if they present their ID cards, according to Harry Keith, field house manager.

Students may skate from 7 until 10:30 tonight for 50 cents, and from 1 to 5 p.m. ad from 7 p.m. until 10:30 tomorrow.

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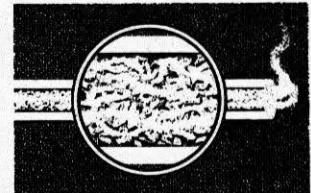
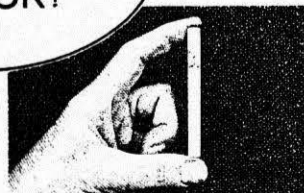
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Intramural Grid Team Selected

By KEITH WALTERS
Sports Writer

School football champion Tau Kappa Epsilon dominated the intramural all-star football team which was announced today by Otto "Swede" Gullickson, intramural director.

The Tekes placed three men on the squad which is composed of 11 players who competed in the intramural football program this fall.

All Star Team

All three of the men, Bob O'Conner, John Unrue and Barry Myers, were members of the Tekes' No. 1 team.

Also included on the squad were two members of the No. 2 team of Sigma Phi Epsilon, Mike James and Bill Gallagher, along with Barry Keadle of the Sig Eps' No. 2 squad.

Other members of the first team include Marvin Hensley and Fred Conley, Pi Kappa Alpha No. 1; Jack Trainor and Bobby Nelson, Vets No. 1; and Tex Williams, Red Devils.

Cage Action Begins

In basketball action Monday night at the physical education building, PKA No. 1 handed out a 52-29 loss to Lambda Chi N. 1, and the Trouncers rolled to a 96-54 victory over SAE No. 1.

Last Tuesday's action saw PKA No. 2 post a 57-14 decision over Lambda Chi No. 2, and the Sig-Ep No. 2 capture a 39-25 victory over the Cavaliers. In games to be played next Monday evening, TKE No. 1 takes on the Faculty to be followed by games between the Wreckers and Demons, Blue Angels and V "M" Herd, and V "M" Big Green and PKA No. 3.

In soccer action this past week, SAE captured a 1-0 victory over the Pikes; PKA No. 2 scored a 2-1 decision over TKE No. 2; Sig-Ep battled to a 3-2 decision over Lambda Chi; and Kappa Alpha dropped a 4-1 loss to Sig-Ep No. 1.

Individual Winners Chosen

In two individual championships decided recently, Carl Hickey won the croquet singles championship, and Edward Lich, Independent, and Hickey tied for the forward passing for accuracy title.

Hickey defeated Toddy Fugate, PKA, for the croquet title. A total of 48 games was played with 49 contestants. In the other contest, Hickey and Lich tied for the championship, each having 24 points.

Runners-up included Paul Johnson, Chester Smith, and Noak Gregory, Independents; Fred Conley, PKA; and Jerry May, SAE.

Ring Tennis Begins

Practice sessions officially began this week for ring tennis sponsored by the WAA with sororities, independent organizations, and dormitories participating.

Each woman must attend one practice session to qualify for playing. The Sigma Sigma Sigma, the Sigma Kappa, the Alpha Xi Delta Sororities, and the Independents will play at 3 p.m. and at 3:30 p.m. Nov. 23. The Delta Zeta sorority, the Societas, the Alpha Chi Omega and the Alpha Sigma Alpha sororities will play at 3 p.m. and at 3:30 p.m. Nov. 24.

Season Climaxed Tomorrow

Buffalo Final Big Green Foe

By RON HUTCHISON
Sports Editor

Preparing for the last game of the year, Coach Charlie Snyder's gridders resumed heavy contact early this week. After a two-week absence from the football wars, the Big Green will meet the Buffalo University Bulls at Buffalo, N. Y.

Climaxing Snyder's first season as head football coach, the game will see Marshall cast in a familiar role, the underdog. Sporting a commendable 6-1 record, the Bulls are rated as one of the Eastern small college powers. Last year Buffalo, finishing with an 8-1 mark, was considered good enough to rate a bowl bid. Several members of that squad will see action in tomorrow's contest.

Emphasizing pass defense and offense patterns, Coach Snyder put the team through its final tapering off drills yesterday. The team left at 6:30 this morning aboard a chartered bus for the trip to Buffalo. The team will stop tonight at Erie, Pa., and

then continue to Buffalo early tomorrow morning. The game is scheduled for 1 p.m.

Big Green fans might be pleased to know that in the latest MAC statistics Marshall quarterback Jim Maddox has gained ground on the conference leaders. The Big Green signal caller advanced to third place in the passing race and moved up to fourth position in the scoring parade. Maddox has scored 32 points for the Big Green this season.

Fullback Bob Wilson was also among the conference leaders. He ranks second in the punting department, averaging 36 yards per try. Wilson also owns the third best rushing performance for one game in the MAC. Against Toledo, earlier this fall he lugged the ball 23 times for 101 total yards.

Marshall team statistics also show how valuable Jim Maddox is to the Big Green cause. He leads the team in yards gained rushing, scoring, passing and number of times carrying the ball.

In other figures, Dixon Edwards tops the squad in kickoff returns while Larry Jarrett is the number one pass catcher. Bob Wilson leads in punting yardage. Co-captain and tackle Jim O'Conner is the top fumble recovery man with 4 bobbles captured.

In the final game Coach Snyder is expected to start the following probable lineup: Ends: Yoho, Nardo; tackles: O'Conner, Stull; guards: Lathan, Jarrell; center: Reed; quarterback: Maddox; halfbacks: Ballengee, Hill; fullback: Wilson.

The Buffalo team will pro-

vide stiff competition for Marshall if their past performances this season are any indication. This year the Bulls have knocked off such teams as Temple, Western Reserve and Baldwin-Wallace.

MONTHLY DINNER SET

The Newman Club will have its monthly dinner at St. Paul's Guild Home, at Seventh Avenue and Fourteenth Street, at 6:00 p.m. this Sunday. All Catholic students and their friends are invited. Mary Pat Owen, Huntington sophomore, is in charge of dinner arrangements.

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'Religions Are Evolving Towards Higher Planes'

How Does A Scientist Answer An Atheist?

By CAROL D. REYNOLDS
Staff Reporter

How does a scientist answer an atheist's charge that there is no God?

Dr. Raymond E. Janssen, chairman of the Geology department, had such a case recently. He was asked in a letter from a woman how he, and other scientists could explain "creation through a god." She was referring to a book she had read, written by Professor Janssen.

She and her husband are atheists. Besides satisfying her own curiosity, she has a small son and wants to know how she should teach him.

Professor Janssen replied that

he is not an atheist, nor does he know of a truly great scientist who is an atheist.

Nothing, he said, is haphazard in the universe. Therefore a higher power must have been in existence to have given law and order to the universe and all that it contains. The recognition of evolution toward higher development is not atheism but "man's discovery of the methods and means used by the supreme power to achieve these results."

Scientific achievement does not conflict with the Bible, Professor Janssen said, and the greatest religious leaders recognize this.

The letter writer asked if the world was on the verge of putting religion away with superstition and ignorance and she asked if Russia were the first country to do this.

Professor Janssen replied that he had little regard for Communism and that he did not think the world was on the verge of doing away with religion.

"Religions are evolving towards higher planes of thought just as everything else in the world has evolved from humbler be-

ginnings."

The "gangster-like leaders" of Russia could not very well subscribe to a religion which recognizes the freedom of the individual and still conduct their affairs towards the opposite ends.

Much, he said, depends upon the interpretation of the word, God. Meanings change, he added, and religious thinkings have changed considerably and will continue to change.

"Most of our great leaders no longer think of God as merely a super form of man-like being, or as a sort of cosmic bellhop on whom we may call to satisfy our personal whims or desires, but rather as an all-powerful force that directs life toward higher levels of attainment that were never known before. If you can believe that there is a plan and purpose in the universe, that the laws of nature cannot

be defied without bitter consequences, that life moves upward to higher level from age to age, that mercy and justice achieve greater results than brutality, then you are not an atheist."

He advised her that she give her son the best education possible in order that he may decide for himself about religion and atheism.

LETTER POLICY CHANGES

A revision has been made in Parthenon policy concerning letters to the editor. Under the new policy, all letters appearing in The Parthenon must be accompanied by the author's name, home town and classification. Names will NOT be withheld in publication.

Publication of letters is at the discretion of The Parthenon.

DON FANNIN
Editor-in-Chief

Orchestra To Give First Performance

The Marshall Symphony Orchestra will give its first concert of the semester at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday in Old Main auditorium.

Alfred Lanegger, associate professor of music, will conduct the 54-member orchestra composed of students and faculty.

Annabel Patrick, Huntington junior, will be featured as pianist, playing "Grieg Piano Concerto, in A minor."

The program also will consist of an overture by Gluck, "The Faithful Shepherd Suite," by Handel, and "L'Artesienne Suite No. 1," by Bizet.

PI DELTA PHI

Pi Delta Phi, French honorary, will hold its fall meeting at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, according to Dr. Alma Noble, sponsor of the club.

The program will consist of folk singing and illustrated talks by Miss Constance Ewing and William Kingsbury.

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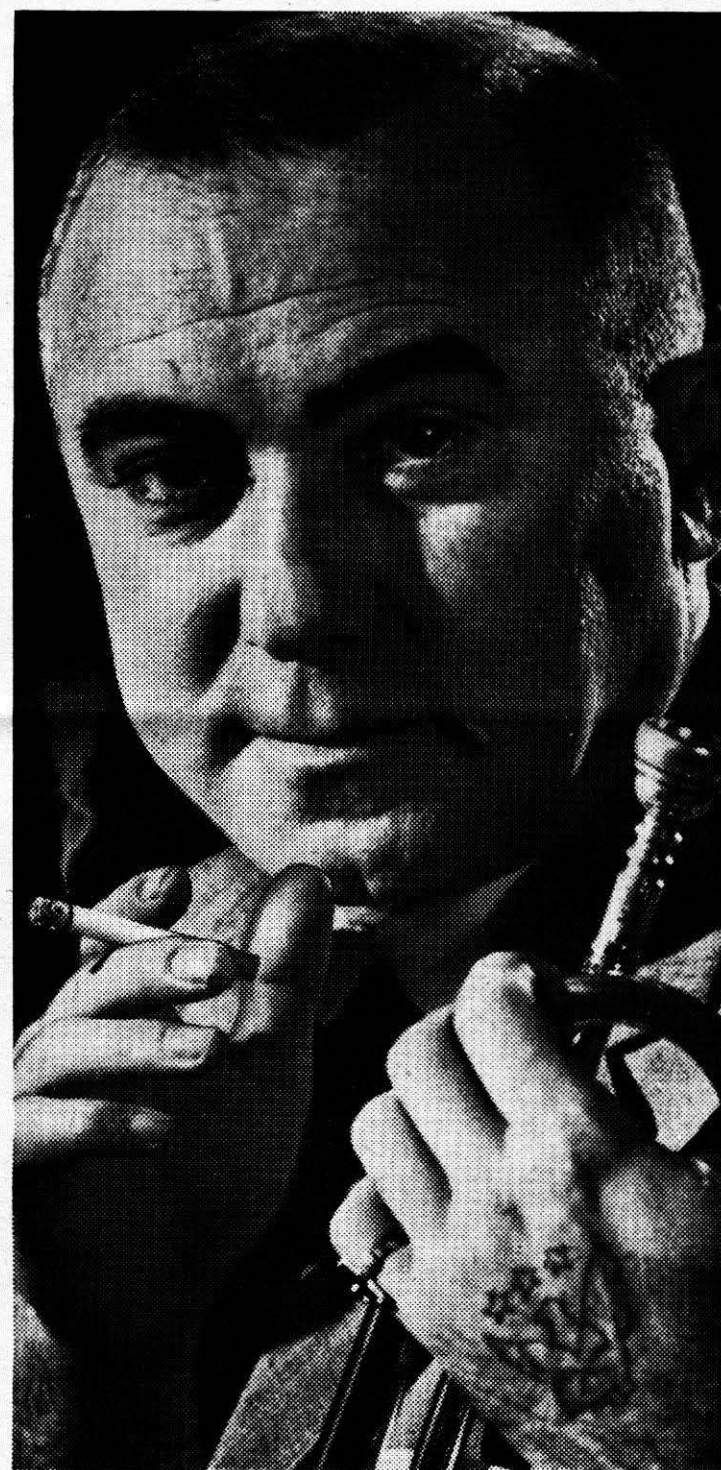
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