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Robert King

Robert L. King, 71, retired professor of zoology at the University of Iowa and former director of the Iowa Lakeside Laboratory at Milford, died Sunday in Arizona.

Since retiring from UI in 1964, Prof. King had lived at Tempe, Ariz.

Funeral services are pending.

He was born July 7, 1896, in Chester, Pa., received his BA degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1919 and his PhD there in 1922. He was a faculty member at the University of Pennsylvania from 1921 to 1930 when he came to UI. He remained with the university here until his retirement.

From 1917 to 1919 he served in the Army both in the U.S. and in France.

Survivors include his widow Mary King, two sons, Robert, Jr., and Richard, and a daughter Marybeth.

Hilda Moeller

WEST BRANCH — Mrs. Hilda K. Moeller, 83, of West Branch and a former resident of Iowa City, died early Sunday morning in a West Branch nursing home after a long illness.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Barker Funeral Home in West Branch, with the Rev. Roger Tappmeyer of the West Branch Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens, Iowa City.

Mrs. Moeller was born Feb. 2, 1885, at Blue Grass. On Aug. 4, 1909, she was married to G. W. Moeller at Harris. They operated a tax service in Iowa City for many years, retiring two years ago and moving to West Branch.

Surviving are her husband; three sons, Arnold of Clear Lake, Armand of Minneapolis, Minn., and George of Arizona; and two grandchildren.



ON STRIKE—The street is crowded with people outside the Citroen automobile plant in Paris today after the factory was occupied by striking workers. Strikes snowballed rapidly across France and the nation approached total paralysis. (AP Wirephoto)

Earl Danner

Earl Danner, 68, of 126 North Gilbert Street, died at Mercy Hospital Saturday afternoon after a lengthy illness.

Requiem high mass will be at 9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Church. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. Rosary will be at 7:30 p.m. today at the Donohue Mortuary.

Mr. Danner was born in Iowa City Jan. 17, 1900, to Earnest and Jennie Woolf Danner. He was a lifetime resident of Iowa City. He married Ruth Alberhasky in Iowa City. She died in 1950. Mr. Danner was a member of St. Mary's Church.

Surviving are one son, Dave Danner of Western Springs, Ill., one daughter, Mrs. Allen (Mary) Roth, of St. Louis, Mo., one sister, Mrs. Norwood (Helen) Louis of Iowa City, one great aunt, Miss Louella Danner of Iowa City, and seven grandchildren.

Political 'Payoff,' Turner Says

DES MOINES (AP) — Two Des Moines lawyers are seeking "monumental fees" from the state "with the assistance of their political cronies," Atty. Gen. Richard Turner charged today.

In a letter to the State Executive Council, Turner said he appealed a court judgment of fees for the two lawyers because it is of "vital concern to the people of Iowa."

The lawyers, Lex Hawkins and Verne Lawyer, were fired by Turner, a Republican, shortly after he took office last year. They had been hired by Turner's predecessor, Democrat Lawrence Scalfese, to handle the state's price-fixing suit against a group of oil and asphalt companies.

In his letter, Turner called the hiring of Hawkins and Lawyer "a lame duck political appointment."

Turner's implications, said Gov. Harold Hughes after reading the letter to council members, "are drawn without ascertaining any of the facts as to why the questions were raised."

Calling the reply from Turner "discourteous," Hughes said "it is one that the council doesn't deserve and didn't merit."

Doctor Named To Evaluate Head Start Here

Dr. David Silver, a physician at University Hospitals, has been selected as an Iowa Head Start consultant by the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Silver was one of 525 physician consultants in the nation selected to evaluate the medical aspects of Head Start programs in nearly 2,000 communities throughout the United States.

He will review the medical aspects of Head Start applications submitted by a community, meet with local planning committees to map out Head Start medical programs, evaluate the programs and maintain liaison with the regional and national offices of the U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity.

36 Speeding Charges Filed Over Weekend

City police filed 36 charges of speeding during the weekend, 34 after checks with radar.

The charges mostly resulted from checks on Benton, Clinton, Dubuque and Jefferson Streets and Lexington and Muscatine Avenues.

Crisis

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cheftort, and an unlimited strike voted by the same firm's factory at Marignane, near Marseille.

Roads leading into Paris were clogged by huge traffic jams. Gasoline stations, uncertain of their supplies, were limiting the quantities sold to each customer.

French Channel ferries to Britain remained in port.

Orly, the big Paris international airport, was almost deserted as airlines switched their flights to Brussels, Belgium, and dispatched passengers to Paris on chartered buses.

France's three big union federations appeared unwilling to break openly with De Gaulle, and none has called for a general strike. So far their demands have been modest: Higher pay with no specific target and a slight lowering of the retirement age.

De Gaulle conferred with officials in charge of national security and held a long meeting with Premier Georges Pompidou. Information Minister Georges Masurel told newsmen "various measures concerning public order were examined."

There was no indication what those measures might be, or when they might be employed. But De Gaulle gave no indication that he planned to advance his radio-television address to the nation, which was still scheduled for Friday.

County Unit Urged Rejection Of Rezoning as Premature

The Johnson County Zoning Commission has recommended denial of a request for commercial zoning on a 120-acre near the path of the proposed 518 Freeway.

In making the recommendation, the commission noted that construction of the freeway has not occurred and commissioners think the petition, therefore, is "premature."

Petitioners are Vera and Vera Larew of North Liberty. Their property is in Madison Township along County Road H and lies northwest of Iowa City.

A public hearing on the Larew request and three others before the Johnson County Board of Supervisors will be held at 10 a.m. June 10 at the Courthouse.

In regard to the Larew petition which seeks highway commercial zoning, the commissioners noted:

"The commission does not mean to recommend that no commercial development should occur if the proposed highway is constructed, but rather feels the application is premature and involves too great an area."

The three requests the zoning body recommended that the Board of Supervisors grant are:

—Commercial zoning for 22 acres near the interchange of old Highway 1 and Interstate 80. Petitioners are W. L. Hueffner and John and Marcella Skay.

—Approval of a five-lot subdivision plat for property located off the Prairie du Chien Road in Newport Township. Petitioner is Hal D. Knowling.

—Approval of a nine-lot subdivision plan for Sugar Maple Hills Addition. The property is between North Liberty and Solon on the Mehaffey Bridge Road and petitioners are Pearl Brogan and Anna Agnes Brogan.

Vietnam

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lunar new year offensive in February.

The U.S. Command reported 1,073 allied soldiers killed and 4,980 wounded. Of these, 574 of the dead and 1,888 of the wounded were South Vietnamese. More than 90 per cent of the rest were U.S. troops, military spokesmen said. Australia, New Zealand and Thailand also have men in the operation.

Despite the operation, the Viet Cong marked North Vietnamese President Ho Chi Minh's 78th birthday Sunday with a 45-minute rocket attack on the capital.

More than 20 100-pound rockets hit the heart of Saigon shortly after midnight Saturday, killing 11 Vietnamese and wounding 51. One U.S. soldier was slightly wounded. The rockets also set 150 homes afire.

The South Vietnamese military command had said intelligence information indicated the Viet Cong planned a widespread attack, but only two significant shellings outside Saigon Sunday were reported.

The U.S. Command reported three planes lost Saturday, raising the total reported lost in combat in Vietnam to 263 over South Vietnam and 839 over North Vietnam.

An Air Force Super Sabre jet was shot down Saturday while attacking enemy positions 22 miles northwest of Saigon. The pilot was killed.

Both the planes lost over the North were photo reconnaissance jets: a \$6 million Navy Vigilante equipped with a \$1 million camera, and a \$2.5 million Air Force F4 Phantom. All four crewmen were missing.

The Vigilante went down northwest of Vinh, about 25 miles below the 19th parallel limit for U.S. bombing raids. The Phantom was lost near Dong Hoi, about 45 miles north of the demilitarized zone.

Since Thursday eight U.S. planes have been lost, with four crewmen killed, six missing and four wounded.

U.S. fliers flew 136 missions Sunday against North Vietnam's southern panhandle, the U.S. Command said. The pilots reported destroying 41 trucks, 10 barges and five bridges.

Iowa Game Unit Names Director

MASON CITY (AP)—Fred A. Prievert, a South Dakota game official, was named director of the Iowa Conservation Commission today, succeeding E. B. Speaker.

Prievert, 45, of Pierre, S.D., who presently is chief of the game management division of the South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks, will take over the Iowa job June 17.

Speaker, 61, who asked the Conservation Commission to assign him to a position with less responsibility, will become special projects coordinator for the commission. He was director for five years.

Rector Asks Ladies To Bet On Horses

CALVERTON, England (AP) — The Roman Catholic rector in this Nottinghamshire town is offering any 10 ladies in his parish a pound—\$2.40—each to bet on the horses. Their winnings will go to the church.

The Rev. Joseph Jones told his parishioners in his weekly bulletin that he thought the parish would get more from the ponies than it got in donations for the annual fund-raising garden party last year: a can of baked beans, a tin of sardines and a package of cake mix.

"I am prepared to hand out up to 10 pounds of my own money because I believe it will be an investment," Father Jones wrote.

"One woman parishioner backed a horse on Wednesday because it included a man's name. It won at 100 to 8. The offer is for women only. Men seem incapable of finding winners."

However, the priest admitted he has a flutter on the horses now and then and doesn't do badly.

"I won enough this year to pay for my holiday in Spain," he said.

Motorist Hurt In One of Two Mishaps Sunday

One motorist has been injured in an auto accident, one of two in Iowa City Sunday.

Injured was William E. Donahue, 24, of 706 Diana Court. He was treated at Mercy Hospital for facial lacerations. His car struck a light pole at Kirkwood Avenue and Franklin Street. Police charged him with not having control of his vehicle.

Two cars collided at 11:30 p.m. in the 300 block of East Washington Street. The drivers were Mary S. Pieper, 21, of 815 East Washington Street and Gordon E. Woody, 18, of Lawrence, Kan. Woody was charged with making an improper left turn.

Supreme Court Curbs Judicial Contempt Power

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today established the right to jury trial in "serious" criminal contempt cases.

The 7-2 decision uproots the court's long-standing position that state and federal courts have the constitutional power to punish any criminal contempt without a jury trial.

It was one of two major rulings today in the jury trial area. The other, brought up from Louisiana, firmly extended to the states the federal constitutional requirement that jury trial be granted in criminal cases.

A dozen states now fall short of the federal standard.

DeWitt Man Charged With Drunken Driving

James R. Rankes of DeWitt has been charged with operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

He was arrested by the Highway Patrol Saturday near the Iowa River Bridge on Interstate 80. He has posted \$500 bond and is to appear in Police Court May 31.

Board of Directors For HACAP To Meet

The Hawkeye Area Community Action Program Board of Directors will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday in Cedar Rapids.

The meeting will be in the Peoples Bank Meeting Room at 101 Third Avenue Southwest.

Red Cross Asks Money To Aid Storm Victims

The American Red Cross has requested contributions for aid to tornado disaster victims at Charles City, Oelwein, Maynard and Elma.

Red Cross officials say disaster funds have been seriously depleted. The local Red Cross handled more than 200 long distance inquiries about persons in the disaster areas.

Other expenses for the Red Cross were incurred through emergency housing and feeding programs. Also, a rehabilitation program soon will begin for persons without means for rebuilding homes or acquiring medical aid.

Donations to the disaster funds may be made through the local Red Cross, Box 466, 530 East Washington Street.

Brown Heads Three-County Summer Head Start Program

William E. Brown of 916 Juniper Drive, has been named administrator of the Summer Head Start Program in Johnson, Jones and Linn Counties.

His appointment was announced today by Beverly Davenport, executive director of the Hawkeye Area Community Action Program (HACAP). Brown is director of special education and psychologists for Iowa City public schools and has been a HACAP staff member for the past seven years.

Robert L. King, for five years a psychologist for city schools, and Frank P. Schneider, principal of Wright Elementary School in Cedar Rapids, were named as assistants to Brown.

The summer program will be for 480 pre-kindergarten children from low-income homes and for children with special educational needs. Sessions will be from June 17 to August 9. Advance enrollments of 155 Head Start pupils in Linn, 60 in Johnson and 58 in Jones County have been received so far by the HACAP.

Brown is a graduate of Upper Iowa University. He received an M.A. degree from the University of Iowa and directed the Johnson County Head Start program for several summers.

King is a graduate of Central Missouri State College and the State College of Missouri. He holds bachelor and master degrees in educational counseling and psychology.

Schneider received a BA degree from Coe College and an MA in school administration.

Shop Center Picketing Ruled Okay

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court decided today that a privately owned shopping center is essentially a public area, and to prohibit picketing there would violate constitutional guarantees of free speech.

The 6-3 decision involved a union which was picketing outside a supermarket that was run by non-union employees. The owner of the shopping center contended that because it was private property the union could not picket there.

Supervisors Grant Authority For Gas Pipeline

Hydrocarbon Transportation, Inc., of Delaware, has been granted authority to lay a new gas pipeline across Johnson County about three miles south of Iowa City.

The Johnson County Board of Supervisors granted permission today for the construction, operation, maintenance of a liquefied petroleum gas pipeline under certain county roads.

The line will cross Johnson County from east to west, entering the county just south of Windham and roughly following a line dividing Washington, Sharon, Liberty, Pleasant Valley and Lincoln Townships from Hardin, Union, West Lucas, East Lucas and Scott Townships.

Tent Fire at Armory Set, Say Firemen

Firemen said someone set fire to a tent early this morning which was on the grounds of the National Guard Armory.

They said minor damage occurred. The alarm was given at 4:15 a.m.

Two false alarms were received by firemen this weekend. One was at 8 p.m. Saturday in the parking lot west of the Fieldhouse. The other was at 1:12 a.m. Sunday at Hillcrest.

Teacher Unit Names Two

The Iowa City Educators Association has organized a Political Action Committee of which Alvin Zimmerman and Jeanne Nelson have been named co-chairmen. Zimmerman is a social studies teacher at City High School and Mrs. Nelson a sixth grade teacher at Robert Lucas Elementary School.

The ICEA is the major representative body for teachers and other certified employees of the Iowa City School District.

Purpose of the committee, according to the ICEA, is to continue and improve education standards in the school district, promote awareness by the public of education issues, actively involve all ICEA members in the political process and support candidates favorable to quality education.

Contributions to support activities of the committee have been collected from members of the parent group.

Other ICEA members named to head subcommittees of the new unit are Don Reece, finance; Myrtle Rauer and Beth Engle, voter registration; Robert Moninger, precinct caucus; Beverly Spector, publicity; and Don Fett and Carolyn Eberly, candidate investigation.

Youth Faces Charge Of Larceny Under \$20

A charge of larceny under \$20 was filed by city police Sunday.

Steven E. Carpenter, 20, of Rochester, N.Y., was charged after a complaint Sunday from the Me Too Food Store at 26 South Van Buren Street.

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