

Father Offers Reward For Missing Daughter

A \$1,000 reward has been offered for information leading to the discovery of the body of Lynn Louise Schuller, who disappeared from her residence at 3100 Thirtieth street drive SE just over a year ago.

An intensive search of the area around the residence failed to turn up any substantial clues about the disappearance of the 26-year-old woman on Sunday, Aug. 9, 1972.

The reward was offered at a news conference called by an attorney for Mrs. Schuller's father Wednesday.

The attorney, Stephen B. Jackson, said the reward is being held in trust by himself and the missing woman's father, Harry Tickner, who is offering the reward.

He said persons with information that would help in the

discovery of Mrs. Schuller should contact him at his office at 205 United Fire and Casualty building, 116 Second avenue SE, phone number 319-362-3153, or Tickner, 6429 Russell, Minneapolis, Minn., 55432, phone number 612-569-7183.

Linn Sheriff Walter Grant in an interview with The Gazette said a 500-acre area around the Schuller residence has been combed on foot and about an additional 1,500 acres has been searched from the air with infrared devices.

He said it has been two or three months since any tips have been received in the case, with investigation of all the clues so far leading nowhere.

"The case is still open," he said, "and will remain open until it is resolved one way or the other."

Mrs. Schuller's husband, Keith, contacted officials the day after her disappearance.

He told officers he and the couple's young son left the house early Sunday to go fishing. Mrs. Schuller was absent when they returned about 12:30 p.m. Her bicycle also was missing.

Schuller said he and the boy left again, but returned a short time later to find the bicycle lying on its side in the front yard. Mrs. Schuller has not been seen since.

Charge Dropped

Later Schuller was charged with refusing to assist in the investigation of the case. Those charges were dismissed after a preliminary hearing last December, because of insufficient evidence.

A search of the Schuller residence last Aug. 28 resulted in the seizure of a number of items for possible use as evidence, including a snow shovel, spade, two knives and a machete.

C.R. Man Given Citizen's Award

Ken Hastie, of Cedar Rapids, received the Mid-Continent Regional Park and Recreation Conference citizen's award Tuesday night at the conference's awards banquet.

Hastie is a member of the Cedar Rapids plan commission. The award is given for outstanding contribution in the parks and recreation field in the state hosting the conference.

Joe Collins, Fremont, Neb., received the past president's award.

Final registration showed about 150 parks and recreation experts from six states and Canada attended the three-day conference at the Town House motor inn.

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Briefs Ordered In Suit About Military Crash

Briefs have been ordered in Cedar Rapids federal court in the case of a Cedar Rapids man seeking more information from the air force about an accident in which his son was killed.

Judge Edward J. McManus ordered that negotiations between the air force and David L. Brockway, 4245 Fox Meadow drive SE, continue until Sept. 13.

If the case is not settled by that time, briefs and replies are to be filed by Nov. 27.

In addition, the air force is ordered to turn over to the court the entire Aircraft Accident Safety Investigation pertaining to the Feb. 24, 1972, accident with the exception of two portions.

The report is to be sealed and remain confidential except as ordered by the court.

Brockway's son, David L. Brockway, jr., was killed when his A-37 jet crashed during a training mission at England air force base, La.

Brockway was provided portions of the investigation, but has appealed, seeking complete air force records on the accident.

As an alternative to release of the total investigation, Brockway has requested that Judge McManus release only portions he feels are public after examining the reports himself.

Airport Work Gets Started

Work began Wednesday on a runway overlay project at the Cedar Rapids airport, following action by the city council Wednesday morning.

One of the first orders of business at the council meeting was passage of a resolution approving acceptance of a grant offer from the Federal Aviation Administration.

The project will be funded by about \$1.6 million in federal funds and \$800,000 in general obligation bonds issued by the city.

Sheryl McVay Hurt in Mishap

Sheryl McVay, 17, of 1000 Eighth street NW, was treated at Mercy hospital and released Tuesday following a three-car accident on the First avenue bridge.

Police said she was a passenger in a car driven by Thomas Van Dusen, 17, of 101 C avenue NW, when the car was involved in a collision with one driven by Kenneth Logsdon, 17, of 785 Hillview drive, Marion. The Logsdon car then struck a car driven by Robert Michel, 17, of 610 Eighth street NW.

Van Dusen was charged with following another vehicle too closely.

Hayes Resigns, Blasts State, Civic Leaders

By Timothy Harper

DES MOINES (UPI) — Iowa Civil Rights Commission Director Alvin Hayes, formally announcing his resignation, Wednesday leveled a parting blast at state officials, lawmakers, businessmen and civic leaders for being unsympathetic to civil rights.

Hayes, director of the commission for four years, said he will assume the post of executive director of the Washington State Civil Rights Commission in Seattle Oct. 1. His last working day in Iowa will be Sept. 28.

The outspoken Hayes, a lawyer, said he is confident the civil rights commission will continue to expand in the future the anti-discrimination policies and stands he assumed.

Disillusioned

The director cited several specific instances where "the attitudes of Iowans" disillusioned him. "One state official, Art Claus of the comptroller's office, told me I might have to pay \$8,000 out of my pocket after we overspent our budget last year," Hayes said.

"I know of no other agency head threatened like this. Besides, at my salary, they will have a hard time collecting it," he added.

Hayes, currently earning \$16,500 per year, said he will receive a "substantial raise" in his new job.

He said he has had "generally good" relations with state officials and the Iowa legislature, but blamed the 1972 legislature's failure to approve his funding request which more than doubled the 1972 total as part of the reason he is leaving.

He said the commission currently has a 1,000 case backlog — double the number of cases backed up one year ago — and there is little chance of getting the caseload reduced without further funding in light of the upsurge of discrimination complaints from the elderly, handicapped, women and minorities in Iowa.

"I am amazed at the lack of understanding many people in state government and out in the state show about civil rights and the civil rights commission," Hayes said. "Many people refuse to acquaint themselves with the problems of discrimination and what the civil rights commission encounters in fighting it."

Main Danger

For example, he said, a Des Moines business man representing the Support Your Local Police Assn., recently asked Gov. Robert D. Ray to fire Hayes.

"I hope I can get that guy to say those things about me in public," Hayes said, "I'll sue him for a million dollars."

Hayes, who is black, warned that the main danger besides

the Iowa civil rights commission," he said, "my heart will always be here with it."

Magistrate's Court Actions

Man Sent to School Instead of \$300 Fine

Samuel McCumpsey, 2343 D avenue NE, pled guilty in magistrate's court to a charge of drunk driving and was sent to the school for drunk drivers at Kirkwood Community college in lieu of \$300 fine. He was arrested June 9.

Skylab Work Load Boosted

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Skylab 2's astronauts, allowed for meals, housekeeping and sleep.

The astronauts, in their 19th day in space, performed medical tests and spent hours observing the sun with telescope cameras. Bean also planned to fly a maneuvering device inside the dome.

The spacemen announced that one of about 50 minnow eggs aboard the space station hatched Tuesday night in what they called "the first birth ever noted in . . . space."



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City Briefs

Sunrise Optimists — Al Swegle, the Gazette farm editor, will speak at 7:30 a.m. Saturday at the Spring House.

Catholic Laymen — Rita Huber will speak on the topic: "Sexism in the Judeo-Christian Culture" at Friday noon's meeting at Bishops downtown.

For a special size candle of color, Rose's Candle Niche, Marion. — Adv.

TV Stolen — John Brown, 1963 B avenue NE, told police a television set valued at \$400 was stolen from his residence Tuesday.

Beauty Supplies, huge savings inventory reduction sale. Complete 1 operator beauty salon \$495. Cedar Rapids Beauty and Barber Supply, 117 8th St. SE. — Adv.

Meeting — The grant review committee for the regional planning commission will meet at 2 p.m. Friday in the sixth floor conference room of city hall.

Dean's List — Robert F. Wilson, jr., 1818 Ridgeway terrace SE, has been named to the dean's list for the spring term at Pennsylvania State university, University Park, Penn.

Cedar Rapids Paint and Design Studio will close at 12:30 on Saturdays. — Adv.

In Hospital — Tom Lowder, 1901 Williams boulevard SW, is a patient in the cardiac unit at St. Luke's hospital. No visitors are permitted.

Hutchins Janitor Services. Quality. 377-7448. — Adv.

Anyone who saw the accident between a car and motorcycle in front of The Sunbeam Thrift Store on 2nd St. SE August 13th, please call 366-3090. — Adv.

Mackin Diamond Vogel Paint Center, 2704 ML Vernon Rd. S.E. 365-8901. — Adv.

Stolen — Iowa Parcel Service, 503 Tenth street SW, reported a television set valued at \$100 was stolen from the building early Wednesday.

Hickory smoked barbecue ribs, shrimp and chicken served Wednesdays 6 to 9 p.m. Slickney's Scoreboard, Marion. — Adv.

Mint set sale: 1968-1972, three for \$10.00 (Wanted: 1973 sets). Jerome's. — Adv.

Theft Reported — Cedar Rapids Auto Auction, 4301 Sixth street SW, reported an adding machine and a public address system of undetermined value were stolen Tuesday.

E. C. Primmer, DDS, announces that he has assumed the practice of Jacob Eisenbach, DDS, at 3030 1st Ave. NE. All past records and histories remain available. — Adv.

Johnny's Parkway, Corner Ellis and "P", Thursday special Tenderloin Plate, vegetable, bread and butter, salad. Come as you are. Carry out orders. — Adv.

Thursday Noon Optimists — Ladies' Day luncheon will be held Thursday noon at the Elks club. Neil Townsend and Curly Thews will speak on the drug abuse problems in the Cedar Rapids schools.

Student doing research project wants to talk to people who have been through Linn County Commitment Hearing for admission to State Hospital at Independence. All names kept confidential. 398-3570. — Adv.