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Motorists Beware!

As summer vacation draws to a close, all of us who drive must again think about the school children. Within a few weeks throughout the country the ring of the school bell, figuratively at least, will knell the end of vacation.

Unwilling feet will wend slowly toward the schoolhouse door, and speedy, alert bodies controlled by unthinking, immature minds will again be darting in and out of traffic.

Nothing could be worse than running into a small child. Every driver dreads the thought of such a thing. But every driver must stay on his toes as school starts to avoid such an occurrence.

We have been very fortunate in Decatur and around the county this year in the low number of pedestrian deaths. But they can happen here when we let down our guard.

Keep your mind alert when you drive. Watch out for children. Give every pedestrian the right of way, if you can do so safely. And watch behind cars ahead of you for bobbing little heads. Be particularly careful near schools.

When you see a policeman ahead, giving signals, slow down. He's not their for his health—he's there for yours.

And watch out for school buses. In traveling over the state they will appear at all sorts of odd hours. Just slow down when you come to a hill—it's the only way you can be absolutely sure that a horrible accident isn't waiting for you just on the other side.

TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

WANE-TV

Channel 15

SATURDAY

Afternoon
12:00—Sky King
12:30—Armchair Adventure
12:45—Baseball
1:00—Pony League
Evening
6:00—Mama
6:30—Colonel Plank
7:00—San Francisco Beat
7:30—Perry Mason
7:50—Wanted: Dead or Alive
8:00—Mr. Lucky
8:30—Have Gun Will Travel
9:00—Gunsmoke
9:30—U.S. Marshal
10:00—Olympics
10:30—Night Freight
11:00—Born For Trouble
SUNDAY
Morning
6:00—Faith For Today
6:30—This Is The Life
7:00—Lamp Unto My Feet
7:30—Look Up And Live
8:00—Frontiers of Science
8:30—Camera 3
9:00—News
9:30—Call of the Canyon
Afternoon
12:00—Star Performance
12:30—Off to Adventure
1:00—Baseball
1:30—Willy
2:00—Charlie Chan
2:30—Science Fiction Theater
3:00—Face the Nation
Evening
6:00—Olympics
6:30—20th Century
7:00—Lassie
7:30—Dennis The Menace
8:00—Ed Sullivan
8:30—G.E. Theater
9:00—Alfred Hitchcock
9:30—Lucy in Connecticut
10:00—What's My Line
10:30—Sunday News Special
11:00—Olympics
11:30—Belt for Adano
MONDAY
Morning
7:30—Peppermint Theatre
7:45—Willy Wonderful
8:00—CBS News
8:15—Captain Kangaroo
9:00—Coffee Cup Theater
10:15—Debbie Drake Show
10:30—Video Village
11:00—I Love Lucy
11:30—Clear Horizons
Afternoon
12:00—Love of Life
12:30—Search for Tomorrow
1:00—Anne Colone Show
1:30—News
1:45—As the World Turns
2:00—Full Circle
2:30—Houseparty
3:00—The Millionaire
3:30—Verdict Is Yours
4:00—Brighter Day
4:15—Secret Storm
4:30—Edge of Night
5:00—Dance Date
Evening
6:00—Life of Riley
6:15—Now I'll Tell One
6:30—Tom Calenberg—news
6:45—Doug Edwards—news
7:00—Shogun Slade
7:30—Charles Farrell
8:00—The Texan
8:30—Father Knows Best
9:00—Talent Scouts
9:30—Spike Jones
10:00—Comedy Theater
10:30—June Allyson
11:00—Phil Wilson—News
11:30—Olympics
11:45—Perilous Holiday
WKJG-TV
Channel 33
SATURDAY
Afternoon
12:00—Yesterday's Newsreel
12:45—The On-Deck Circle
1:00—Baseball
1:30—Burns and Allen
2:00—Western Theater
2:30—Detective's Diary
3:00—Wrestling
Evening
6:30—The Three Mesquiteers
7:30—Bonanza
8:30—Man and the Challenge
9:00—The Deputy
9:30—World Wide '60
10:30—Interpol
11:00—The Saturday Edition
11:15—Men of Hoytown
SUNDAY
Morning
8:00—The Christophers
8:30—Americans at Work
9:45—How Christian Science Heals
10:00—Sacred Heart Program
10:15—Industry on Parade
10:30—This Is the Life
Afternoon
12:00—Two-Gun Playhouse

1:00—Yesterday's Newsreel
1:15—The On-Deck Circle
1:25—Baseball
1:40—Hopalong Cassidy
1:50—"Kathleen"
Evening
6:00—Meet The Press
6:30—Edwin Newman Presents
7:00—Overland Trail
7:30—Music On Ice
8:00—Chevy Show
8:30—Loretta Young Show
9:00—Byline: Steve Wilson
9:30—The Sunday Edition
10:00—Moon Over Miami
MONDAY
Morning
7:00—Today
7:30—Engineer John
8:00—Editor's Desk
8:15—Faith To Live By
8:30—Dough Re Mi
9:00—Play Your Hunch
9:30—The Price Is Right
10:00—Concentration
Afternoon
12:00—News
12:15—Weather
12:30—Farms and Farming
1:00—It Could Be You
1:15—Truth or Consequences
1:30—Burns and Allen
1:45—Queen For A Day
2:00—Loretta Young Theatre
2:30—Young Dr. Malone
3:00—From These Roots
3:30—Comedy Playhouse
4:00—Bozo Show
Evening
6:00—Gateway To Sports
6:15—News
6:30—Yesterday's Newsreel
6:45—Huntley-Brinkley Report
7:00—Cannonball
7:30—Riverboat
8:00—Wells Fargo
8:30—Peter Gunn
9:00—Goodyear Theatre
9:30—Life in the Thirties
10:00—News & Weather
10:30—Sports
11:00—Jack Paar
WPTA-TV
Channel 21
SATURDAY
Afternoon
10:30—Driving With Champions
11:00—Racing From 21
Evening
6:00—Little Western
7:00—27 Bengal Lancers
7:30—Dick Clark
8:00—High Road
8:30—Leave It To Beaver
9:00—Lawrence Welk
9:30—Jubilee U.S.A.
10:00—Wrestling From 21
10:30—Confidential File
SUNDAY
Afternoon
12:00—Herald of Truth
12:30—Oral Roberts
1:00—Baseball
1:30—I Spy
2:00—Hopalong Cassidy
2:30—Matty's Fundy Funnies
3:00—Lone Ranger
Evening
6:00—Comedy Time
6:30—Cisco Kid
7:00—Broken Arrow
7:30—Maverick
8:00—Lawman
8:30—Rebel
9:00—Alaskans
9:30—Johnny Staccato
10:00—Bill of Divorcement
MONDAY
Morning
11:30—Modern Almanac
Afternoon
12:00—Restless Gun
12:30—Love That Bob
1:00—About Faces
1:30—Sherlock Holmes
2:00—Day in Court
2:30—Gale Storm
3:00—Beat the Clock
3:30—Who Do You Trust
4:00—American Bandstand
4:30—Captain Gallant
Evening
6:00—Popeye and Rascals Show
6:30—Quick Draw McGraw
7:00—Popeye & Rascals Show
7:30—News
7:45—Coyenne
8:30—Bourbon Street Beat
9:30—Adventures in Paradise
10:30—Court Martial

Jackets To Have Depth At Quarter, Fullback Slots

(Editor's note: This is the fifth and last of a series outlining, position by position, the boys who will make up Decatur's 1960 football team.)

By Bob Shraluka

Today we take up the fullbacks and quarterbacks. Both positions are well taken care of in the depth department, but the fullback spot will definitely be inexperienced.

Running at full will be three sophomores, with the possibility of a halfback being moved in also. Slated to be in the opening lineup was 5-8, 165-pound sophomore Bill Conrad, but "Connie" suffered a knee injury last week and is now listed as a doubtful starter. Once Bill's knee recovers, though, he could very easily win his job back. Bill is ideal for the fullback position as he is not only strong and rough but is fast also. He is a vicious blocker and when he isn't carrying the ball he looks for somebody to knock down, which too many others don't do. He is fast and can pick up three or four yards with any kind of blocking at all. He was slated to start as linebacker on defense, but whether his knee will permit him to get back in the lineup is a question that can't be answered at the present time.

If Conrad isn't ready, sophomores Ron Thieme and Dave Gay or halfback Dennis Ahr could take over. Thieme is a 5-9, 165-pounder with powerful legs. He can move fairly well, too. Ron likes to play the slot and will run over somebody if he can't get around them.

Gay is 5-10 and weighs 145 pounds and is gaining valuable experience all the time. With a little game action under his belt he could really be tough. He and Thieme can both play a good defensive game.

The third possibility is Ahr, who was discussed yesterday with the halfbacks. He has been running some from fullback since Conrad's injury and may be the starting fullback.

They always say save the best for last and that's what we've done. The quarterback position appears to be sound and solid and there is only one thing that can weaken it. That is the intangible item called "desire" but so far the quarterback spot appears to have plenty of it.

The likely starter is senior Johnny Cowan, an athlete who has all the tools to become great. But the first time John even so much as thinks of slowing up, junior Max Eichenauer is ready to take over.

John hasn't shown any signs of taking it easy as yet and looks to be ready to do an outstanding job. Cowan is as close to a "natural" as anyone on the team. He is quick, and at 5-11, 155 pounds has some strength to go along with his agility. He has a wonderful pair of lightning-quick hands which is the trademark of any quarterback. He can fake wonderfully and his passing, although not too accurate, is good enough to get the job done. And anytime John can't find a man to throw to, he can get loose and at least get the ball back to the scrimmage line, if not go all the way. John, who is at the head of his high school class, also possesses the brains and quick thinking that a good quarterback must have.

As stated before, if Cowan ever lays down on the job, Max Eichenauer will be ready and able. Max doesn't possess all the qualities of Cowan, but whatever he lacks he certainly makes up for with that intangible item "desire." He is a 5-10, 160 pounder who never gives up no matter how tough the going gets, as he showed during the latter part of the last basketball season. He doesn't have much experience, but the way he plays the game it wouldn't take

much to make him outstanding. "Ike" has a real good throwing arm and can run. These aren't his only qualities though, as he, like Cowan, can think and put his thoughts to good use. Both he and Cowan, according to which one is playing, will be playing defensive half.

Well that wraps it up, at least the thumbnailing of the players. The biggest and hardest part is yet to come. It is the hope of this writer that the boys don't read these clippings too often, because they are just looking at their good points. It is also this writer's hope that the men on the 1960 Decatur high school football team don't let him down after all the good things he has tried to say about them, because if they don't work hard and put forth something extra, that can always be put in the paper also. It doesn't take a winning season to make a good ball club, rather, just a bunch of guys who go out and do their best and work their hardest, not only for their fans, but the fine coaching staff that is behind them all the way.

It won't be long now to the Angola game on Sept. 6, so let's keep working, gang, and put Decatur back on the football map.

City Softball Meet Finals Next Week

Klenks, McMillen and Tony's Tap are the three teams left in the city softball tournament, with Preble and the Merchants being eliminated this week.

Tuesday, McMillen will play Tony's Tap with the loser being eliminated and the winner meeting Klenks Friday for the championship. If Klenks, undefeated in the double elimination tournament, should lose the first game Friday, a second game would have to be played the same night to determine the champion. Tuesday's game will start at 8:15 and the Friday game will begin at 7 o'clock.

Tuesday of this week, Preble defeated and eliminated the Merchants with a 10-0 win. Mentor hurled the shut out for Preble, with Ewell catching. D. Black and G. Black were the battery for the Merchants.

In the first game Friday, Klenks outslugged Tony's 15-9. Hoopen-gardner and Rowden were the Klenks battery and Fleming and Busse were the combination for Tony's.

In the second game, McMillen knocked Preble out of the tournament with an 11-1 win. Harvey did the chugging for McMillen with Ralph Canales backstopping. Macke was the Preble hurler, with Ewell Catching.

Display Trophies, Ribbons For Show

The trophies and ribbons which will be awarded at the sheriff's posse benefit horse show are now on display in the window at Price's Mens Wear. The show, which is sponsored by the sheriff's posse, will be held Sept. 18 at Bellmont park, starting at 1 p.m.

SPORTS

Booster Club Plans Annual Member Drive

The Decatur high school Booster club will begin its annual membership drive Monday. President Ray Eichenauer has announced the names of seven men who, with three yet to be added, will form a committee to lead the drive. The Booster club currently has 110 members and is setting a goal of 150 for the coming year.

Committeemen named are, Fred Isch, John Isch, Jim Cowens, Norm Steury, Dick Reidenbach, Ray Eichenauer and Gail Grabill. The names of the other three will be announced Monday.

The club's officers for the 1960-61 year are Ray Eichenauer, president; Norm Steury, vice president; Dick Reidenbach, secretary; and Jim Cowens, treasurer. The three-man board of directors includes Fred Isch, Gerald Strickler and Gail Grabill.

The Booster club was started back in 1955 when a group of men decided to give the members of the football team a small banquet. Some of the men got to thinking after the banquet as to having a small organization and put on the same banquet each year. The men elected Bud Anspaugh as their president. The next year the group decided to form something of a Booster club to support athletics in Decatur high school. Now the small group has grown into a large group of 110 members shooting for a record goal of 150 memberships for the 1960-61 year.

That little banquet for the football team was actually the first project of the club. The club's last project can now be seen anywhere around the area of Worthman field. It is the new schedule board and its shows the remarkable progress the club has made since 1955. The board is 15 feet wide and 12 feet high, and in another few days it will contain the complete schedule of the Decatur high school football team. The sign, which reads across the top, "Worthman Field, Home of the Yellow Jackets," is a beautiful and welcome addition to the field.

Thursday night the board was complete with the guy wires put up and the sign capped in aluminum. Jim Cowens, Fred Isch, Ray Seitz, Bob Worthman, Ray Eichenauer, Bud Anspaugh, Norm Steury and Charlie Arnold were the men who finished.

Some of the other worthwhile projects of the club were the erecting of a new flag pole at the field in 1957, the building of dugouts for baseball in 1959, the annual Parent's night at a home football game, homecoming night in 1958 and the annual football banquet which has grown quite a bit since that first year, and many others. The club also helps with the annual D-club banquet each year.

The club already has three of four new projects in the fire. One will be the awarding of a most valuable player award for the outstanding player in this year's football games and another award for the most tackles in a game. Similar awards will be given in basketball.

Parent's night will be the opening game this year and a homecoming night will be held later in the season and it will be bigger

and better than ever.

This is one of the most worthwhile clubs of any kind that has ever been organized in Decatur and as shown by their progress since 1955, the bigger the club the more and better projects. Membership is \$5 and includes two free meals, the football banquet and D-club banquet.

The drive starts Monday, and it is the hope of the club that the 150 goal is not only obtained, but even exceeded.

Lewis Smith Named Judge Pro Tempore

Lewis L. Smith, prominent Decatur attorney, has been acting as judge pro tempore Friday and today in the absence of Judge Myles F. Parrish. Parrish appointed Smith last week, granting him full power and authority during the two day tenure.

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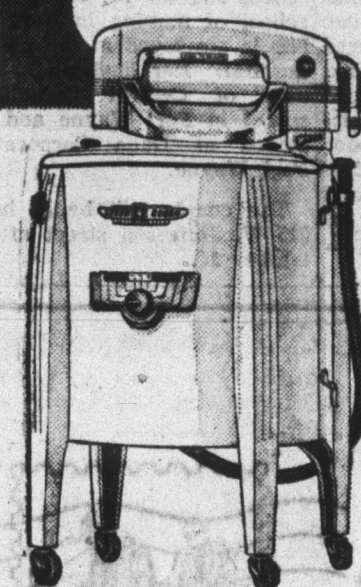
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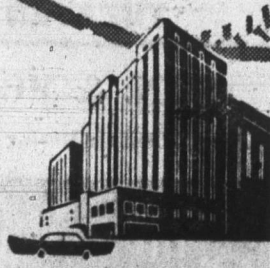
MOVIES

DRIVE-IN

"Gunfighters of Abilene" Fri. & Sat. at 8 p.m. "Babette Goes to War" 9:30. "Sally Benson—Invincible Invaders" From the Terrace Sun. & Mon. at 8 p.m.

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