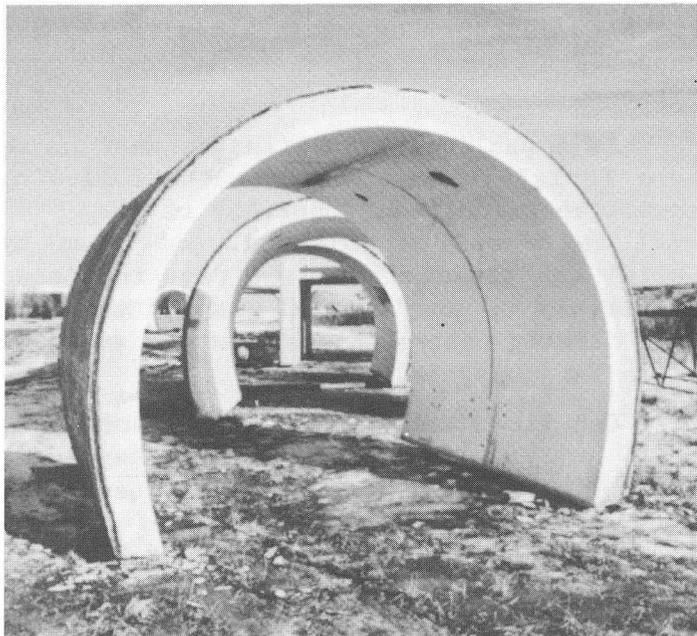


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New Use For Old Tunnel

Phil Livdahl has announced that the old sections of the Main Ring tunnel will become part of a new construction project--"The Tunnel of Love". The tunnel will run the length of the reflecting pond. The boat concession will be run by Drasko Jovanovich, ex-M.C. of the *Newlywed Game*. Proceeds from the Tunnel of Love will help support NALWO.

Lederman Named Football Coach at Math-Science Academy

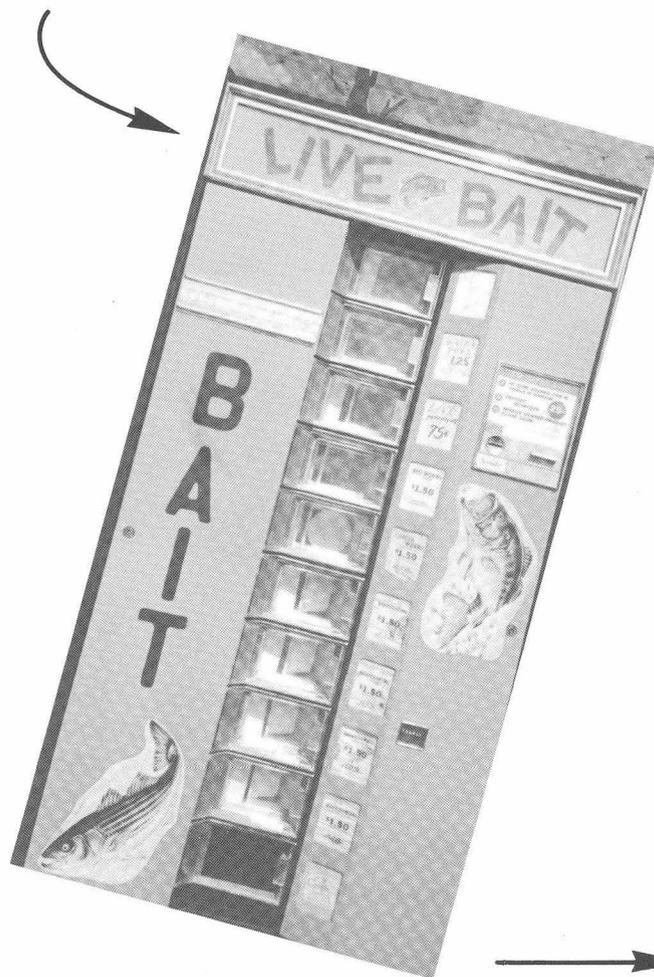
Fermilab Director Leon Lederman will assume duties as athletic director and head football coach of the Illinois math-science academy. A little-known fact about Lederman is that he was consensus All-American tailback on the 1937 Columbia University national championship football team. Lederman was known for his toughness, as exemplified by his refusal to wear a helmet. In a press conference at the team's spring training site, Lederman unveiled his revolutionary new offense - the single-wing. When asked if he intends to use a 4-6 defense, he replied that he intended to use all 11 players. Lederman denied the rumor that he was hired because of his uncanny resemblance to 49ers' Head Coach Bill Walsh.

Users Center News

Fermilab Activities Office Manager Marilyn Paul has announced that the Users Center has changed its name to Club Med-Batavia. In joining the Club Med system, the Users Center will be able to offer a wide variety of social activities not currently available, such as tanning sarcophagi, banal chit-chat, and vacationing dentists. The acceptance of the Users Center into the Club Med system is a result of the tireless efforts of Marilyn, who is also responsible for the extensive Club renovation efforts, including the new, gleaming paint job. Anyone interested in Club Med-Batavia activities should contact Marilyn any night at the Club.

Self-Serve Sushi On Site

Fermilab Food Services Manager John "Big Tuna" Barry today announced that a sushi vending machine will soon be available in the vending area of Wilson Hall. Fermilab young urban professional Estia Eichten has pushed long and hard for sushi-on-site. Among the selections available are river dogs, night crawlers, and Barry's favorite, crayfish.



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Oops, we goofed!

In the last issue of **FermiNews**, we reported that Associate Director Bruce Chrisman will take a leave of absence from Fermilab to represent Burger King as "Herb." The article should have read that Theory Group Head Chris Quigg will play Herb. Look for Chris at a Burger King near you!

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Edward "Rocky" Kolb (that's K-O-L-B) of the Fermilab Astrophysics Group submitted the above material and said he'd give us his giant ball of superstrings if we didn't identify him as the author. We said, Sure, kid, hand it over.

FermiQuiz #1



These recently acquired, personalized license plates, photographed in the Fermilab parking-lot, are on the car belonging to:

- A) Walter Jacobsen
- B) Leon Lederman
- C) Hamlet

Survival Tips for the 80s

As Fermilab sails onward into the '80s, as HEP and environs become more and more complex and it's no longer just a simple matter of getting up, coming to work, and flipping the switch that turns the Accelerator on, the inevitable has happened: committees, committees, committees.

As a public service (that's what we're here for) **FermiNews** presents the following committee guidelines (courtesy of *The Official Rules* by Paul Dickson, published by Delta) for those of you who have committee membership in your future. As for those of you already selected to serve, we hope we're not too late.

Committee Rules. (1) Never arrive on time, or you will be stamped a beginner. (2) Don't say anything until the meeting is half over; this stamps you as being wise. (3) Be as vague as possible; this prevents irritating the others. (4) When in doubt, suggest that a subcommittee be appointed. (5) Be the first to move for adjournment; this will make you popular - it's what everyone is waiting for.

Issawi's Laws of Social Motion. *Committo-Dynamics, Second Law of:* The less you enjoy serving on committees, the more likely you are to be pressed to do so. (If you do not like committees, you keep quiet, nod your head, and look wise while thinking of something else and thereby acquire the reputation of being a judicious, co-operative colleague; if you enjoy committees, you talk a lot, make many suggestions and are regarded by the other members of the committee as a nuisance.)

Oeser's Law [or How to Tell How You're Doing]: There is a tendency for the person in the most powerful position in an organization to spend all his or her time serving on committees and signing letters.

Knoll's Law of Media Accuracy: Everything you read in the newspapers is absolutely true except for that rare story of which you happen to have firsthand knowledge.

Abbott's Admonitions: (1) If you have to ask, you're not entitled to know. (2) If you don't like the answer, you shouldn't have asked the question.