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CHECK POINT To Smokey Bear District forest lands was operated Sunday by Harvey Foster, left, of the White Mountain Search and Rescue and Darrell Stierwalt, of the Forest Service, to advise travelers the forest is closed to open fires, smoking, hiking and backpacking. Roving patrols will enforce closure restrictions throughout Lincoln National Forest.

FOREST CLOSED!

The Lincoln National Forest — due to extreme danger of fire — is closed to backpacking, hiking, camping with open fires and smoking, except in vehicles equipped with an ash tray.

The closure will remain in effect, Charles Mook, fire prevention

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C-C manager named

John Hobbs, 30, of Westlake Village, California, will assume his duties as manager of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce July 11, Chamber president Earl Scott announced at today's director's luncheon.

Hobbs replaces C. Richard Cotheron who resigned April 30, after a tenure beginning July 9, 1973, to enter private business here.

"The fact that John was selected by an overwhelming majority of the board from over 100 applicants shows the kind of man we think he is," Larry Scarborough, chairman of the selection committee, said today. "He stood out all through the lengthy selection process. John is qualified — but just as important — he really wanted to become our Chamber manager."

Hobbs' background includes real estate sales and leasing, industrial development consultant and assistant manager of the Development and Environmental Division, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce and serving as executive director of the Ventura County Economic Development Association, all in California where he has lived from January of 1972 to the present.

He is a veteran of the United States Air Force and served as an administrative assistant in the Minnesota House of Representatives.



JOHN HOBBS
Chamber manager

Married, he is the father of a son, Gregory, 8.

Hobbs expects to arrive in Ruidoso July 7.



MELINDA SIDWELL
Cinderella Miss



ALICIA POUNDS
Cinderella Tot

Ruidoso boasts two winners in state pageant

Two Lincoln County girls were state winners at the Cinderella Girl Pageant held last week in Portales.

Melinda Sidwell, 10, Capitan, was selected as New Mexico's Cinderella Miss. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sidwell of Capitan.

Alicia Pounds, 5, Ruidoso, was chosen as New Mexico's Cinderella Tot. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pounds.

Other area girls receiving awards were: Laura Elaine Wilson, 9, Ruidoso, was chosen as second alternate in the Miss

Cinderella Miniature Miss, Miss Photogenic — most original, best vocalist and Miss Congeniality. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Tina Killen, 13, Ruidoso, was selected as third alternate in the Miss Cinderella Teen contest and Miss Photogenic — full length. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Killen.

Kateri Sanchez, 7, Ruidoso, traveled to the pageant as the local talent winner and received an award for her novelty act; Kateri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sanchez.



RUIDOSO CINDERELLA GIRLS winning awards in the state pageant at Portales, from the left, Kateri Sanchez, novelty act; Laura Wilson, second alternate Miss Cinderella Miniature Miss and Miss Photogenic, most original; and Tina Killen, third alternate Miss Cinderella Teen and Miss Photogenic, full length.

Me Francis wins Rio Grande

Me Francis, a filly ridden by Leroy Coombs, refused to be intimidated by the classy credentials of Hopeful Journey and pulled out a slim victory in Sunday's 10th running of the Rio Grande Kindergarten Futurity at Ruidoso Downs.

As the field swept down the homestretch of the four-furlong classic, it was a three-cornered battle for the lead between Me Francis in the middle, Asian Lady on the rail and Hopeful Journey, the heavy favorite, on the outside.

Matters looked like a tossup about 100 feet from the wire. But Me Francis simply didn't wilt when put to crunching pressure by Hopeful Journey. She grimly fought off the people's choice and muscled under the finish with a neck lead.

Hopeful Journey, in turn, was only a nose in front of Asian Lady. The winning time was 46 1-5 seconds.

Me Francis is owned by Ernest and Melvin Riggs of Ft. Stockton, Texas. The winning share out of the \$32,590 gross purse was \$16,295. Me Francis returned \$15.20 to win, \$6.60 to place, \$4 to show. The filly now has a commendable 3-1-0 record from five career starts. H. Ray Elkins does the training.

Hopeful Journey, owned by B. Raymond Evans of Tulla, Texas, refunded \$3.40 and \$3 as a 3-2 shot. Carlos Rivas was aboard. The tote price on Asian Lady was \$3.40. Gary Sumpter did the piloting.

Sunday's mile co-feature went to Free Dealin, who sprinted into an early lead, then showed surprising power in the stretch. He won by nearly two lengths and paid \$5.20. Rivas was the man in the saddle.

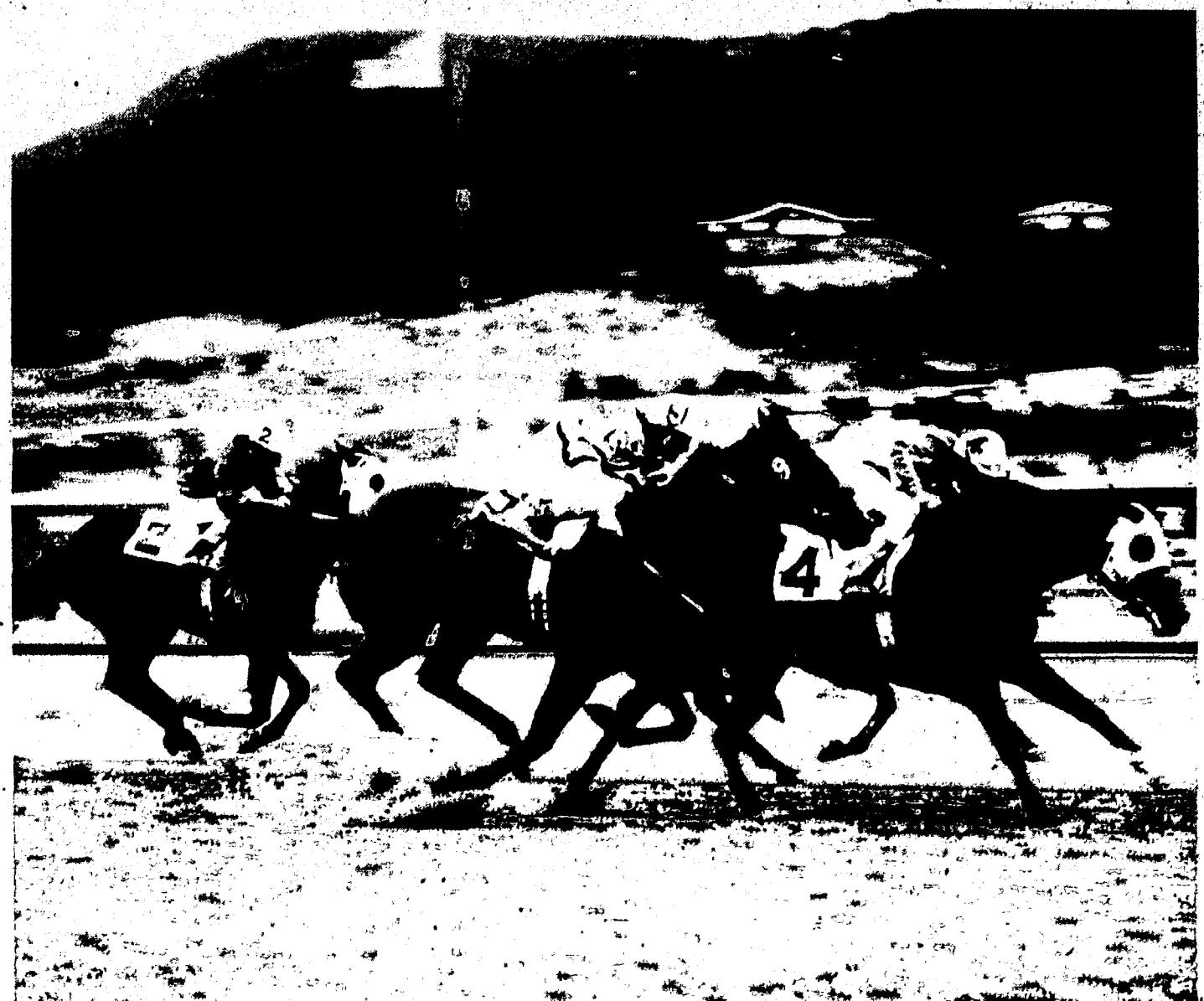
Sawyer robbery suspect caught

A suspect in the diamond jewelry robbery of Dossie Sawyer at her Tatum ranchhouse was being held in Lea County jail without bond following arraignment Friday.

Jerry Ray James, 38, Hollywood Station, Ruidoso, was charged with conspiracy to commit armed robbery and with being an accessory to armed robbery.

James was arrested here by New Mexico State Police officers, Lincoln County sheriff's deputies, Ruidoso Downs police officers and officers of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Ruidoso Police Department.

Officials said the missing jewelry was valued at about \$100,000, none of which has been recovered.



ME IN THE MIDDLE — Me Francis, No. 4, lunges toward the finish line at Ruidoso Downs for a fighting neck win in Sunday's \$32,590 Rio

Grande Kindergarten Futurity at Ruidoso Downs. Leroy Coombs was up. Hopeful Journey, the 3-2 favorite, closed futilely on the outside.

Davis wins \$23,542 Big Q

Herbert Davis of Levelland, Texas, hit the jackpot to the tune of \$23,542 in Sunday's Big Q wagering at Ruidoso Downs.

Davis, who invested \$200 in his Big Q wagering, wound up as the lone winner and collected the entire jackpot. The \$23,582 figure is probably a New Mexico record,

according to mutuels manager Jerry Knott.

The object of the Big Q is to select the top two finishers (in either order) in two consecutive races. At Ruidoso Downs, the Big Q covers the 8th and 9th races.

The horse which triggered the Big Q

bonanza was Li'l Charger, who finished second as a 5-1 longshot in the 8th race. Mike's Glory (9-2) won that one. At this point, there were only 94 "live" tickets.

These 94 tickets were trimmed down to one good one when the 9th race went to Miss Hay Bug (6-1) with Eye's Of Excitement (8-1) running second.

Reseeding fire area possible

Information on the amount of funds needed to rehabilitate segments of the 110 acres of land burned in the Moon Mountain area forest fire last month is being gathered by Ruidoso village manager Jim Hine.

Disaster money is available through the state to aid in the clearing and reseeding, but in order to obtain it the city must establish that a disaster occurred and that it lacks funds in its budget to deal with the crisis.

"As far as the city having any money goes, we don't," Hine said. He will "work with the Forest Service" to determine the cost of replanting and cleaning up, but said what the city can do on private land is questionable.

A little over half the burned acreage is privately owned, according to United States Forest Service (USFS) figures. The USFS set damage estimates at \$2,000 to

timber, \$87,000 to the watershed and \$90,000 to buildings.

Al Lovato, State Planning Office, said, "The village needs to do a certain amount of cleanup and perhaps some rehabilitation . . . The question is, is this an emergency situation in terms of the village budget? . . . My understanding is that the cost of suppressing the fire, to the village was not extremely large."

He said if the village budget would be strained by the necessity of "providing continuous services" from the same funds which would be used to clean and rehabilitate the area destroyed, Hine should write to him and present the situation.

"The magnitude of the loss is a very difficult thing to measure," Lovato said. The loss of the watershed is serious,

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State educators meeting here

The New Mexico State Board of Education will hold their June meeting today and tomorrow in the Ruidoso High School library, Pat Valliant, Ruidoso Schools superintendent, has announced.

Following welcome remarks by Dave Parks, Ruidoso Board of Education president, and Valliant, the board will:

— Discuss transportation.

— Hear a report from the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.

— Hear a report from the New Mexico Activities Association.

— Approve a students rights and responsibilities regulation.

— Hear a report on the Legislative School Study Committee meeting.

— Hear a report on Indian education.

— Discuss textbook contracts.

Tomorrow the board will:

— Hear a report from the state board subcommittee on teacher preparation and certification.

— Hear a report from the finance and personnel committee.

The state board usually meets in Santa Fe, but tries to hold about four of the monthly meetings in other parts of the state.

How Prissy Gold Digger won the Kansas Futurity



THINGS GOT CROWDED, left, as the gates opened and the speedsters took off



EVERY JOCKEY was busily urging his mount to a greater burst of speed



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EVEN HERE, Prissy Gold Digger, third from right had moved into the lead



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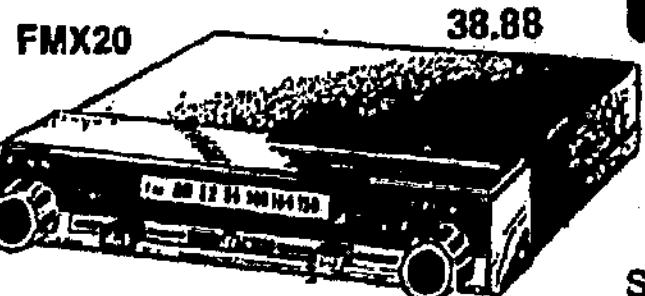
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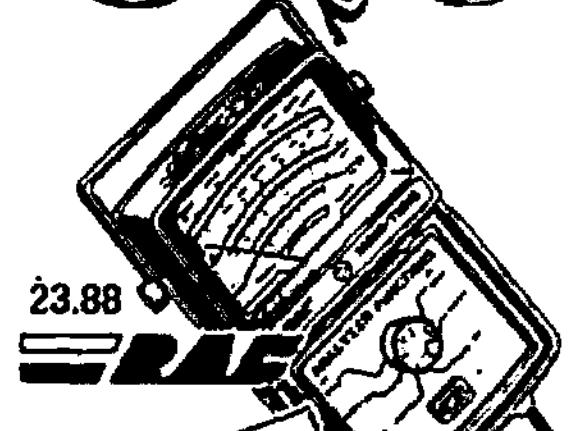
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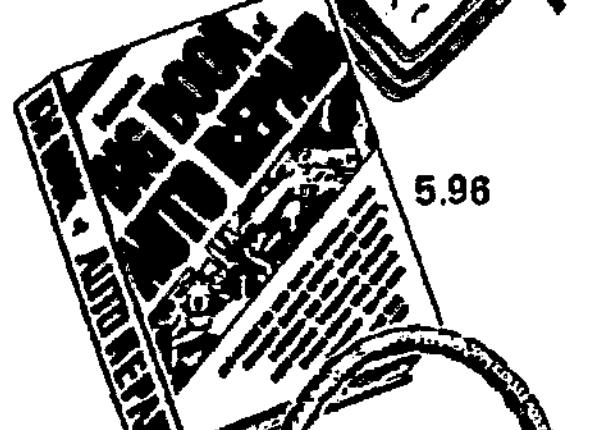
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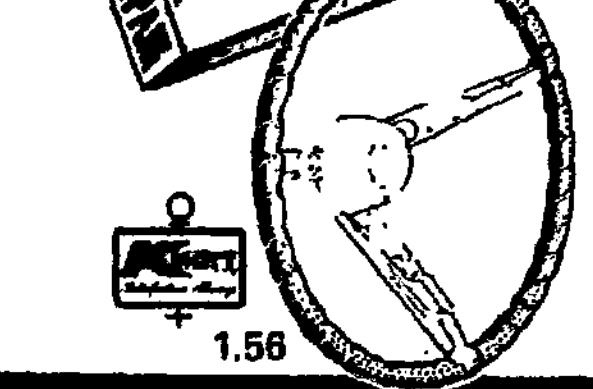
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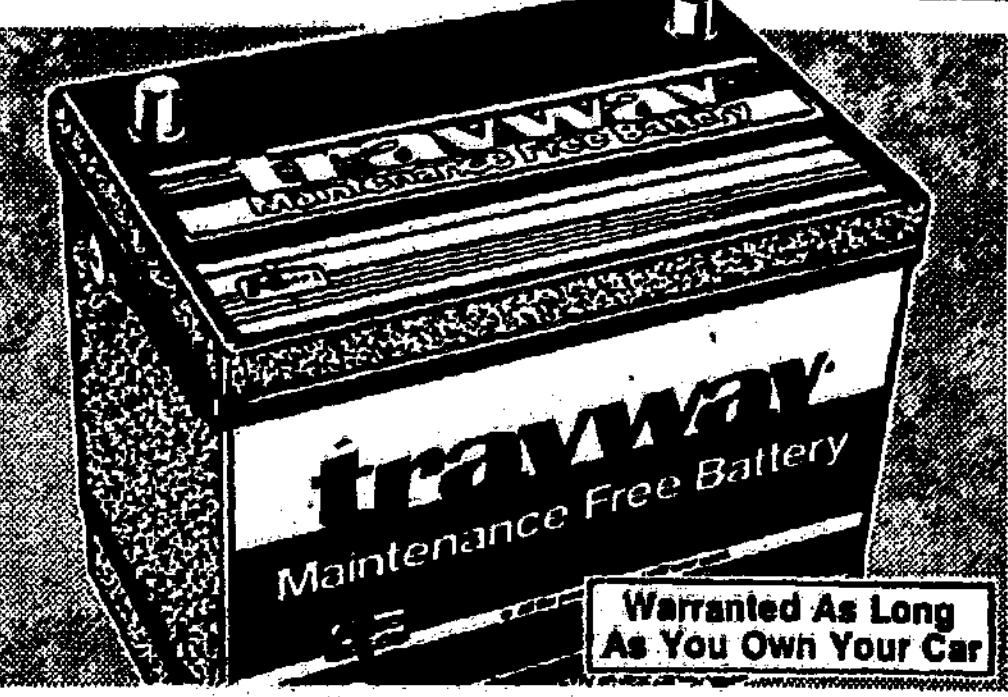
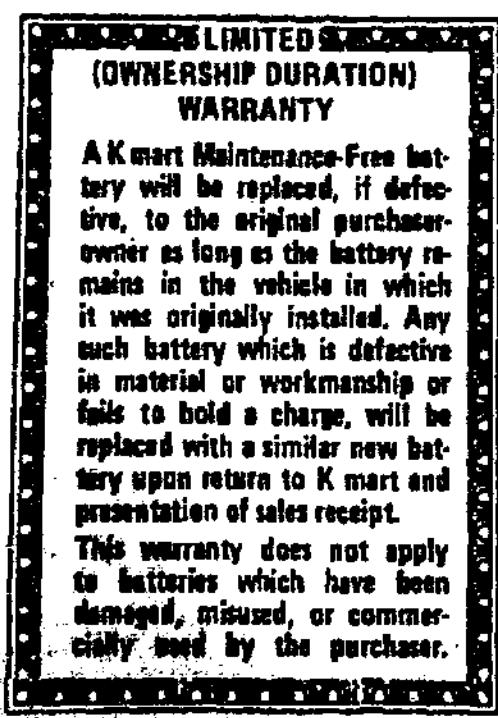
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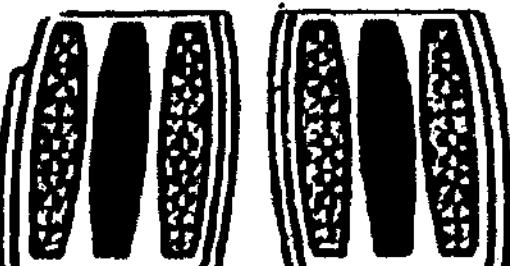
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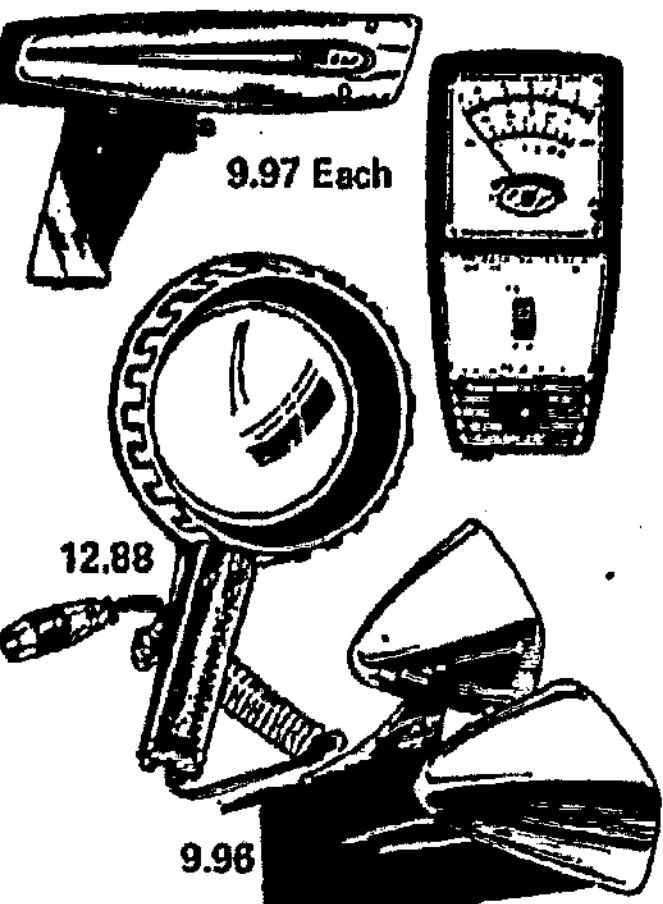


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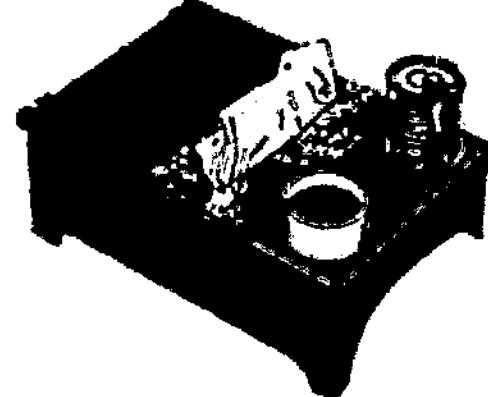
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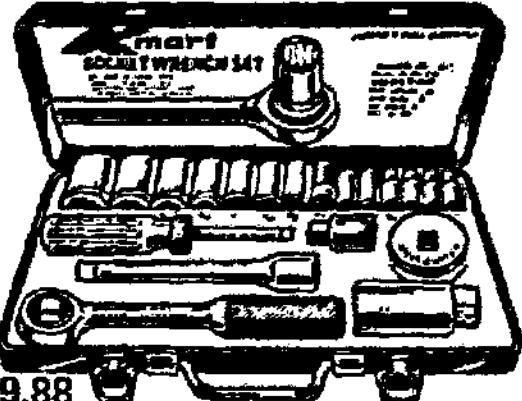
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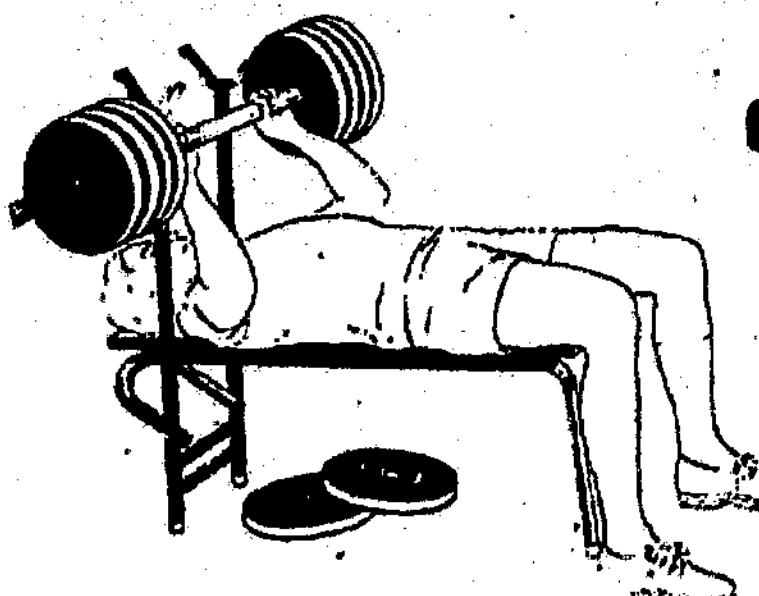
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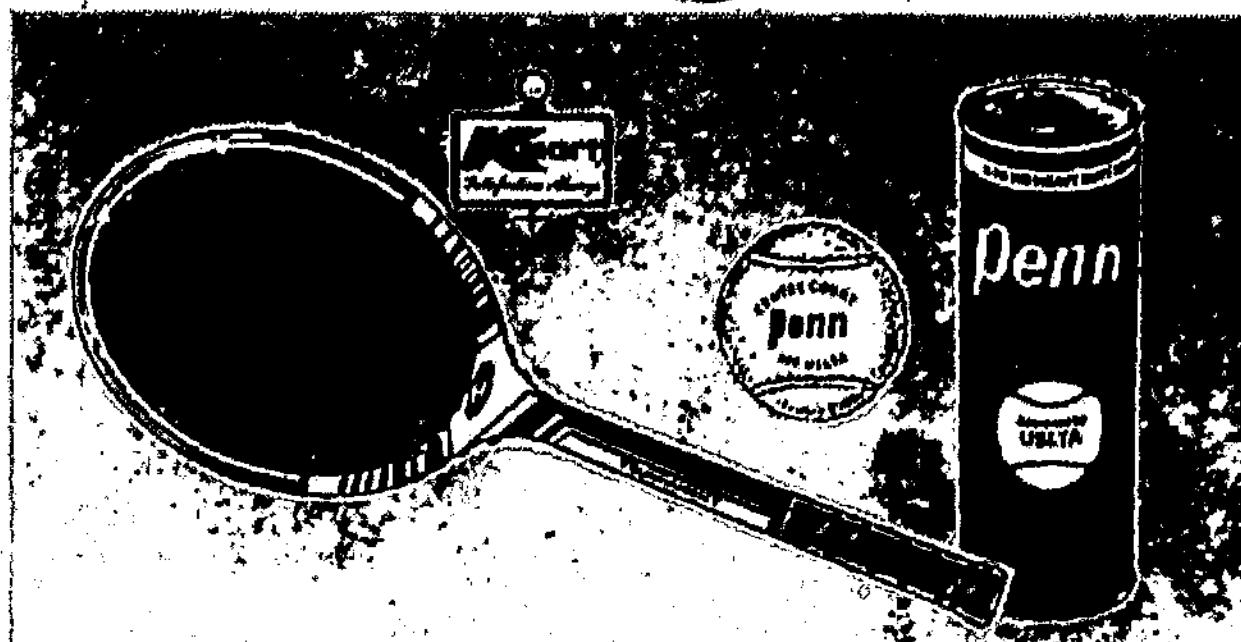
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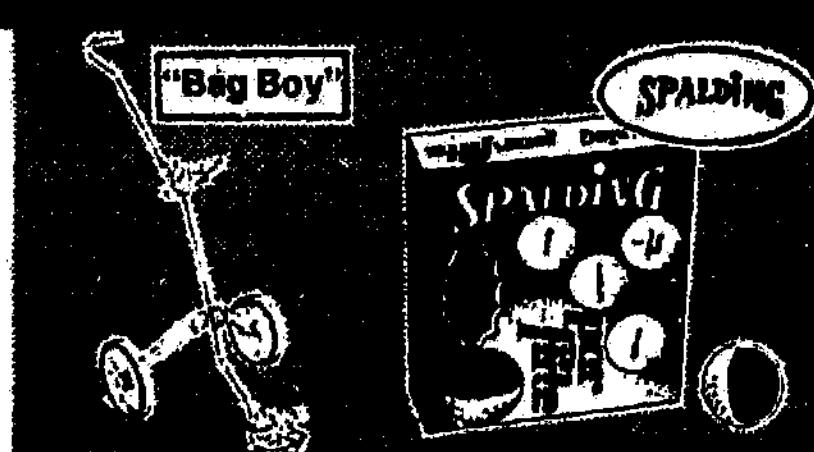
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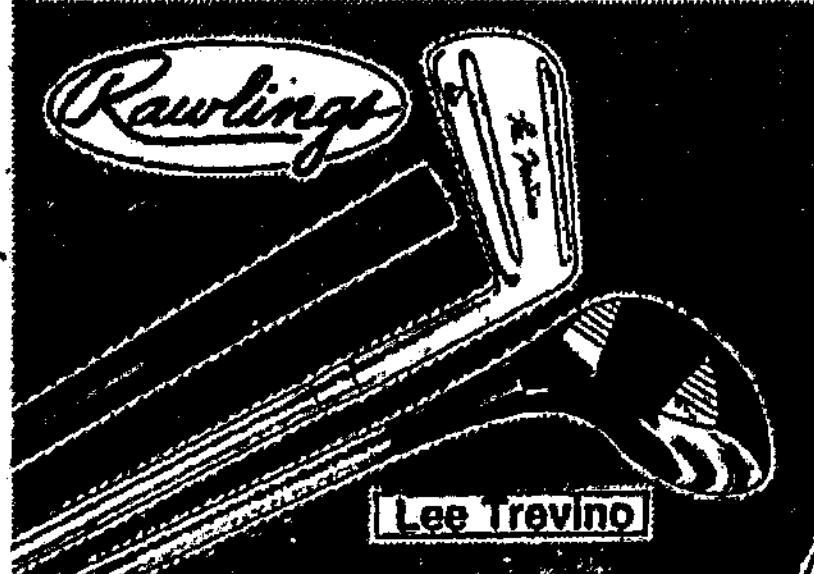
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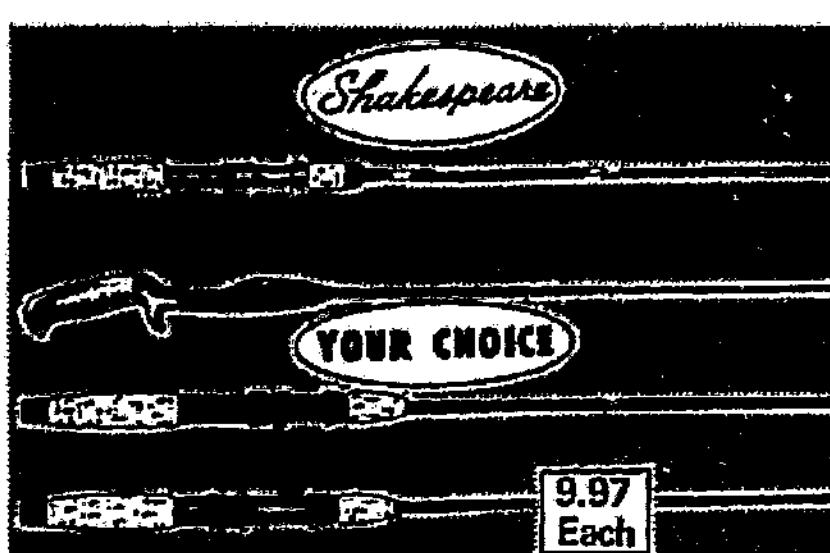
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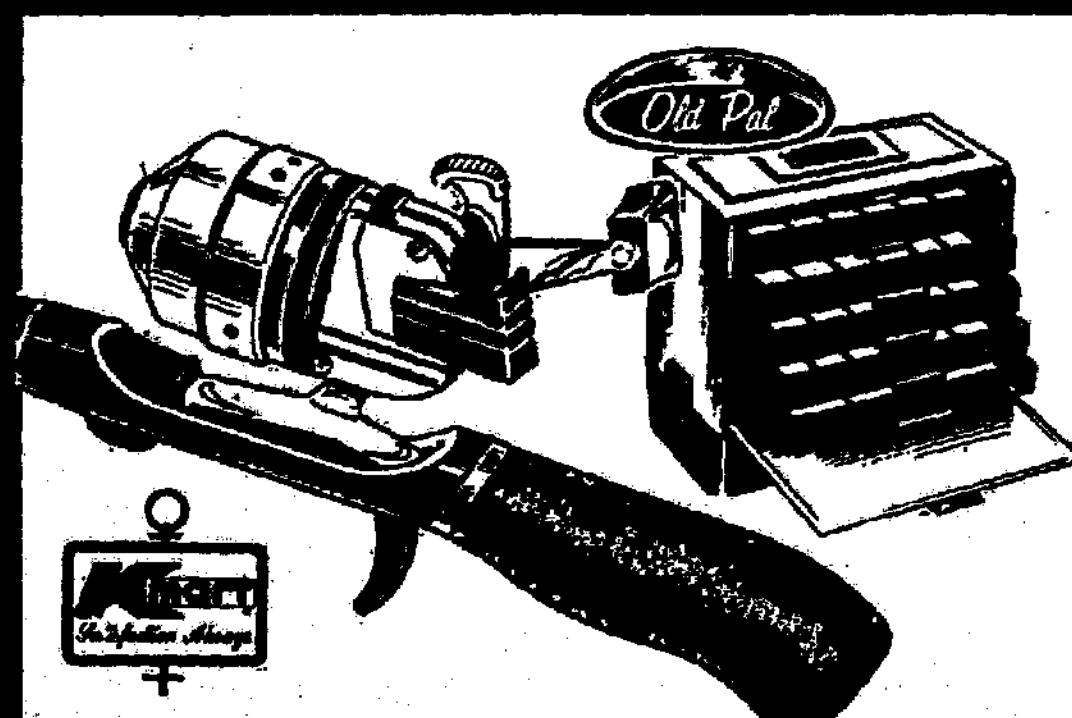
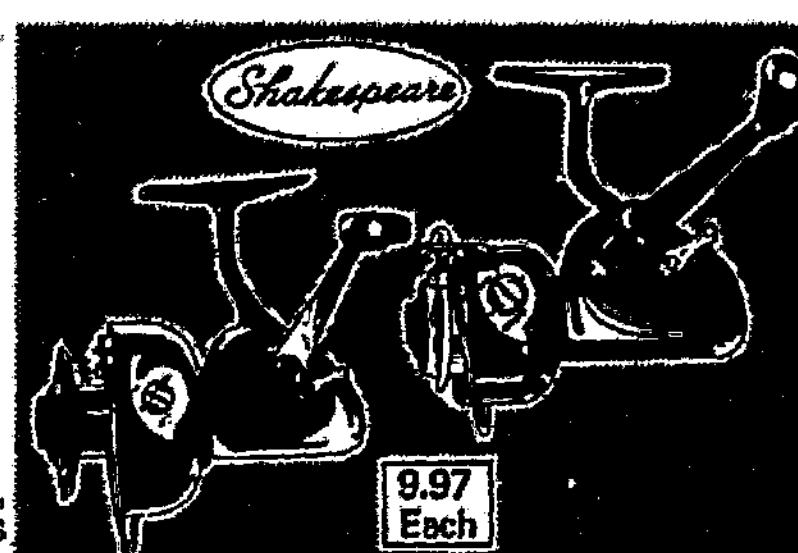
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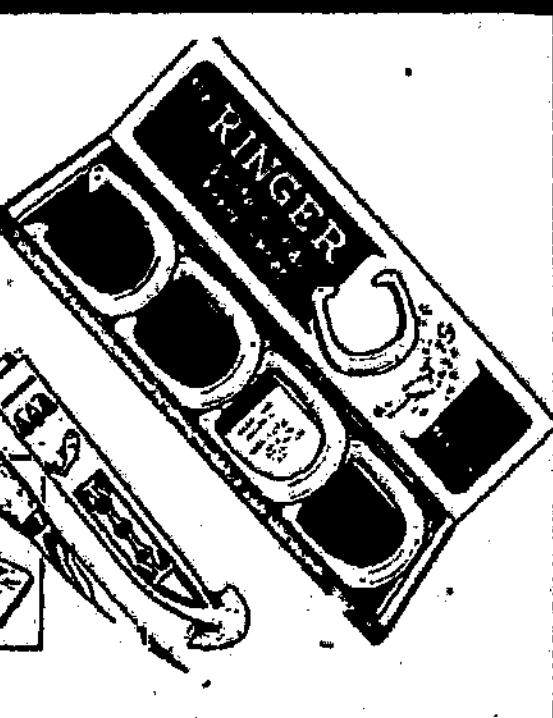


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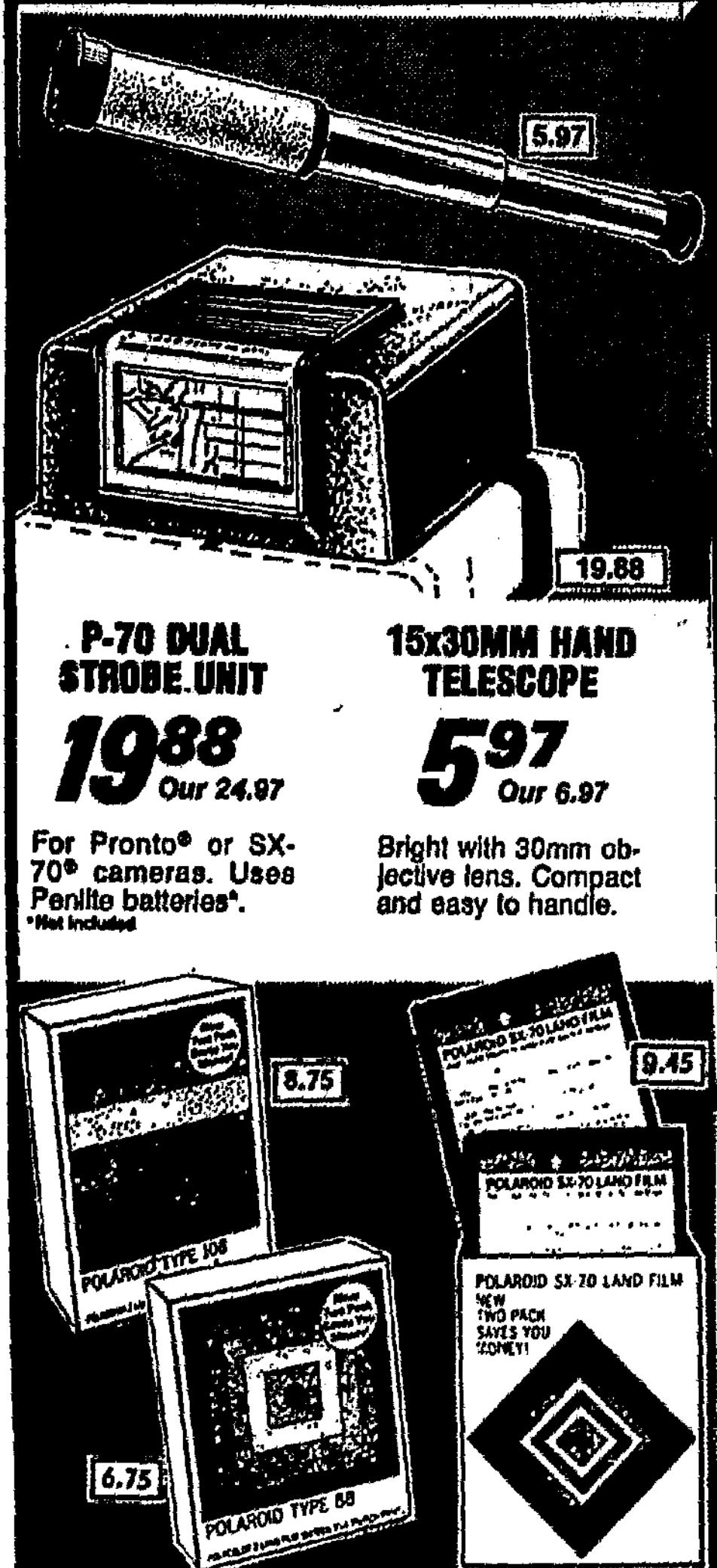
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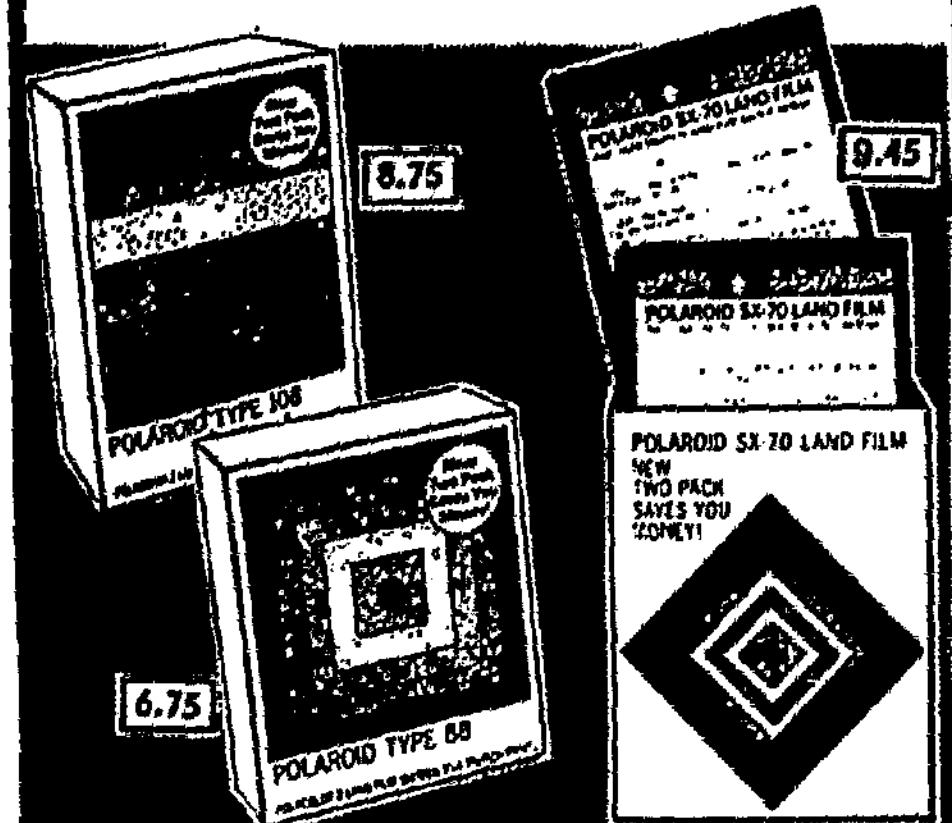
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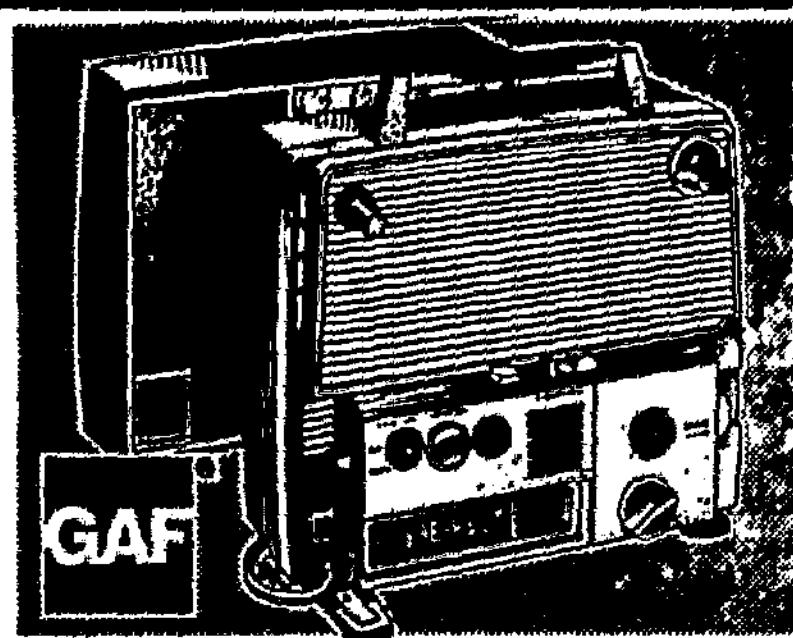
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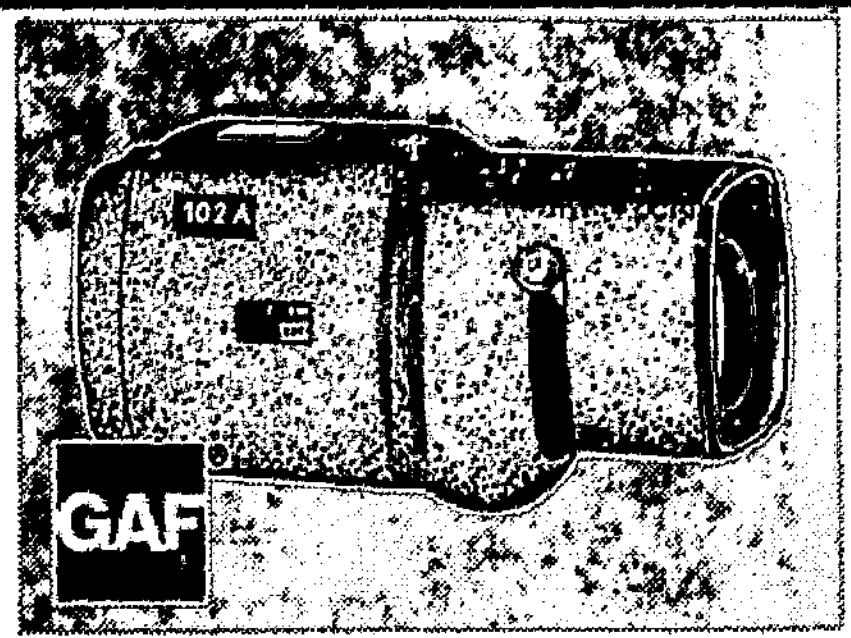


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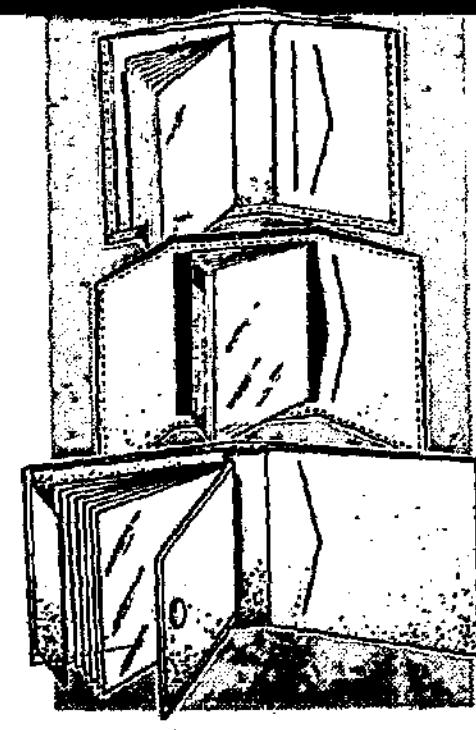


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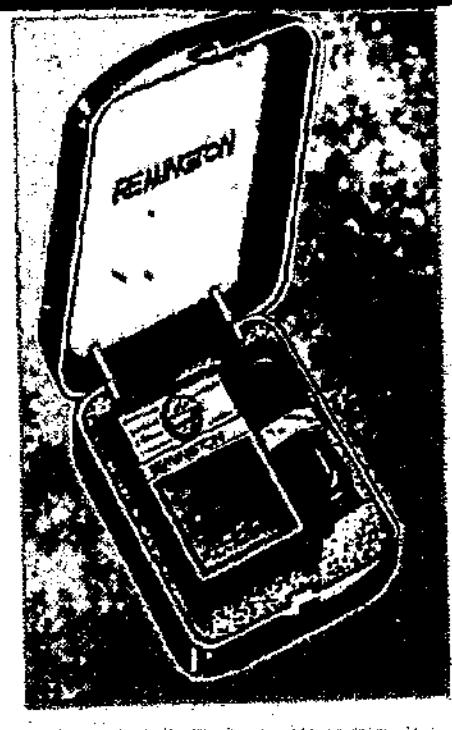


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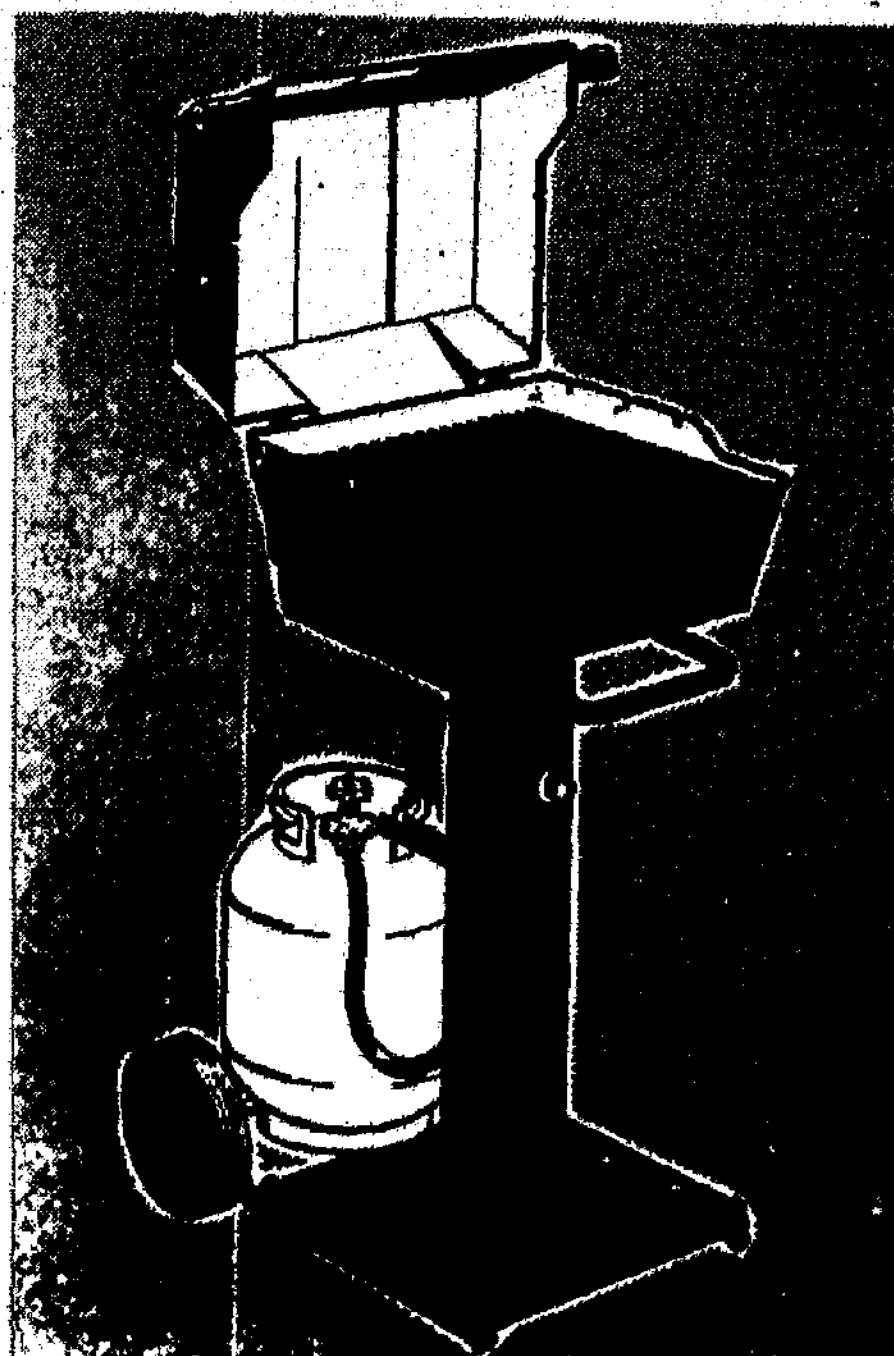


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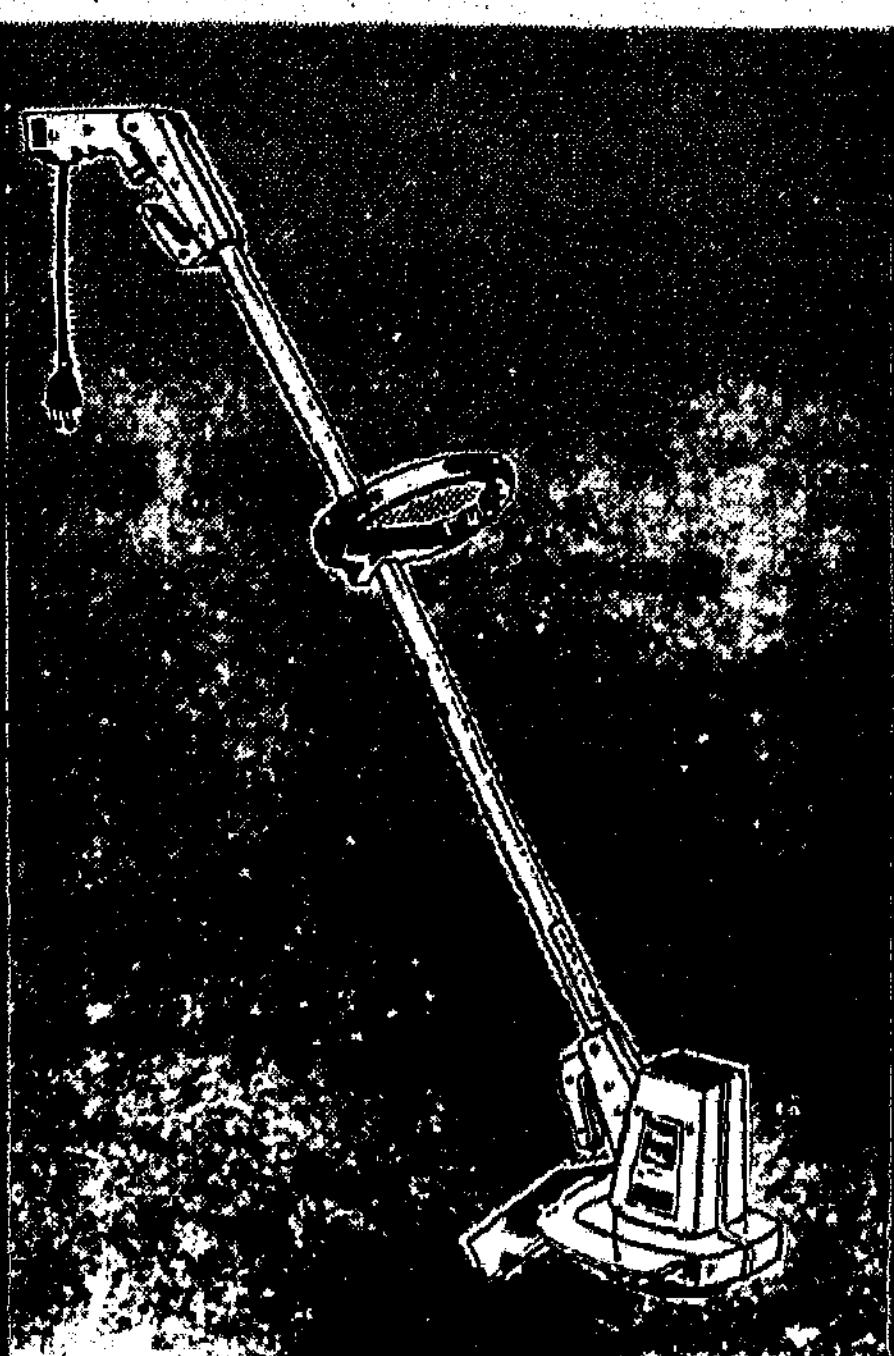
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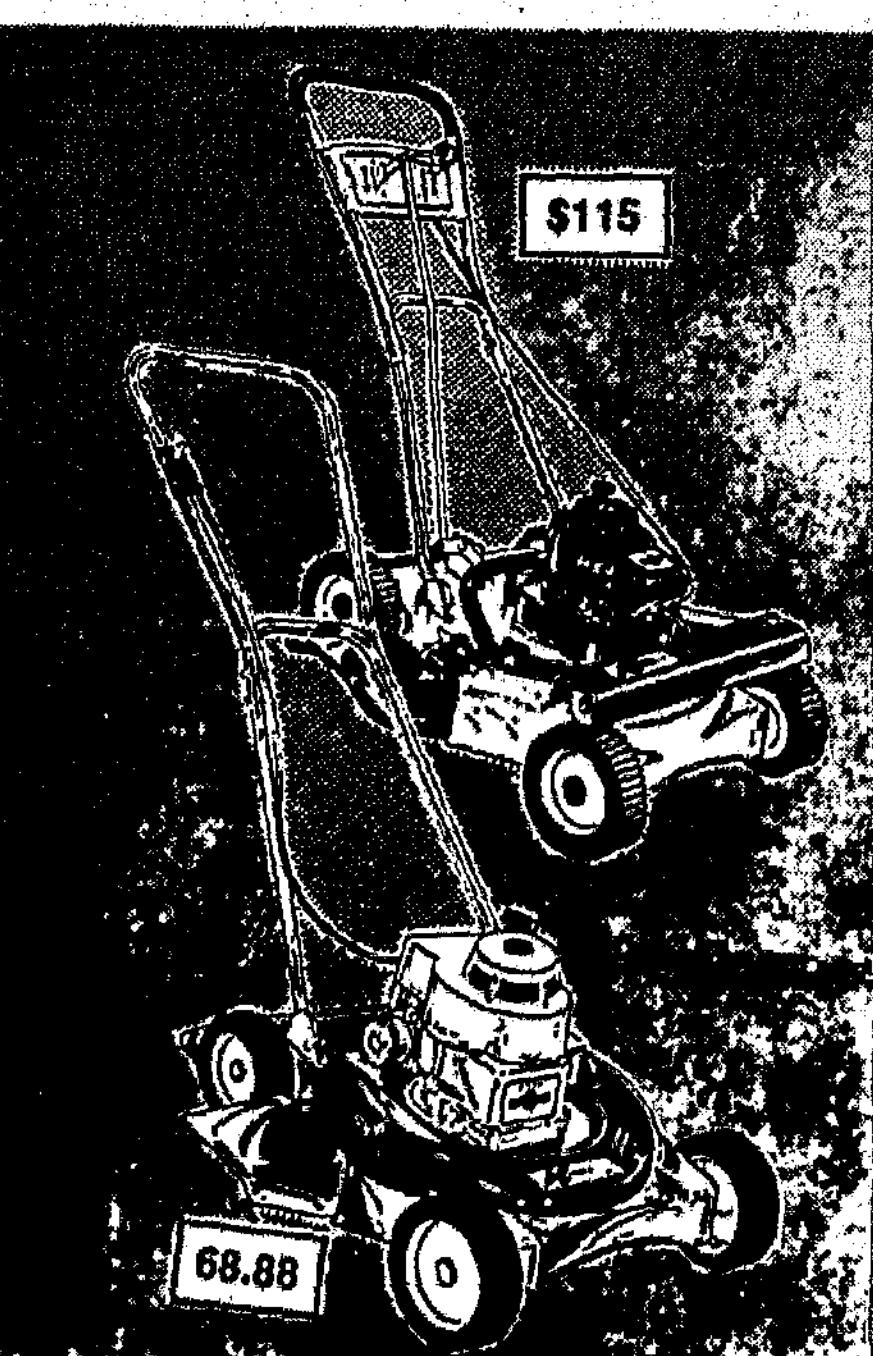
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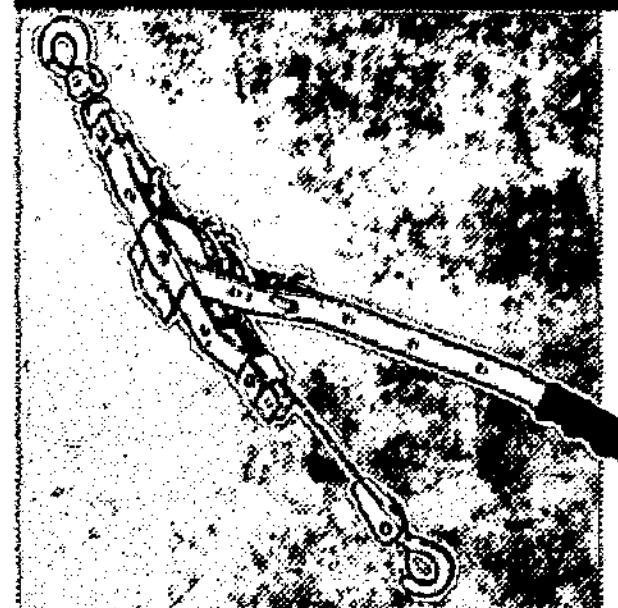
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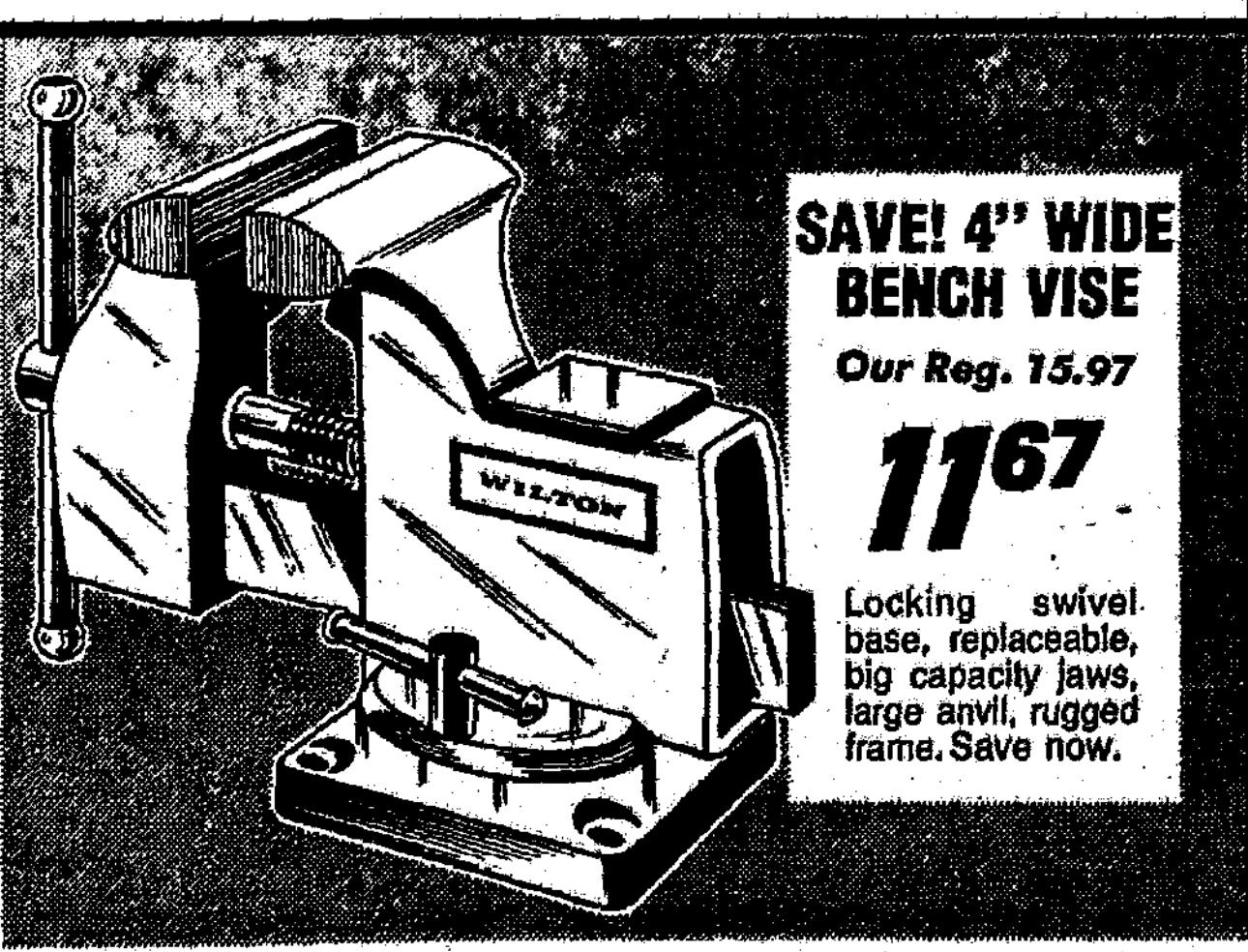
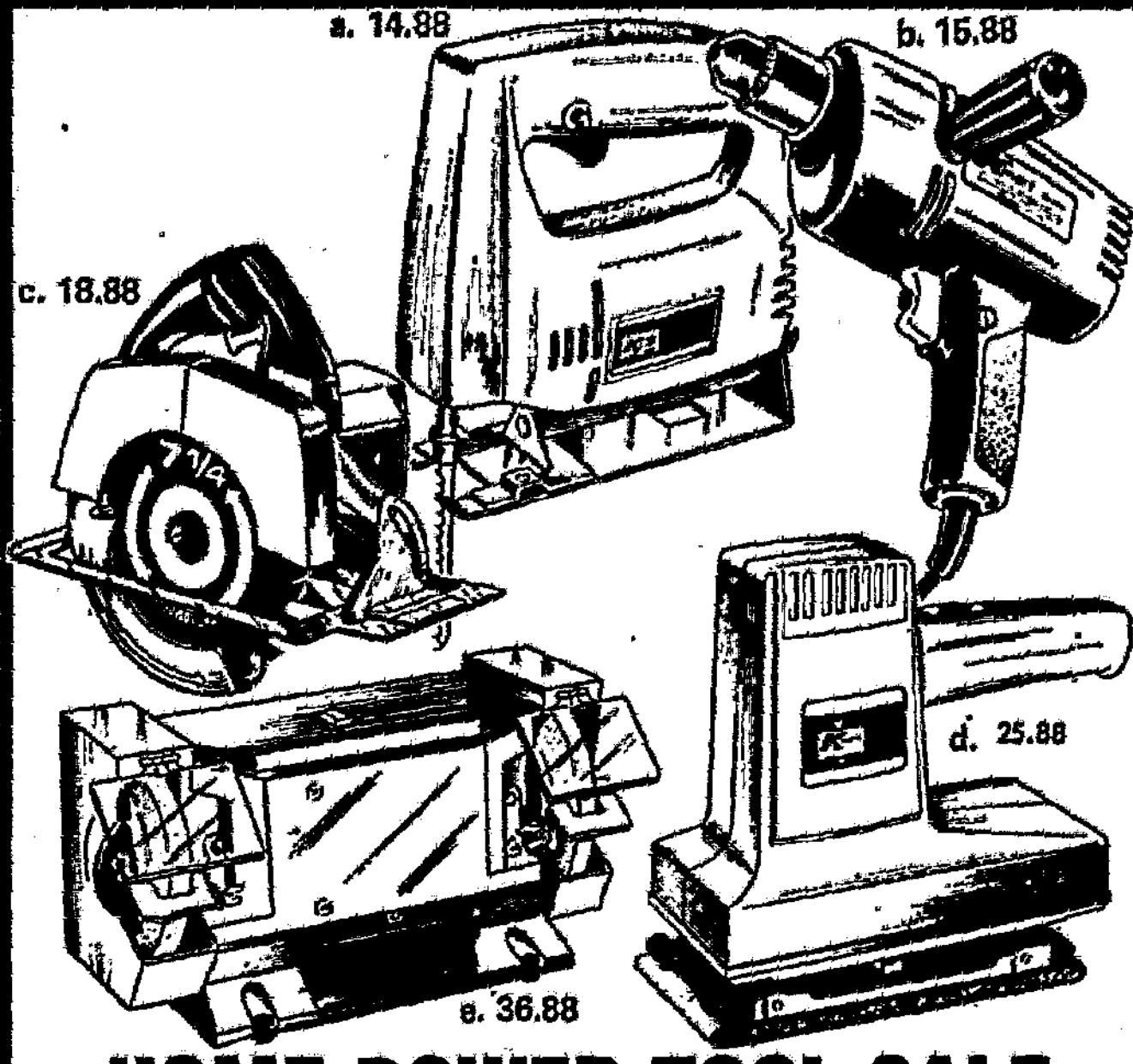
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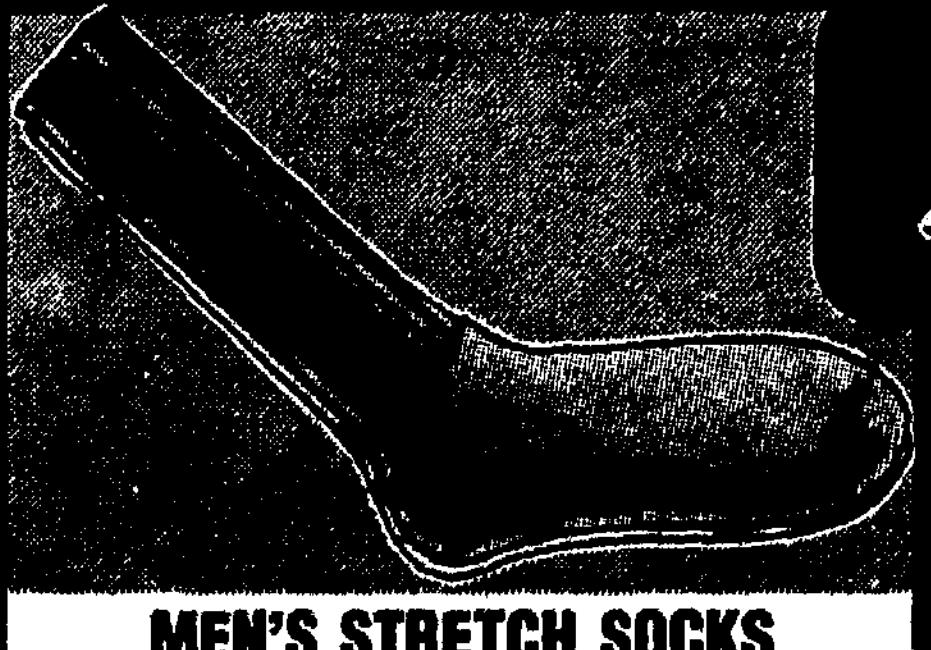
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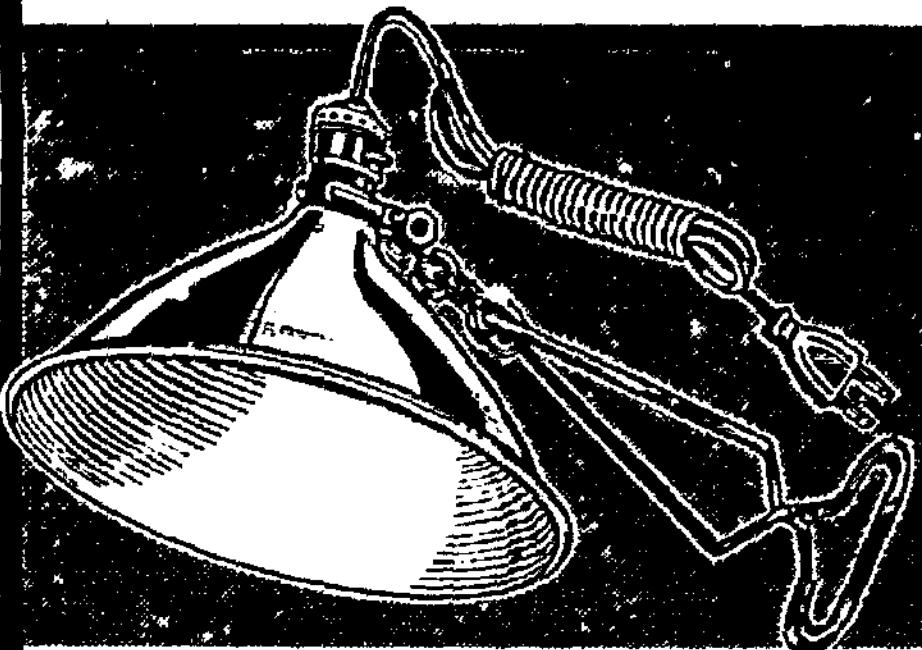


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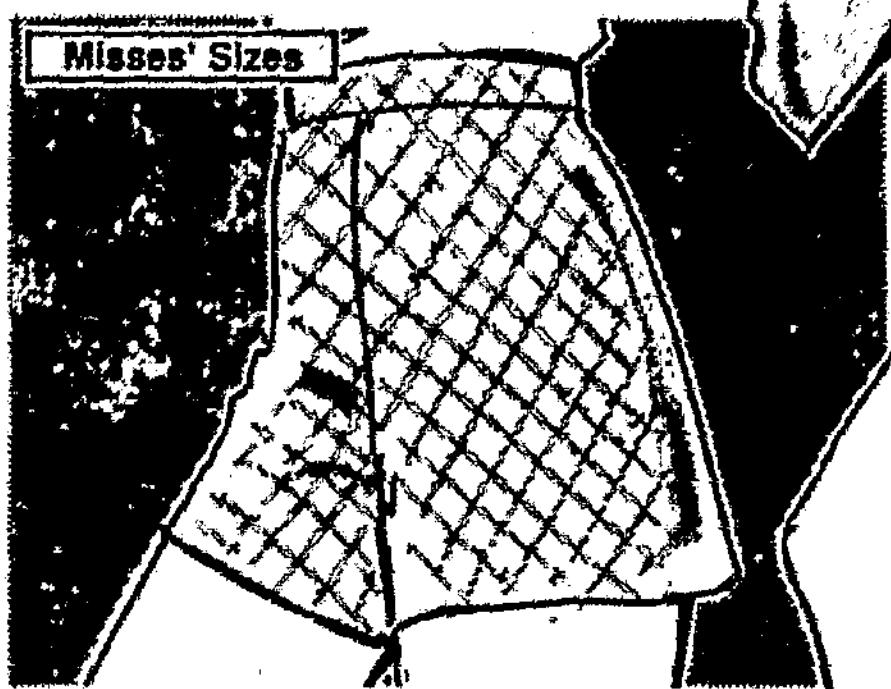


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LOOKOUT MARSHA BROWN uses a fire finder to give the exact location when she reports a forest fire to the Smokey Bear Ranger District fire fighters.

Fire prevention being stressed

BY MARY WORMLEY
Staff Writer

With the present high fire danger and fire closure, prevention and detection of forest fires is one of the most essential parts of fire management, Charles Mook, fire prevention supervisor of Smokey Bear Ranger District, said.

"If we have good people who do their job well, we won't have man caused occurrences," Mook said. "If the prevention officers meet the public and teach fire safety, then those using the forest area will be more careful with fire."

As part of their responsibilities, fire prevention officers Bill Shreengard of Ruidoso and Tom Guck of Capitan must contact area residents, visitors to the forest and local businesses to inform them of fire danger and safety. Through this educating process the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service is able to reduce the threat of fire.

To inform the Ruidoso area, Shreengard speaks at the schools warning children not to play with matches and "If we go into fire restrictions, he must contact the Ruidoso News and KRRR and tell there is a high fire danger," Mook said.

They also keep local businesses supplied with Forest Service brochures and posters.

But, the main function of fire prevention officers is to contact visitors to the area who "come up in the summer from parts of the country where they don't have fire conditions and the threat to the forest we have," he said.

"If a fire prevention officer goes out on a heavy weekend and contacts visitors using the forest, he sells fire prevention," he said. "He can go away from the person confident he is aware of the fire danger, knows how to put out his campfire and that he will leave a clean camp."

Secondary to teaching prevention to the public is their responsibility to enforce Forest Service regulations.

The prevention officer encounters the forest user daily and is aware of the things people do. They are trained to handle problems during fire and smoking restrictions such as people who don't feel like they are camping unless they have a campfire or some who use a chainsaw or motorcycle without a spark arrester," Mook said.

Other duties of a prevention officer include home inspections upon request and fire chainsaw inspections.

Mook also emphasized the importance of detection in fire management. For the Smokey Bear Ranger District of Lincoln National Forest the main method of detecting a forest fire is through the two lookout towers located in Ruidoso and Monjeau.

"Monjeau is the primary lookout for the area because you can see for miles," Mook said.

The Ruidoso lookout's view is limited, but "important because it is in the city and the lookout can spot city fires" which endanger the surrounding forest land.

"We also have an Alamogordo air detection on request," he said. Air detection is used mainly when lightning storms hit distant mountains.

The local district has two full time lookouts and one relief who works at each lookout station two days a week.

Suggestions for fireproofing home and property include:

— Protecting the roof by treating wood shingle roofs and siding with retardant chemicals. Have garden hose available to reach all parts of the roof. Clean gutters and roof of all needles and leaves.

— Preventing chimney and fire fires by checking for accumulation of soot. Keep dampers in good repair. Put fires out in fireplaces prior to leaving home. Have an adequate spark arrester on your fireplace chimney.

— Preventing attic fires by installing a fine fire screen over attic vents and louvers to prevent burning brands from entering the attic.

— Check overhanging eaves, covering gaps between walls and eaves to prevent entry of sparks from outside into the attic.

— Don't allow newspapers and rags to accumulate. Keep flammable liquids in unbreakable containers.

— Remove dead limbs from trees adjacent or overhanging house or garage. They catch fire easily from sparks.

— Don't stack firewood under porch, house or next to the house.

— Enclose open decks and underflooring. All open underfloor and overhanging floor or deck area should be enclosed to prevent embers from blowing under or kept free of inflammable materials.

— Develop a water supply and have sufficient hose, nozzles and pump available.

— Control vegetation, removing dense fuels that burn rapidly. Cut small trees and brush. Leave only the widely spaced larger trees. Develop a green lawn or rock garden for a space below the house or mow the natural vegetation and keep it low. Do landscaping with both fire protection and beauty in mind.

— Eliminate illegal dumps. Garbage dumps are common source for fires. Look over area for such dumps and start action to clean them up.

— Dispose of debris. Clean up flammable debris such as accumulated dead vegetation, in accordance with local regulations. Apply for burning permits and contact involved fire agencies prior to burning.

— Provide access to and from your property. Open dead end roads with short dirt connections to other roads.

— Build fire breaks by clearing a trail at least 6 feet from outer edge of the area you wish to fire proof.

— Clear area of all flammable materials for at least 10 feet around barbecue or incinerator and leave a metal screen over all open incinerators.

Instructions for building spark arresters for chimneys are available at the Smokey Bear Ranger District.

David Bryant, pro at the Sierra Swim and Racquet Club, is the current reigning U.S. National Hardcourt Champion. He recently won the New Mexico Open in Albuquerque. Teamed once with Rod Laver, Bryant's most prestigious win was over Mark Cox in the Western Canadian Championships in Vancouver. At Southeastern Oklahoma University he was a college All American for two years. He also was a former Oklahoma State High School champion.

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KIMM KETELSEN is one of eight southwestern professional tennis players participating in the Inaugural Sierra Pro-Am Tennis Tournament June 25-26 at the Sierra Swim and Racquet Club, with first day action featuring singles matches between the professionals.

Pro-Am tennis tourney here

June 25-26

Eight southwestern pros have been invited to compete in the first Annual Sierra Pro-Am Tennis Tournament scheduled for June 25-26 at the Sierra Swim and Racquet Club, spokesman Morgan Clough announced Friday.

On the first day, singles competition between the pros will be run and the next day amateur players from the Racquet Club will be paired with a pro for doubles competition.

The eight pros are top players in the southwest and all have met before in competition.

Pros invited include:

James Armstrong, El Paso, is a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army stationed at Ft. Bliss. He is the number one player on the All-Army team, and won the Interservice Tennis Tournament and the Risley Bowl Tournament making him the top tennis athlete in the U.S. Armed Forces. A graduate of West Point, he was the top singles player and captain of the tennis team. He also was named All East in 1973 and '74.

Rick Sasser, assistant pro at the Sierra Swim and Racquet Club, has had wins over three of the top ten players in the Oklahoma ranking. He competed at the Albuquerque Indoor Tournament, beating Jim Noble and recently defeated the Big 8 conference doubles champion. Sasser has been named the Oklahoma Collegiate Conference singles and Doubles champion and has received honorable mention All American from Southeastern Oklahoma State University.

Mike Martin, Long Beach, California, is the teaching pro at the El Paso Tennis Club. He has beaten pro Stan Smith in play. Martin was rated second in men's singles at University of Houston from 1971 to 1972 and named All American from that university. While he was at the University of Houston, the tennis team was rated as one of the top ten in the United States.

David Ochoferena, El Paso, is the assistant teaching pro at the El Paso Tennis Club. In 1975, Ochoferena joined the Southern Pro Tour and advanced to the quarter finals in two of the highly competitive tournaments. He presently is rated second on the New Mexico State University tennis team. Ochoferena began his tennis career at Austin High School in El Paso where he was district men's singles champion from 1972-1973.

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compounded by the destruction of trees. There is little hope of state assistance for damages to the houses scorched by the fire. "The state would have difficulty in giving public money to private citizens," Lovato said.

Jerry Longbotham, State Forester with the Department of Forestry's Capitan headquarters, said unless some plan is made for replanting, "It will take years and years and years to get back to where we were before the fire . . . After the first few rains I look for rocks and mud and debris to wash down into Paradise Canyon."

Forest Closed!

[FROM PAGE ONE]

officer with the Smokey Bear Ranger District, said Sunday, "Until we receive a good general rain, in excess of one inch, over the entire Lincoln National Forest."

Check points at seven entry roads to Smokey Bear district began operating Sunday with volunteers from the White Mountain Search and Rescue assisting Forest Service personnel in manning the locations.

During the closure:

*Travel through the forest is limited to state and federal highways and roads maintained by Lincoln County.

*Camping will be permitted only at Oak Grove, Three Rivers, South Fork [and Orchard Camp], Monjeau-Skyline and Bonito Lake on the shoreline and parking areas — all designated camp sites.

*Only approved, gas, propane or contained fuel stoves may be used for cooking. No open fires, charcoal or smoking will be permitted in the forest.

Check stations are located at:

*Ski Run Road at Monjeau junction.

*Bonito Lake Road at Philadelphia Canyon.

*Nogal Canyon Junction on Highway 37 south of Nogal.

*Forest boundary on Highway 48 north of Capitan.

*Forest Road 57 at Salazar Canyon.

*Highway 48 at Pine Lodge.

*Entrance to Forest Road 72 at White Oaks.

Violators of closure restrictions may be subject to heavy fines and jail terms, or both.

Ruidoso Downs results

THURSDAY, JUNE 15

1st — 400 yds. Judy's Lucky Azure 11.40, 4.00, 3.00; Miss Parr Thought 3.60, 2.60; David Moon 3.00, T: 20.59.

2nd — 4 fur. A Tick At A Time 4.80, 3.40, 2.80; Double B Express 7.40, 5.00; Shanrick 4.00, T: 47.1.

Daily Double — \$22.50

3rd — 400 yds. Roll On Moon 11.20, 5.60, 3.60; Twisted Passum 5.00, 3.80; Crucin On 2.80, T: 20.64.

Quinella — \$35.00

4th — 5½ fur. Brandy's First 22.20, 9.40, 5.20; Rope 11.20, 4.80; Lurk 3.80, T: 1:08.4.

5th — 550 yds. Shimmy Shimmy 39.20, 15.00, 10.80; Realm Rogue 4.80, 5.20; Muchamama 7.80, T: 22.50.

Quinella — \$135.00

6th — 400 yds. Jet To Heaven N 77 33.00, 10.80, 5.00; Truly Saucy 7.80, 4.80; Sharp Miss 2.80, T: 20.75.

Exacta — \$253.00

7th — 5½ fur. Terrible 7.20, 3.80, 2.60; Bad Music 4.00, 2.60; Ill Hum 2.40, T: 1:07.1.

Quinella — \$11.00

8th — 400 yds. Mirago Eagle 7.00, 4.80, 3.00; Flight Director 5.80, 3.20; Emma Bee 3.20, T: 20.35.

9th — 6 fur. Personal Stock 13.40, 5.80, 4.20; Tex A Go 11.60, 5.80; Ridae 3.00, T: 1:15.

Big Q — \$753.40

10th — 400 yds. Bugged Moon 6.60, 3.80, 3.00; Moonmobile 6.40, 5.40; Farmington 3.40, T: 20.49.

11th — 5 fur. Speak Loud 23.40, 13.40, 10.60; Secret Scout 9.20, 6.20; Rushing Silver 5.40, T: 1:14.1.

12th — 5½ fur. Judy Jill 16.60, 5.40, 3.00; Greek Sir 8.80, 4.20; Jeep A Roni 2.80, T: 1:08.3.

Quinella — \$59.80

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

1st — 400 yds. Mynameisjo 9.20, 4.40, 3.00; Wendy Bug 6.00, 3.80; Jet Pocket 3.20, T: 21.10.

2nd — 4 fur. Mill Iron 7.00, 3.40, 3.20; Ruff Hemp 3.80, 4.20; Torrent Duck 4.80, T: 47.0.

Daily Double — \$23.00

3rd — 400 yds. Honey Moon Sport 7.80, 6.00, 3.80; American Royal 6.80, 18.80; Azure Me (DH) 4.00; Miss Streaky Jane 3.20, T: 20.50.

4th — 6 fur. Burned Admiral 18.20, 8.80, 4.20; Mitto Tough 8.80, 5.80; Night Jacket 7.00, T: 1:14.1.

Daily Double — \$43.00

5th — 400 yds. Rebel Bar Dandy 4.50, 4.00, 3.20; Realm Star 10.40, 5.20;

Umbrella Doll 13.20, T: 21.04.

Quinella — \$35.00

6th — 5½ fur. Time Is Right 24.40, 6.80, 3.60; Jester 3.40, 2.80; All Star State 3.40, T: 1:07.1.

7th — 400 yds. More Better 12.40, 4.80, 3.80; Royal Mastercharge 3.20, 3.40;

Hilltop's Native 4.80, T: 21.27.

Quinella — \$17.20

8th — 350 yds. Yogi Barre 15.00, 5.80, 4.00; Co Goo 8.20, 5.20; Leige Lord 6.20, T: 17.87.

Exacta — \$7

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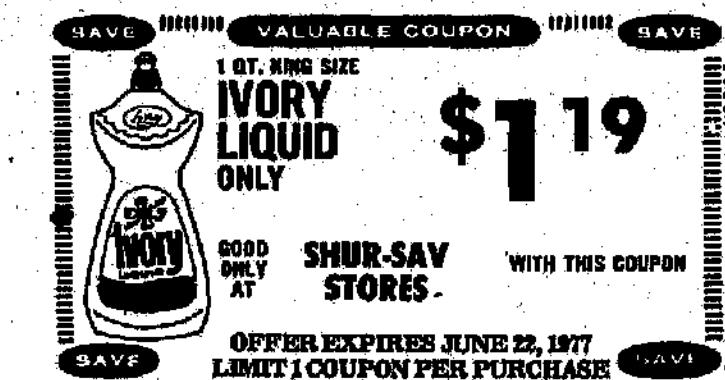
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ALTRUSA'S VOCATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL chairman, Sarah Lee Beumer,

center, with Carolyn Rogers, left and Gretchen Annala at a recent luncheon.



THE SUMMER READING PROGRAM for school age children is growing by leaps and bounds at the Ruidoso Public Library. Each link in the "bookworm" wrapped around two walls at the library represents a book which has been

read. Marylou Goch, assistant librarian, is ready to give young readers a link for each book they check out, then tape it to the bookworm. Next fall, the Altrusa Club will present a savings bond to the child who added the most segments.

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Altrusa awards special grants

The Ruidoso Altrusa Club had five special guests at a luncheon June 15 at the Red Men Club.

Gretchen Annala and Carolyn Rogers recipients of a grant from the club in the

amount of \$300 a year for two years, were present. The grant was given to Gretchen for 1976-78 and to Carolyn for 1977-79 school years.

Other guests were Kathryn McMasters

of Lubbock, Texas, Polly Coulter of Marlin Falls, Texas and Ruidoso and Marylyn O'Hara of Ruidoso.

Altrusa's next meeting will be July 5, 7:30 p.m. in the home of Kathy Barnett.

Ruidoso Rainbow members attend Grand Assembly

Members of Ruidoso Assembly 52, Order of Rainbow for Girls, attending the Grand Assembly held June 3-11 in Portales included Patti Neal, Robin Burrows, Patti Hall, Sara Wimberly, Jan Stearns, Robin Houck and Jonetta Montgomery.

The Ruidoso Assembly's guests at the Grand Assembly were Cindy Thompson and her mother, Mrs. "Pug" Thompson. Cindy was Grand Representative to New Mexico from Conyers, Georgia.

Among the honors received at the Grand Assembly by Ruidoso Rainbow members were Patti Hall, grand Order of the Eastern Star flagbearer; Patti Neal, grand representative to Queensland; and Jonetta Montgomery, grand page.

Receiving the Grand Cross of Color were Sara Wimberly, Mrs. Rose Norman and Mrs. Pat Neal.

Mildred Parker, mother advisor, accompanied the girls, as did Mrs. Allen Stearns and Mrs. John Montgomery.

Recent visitations

Mable Wimberly and Polly Coulter recently visited Mrs. Wimberly's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Seagler and Vic Lamb in Sedona, Arizona.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Parsons included their niece Rhonda Perry of Wenatchee, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Allred and family of Wilson, Oklahoma and David Allred of Phoenix, Arizona.

Look at the top of this page and you will see that today is the eve of the first day of summer. The way things look, this will be the most glorious summer we have had in a long time.

Here the thunder and lightning is already beginning, and the rain drops falling here and there.

Today, Tuesday, June fourteenth, it is a little after noon and some light showers are falling just over sunrise hill to the southeast. Just the edge of the shower reached the place here, and the land and air is wonderfully refreshed.

Now the cloud is turning dark purple and lightning is closer and the thunder is louder. The whole eastern sky is now a dark gray-purple, and some rain streamers are extending down from some new clouds over in the south. The east wind is picking up speed, and the air is cool. A few drops patter on the roof. The thunder sends down its gentle voice telling you and the thirsty earth to be patient.

Joe Graham Tunes
Up Fiddle Number Fifty

Joe Graham, and his little grandson, Jim Joe Graham, came by the house not long ago on a little visit. Joe seldom goes anywhere without at least one fiddle in his pick-up. This time he had a beautiful fiddle with him, and while he was still out in the yard, he began playing a few notes of an old-time fiddle tune.

Mellow and sweet the strains of music echoed from this beautiful violin under the magic touch of Joe, its creator.

"This is number fifty" said Joe, holding up an orange-red and white fiddle.

Joe, after playing the fiddle all his life, and having composed some fiddle tunes of his own, decided to complete the story by making fiddles of his own. His first was made in 1970 from an old burned-over juniper stump up on gridstone mesa.

Encouraged from the completion of this fiddle and by the praise of his countless friends, Joe could now see his way clear to making many violins.

Trying out different kinds of wood from all over the world, and many right around his home in Ruidoso, Joe has turned out some beautiful violins each with its own individual tone, and some with tones of such beauty as you might hear only once in a long time.

One of the great joys in Joe's God-given violin-making ability is looking for the

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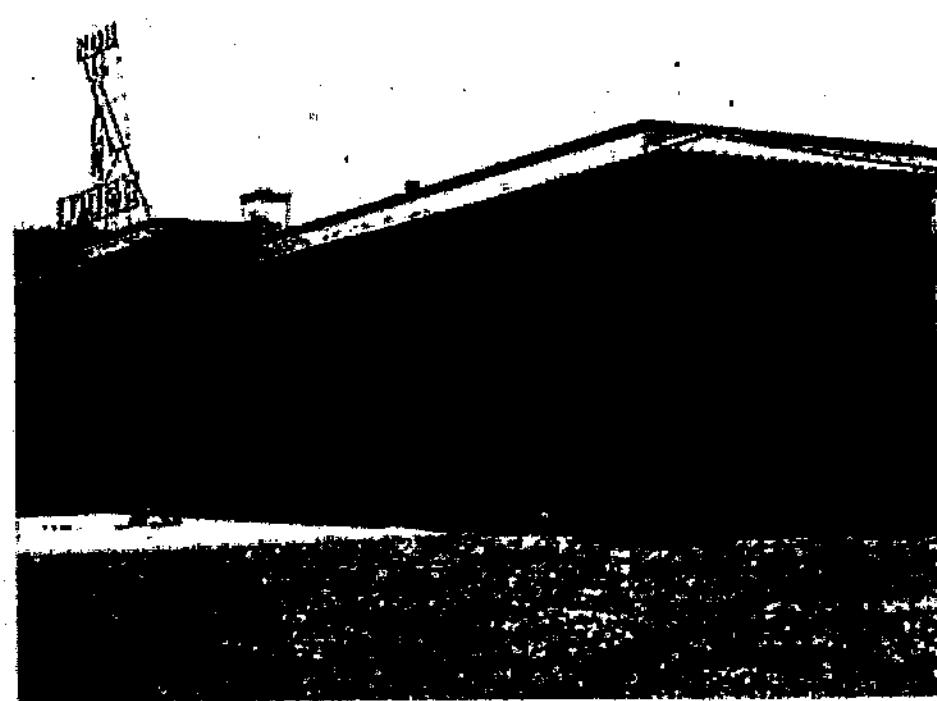
SALUTE TO CHAMBER MEMBERS

This is a regular feature in the Monday edition of this newspaper to introduce the members of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce



RUIDOSO PLAYLAND NURSERY, a licensed daycare center, will care for children from age six months to seven years. Preschool classes for three age groups are offered by owners-managers Margaret and William "Dub" Holt, pictured, who started the business and joined the

Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce September 1975. The Holts and their two assistants accept children of working mothers and walk-ins seven days a week in the summertime and five days a week in the winter.



NOB HILL LODGE, located at the top of Nob Hill overlooking Highway 70 and the "Y", is owned and operated by Janet and Doc Keel, pictured. They purchased the lodge in February 1976 and joined the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce



shortly afterwards. They have repainted and refurbished the lodge's 16 rooms and two bedroom apartment. They are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week and participate in the Chamber of Commerce Ski Pak.

Official Records

TAX DEED
New Mexico Property Tax Department
to Travis M. Haasler, A tract of land, being part of the SW¼, Block 36, Twp. 11S, Rg. 13E, Lincoln County, N.M.

SPECIAL MASTER'S DEED

Betsy Wilson, Special Master, to Security Bank of Ruidoso, N.M. Part of the SW¼ of Section 21, Township 11 South, Range 14 East, N.M. P. M., Lincoln County, N.M.

State of New Mexico to Agnes Dickey, Lot 8, Unit 2, Block 8, Palo Verde Subdv., Lincoln County.

State of New Mexico to Richard C. Clifton, Lot 8, Block 2, Unit 1, Pinecrest Subdv., Lincoln County.

State of New Mexico to Mrs. Fern Caster, Lots 55, 56, Block 1, White Fir Subdv., Lincoln County, N.M.

State of New Mexico to Joseph P., Jr. & Robert Ramirez, Lot 6, Block 6, Midway Addn., Lincoln County, N.M.

State of New Mexico to Baldamar Carabajal, Lot 11, Block 2, Dockray Addition, Lincoln County, N.M.

State of New Mexico to Jim R. and Sandra Brock, Lots 39, 40, Block 3, Loma Grande Acres Subdv., Unit 3, Lincoln County, N.M.

DISCLAIMER DEED
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Dear Wayne — Is it possible to right an overturned canoe in deep water? Stephen A., Louisiana.

Dear Stephen — Yes, but it is doubtful that you could accomplish it without practice.

For the basis of these examples, we shall

assume the canoe is empty of cargo and that you are alone.

If the canoe has capsized, it will have an air pocket under it. Tilt it several times by pushing up on one gunwale to let water out and let more air under it.

Get beneath one gunwale and push up quickly to roll the canoe over into the upright position. You will, of course, go under through this effort. The canoe should now be upright, with little water in it. Position yourself near one end, where the gunwales are narrow, facing broadside. Place one hand on each gunwale and jump as high as you can with feet and legs on one side and head and shoulders on the other. Proceed then to twist and slide into

the canoe, being careful to keep weight balanced. Ball out remaining water.

If the canoe has merely swamped and is floating upright near the surface, you can capsize it, then use the above method or you may try the following one.

Pull the stern under the water to allow the bow to stick up out of the water. Rapidly push the stern forward. This action will cause the canoe to slip forward and rise to the surface. This should drain enough water to enable you to enter the canoe and ball it out.

These methods will surely work, so practice them.

DEAR WAYNE — What is the best method of sharpening broadheads for big game hunting?

JOE IN MAINE
DEAR JOE — I'm quite sure I'll get letters about this, but I prefer to use a small file. Many advocate a sharp, smooth blade, but I somewhat disagree. I work both sides of the blade until it is quite sharp, but the edge is jagged rather than smooth. It would be difficult to tell with the eye that it was jagged, but it can be felt with the finger.

I believe the jagged edge has the ability to sever arteries better, with less tendency to push them aside as a smooth edge might do.

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WARRANTY DEEDS

Dewie V. Rothwell and Cokene Rothwell to Brasil L. Webb and Robbie M. Webb, An undivided one-half interest in and to the following described person property: One 3-bedroom, 2-bath cabin, designated as Cabin No. 7, situate upon a part of Tract 2A, Sherwood Forest Subdv., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Purdy F. Meigs and Lois L. Meigs to John E. Dudley and Nora R. Dudley, Lot 18, Block 4, of the 1st Plat of Wingfield Homestead Subdv., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Ben R. Sullivan and Alma A. Sullivan to David Hall Travis and Katherine Travis, Lot 19, Block 14, Palmer Gateway Subdv., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Mohaco, Inc., to Travis J. Winkelman and Stella P. Winkelman, Tract 4, Block 2 of Capitan North, Unit 4, Lincoln County, N.M.

Mohaco, Inc., to Joel L. Kelly and Anne T. Kelly, Tracts 1B and 14, Block 3, of Capitan North, Lincoln County, N.M.

Phyllis J. Langford to Rosaline Langford, Lots 44 and 45, Block 1, Palo Verde Slopes, Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, N.M.

J. T. Johnston and Dorothy M. Johnston to Dennis D. Stewart, Lots 6 and 17, Block 2, Mt. Capitan Subdv., Capitan, Lincoln County, N.M.

United Minerals Corporation to L. M. & M. Inc., A part of the NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 8S, Range 10E, N. M. P. M., Lincoln County, N.M.

Claud L. Sharp and Gladys Sharp to Jeanette Davis and Lula Jane Sharp, Lots 21 and 22 in Block 2 of Palmer Gateway Subdv., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Salvatore Giardino to Edwin Michael Stell and Marion Fred Austin, Lot 10, Block 2, Riverside Addn., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Wayland L. Hill Jr. and Opal Hill to Robin Byrd and Viola Byrd, Part of the NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 10 East, N. M. P. M., Lincoln County, N.M.

Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc., to Fatpitch Sportswear, Inc., Lot 48, Block 4, Unit One Amended Camelot Subdv., Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

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Keith H. Ferrell and Lahoma G. Ferrell to T. R. Neergaard, Lot 28, Block 16, Ponderosa Heights Subdv., Unit IV, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, N.M.

Della Wingfield to John V. Hall and Tina G. Hall, Lot 3, Block 2 of 2nd Addn., Lincoln County, N.M.

John V. Hall and Tina G. Hall to Harry W. Craig and Francis L. Craig, Lot 3, Block 2, Wingfield Homestead 2nd Addn., Subdv., Lincoln County, N.M.

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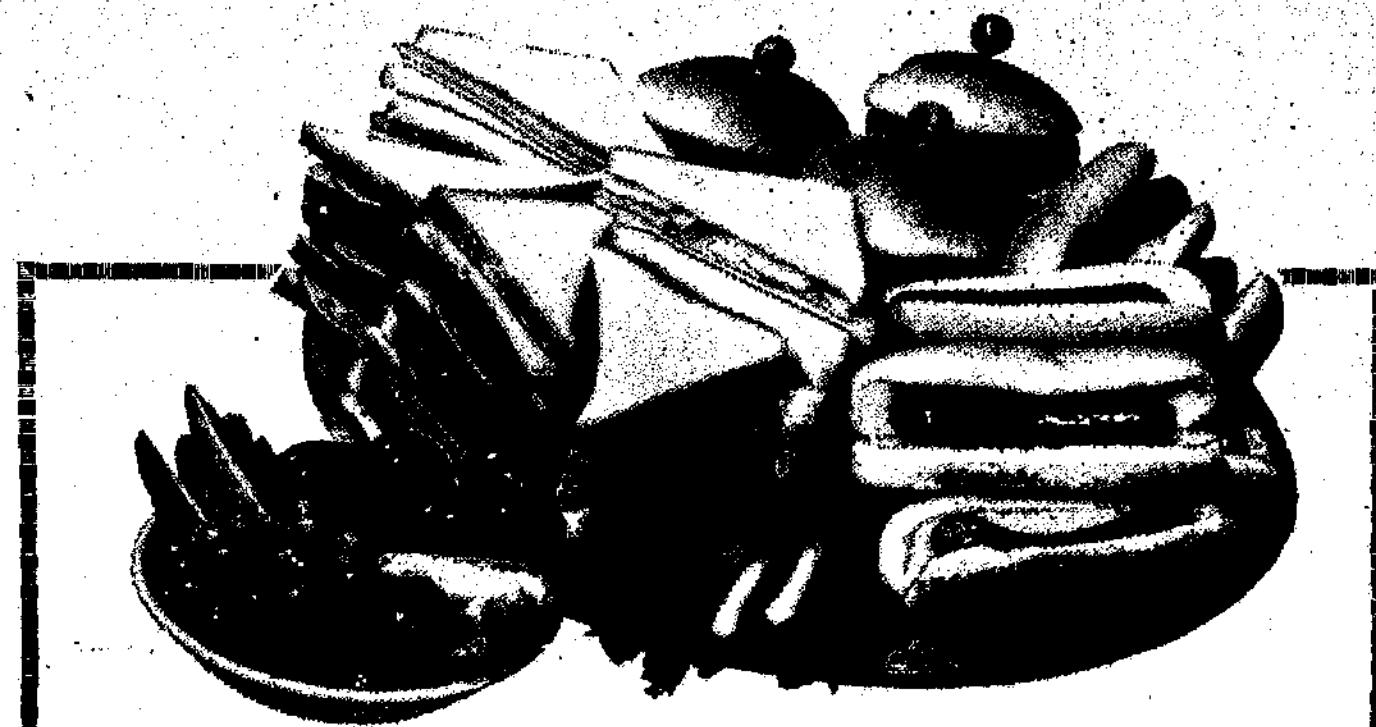
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Inside the Capital

SANTA FE — The federal government whacked \$118,368 off funds for Central School District, San Juan County, and \$2.5 million plus could be lopped off money for 62 districts statewide.

Federally-impacted school districts receiving PL-874 money from the U.S. Office of Education are at stake. State Schools Supt. Leonard DeLayo told U.S. Education Commissioner Ernest L. Boyer: "I am chagrined to learn the Central District received a notice of overpayment of \$118,368."

DeLayo told Boyer the U.S. Health, Education and Welfare Department in effect reversed its stand in a similar 1975 case. He told Boyer: "Since this matter gravely affects New Mexico I am requesting you review action in the Central District and any other districts where action has been taken or is contemplated."

DeLayo's sharply worded letter added: "If you are unable to adjudicate this matter in favor of New Mexico, please consider this letter as a request to initiate the administrative appeals process open to the state."

DeLayo sent copies of his stiff letter to the New Mexico Congressional delegation, Legislative Finance Committee, Legislative School Study Committee and Public School Finance Chief Harry Wugalter.

DeLayo told Boyer: "The notice of overpayment appears to relate directly to the count of kindergarten children." Affected is \$1 million in fiscal 1976 federally-impacted area school money, \$800,000 in fiscal 1975 and \$800,000 in fiscal 1974.

The federal government interpreted New Mexico law not to include kindergarten children for allocation of PL-874 money. DeLayo challenges this view. But he emphasized in his letter to Boyer that the legislature this year passed a clarifying law to wipe out confusion the federal government "had experienced with this state's definition of elementary schools."

DeLayo stressed the bill was drafted in consultation with William Stormer, U.S. Education Office school assistance director for federally affected areas. The legislature made the change effective for the 1976-77 school year just ended. Many kindergarten children attend federally-impacted schools in New Mexico.

A phase-in of kindergartens statewide began three years ago. DeLayo told

Boyer: "It is apparent the legislature intended by its previous action that kindergartens were part of New Mexico's elementary schools at the start of the phasing-in process."

He said: "My staff located a similar situation relating to repayment of National Defense Education Act loans." In this 1975 case a HEW legal opinion held that federal money could be used by a New Mexico kindergarten teacher in a federally-impacted area.

Although the Central District money was for 1975-76 the State Education Department and the district were notified only recently of the alleged overpayment. The U.S. Office of Education whacked the \$118,368 off the Central District's fiscal 1976 federally-impacted area allotment of \$486,838 and approved a \$389,470 balance.

SDOE federally-impacted funds director Nora Chavez says: "We anticipate more challenges in fiscal 1976 federal funds."

Seventy-one per cent of the 88 New Mexico school districts received PL-874 money although kindergarten youngsters are not in all of them. In the Central District alone a total of 84 per cent of the over-all enrollment are Indian children in a heavily impacted area.

DeLayo told Boyer the apparent overpayment stemmed from a federal audit by C.A. Kiesler of the U.S. Education Office Dallas regional headquarters. He said the audit showed two computation methods — one including kindergarten children and the other excluding them.

DeLayo wants the \$118,368 restored to the Central District and the U.S. Education Office challenge dropped. Federal reviews are years behind the programs examined. Chavez noted the U.S. Education Office added a \$14,492 adjustment recently to the Central District's fiscal 1972-73 federally-impacted area money.

Wugalter says: "I see a trend toward private schools in New Mexico because of dissatisfaction with public schools."

Private non-parochial schools have jumped nearly 300 per cent in New Mexico in the last five years from 16 to 46.

Wugalter says: "Private schools are opening up all over the state." He cited the Las Vegas, Taos and Mora areas specifically. Private schools that are non-parochial gained from 16 in 1972-73 to 46 in the year just ended. Catholic schools have been unchanged in the span. Private schools no longer require state licensing.

NOTHIN' PULLS IN THE CASH LIKE WANT-ADS IN TH' RUIDOSO NEWS!

OPINION PAGE

Yours and Ours

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Any business is entitled to a fair return on its investment and the Continental Telephone Company of the West is no exception. It has stockholders to keep happy and at the same time is hit by steadily increasing costs of operation. The only way to meet these increased costs and maintain a fair profit, is to increase cost of services.

However: We have only one telephone system in the Espanola Valley and if we are going to pay increased rates we have a right to expect the telephone system to operate efficiently.

Over the years we have been told of the tremendous investments the telephone company is making in our area to make the service better — but the service appears to deteriorate. There are just too many complaints to convince us we are receiving the quality of service we have a right to expect.

If the Continental Telephone Company of the West is granted a rate increase, as it probably will be, the State Corporation Commission should give it one year to upgrade service. The company should be required to appear before the Commission at the end of that period with some happy satisfied customers to back them up.

If not, they should be required to explain why, with the additional money, service has not improved.

This old song and dance of more money for better service has not proven out in the past and only the State Corporation Commission can pressure the company to follow through this time.

Fair rates are due the company, but good service is due the customer. — The Rio Grande Sun, Espanola

TOO DURN EARLY

Candidates for governor of New Mexico — announced or not — are already traipsing around the state even though the primary election is not until June 1978 and the general election is not until November of that year.

About a month ago, former Gov. Bruce King of Stanley pounded the sidewalks of Deming. He renewed acquaintances and dropped many a "howdy" around town as he set the foundations for another run at governor. King is expected to encounter Lt. Gov. Robert Ferguson of Artesia, Dr. John A. Salazar of Albuquerque and who knows how many others in the Democratic primary for governor.

Gov. Jerry Apodaca would be running too, except he is limited to one four-year term, as was King. Voters rejected a constitutional amendment which would have allowed Apodaca to run to succeed himself.

On the Republican side, Joe Skeen of Picacho is eyeing another race for Governor. He lost a close race against Apodaca in 1974.

And a visitor in Deming Tuesday of this week was Rep. Colin R. McMillan, R-DeBaca-Chaves. A consulting geophysicist in Roswell, McMillan also plans to seek the Republican nomination for governor. He was the guest at a luncheon of local Republicans and the subject of interviews.

It just doesn't seem long at all since the candidates were hot on the campaign trail for the November 1976 general election. The campaigns last too long. Voters get tired of seeing candidates come back and back.

Before the 1975 primary, Rich Sims (then of Albuquerque and now of Artesia), ran for about two years for the Democratic nomination for U.S. Senator before he lost out to Sen. Joseph M. Montoya. Sims already has announced he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor in 1978.

Hold off a while, okay, fellas. It's too darn early.

People will see plenty of you before June 1978 without starting campaigns a year ahead of that time.

We suspect there will be enough politicking in the next session of the Legislature as the senators and representatives use their positions to further their political ambitions.

A little less early campaigning and more application by office holders of solutions to the problems at hand would be appreciated. — Headlight, Deming.

editorial
To insure unanimity and develop unambiguous harmony during the balance of his tenure, perhaps Gov. Apodaca should clearly establish his policies before calling his underlings together, presumably to mutually decide how to keep all facets of the ship of state on course. This would also provide said underlings with a modicum of job security.

—CD

Stuph & Junk

... by

Cale Dickey



BELATED PROCLAMATION

Ruidoso's mayor Lloyd L. Davis Jr. is an accommodating person when it comes to issuing proclamations for worthy causes... though there was no proclamation promoting the use of beef as a fitting tribute to dads on Father's Day in Thursday's News.

It isn't that mayor Davis didn't so proclaim in the best interests of all concerned... it was just that... in the course of getting said proclamation through administrative channels... that his signature wasn't affixed thereto until mid-morning Thursday.

So... for those of you who might be accusing our good mayor of dereliction of duty in not issuing a proclamation lauding serving beef on Father's Day... rest assured that he did. Not only that, but it was reportedly that he purchased some succulent cuts of beef to consume on Father's Day... and that's what you call following through with gusto.

COSTLY CELEBRATION

Celebrating the Fourth of July is a tradition long touted by George M. Cohen... with that particular "Yankee Doodle Dandy" doing his best to inspire all Americans to truly note that momentous day with gaiety.

Somewhere along the way... by way of China to a merchant with an eye out for quick and huge profits... fireworks became as much a part of the Fourth of July celebration as listening to political speeches.

And when it comes to fireworks... the use of them on federal lands... including Lincoln National Forest... just might put you in a position of laying \$500 on a friendly judge... and you just might be out of circulation in a federal pokey for six months.

Seems those in charge of National Forest lands are convinced that fireworks can start forest fires... and they're suggesting they not be used on forest lands to make certain you enjoy a bang up Fourth... which, considering potential recommendations, seems to be a sound suggestion... no?

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Statistics are always dull... dollar figures even duller, unless your bank account... but an Albuquerque insurance company did some checking into going wages in the Duke City for construction workers... which are a mite interesting.

Their study disclosed that the hourly rate for bricklayers is \$8.56, carpenters \$8.50, electricians \$9.20, painters \$8.52, plasterers \$8.21 and plumbers \$10.45... permitting these skilled workers, presumably, to buy the coffee for their thermos jugs without having to go without shoes.

Of particular interest is the going rate for "bulldog laborers"... hang tough... \$8.31 per hour... for unskilled labor. That figures out to \$252.40 gross for 40 hours... add \$41.65 for 10 hours overtime and you're looking at \$347.05 for 50 hours of labor.

So... say a husky teenager lucked out and was able to hire on to work up a sweat... and maybe even bring home more pay than his daddy... why should anyone want to deprive said youth of the opportunity to earn so much with no qualifications. Besides toting a board of plaster or length of pipe doesn't produce too many blisters. Makes a person wonder just what someone wants to protect our youth from.

JIMMY'LL HAVE TO LEARN

Our good old President... our Georgia cracker... has learned that being a Democrat... and President... doesn't necessarily mean that Congress, predominantly filled with Democrats... will agree to Jimmy's whims.

'Course... being as Jimmy didn't have much first hand knowledge of how Congress functions... his being at odds with them is understandable.

And it's a safe bet his understanding will improve... especially when his goals might be such that members of Congress might be retired considerably earlier than they'd planned.

BRIEF HIT: The price of coffee in the southwest these days really doesn't matter if you don't think about it whilst quaffing an ice tea...

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The collateral is presently stored and may be seen at Frontier Wrecking 7452 - 1110. GENERAL MOTORS ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION
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LEGAL NOTICE**IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JESSE H. MCNEILHEIMER, DECEASED

PROBATE NO. 1409 NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: LOIS EUBANK MCNEILHEIMER; FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BROWNFIELD, TEXAS; all unknown heirs of JESSE H. MCNEILHEIMER, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any interest upon escheat, title or interest in or to the Estate of said decedent.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Brownfield, Texas, Executor, has filed its Final Account and Report, and on the 16th day of July, 1977, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, at the Probate Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, the Court will hear objections thereto and the settlement thereof, and the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

RICHARD A. PARSONS, Post Office Box 1800, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 is Attorney for the Executor.

WITNESS MY hand and seal of the Probate Court on this 1st day of June, 1977.

/s/ Jane McSwane
CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT
#104-41-(4)6/13/20/27

LEGAL NOTICE**IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF CECIL N. CANNON, DECEASED

No. 1392 NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Charles Edgar Cannon, Virginia Lee Kinnaird, Adalyan Russell Cannon; all unknown heirs of Cecil N. Cannon, Deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any interest upon or right title of interest in or to the estate of said decedent.

Charles Edgar Cannon, Executor, has filed his Final Account and Report, and on the 2nd day of August 1977, at 10:00 a.m., at the probate Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, the Court will hear objections thereto and the settlement thereof, and the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

Mei B. O'Reilly, P.O. Box 2495 H.S. Ruidoso, New Mexico, is attorney for executor.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Probate Court on this 11th day of June 1977.

Jane McSwane
Clerk of the Probate Court
By /s/ Barbara Lovelace
Deputy

#104-41-(6) 20, 27, (7) 4/21

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Bicentennial Notebook

From the beginning of the conflict with Great Britain various states and military units had used any number of banners to distinguish them from the enemy and to provide a feeling of spirit and unity. Usually these flags represented something unique to the area — mountains, forests, or other features.

Sometimes the banners were symbolic of the reason for the military unit being formed. Some of the flags carried mottoes or pledges, and some were a defiant challenge to the British enemy. Perhaps one of the best known of this type was the flag with a snake or serpent and the statement, "Don't tread on me!"

Following the movement to independence in 1776 some thought had been given to designing a banner that could serve as a symbol of unity for all the states. Because of more pressing demands of creating a new government and the defense of this newly proclaimed independence, Congress had not found the time to adopt a national flag.

Finally, on June 14, 1777, almost a year after independence, Congress acted. On that day it passed a resolution providing for the adoption of a flag consisting of thirteen stripes, one for each state. Seven were to be red and six should be white. A field of blue in the upper-left corner would have thirteen stars in a circle "representing the new constellation."

Congress obviously hoped that this new national symbol would eliminate some of the intense states' rights feelings that were preventing the development of a governing document for the new union. In the long run, the flag did come to have a very important symbolic influence; in the immediate aftermath, however, its impact was limited.

Even though the resolution did not become effective until September 3, 1777, the United States has celebrated June 14 as flag day.

In the Spanish Southwest there was great concern about foreign encroachment as discussed last week. The appearance of any unfamiliar flag, especially if it were suspected or known to be the flag of another nation, was cause for immediate alarm.

The importance of the symbolism of a flag is quite clear. During this period New Mexico was controlled by the Bourbon kings of Spain, and the royal flag flew over New Mexico. A local banner that symbolized the province of New Mexico would have been valuable in building a spirit of unity in the colony.

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Court Report

Appearing before Magistrate Jim Wheeler on the following charges with fines assessed, including \$10 court costs in each case were:

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Philip Adithday, Mescalero, DWI, with charges dismissed on completion of DWI School.

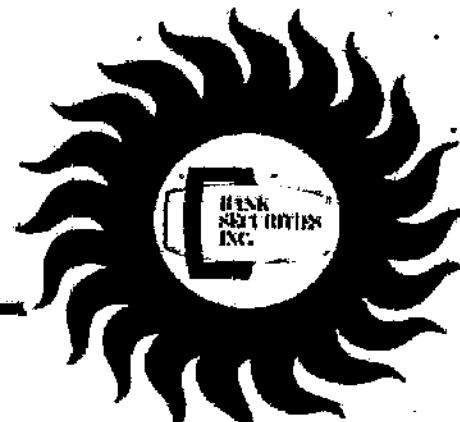
Laquita A. Freeman, Ruidoso, leaving scene of accident, \$50 with \$35 suspended.

Jillian Valdespino Jr., El Paso, Texas, fishing without a license, \$25.

Hector Arroyo, El Paso, fishing with two poles, \$25 suspended.

Appearing before Municipal Judge Sam Nunhailly, on the following charges with fines and jail sentences, was:

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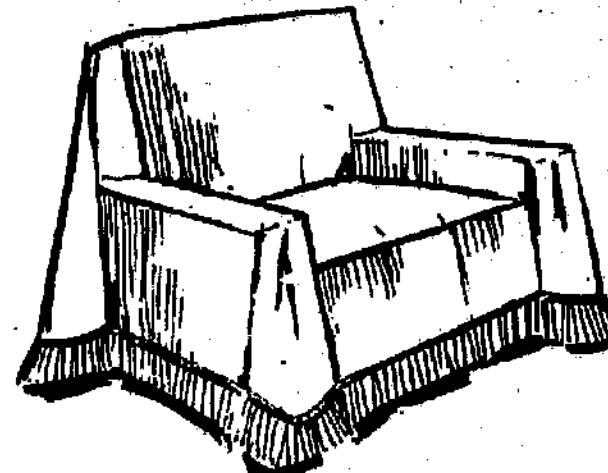
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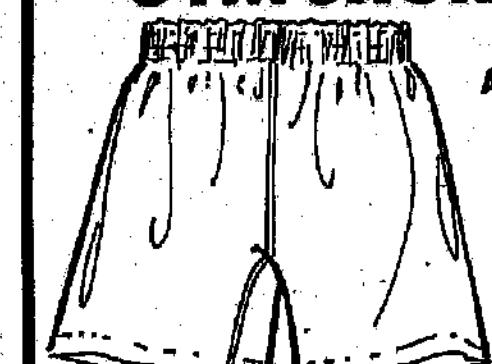
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Euphorbia lanthii [Lace Flower Vine]. Vigorously sends out runners with evenly spaced plantlets which can be rooted in soil. Likes house temperatures but requires high humidity and constantly moist soil, medium sunlight, filtered. Frilled delicate white flowers.

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Senecio rowleyanus [String of Pearls]. A small hanging succulent with round green pea-shaped leaves growing on stems up to 8 feet long. Requires high indirect light, slightly dry soil between waterings, medium humidity.

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Aeschynanthus marmoratus [Zebra Basket Vine or Variegated Lipstick Vine]. Vines network on green leaves is highlighted in yellow. Leaf underides are reddish. Trailing stems hang down one to three feet. Flowers in Spring are green with brown specks. Likes average to warm climate, plenty of filtered light, indoors or outdoors with soil uniformly moist.

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