

Thomas L. Clark distributes some holiday cheer to residents at the Central Island Nursing Home in the form of poinsettia plants. The traditional holiday flowers were grown at the Town's Bruce Estate in Woodbury, which is administered by the Parks Department. Enjoying the spirit of the season are, left to right, Emily Krich, Mary Helenck, Julia Laining, Patty Walters, Dorothy Ellis and Mary Coutcas.

### RIF Contest Winners AT Lee



Zenda Thomas, Mark Haddad, Paul Prisco, Stella Lippert, Greg Truelove, Christie Messana.



Winning posters.

Lee Avenue is proud to announce winners of the RIF poster contest. These winners were chosen by Mrs. Gerry Silver, assistant director of instruction: 1st grade, Gregory Truelove - Mrs. Abramowitz; 2nd grade, Christie Messana - Miss Flanagan; 3rd grade, Stella Lippert - Miss Javorowsky; 4th grade, Zenda Thomas - Mr. Skupinsky; 5th grade, Paul Prisco

- Mrs. Keneally; 6th grade, Mark Haddad - Mr. Magrane. Prizes were awarded to the winners and those chosen as honorable mention: Niel Foresta, Jennifer Mulligan, Robert Haddad, Jessica Manaici, Sarah Sheridan, Danny Lasurdo, Joyceta Dastidar, Jennifer Graesick, James Woods, Jennifer Sullivan, Lisa Smith, Peter Schwartz.

### Pianist To Perform In Hicksville

Pianist David Buechner will perform at the Hicksville Library on Sunday, January 11, as the tenth program in the 1986-87 "Distinguished Artists Concerts" series. According to Oyster Bay Town Councilman Kenneth S. Diamond.

The concert, which is being sponsored by the Cultural and Performing Arts (CAPA) Division of the Department of Community Services, will be held at the library, 169 Jerusalem Avenue, beginning at 3 p.m. For further information, contact CAPA at 795-5943.

"The only American pianist to place in the 1984 Leeds Competition, David Buechner has garnered a nearly endless list of awards and distinctions, including the grand prize at the 1984 Gina Bachauer Competition, the Bronze Medal and the Gina Bachauer Prize at the Queen Elizabeth International in Brussels, and First Prize in the American Jewish Congress/Pepsi Cola Company Young Musicians Competition and in the Beethoven Foundation Competition, to name just a few," Diamond said. "He is also the recipient of an unprecedented total of six major awards from the Julliard School where he was a student.

"Mr. Buechner has played with groups such as the Philadelphia Orchestra, the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra and the New Orleans Philharmonic and has been guest soloist with the symphony orchestras of St. Louis, Minnesota, Baltimore, Indianapolis and Oakland," Diamond stated. "He had held recitals at both Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., and at the Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena. This year, his touring schedule will take him to concert halls throughout the United States and Europe."

For this performance, Buechner will perform "Psalms by Piano" by Richard Danielpour, "Trois Mouvements de Petrouchka" by Igor Stravinsky, Franz Schubert's "Fantasy in C Major, D. 760 The Wanderer" and Ludwig van Beethoven's "Sonata Quasi Una Fantasia in C# Minor, Op. 27, No. 2."

Diamond noted that the concert is being supported by grants from the Long Island Savings Bank, Apple Bank for Savings and Cablevision.

### Asbestos Hazards Aired At Hicksville Board Mtg.

Special to Mid Island Times  
By Maureen Traxler

The Hicksville School Board met in abbreviated session on December 23 with the Superintendent's words capsulizing the feelings of all present. Dr. Catherine Fenton hoped for the holiday and vacation to begin soon and expressed the wish for the good spirit of the season to continue throughout the year.

Board standing committees suspended action in December in order for all trustees to attend the Finance Committee meeting where initial action is being taken on the 1987-88 school budget. Vice President Thomas Nagle reported that the committee met on December 17 and reviewed coding. He said that updated codification would be completed with this budget.

Two residents, both district employees, questioned the Board about notices recently posted at Dutch Lane and Woodland Avenue Schools. The notices refer to asbestos materials or residue and state that in the designated buildings there are "some areas containing friable materials." (Friable material being crumbling or air-borne hazardous asbestos fibers.) Elayne Kabocoff of Woodland Avenue School requested details from the building file only to find conflicting, unclear data. Further clarification on the wording of the notice and information about asbestos abatement programs were demanded.

Speaking on behalf of the district, Tom Shaw, Assistant Director of Facilities and Operations, explained that asbestos testing was done in 1979 and updated as recently as this past month. No asbestos was found to be present in areas of the buildings exposed to students and staff. Over the years, asbestos has been removed from most all areas of the district's buildings through routine renovation and containment. The only areas where asbestos materials remain are in various boiler rooms, although the materials are well contained and properly sealed.

In the most recent inspection, the Environmental Protection Agency determined that the district was lax in complying with regulations to post notices informing employees and parents that at one time asbestos was present in the building. Therefore, notices were posted. Mr. Shaw added that each building would be receiving an EPA "Right to Know" booklet in the near future to help clarify matters. Board President William Bennett commented that in this case there seems to be "a misunderstanding of administrative and regulative material."

The Board unanimously approved a resolution authorizing the acceptance of a gift of \$3,000 for the Susan Brill Memorial Scholarship Fund. The gracious donation of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Brill, parents of Susan, will be a first installment toward the scholarship earmarked for the average student. Susan, a former Hicksville student, was killed after being struck by an auto several years ago.

The Board reviewed personnel matters. Approval was given to 32 teacher resignations, a reflection of the efforts of the retirement incentive option adopted on a one-year basis at the time of the contract negotiations last fall. The monetary incentive will be paid to eligible teachers who request retirement as of June 30, 1987. Three resignations and five appointments were approved in the civil service area. The Board also unanimously approved the granting of tenure to William Hall, Assistant Superintendent for Business Services.

Two policy revisions received approval: JGA - Corporal Punishment and JGA-R - Regulations for Reporting Complaints of Corporal Punishment. The revised JGA more clearly defines the district policy on physical force and outlines situations when physical force may be used. It also states explicit procedures to be followed in reporting the use of physical force. JGA-R deals with the regulations for investigating complaints about the use of corporal punishment.

Several policies were also presented to the Board for consideration and will be submitted for action at the next regular meeting. They are: EB - Safety Program, in which each building principal will be responsible for the development of a safety program. General areas of emphasis are stated; EBA - District wide Safety Committee, proposed policy to pool existing resources to ensure proper safety procedures; Revision JO - Student Records and Revision JO-R - Administrative Regulations/Student Records.

The Finance Committee will hold its next public budget session on Wednesday evening, January 21, at 8 p.m. The next regular meeting of the Board will be Wednesday, January 28, at 8:15 p.m. Both meetings will take place in the Conference Room of the Administration Building.

## Yevoli Criticizes Infectious Waste Disposal Methods

Assemblyman Lewis J. Yevoli has asked the Nassau County District Attorney to investigate what he termed, "a patently illegal operation that threatened the public's health while town, county and state authorities claimed they were powerless to stop it." Referring to a notorious infectious waste disposal (contaminated hospital waste) facility on the Farmingdale/Old Bethpage border, Assemblyman Yevoli said, "The Energy Combustion Corp. incinerated more than 28 million pounds of infectious waste for almost seven years in complete violation of the Town of Oyster Bay's Zoning Code." The company's incinerators, which are located within one mile of a Farmingdale elementary school and an Old Bethpage grade school, has been the target of much community opposition during the past few years.

The Assemblyman said, "The Nassau County Department of Health and the State Department of Environmental Conservation cited the company on numerous occasions for emission violations, but neither agency claims it was aware of the blatant zoning violation which would have forced its closure immediately. Complaints to the Town of Oyster Bay about the facility fell on deaf ears as Town officials claimed the problems were being handled by the state and county agencies."

According to available records, the Energy Combustion Corp. began incinerating contaminated

hospital waste in 1980 and ceased operations only last June when a Canadian company in the same business - DeCom Medical Waste Systems, Inc., purchased Energy Combustion Corp. Yevoli said, "How could Energy Combustion Corp. operate daily for almost seven years and be cited as a chronic violator by the county and state agencies when it did not have the proper zoning for the business it was engaged in or any construction permits for the incinerators it built on the site? To make the entire situation even more suspect, the facility is located immediately adjacent to the Town landfill/incinerator complex at Old Bethpage. It operated in full view of town authorities. It is inconceivable that this illegal facility could operate in full view of town authorities without any town official ever bothering to look into the matter."

Yevoli continued, "The frightening part about this is that school children and area residents were unnecessarily exposed to emissions from incinerators burning infectious waste when they had absolutely no right to be operating. Someone has a lot of explaining to do," Yevoli added. "Either the town, county or state agencies are run by a group of gross incompetents, or someone looked the other way on purpose. An investigation by the District Attorney will provide answers to questions that demand a thorough airing."

## Letters

To the Editor:

To the residents of the Hicksville Fire District, I wish to extend my grateful appreciation and thanks to the people who came out to vote and return me to the position of Commissioner of the Hicksville Fire District.

I am looking forward to a fruitful and cooperative time in office. I am also looking forward to your continued support and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,  
Michael K. Krummenacker  
Commissioner

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## Local Navyman Tracks Submarines

By Chris Holmes

A submarine's survival during war depends on operating quietly - avoiding detection by sub-hunters such as the USS Ainsworth - one of the best.

During their last Mediterranean deployment, Ainsworth crewmen earned the Navy Unit Commendation from the Secretary of the Navy for operations with the aircraft carrier USS Saratoga's battle group.

Petty Officer 3rd Class Luis E. Collazo, son of Frank and Beny Collazo of Hicksville, is a sonar operator aboard the Norfolk based frigate.

The former Hicksville High



Petty Officer 3rd Class Luis Collazo

School student and 1983 Great Neck High School graduate uses sonar equipment to locate, identify and track submarines.

It's a cat-and-mouse game that can turn at any moment as the enemy subs Ainsworth tracks try to locate it for a kill. During these times all noise aboard the ship is kept to a minimum. Steel water-tight doors are closed with care - radios are turned down, and the crew dons tennis shoes to avoid clanging as they scurry up and down metal ladders.

The crew was so successful in eliminating noises during a recent exercise off the Virginia Capes that a submarine they were working with reportedly sent a message for them to make some noise so the ship could be located.

While actively pursuing a submarine, sonar technicians, like Collazo, make important decisions concerning the ship's course and quiet operation.

"When we find a sub we make recommendations as far as course and speed and the distance to stay away from the submarine," Collazo says. "It's exciting tracking them."

Ainsworth's crew was busy

while in the Mediterranean. Because they are considered one of the best at anti-submarine warfare, they were called upon frequently to use their talents in keeping tabs on possible threats to the 6th Fleet, Collazo says.

Between these operations, sailors took advantage of various port visits to foreign countries. According to Collazo, one port holds special memories for the men of the Ainsworth.

"Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia was great," he says. "I think we were the first (American) ship to pull into there in a long time. The people were happy that we were there - they were nice to us. We helped them put out a brush fire and afterwards this 75 year old lady invited five of us that were together over to her house for some food and some homemade wine."

Another favorite port was Palma de Mallorca, Spain, Collazo says.

"I enjoyed the tourist atmosphere although it wasn't tourist season when we were there. Hopefully we'll go there again next year during our Med cruise."

## Editor's Notebook

For several weeks we have devoted this column to answering questions from our readers. One question we frequently hear concerns our "College Notes" and "In Service" features. Our readers wish to know where we get this material.

Usually "College Notes" come directly from the college. However, there are some colleges which do not have good public relations departments and they send out little or no information. In these cases, the parents frequently send us college information about their sons or daughters.

In the case of "In Service" information, almost always it comes from the armed services. But, again, parents have been known to "fill the slack."

But no matter where the college or in-service information comes from, we are always delighted to publish it (including photos, if available--they can be of any size, in color or black and white. We also try to return them if so requested). The daily press seems to be crowded with crimes committed by young people---we feel privileged to record the worthwhile accomplishments of our youth instead.

V.P.

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Kenneth S. Diamond, right, presents a citation to Gary Feldman of Plainview, Past Chancellor of the Jericho Knights of Pythias Lodge #846, at a dinner in his honor. Emceeding the event was the Lodge's current Chancellor Commander, Marshall Belson, of Westbury. Under Feldman's leadership, the Lodge sponsored many charitable and community projects benefiting such groups as Syosset Hospital and the Town of Oyster Bay Group Activities Program (GAP) for the handicapped and continued its support of the "Drugmobile," which serves as a portable information and education center.

## Single Parent January Meetings

The Mid-Island Single Parent Group has scheduled the following meeting dates and topics for the month of January, according to Oyster Bay Town Councilman Howard T. Hogan.

**Wednesday, January 7** - "The Perils of the Second Time Around"

**Wednesday, January 14** - "Personal Healing"

**Wednesday, January 21** - "Investments For Singles"

**Wednesday, January 28** - "How to Survive Those Mid-Winter Blues?"

The meetings will be held at the Hicksville Senior Citizen Housing Community Room, 355 Newbridge Road, beginning at 7:30 p.m. They are open to all separated, divorced and widowed parents.

The Single Parent Program operates under the auspices of the Town's Drug Abuse Control Agency, a division of the Department of Community Services. For information, call DACA at 795-5943, ext. 719.

## Kiwanis Raises Funds For Needy



Shown in photo taken in the early evening during this project are, left to right: Scoutmaster John Russell, First Class Scout Chris Gibson, and Kiwanian Sam Zaklan. (Photo by Sieg Widder)

The Hicksville Kiwanis Club conducted their annual Salvation Army red-kettle, bell-ringing, fundraising project on Friday, December 19 at the Pathmark supermarket, to raise money for the Salvation Army to help the needy.

Participating in the project, working in shifts between 2 p.m. and 8 p.m., were Kiwanians Bernie Paul, Bob McGuinness, Bill Murphy, Jim Isaac, Sam Zaklan, Sieg Widder and John Budnick.

Representatives from Boys Scout Troop 64, co-sponsored by Kiwanis Club, also volunteered

their time and assisted with this project. They were Scoutmaster John Russell, Assistant Scoutmaster Stephen Biner, First Class Scouts Dennis Mitchell, Chris Gibson and Steve Biner. The three Boy Scouts volunteered their time as a Community Service Project. The help provided by the members of Troop 64 were greatly appreciated by the Kiwanis Club.

The Kiwanis Club and the Salvation Army also wish to thank the shoppers for their contributions of bills and coins totaling \$174.53.

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# Our Children



## 'Christmas Is for Children' project helps needy

By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Q. As the mother of two small children, I look forward to the holiday season with great joy, hoping to share the excitement with them. However, as a fourth grade teacher, I dread the holidays.

My class is made up of children from economically poor backgrounds. It seems that on days when holiday events are planned, such as grab bags and class parties, there is a great sense of depression among these children. Some don't even come to class.

I try as much as possible to provide opportunities for the class to make some small items to try to de-emphasize the commercial aspect. But that doesn't seem to help much. Children who come from poor households want so badly to be able to give gifts to their family and friends. Because they can't, they feel left out.

You know as well as I the warm feeling of contentment when a person you love opens a gift from you and says thanks. How awful for these children not to be able to experience that feeling.

Can you tell me if there are programs out there to help economically disadvantaged children? They deserve to participate and need to feel loved. Most of all they need to feel good about themselves.

A. Perhaps in your own classroom activities you can help the children prepare small gifts for their families, using free and inexpensive materials. Making greeting cards and baking cookies might be among them.

An interesting program is going on in 16 or more cities around the country (Atlanta, Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles, Miami, New York and Washington, D.C., are among them) that will reach more than 5,000 poor children. They are or will be involved in earning coupons which they will be able to exchange at Christmas parties for family-type gift items. Community projects in which they participate in order to earn the coupons include activities like helping to

clean neighborhood parks and housing projects and running holiday-related errands for senior citizens.

This specific "Christmas Is for Children" project, sponsored by Avon, is part of a national effort proclaimed by President Reagan as one of the nation's top community service programs. In fact, at a White House ceremony last June this Avon Products plan, selected from 1,500 entries, was awarded the nation's highest honor for pri-

vate sector initiatives. The program will be expanded in the future to every state.

Earning gifts for loved ones, as well as achieving worthwhile goals, sounds like a fine way to build self-esteem among children who have such a strong need for it.

Local media in the cities mentioned above, as well as in others, may be a source for further information.

I can't resist also mentioning to you a small book by Jonathan Kozol that stresses the self-esteem theme too. Its title is "Death at an Early Age."

Q. Hyperactivity is a problem I worry about constantly with our 4-year-old son. Just recently he seems to be going in that direction.

I read somewhere that fluorescent lighting may be the cause of it. The lights in his nursery school are of that type. Do you think they could be the problem?

A. Research in this area doesn't appear to be very complete. A more likely factor possibly could be his "seeping" hyperactive to you. Whether he is or not may be worth checking with his teachers who perhaps can view him objectively in comparison with other children his age.

Although there of course are some hyperactive young children, the label has become a common catchall for some parents who face difficulties in living comfortably with preschool-age children.

I have written an article on the subject of hyperactivity as it relates to young children. It is in the mail to you. Others may obtain a copy if they send a stamped self-addressed envelope with their request, mailing it to me in care of P.O. Box 572, Scottsdale, AZ 85252.

# EAT YOURSELF SLIM



## Take a second look at those labels

By Shirley Bright Boody  
Registered Dietitian

This is part two of our special report on food labeling and the misleading, ambiguous terms that are so confusing.

There are lots of regulations regarding food labels, especially if a manufacturer makes a "nutrition" claim or adds "nutrients" to a food regulated by the Food and Drug Administration. In such cases, the package must contain a complete nutrition label substantiating the claim. Ingredients must be listed in descending order according to the percentage of weight they contribute to the total product, and misleading photographs are prohibited. There are some terms such as "low calorie" and "low sodium" that are also defined by federal regulation.

If that makes you feel safe and protected, consider what many labels don't say. Many of the almost 3,000 additives in current use need not be specifically named. A so-called "natural" food can still be loaded with artificial ingredients and a food labeled "with no salt" can be loaded with sodium.

When buying a product labeled "light" or "lite," don't you expect it to have fewer calories or lower fat, lower salt or a beneficial lowering of something or other? Not always; it can simply mean a lighter color or a lighter texture. So what is the product light in, and lighter than what? The label may not say and you can be misled into buying a product that is considerably different from what you interpret on the label.

For example: a certain well-known manufacturer sells a "Light, Seedless Grape in Heavy Syrup" product. What's "light" about it? Who knows?

Why does this confusion exist? Because the FDA, which is responsible for all food labeling except meat and poultry has no legal definition for "light" labeling.

Meat and poultry products that are regulated by the Department of Agriculture soon will have approved specific guidelines. "Light," "leaner" and "lower fat"

labels on meat or poultry must have 25 percent less fat than similar products by April 1987. "Light" also can mean 25 percent less sodium, breadings or calories, and the label will say which is reduced. This doesn't apply to frozen entrees or dinners that use "light" or "lean" in the name, however. They must only carry a "nutrition" label.

The word "imitation" on a label is another confusing term. What are imitation foods? Substitutes? Cheaper? Low calorie? Sugar-free? Fat-free? No, "imitation" means that the product is not the real thing. And it is nutritionally inferior, or lower in protein, vitamins or minerals.

However, foods that are lower in calories, cholesterol or fat are not considered to be "imitation." In addition, foods that are not the real thing, but are nutritionally equivalent to the foods they are imitating, can use the term "substitute," or give a name to the product that clearly tells the contents such as "cheese" macaroni.

Serving sizes on labels also add to the confusion. On nutrient labels the information refers to the serving size. So, what's the problem? They are all different because there is no standard serving size established. In products with larger serving sizes, the protein and vitamins appear to be higher, while products with small sizes may show fewer calories. For example, frozen low-fat yogurt pops may seem to be lower in calories than ice cream, but not when you compare serving sizes. The low-fat yogurt pops are usually only 2 1/2 ounces per serving, while the ice cream is 4 ounces per serving. In reality, then, the ice cream can have fewer calories than the low-fat yogurt pops in equal amounts.

There is little doubt that we need newer and better food product labeling for American consumers.

### Many women ignore good nutrition

Many women know about good nutrition but don't use eating habits that could keep them healthier. Questions asked to women during a nutrition survey included:

Do good looks depend on good nutrition?



Do you snack between meals?



Are you concerned about food additives and preservatives?



SOURCE: Self magazine survey



## Girl Scouts Entertain Seniors

Story and Photos by  
Marcia Gunnigle

On Saturday, December 20, Scouts from Junior Troop, 3001 and Brownie Troop 3186 lovingly came together to bring love and Christmas cheer to the citizens at the Brush Hollow Arms Home for Adults in Westbury.

For many weeks the Scouts had been working on presents to give the seniors. The Juniors made little jewelry boxes, ornaments for the residents Christmas Tree and lots of homemade goodies to eat. The Brownies made coffee can storage boxes with homemade treats in them, snowmen and Santa Claus pins, Christmas tree table decorations, notepads with holiday prints and homemade cookies.

We arrived at 1:30 and gathered in the dining room. The girls entertained the seniors with Christmas carols as well as Chanukah songs. After this they passed out all of the beautiful crafts they made to each resident. Following this the Scouts sang more songs ending with "We Wish You a Merry Christmas."

The Scouts who gave so freely of their time are: Victoria Gunnigle, Jennifer Murray, Diane Traxler, Susan Gaylord, Kim Spiegel, Merry Senn and Marcia Gunnigle. Leader Tia Pappas, Jennifer Traxler, Angela Leal, Vanessa Leal, Robin Goldberg, Abbey Toich, Mariassa Toich, Jennifer Kornreich, Lisa Santolemma, Maureen Traxler and Rosalene Leal, co-leaders.



Left to right: Vickie Gunnigle, Marcia Gunnigle, Kay Gaylord, Angela Leal, Maryanne Goldberg, Rosalene Leal, Kimberly Spiegel, Susan Gaylord, Diane Traxler, Jen Murray, Robin Goldberg, Jen Kornreich, Jen Traxler, Abbey Toich, Vanessa Leal, Tia Pappas, Mariassa Toich, Lisa Santolemma and Merry Senn with residents.



Maureen Traxler and Maryanne Goldberg with Brownies Robin Goldberg, Jen Kornreich and Abbey Toich.

## Friday Singles Program Begins

A new program to provide a welcome for singles to area Temples and Synagogues is being coordinated by the Mid-Island YM and YWHA. Singles, aged 21 to 35, are invited to special discussions led by the Rabbi and Onegs for singles following the regular Friday evening Shabbat Services. The programs will be held at a different congregation each month.

The first Singles Shabbat Service and Oneg will be on January 23 at the Bethpage Jewish Center, 600 Broadway, Bethpage at 8:30 p.m. with Rabbi Bruce Ginsberg leading the discussion. The February Singles Shabbat Service will be at Temple Or-Elöhim, 18 Tobie Lane, Jericho, on February 20 with Rabbi Phillip Bentley. March 20 will be at the North Shore Synagogue in Syosset. April 24 at the Plainview Jewish Center in Plainview and May 15 at the Manetto Jewish Center in Plainview.

Mid-Island Y Adult Group Services Supervisor, Elise Hahn-Felix commented "Sometimes singles feel ill at ease in what they perceive as family oriented Houses of Worship. This program will help Jewish singles feel more comfortable and give them an opportunity to meet the Rabbis in the congregations." For further information contact Elise Hahn-Felix at the Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY 11803 or phone 822-3535.



Vickie Gunnigle and Merry Senn giving out homemade goodies.



Abbey Toich and Angela Leal visiting with residents.

## THE OFFICE CAT

By Gabby Tabby



**AFTER YEARS** of wondering what would happen to Broadway Hicksville, development was ready to begin on at least two buildings when a water cap loomed in the distance. Meaning no water permit, no building. A long term solution like bringing in outside water is not even in the planning stages.....**THE GRUMMAN Corp.** has plans but not to expand on L.I. The company now says that costs are too high here and it is going to increase expansion in other states.....**NEXT WEEK** regular deadlines for this newspaper, will be in effect, Tuesday at noon for our many classified ads (Try them you'll like them) and Tuesday night to Wednesday morning for news releases.....**PEOPLE** who travel on the New York State Thruway, even occasionally, may wish to jot down this toll free number 1-800-992-8698, which can be dialed to learn weather conditions. These recorded messages are a new service. They are based on frequent reports from toll stations and state police along the 559 mile highway.....**FRAIL ELDERLY** homemakers who need help in snow shoveling should call the Dept. of Senior Citizen Affairs-535-5907.....**UNDER** a federal program senior homeowners who qualify may receive up to \$285 against a fuel bill. For an application phone 431-8531.....**THE POLICE REPORT** is published as a public service to alert residents of where crime is taking place in the area and as an aid in the Neighborhood Watch program: **BURGLARS** broke glass in a rear window of the Ellner residence, 33 Julliard Dr., Plainview on Dec. 15. They entered and stole jewelry.....**ON DEC. 15** burglars broke into the Holden residence, 84 Lenox Ave., Hicksville. They broke glass in a cellar window to gain entry and stole jewelry.....**THE LOSS** was unknown at the Freedman residence, 40 Diamond Drive, Plainview on Dec. 15. Burglars broke glass in a rear window to gain entry.....**GLASS** was broken in a rear window of the Kurtzman residence, 4 Barbara Lane, Plainview on Dec. 16. Burglars entered and stole jewelry.....**A VCR** and jewelry were stolen from the Nelson residence, 17 Main Parkway, Plainview. Entry was through a rear window.....**BURGLARS** broke a rear window of the Tagliente home, 17 Main Parkway, Plainview on Dec. 16. They entered and stole a camera, ring, and cash.....**A VCR** was stolen from the Schneider residence, 150 Fairhaven Dr., Jericho on Dec. 16. The means of entry is unknown.....**BURGLARS** broke glass in a rear window of the Kogel residence, 16 Gloria Drive, Woodbury between Dec. 15 and 17. Credit cards were stolen.....**BURGLARS** pried open a rear window of the Schachner home, 39 Fern Dr., East Jericho on Dec. 19. They stole a VCR and jewelry.....**ON DEC. 19** burglars broke a rear window of the Hiltz residence, 36 Willets Dr., Syosset. They entered and stole jewelry.....**BURGLARS** entered the Gebhard residence on 14th St., Hicksville on Dec. 19. No loss was reported.....**BURGLARS** broke into the Island Cable Electric Co. 10 Bethpage Ct., Hicksville between Dec. 13 and 15. They entered through the roof and stole a oscilloscope, TV and heater.....**DICTAPHONE** machines were stolen from the Dictaphone Co. 255 Executive Dr., Plainview between Dec. 16 and 17. The means of entry are unknown.....**BURGLARS** came through the roof of Coral Graphics, 11 Commercial St., Plainview between Dec. 17 and 18. They stole cash and gift certificates.....**NO LOSS** was reported from Parex Inc. 40 Skyline Dr., Plainview on Dec. 18. Burglars entered through the roof.....**THE LOSS** was undetermined at PTN Publishing 210 Crossways Park, Woodbury, between Dec. 18 and 19. Entry was through the roof.....**BURGLARS** broke into Phillips Business Systems, 45 Jericho Turnpike, Jericho between Dec. 18 and 19. Cash was stolen.....That's all the news for now...G.T.

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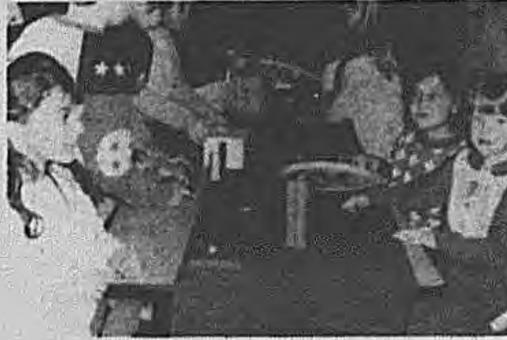
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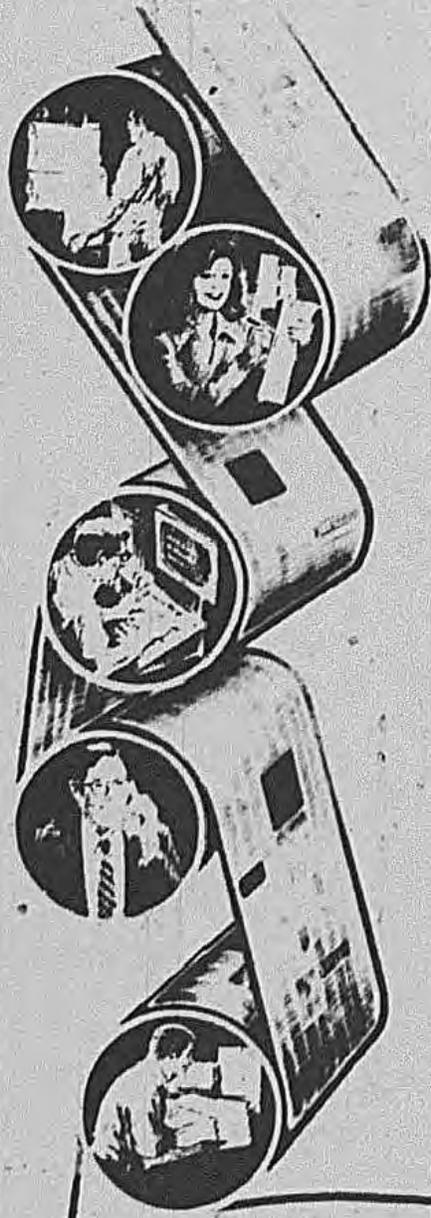
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## Lightweight brace helps wounded knees stand tall

By Jack Williams

To hear sports medicine specialists tell it, a new lightweight brace may do for the athletic knee what the seat belt has done for the motorist. In this case, however, the objective is to avoid buckling up.

A stable knee — provided it can extend unencumbered through its normal range of motion — is a healthy knee. But the stresses of sports, both recreational and professional, render the knee one of the most vulnerable and fragile joints of the athletic anatomy.

The slightest twist can derail skiers, tennis players, runners and other part-time practitioners of non-contact sports. But why be out three months when you can come back in three weeks? Why limp when you can lope?

What has been practical and career-preserving for Dan Fouts and Joe Namath, among others, may be of equal value to the public, insist promoters of the Lenox Hill brace, which has maintained a 75-percent share of the knee-brace market for the last 16 years.

Within the last year, the New York-based firm has devised a brace much lighter and less cumbersome than the 1969 prototype that Namath — then a New York Jets' quarterback — first wore. What was 32 ounces is today 19 ounces, thanks to advancing technology, Velcro, aluminum and public demand.

"We tested it during spring training with Gary Carter (New York Mets catcher)," said George Ganzekauer, a certified orthotist who is vice president of Lenox Hill Brace Inc. "He was able to wear it comfortably underneath his shin guard while rehabilitating from arthroscopic surgery.

"We feel it would be of equal value to a recreational tennis player, skier or runner who is rehabilitating an injury or has an unstable knee. We were forced to make a lighter brace for the average person. The average person accounts for 80 percent of our business, and skiers make up for a great percentage of that.

"It's trickled down from the original application in football, where it's now used as a preventive measure."

Football — with its epidemic knee injuries — remains a prime market for the knee brace. In fact, said Ganzekauer, all of the Cleveland Browns' offensive and defensive linemen are required by their trainer to wear it.

"They're convinced it doesn't impair speed and mobility," said

Ganzekauer. "Getting the backs to believe that is another matter. They'll be the last ones to try it. But Dan Fouts (San Diego Chargers quarterback) wears the brace on both knees, and Chuck Long (rookie quarterback for the Detroit Lions) wears them for protection.

"We foresee the day when the knee brace will be required in the National Football League, just like the helmet and shoulder pads."

The brace permits motion in the knee joint while resisting excessive rotation and displacement. It can be adjusted according to the range of knee flexibility dictated by the individual's physical condition and degree of immobility.

A study conducted at the Glasgow Royal Infirmary in Scotland concluded that 88 percent of the patients fitted with the brace found it "an effective appliance for preventing their knees from giving way."

Some people, however, may find the apparatus more restrictive than others, acknowledged Dr. James A. Nicholas, a noted New York sports physician who helped develop the first such brace.

Said Nicholas: "The brace is not a panacea. ... A guy who wears the brace can't quite cut as fast, turn as fast, but can do a pretty good job. If you time him, critically — say in a 40-yard dash — he'd be a tenth of a second off."

More and more skiers are seeing the need for the brace, noted Ganzekauer, because of ski boot bindings that stabilize the ankle but seem to leave the knee more vulnerable.

"When you've injured a knee," said Dr. Rene Calliett, a Santa Monica, Calif., sports medicine specialist, "there's always the chance of reinjuring it — and the onset of arthritis down the road. Because of wear and tear on the cartilage, you may wind up with bone on bone.

"A proper brace prevents excessive movement of the knee joint. If you've suffered ligament damage — which is the greatest source of injury to the knee joint — you may need a brace for normal activities.



## How much risk can you take and still sleep?

By Jay Goldinger

If you ever make any investments at all — even \$10 in a single share of stock — don't plunk down another dollar without knowing your C.Q.

I call it your Comfort Quotient. That is the amount of risk you can assume without worrying about where your dollars are. Translated: How is it affecting your home life, your family and your ability to sleep at night?

It's crucial to your mental and financial health.

For example, if you are thinking of making either an investment or a major purchase, ask yourself if you and your family will really suffer if it goes sour. Or, can you treat it like money you would lose in Las Vegas. Few people are that cavalier with their cash. Others are true gamblers.

The Donoghue Organization near Boston, probably the leading authority on mutual funds, has devised a test that helps you determine where you stand on the risk pyramid. At the bottom of the pyramid are money market securities. These are like Treasury Bills and T-Bonds and are backed by the U.S. government. Hence they are risk-free.

At the very top of the pyramid are growth stock funds — mutual funds that buy shares in very small, speculative and some volatile, companies. They are exceptionally risky. When the stock market is climbing, they appreciate quickly; but when the market plunges as it did in mid-July, the value of the shares also nosedives.

Naturally we can't reproduce the entire test, but here are some of the questions the Donoghue Organization advises investors to ask themselves, along with the multiple choice answers.

• Your investment loses 15 percent a month after you buy it, and none of the fundamentals has changed. Do you (a) sit tight and wait for it to go back up, (b) sell it and rid yourself of further sleepless nights, (c) buy more because the price is below what you originally paid for it.

• Suppose the value of your investment skyrockets by 40 percent a month after you buy it and you can't find further information about it. Do you (a) sell it, (b) hold

six months, or (b) invested in a money market fund only to see the aggressive growth fund you were thinking about doubled in six months.

• Your longtime friend and neighbor, an experienced petroleum geologist, is forming a group of investors to invest in an exploratory oil well which could pay back 50 to 100 times its investment if successful. If the well is dry, the entire investment is worthless. Your friend, who's putting his own money in the deal, figures he has only a 20 percent chance of success. How much would you invest: (a) nothing, (b) a month's salary, (c) three months' salary, (d) six months' salary.

To figure out where you stand on the risk pyramid, the Donoghue Organization will send you its special report 10-1 free, and you can take the complete test. Just call toll-free 800-343-5413, or write to Box 540, Holliston, MA 01746. Yet, judging from the way you answer these few questions, you can get an idea of your Comfort Quotient right now and how you might invest without personal pain.

If you score below 21 on the complete test, you tend to play it safe; you're a conservative investor who is allergic to risk. Nothing wrong with that. That's the way I invest. So you should stock up with sober investments with less risk like government-backed money market instruments, deeply discounted, highly rated bonds that are close to maturity and generally do not fluctuate in price, U.S. Savings Bonds, bank or savings and loan certificates of deposit.

Donoghue makes one caveat: in a bull market, aggressive growth funds offer opportunities that may be too good to pass up. That's true, but don't climb aboard the bull at the end of its run. You must be in at the start, and I would only put 1 percent of my discretionary investment dollars into an aggressive growth no-load mutual fund.

If you take the full test and your C.Q. is 21 to 35, it's clear you are an active investor willing to take calculated, prudent risks to achieve greater financial gain. So you should balance your investments with some growth and income no-load funds and some high-grade bond funds. You want some monthly income and safety, but you need to roll the dice a few times to get your blood surging. My advice is to be more cautious and less of a craps shooter.

If your C.Q. is 36 and over, you're a venturesome, assertive investor who will take a greater risk in order to achieve a bigger reward. You can take chances and sleep nights, and it won't ruin your week if you lose. Still, anyone can roll the dice. Just ask yourself if you really have the spare dollars to plunk down or do you have adequate backup bucks in case you speculate and strike out. Know your psychological and financial limits.

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it and hope to make an even greater gain, (c) buy more because it will probably go higher.

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January Events**

**Sunday, Jan. 18** - Brunch, join us for bagels and spreads 11-12:30 p.m., M \$2, NM \$3.

**Sunday, Jan. 18** - Sunday Afternoon Workshop - "Is There Life After Divorce." Part II of a 4 part series. "Dealing With the Anger." Barbara Goldsmith, MSW, noted radio personality. M \$4, NM \$5.

**Monday, Jan 19** - Single Again, for those who have newly separated or divorced, Single Again offers the opportunity to explore feelings regarding the emotional and physical effects. 8 sessions. 7:30-8:30 p.m. M \$45, NM \$60.

**Wednesday, Jan. 21** - The Rap for Men & Women 45+. 1st and 3rd Wednesday, M \$2, NM \$4. Group focusing on topics relevant to the age group and the individual's social situation. 7:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Jan. 21** - Volleyball. 7:30-10:45 p.m. M \$2, NM \$4. Singles ages 18-35 can come down and shape up while meeting other people from the community.

**Thursday, Jan. 22** - Single Parent Center - 8:30-11 p.m. Organization of divorced or widowed individuals with children. Dinner out. "Dutch Treat." M \$1, NM \$2.

**Thursday, Jan. 22** - New Outlook - 8-11 p.m. M \$1, NM \$2. Self help support group for widowed individual 50+ years. Social, rap groups and games.

**Friday, Jan. 23** - New Single Shabbat Services and Oneg, ages 21-35. Join us for Shabbat Services at Congregation Bethpage Jewish Community Center at 8:30 p.m. Bethpage Community Center is located at 600 Broadway, Bethpage, 938-7909. Following services there will be a dialogue with the Rabbi. "Where is God When you are Young and Upwardly Mobile?"

**Sunday, Jan. 25** - Brunch, join us for bagels and spreads 11-12:30 p.m. M \$2, NM \$3.

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**Elsie Widder**

Elsie Widder, a resident at the Lutheran Center For The Aging in Smithtown, died peacefully in her sleep, at age 95, on December 22.

She is survived by her sons Kurt of Manhasset, and Siegfried of Hicksville; daughters-in-law Alice and Iris; grandchildren Stephen, Meryl, Barbara, Keith and Christine and eight great-grandchildren; as well as two brothers, a sister and numerous nieces and nephews.

Private service and interment in Restland Memorial Park, Roseland, New Jersey.

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**Woodland Visits Garvies Point**

Woodland Avenue School third graders recently attended two workshops at Garvies Point Museum where the children learned how to use Indian tools.



Marie Elena Puma grinding corn.



Danielle Buffolino and Theresa Rantello using drills.



Mrs. Ullrich's third grade students touching real dinosaur bones.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS**

The undersigned Receiver of Taxes for the Town of Hempstead, County of Nassau State of New York, hereby gives notice that he has received the Tax Roll and Warrant attached hereto, dated December 24, 1986 and the Receiver of Taxes will be in attendance to receive taxes at

200 NORTH FRANKLIN STREET, HEMPSTEAD, N.Y. 11550 beginning Friday, January 2, 1987 and each weekday thereafter from 9:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. (Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays excepted).

**Property Tax Rates by Class**  
Nassau County - General Purposes: Class 1: 3.684; Class 2: 4.930; Class 3: 4.468; Class 4: 3.726. Nassau Community College - Class 1: .654; Class 2: .752; Class 3: .716; Class 4: .660. Town of Hempstead - General Purposes - Class 1: .785; Class 2: .921; Class 3: .857; Class 4: .808. Town Highway-Repairs & Improvements of Highways - Class 1: 2.703; Class 2: 2.925; Class 3: 2.951; Class 4: 2.736. Town of Hempstead - Part Town (Building, Zoning, etc.) - Class 1: .284; Class 2: .308; Class 3: .310; Class 4: .288. Town Building and Board of Zoning Appeals in Inc. Village of Atlantic Beach .000\*. Nassau County Police 5.016\*. Nassau County Police Headquarters - Class 1: 1.799; Class 2: 2.069; Class 3: 1.970; Class 4: 1.817. Nassau County Sewer Taxes. Special District Taxes.

\* Classes Not Applicable.

**PENALTIES**

The following scale of penalties is hereby prescribed for neglect to pay County, Town and Highway and Special District taxes after they become due and payable.

If the first half is not paid on or before February 10, 1987, penalty will be added at the rate of one per centum per month from January 1, 1987 calculated to the end of the month during which payment is made.

Penalty on the second half will be added after August 10, 1987 at the rate of one per centum per month from January 1, 1987 calculated to the end of the month during which payment is made.

Penalty on the second half will be added after August 10, 1987 at the rate of one per centum per month from July 1, 1987 calculated to the end of the month during which payment is made.

**DISCOUNTS**

If the full year's tax is paid on or before February 10, 1987 discount will be allowed on the second half of the tax at the rate of one per centum of the second half. No discount allowed on payments after February 10, 1987.

Taxes are payable in cash, check or money order. Uncertified checks will be accepted subject to collection and payment made therewith will not become official until collection has been effected.

When requesting tax bills, please state the School District location, Section, Block and Lot numbers in accordance with the Nassau County Tax Map.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

After August 31, 1987 Tax Roll will be turned over to the County Treasurer and all payments after that date should be made at the Office of the County Treasurer, Nassau County Office Building, 240 Old Country Road, Mineola, New York 11501.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

Massapequa, NY 11758 Sec. 52 Blk 47 Lot 94.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE.**  
That by Order of the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, pursuant to Sec. 200(a) of the Town Law of the State of New York and Chapter 21 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Oyster Bay, Article II, Division 2, you are hereby required within thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice to reconstruct or repair the sidewalk along the street in front of certain premises hereinabove indicated as owned by you, totally at your own cost and expense, and in accordance with the provisions and specifications of said Chapter 21, Article II, Division 2, of the Town of Oyster Bay Code, THAT the sidewalks shall be reconstructed or repaired in accordance with the lines, grades and specifications as set forth by the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, and after a permit is issued therefore by the Superintendent of Highways, with all work to be performed in a good workmanlike manner, and all materials to be of standard grade and free from defects. THAT in the event of default of reconstruction or repair of said sidewalks as required by this Notice within the time specified, the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay will cause said sidewalks to be reconstructed or repaired and will assess the cost thereof to against the aforesaid premises adjoining said sidewalks in accordance with the provisions of law as hereinabove set forth. **TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY.**  
JOSEPH COLBY, Supervisor.  
ANN R. OCKER, Town Clerk.  
Dated: December 16, 1986.  
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## Pedestrian Robbed Near R.R. Tracks

The Second Squad is investigating a pedestrian robbery that occurred on Newbridge Road opposite the LIRR tracks, Hicksville at 11 p.m., December 15.

Elsa Gotay, 29 of Plainview, was accosted by an unknown male, white, 40's, 5'10", 170 lbs., mustache, light complexion, dark 3/4 coat, who demanded money. The woman handed the man \$150, a \$200 topaz ring and a \$250 air of topaz earrings. The subject fled on foot and no injuries were reported.

## Senior Adult Programs

Listed below are the programs sponsored by the Mr. and Mrs. Senior Adults of the Mid Island Y:  
Wednesday, January 7, 8 p.m. Charles S. Butin, Esq. of the Nassau Bar Association will speak on "The New Tax Laws."

Wednesday, January 21, 8 p.m., Mr. Steven Pellicann representing Dean Witter will speak on "Investment for Seniors."  
Coffee and cake served at all meetings. Non-members \$1.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**LAFAYETTE ASSOCIATES**  
Substance of Certificate of Limited Partnership signed and acknowledged by all of the partners and filed in the Nassau County Clerk's Office on November 25, 1986. Name and principal office in the partnership is Lafayette Associates, c/o First Stratford Corporation, 410 Jericho Turnpike, Jericho, New York 11753. Its business is to purchase, own, operate, lease and sell residential real property. The term of the partnership is 60 years from the date of filing of the Certificate in the Nassau County Clerk's Office. The names and residences of the general partners, of the limited partners, and the cash contributions are as follows:

**General Partners:** First Stratford Corporation, 410 Jericho Turnpike, Jericho, New York 1175 and Barbara Weiss, Whitehaven, Route 25A, Old Brookville, New York 11545 cash contributions \$500.00 each. Limited Partner: Thomas G. Rund, 251 Tahlulah Lane, West Islip, New York 11795, cash contribution of \$100.00.

No other property is contributed and no additional contributions are agreed to be made by the limited partner. The general partners may admit additional limited partners totaling no more than 35, upon payment of the sum of \$34,000 per unit for a total of not more than 9 limited partner units. Upon contribution for a total of 9 such units, the present limited partner shall resign and receive a return of his capital contribution. No limited partner shall have priority over any other limited partner(s) as to contributions or compensation by way of income. The remaining general partner or partners may continue the business upon death, retirement or insanity of a general partner. There is no right of any limited partner to demand or receive property other than cash for his contribution.

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### TIMES CAPT POBR

Three of the youngest members of the Plainview-Old Bethpage Road Runners Club - Meredith Levine, Stacey Ebert and Kerl Ebert - were presented with "Special Volunteer Award" plaques at the Club's December meeting.

The plaques were presented in recognition of the help that the three give at the many races sponsored by POBRRC. Kerl, Stacey and Meredith, are the young ladies who give out the T-shirts, sweatshirts, etc. - along with very big smiles - to the runners at the day of race registration. Thanks again girls, and keep up the good work! Pictured, left to right: Kerl Ebert, Meredith Levine and Stacey Ebert proudly display their Special Volunteer Awards.

### LEGAL NOTICE

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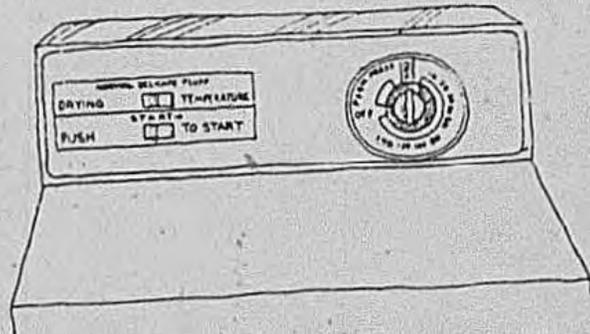


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## THE QUESTION OF THE WEEK

During the Christmas season a clergyman decided to tell the youth that Santa Claus is a myth. Do you think it is time to abandon the old Santa Claus tales?



## Mixed Idea On Role Of Toys In Changing Children

Callers to Input had mixed answers to the question: "Do you believe that guns and weapons have a serious effect on children." Here are some of the answers:

### MORE JUDGMENT

Yes. I think that parents should use more judgment in buying toys for children. What is the use of giving a child a gun or a toy that is designed to simulate the killing of thousands in battle? The greatest thing we can impart to children is that killing is evil and should not be made into a sport of glory. War toys should be outlawed. J.E.

### STAGE PROPS

Guns, rockets and weapons are perhaps foolish toys but nevertheless, we all can remember wanting to own tin soldiers and cap pistols. The truth is that children do not really view these things as real. They think of them as toys and do not get any sense that the guns are really killing anyone. The toys are in the form of stage props and they do not influence anyone very much. L.R.

### SPECIFIC REASONS

I do not like to give war toys to children but someone said the other day that if children would take nursery rhymes seriously that those survivals of the past are filled with violence and so are our fairy tales. But children have never taken them that seriously. Usually when you find someone prone to violence, it goes back to specific things in the past that were done and not to toys. M.R.

### NO PROOF

I think that a lot of people are trying to lay a guilt trip on people who give war toys to children. There is no proof that they really change children's behavior. M.Y.

### MORE LAWS

The problem is with the manufacturers. They seem to be prone to making toys that are replicas of things that kill. So parents are up against turning down their children on what they want after seeing a TV commercial and getting something that is not destructive. If the toy makers did not make money out of producing toy weapons they would produce something else. Perhaps there should be more laws. T.J. NOT RIGHT

I can remember having soldiers and guns when I was young and yet I do not like violence. There must be other reasons why people turn to violence than simply because they played with war toys. I think the whole noise about the violence caused by toys is just a tempest in a teapot that someone made up without knowing they were right or not. S.W.

### OTHER REASONS

Let's start out by saying that all during my long life, I have seen children including myself exposed to guns and weapons in the comic sheets, the silent movies, fairy tales, and the like. In my family of four boys, the only effect it had was perhaps some early preparedness for military experience with two of my brothers involved in World War II. Today, I see my grandson and granddaughter enthralled with the TV cartoons where practically every plot has an arch-villain with all kinds of tools of destruction at his or her fingertips while the hero or heroine is more than equally equipped to negate the powers of evil. Perhaps, TV crime drama on feature films might have a more serious effect on children but even in that medium, the thrust is inevitably one where the "good guys" win in the end. Frankly, I believe that whatever effect the display of guns and weapons may have, it would be largely one which preys upon illiterates, the poor, and children of broken families and in these cases it is more a question of a means to an end for a "have not" trying to be a "have." And finally, there is the innate character of a child which can permit acceptance of weapon. "I'd plots for amusement but reject them for serious adoption. But, if we are searching for the root cause of the increasing violence we see daily, it has to be twofold - the pyramiding and relatively uncontrolled sale of guns and weapons and the inability to check the distribution of "crack" and other drugs to minors. P.G.S.

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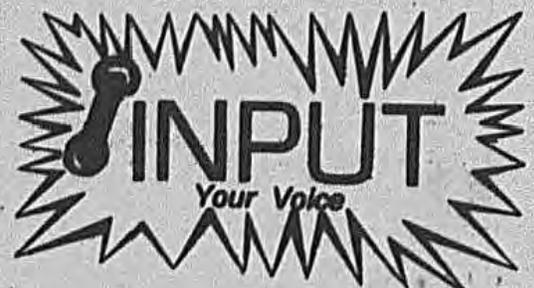
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## Food For The Wash 'N Wear Brood

By Marjorie Wolfe

DeBorkowski's Laundry Law is true! "If you come out of the laundromat with an even number of socks, you have somebody else's laundry."

For most people, doing laundry is at the bottom of the list of priorities—somewhere after redeeming empty deposit bottles at the local 7-11, and disassembling the Xmas tree.

While on vacation recently, I visited "Barwash"—a combination laundromat, bar and deli. The sign in the window was quite inviting: "Come in Just for the Smell of It."

As I began to sort the white wash from the colored wash, my eyes caught sight of the 16"x20" laminated sign which contained a laundry chronology:

### LAUNDRY CHRONOLOGY

**1800** Abigail Adams, who called the Executive Mansion, "a castle of a house," hung her wash in the unfinished East Room because no drying room had been provided.

**1858** Sawyer's Crystal Laundry Bluing, which keeps whites from turning yellow or gray with age, is marketed.

**1966** Home laundries include added cycles for washing and drying permanent press fabric.

**1977** "Wilderness Survival" pamphlet by Larry Dean Olsen said: "If no form of soap is available, washing in water only will remove most of the dirt and perspiration. The bulb of the soap plant or the root of the yucca will serve as a detergent for washing purposes."

**1979** Erma Bombeck ("Aunt Erma's Cope Book") said, "One pair of jeans is considered a 'mini' load."

**1980** Liquid soap - Soft Soap from Minnetonka—is available.

On a scale from 1 ("dislike very much") to 6 ("like very much") loading and unloading the machine, sorting the dirty clothing and folding up the clean ones, ranked 4.9 with 72% of wives surveyed saying they enjoyed household chore."

**1981** Chaback & Fortunato advised children ("The Official Kids' Survival Kit"), "One more 'sorted' detail: You might want to separate

the lint-givers of the laundry world (fluffy stuff like your yellow terry-cloth robe, or your brother's teddy bear) from the lint-getters."

**1983** A real-estate classified ad contained this shorthand: "1/2ba—which means that the house contains a galvanized overflow tub for the clothes washer."

**1985** P.J. O'Rourke ("How I Learned to Keep House") said, "If anyone ever designs washing machines for bachelors, there will be just one big dial with two settings: "Very Dirty" and "Don't Breathe."

**1986** (Bill) Cosby's Law said, "If you want to see a positive image, it's in your house, it's standing there washing your underwear."

After depositing a handful of quarters and the recommended 1/2 cup of detergent into the washer, I walked over to the upscale bar and deli counter. Today's selections included Gloria Vanderbilt's tofu dessert, tutti-frutti Tofutti, potato skins wrapped in foil and stuffed with cheddar cheese and bacon, and an assortment of "Kosherific" foods for grazing. "Zabar's, you've got competition!" I thought.

I ordered a small tutti-frutti Tofutti and a drink. Quick as you could say "Nynex," the drink arrived, complete with "Texas Caviar"—olives stuffed with jalapeno peppers.

It was 2 p.m.—an off peak hour at the laundromat—and the TV was offering the soap, "One Life to Live," on channel 7. The spin cycle had ten minutes left, and I was beginning to feel that the program should be renamed, "One Life Too Long."

I finished my lunch, placed the wet laundry (11 white socks and 9 black dress socks), in the dryer and wrote a note for the Suggestion Box. "Barwash should offer its customers the old-time Soap Operas—Ma Perkins, Portia Faces Life, Against the Storm, and Fibber McGee and Molly. After all, the term "soap opera" came into being because so many shows were sponsored by makers of soap and cleansing agents. And, furthermore, New York Yuppies prefer "grazing" on DoveBars and Baskin-Robbins' Miami Ice!"

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Q. Last night we had fish and the host ordered a burgundy wine for the table. Isn't this use of a red wine in poor taste?

A. If it is in poor taste it would be up to the people consuming it to determine that it was not to their liking. The old fashioned etiquette about red wines being for meat and white for fish were a tradition but no one has to honor a tradition that is not to their particular liking. Get red wine with fish if you like.



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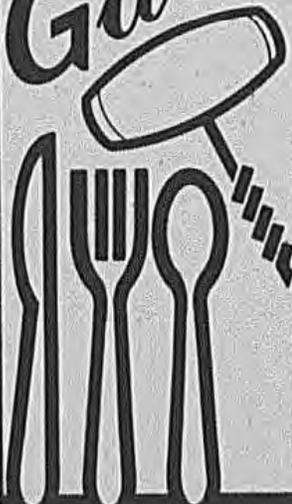
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A. First of all, there is no reason for you to feel uncomfortable. In today's hectic world there is nothing unusual about people eating alone in restaurants! In any case, the person who dines out has the right to expect the same courteous treatment whether he or she is alone or in the company of others. The smart restaurant owner knows the importance of good will. He values all his customers' patronage and makes them feel equally welcome.

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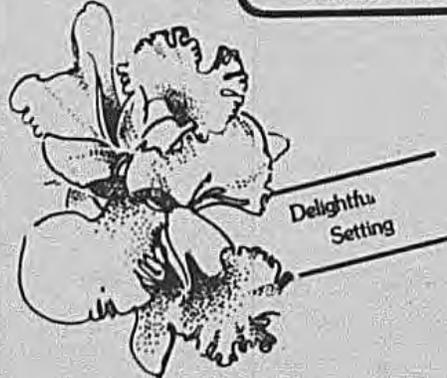
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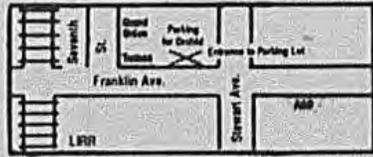
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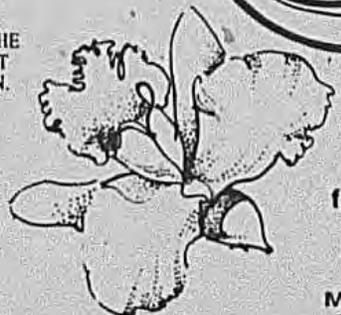
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Q. Why in some restaurants do I have to sit there so long before the waitress gives me the check?

A. Well the answer to your question is hard to define. It might be simply because the restaurant is so busy that the waitress hasn't time to add up the check. But at some of the better restaurants you will never get a check unless you ask for it. In these establishments they feel that the guests should decide how long they wish to talk or occupy the space after eating and only on rare occasions will they bring a check that has not been solicited and then with apologies.

Q. Some restaurants make a big thing over a lobster tank, but I think it is disgusting to have to kill these animals in order to get a meal. Why do they have these tanks?

A. The reason is simply that lobster has to be freshly killed to be eaten. The lobster tank lets the diner see that what he is getting is really fresh lobster. Possibly some squeamish people believe that the lobster tank should be somewhere else but most diners want to see the live ones and if you do not, you should be suspicious. They are killed instantly in boiling water.

Q. Next month my husband and I will be entertaining out of town business associates. While they are here we expect to take them out one evening for dinner. While price is no problem (because the company will cover our expenses), we are a little nervous about where to take them. It is the first time we will be meeting our guests and we have no idea of what their tastes are!

A. When you entertain people you do not know well it is best to choose a "classic" restaurant with French or American cuisine, rather than one which serves more specialized food. Once you select a likely place it might be a good idea to try it once before your guests come if you haven't eaten there lately. That way you would make sure the food and service are satisfactory at the present time. Always remember that restaurants can change!

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# Cooking Corner



By Verne Palmer

## UPSIDE-DOWN SAUSAGE-APPLE CORNBREAD

½ pound pork sausage links  
4 tablespoons (½ stick) butter or margarine  
¼ cup golden brown sugar, packed  
4 small apples, peeled and cut into eighths  
Maple syrup for serving

### Cornbread

1 cup all-purpose flour  
¼ cup yellow cornmeal  
3 tablespoons golden brown sugar, packed  
1 tablespoon baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 large egg, lightly beaten  
4 tablespoons (½ stick) butter or margarine, melted  
1 cup milk

Grease bottom and sides of an 8x2- or 9x2-inch square pan. Brown the sausages in a medium skillet over moderately high heat, rotating them until browned and cooked through. Remove the sausages and discard all but 2 tablespoons drippings. Add butter and brown sugar to the pan. Heat, stirring, until the sugar is melted. Add the apples and saute them over moderate heat, turning occasionally, until soft, about 10 minutes.

Arrange sausages in rows across the prepared pan, insert the apple slices, rounded sides down between the rows of sausage, wedging them in tightly; pour over juices from the pan.

(The pan may be covered and refrigerated overnight at this point, if desired.)

Preheat the oven to 400 F. To make the cornbread, stir the flour, cornmeal, brown sugar, baking powder and salt in medium bowl. Add egg, melted butter and milk and stir with wooden spoon until well combined. Pour batter over apples and sausages, smoothing the top to cover well. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until a cake tester inserted into the bread comes out clean. Remove from oven and immediately invert onto platter. Serve in squares with maple syrup. Serves 6 to 8.

Wait until you taste these. Goat cheese does something magical to eggs.

## SCRAMBLED EGGS WITH GOAT CHEESE

4 tablespoons (½ stick) butter or margarine  
9 eggs  
¾ to 4 ounces goat cheese  
1 recipe Herbed Cream Puff Bowl (optional) (recipe follows)

Melt butter in large skillet over moderate heat. Whisk eggs in medium bowl until well blended. Pour into skillet. Crumble or cut cheese into small pieces and sprinkle over eggs. Stir gently with wooden spoon until eggs are just set but still soft. Spoon into Puff Bowl, if desired, and serve immediately.

Serves 6.

The perfect holder for eggs, this fancy but easy-to-make "bowl" takes the place of toast.

metal blade until light and creamy. Mix in egg yolks, sugar and vanilla until blended. Place crepes, cooked side down, on a work surface. Spoon about 1½ tablespoons of cheese filling down the center of the uncooked side of each crepe. Roll the crepe over the filling to enclose. Place seam side down in buttered 9x13-inch casserole.

(The casserole may be covered with foil and refrigerated up to 2 days or may be frozen. Defrost, covered, in the refrigerator for several hours or overnight.)

To make the Orange Honey Sauce: Melt the butter in medium saucepan. Stir in orange juice concentrate, orange marmalade, honey, cornstarch and whipping cream. Cook, stirring over moderately high heat until mixture comes to boil and thickens slightly. The sauce may be refrigerated up to 2 weeks.

Before serving, preheat the oven to 400 F, brush the blintzes with 2 tablespoons melted butter and bake for 15 to 20 minutes or until heated through. Meanwhile, reheat the sauce until hot. Remove it from the heat and stir in liqueur. To serve, place 2 blintzes on each plate, spoon the sauce over the top. Garnish with orange slices, if desired.

Makes 16 blintzes, serves 8.

This holiday pancake needs lots of space in the oven to reach its high, glorious volume, so be sure to bake it on the middle or lower rack.

## PUFFED EGGNOG PANCAKE

6 eggs  
1½ cups eggnog  
1 cup all-purpose flour  
¾ teaspoon ground nutmeg  
¼ pound (1 stick) butter or margarine  
½ cup sliced almonds  
1 tablespoon sugar  
Fruit-flavored pancake syrup for serving, such as blueberry, boysenberry or strawberry

Preheat the oven to 425 F. Mix eggs in large mixing bowl with electric mixer until frothy. Add eggnog, flour and nutmeg, beating until well blended. The batter will be slightly lumpy. Place the batter in a 9x13-inch glass baking dish and place it in the oven until the butter is melted and sizzling; do not let it brown. Remove pan from oven and immediately pour the batter into the pan. Sprinkle the top with almonds and sugar. Return the pan to oven and bake for 15 to 20 minutes or until puffed and browned. Serve immediately with syrup.

Serves 6.

Nutritious yogurt tenderizes pancake batter to make the most ethereal cloudlike pancakes ever. For banana yogurt pancakes stir one very ripe mashed banana into the batter.

## YOGURT PANCAKES

2 large eggs  
1 cup (½ pint) plain yogurt  
1 cup all-purpose flour  
1 tablespoon sugar  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
½ teaspoon salt  
¼ pound (1 stick) butter or margarine, melted  
Syrup for serving, if desired

Whisk eggs and yogurt in medium bowl until frothy. Stir in remaining ingredients until just incorporated. The batter will be lumpy. Butter griddle and preheat. Drop the batter by heaping tablespoonsful onto the griddle and cook over moderately high heat until the tops of the pancakes are bubbling and bottoms are golden. Turn and brown on the other side. Serve immediately with syrup, if desired.

Makes 14 (3-inch) pancakes.

This crisp maple-candied bacon is absolutely irresistible. It can be made ahead and reheated when you are ready to serve.

## MAPLE-GLAZED BACON

1 pound thickly sliced bacon  
¼ cup maple syrup  
1 teaspoon dry mustard

Preheat oven to 400 F. Line a shallow-rimmed baking sheet or broiler pan with heavy foil. Place a rack in the pan and arrange the bacon on the rack. Whisk the syrup and mustard together in a small bowl. Brush over the top of the bacon and bake for 15 minutes. Turn bacon over and brush again with syrup. Bake an additional 5 to 10 minutes or until the bacon is very crisp and golden. Remove the pan from the oven and let the bacon rest on the rack for 5 minutes, then loosen. Do not drain on paper towels as the bacon will stick.

(The bacon may be wrapped in foil and refrigerated or frozen. Reheat on rack at 400 F for 5 minutes.)

Serves 5 or 6. Makes about 12 slices.

## HERBED CREAM PUFF BOWL

¾ cup water  
6 tablespoons (¾ stick) butter or margarine, at room temperature, cut into 6 pieces  
¼ teaspoon salt  
¼ teaspoon dried thyme, crumbled  
¼ teaspoon dried oregano, crumbled  
1½ teaspoons dried basil, crumbled  
¾ cup all-purpose flour  
3 large eggs, at room temperature

Preheat oven to 400 F. Butter sides and bottom of a 9-inch pie dish. Bring water, butter, salt and herbs to boil in medium saucepan, stirring to melt butter. Add flour all at once, stirring vigorously with wooden spoon to incorporate it. Remove from heat and cool 5 minutes. Beat in eggs, one at a time, mixing with electric hand mixer in saucepan or with electric mixer in a mixing bowl until dough is smooth and shiny. Pour it into the pie dish. Freeze 5 to 10 minutes to firm it up slightly. Spread dough thin on the bottom

and up sides of dish; it will be stiff. (The pastry may be frozen at this point, if desired. Defrost at room temperature for 3 hours before baking.)

Bake for 35 to 40 minutes or until the bowl is puffed and golden. Remove it to platter and fill with scrambled eggs. Cut into wedges to serve. Serves 6.

A welcome change from the usual breakfast meat. This flavor-packed side-dish casserole goes great with eggs, pancakes and waffles.

## SAUSAGE, APPLE, ONION CASSEROLE

2 packages (12 ounces each) bulk pork sausage, mild or hot  
3 large apples, peeled, halved, cored and sliced ¼-inch thick  
4 large onions, peeled, and sliced ¼-inch thick  
½ cup sugar  
¼ teaspoon salt  
¼ teaspoon pepper

Brown sausage in large skillet over moderately high heat, breaking it up with fork into small chunks. Remove with a slotted spoon to medium bowl. In sausage drippings in skillet saute the apple slices until tender, about 5 to 7 minutes. Remove apples with slotted spoon and place them with sausage; stir gently to combine. Add onions to skillet; stir over high heat until coated with pan drippings. Sprinkle with sugar, salt and pepper. Cook onions over moderate heat, turning often, until well browned and tender, about 15 to 20 minutes.

Layer half the sausage-apple mixture in bottom of a 2-quart round casserole or soufflé dish. Top with half the onions. Repeat with the remaining sausage mixture and onions.

(The casserole may be refrigerated overnight. Bring it to room temperature before baking.)

Preheat the oven to 350 F. Bake casserole for 30 to 40 minutes or until bubbling.

Serves 8 to 10.

Warm, creamy cheese-filled blintzes, smothered with a lush, buttery orange sauce, will delight and impress your brunch guests.



Cooking  
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# After Work Gourmet



By Paul Bensen

If "dill" appeared in a word association test, most people would probably respond by saying "pickle." Dill's uses in the kitchen, however, go far beyond pickling.

The busy chef can add a touch of dill to liven up a variety of recipes. Both fresh and dried forms of the herb are versatile time-savers when you want to prepare a memorable dish quickly. Many supermarkets now offer fresh herbs by the bunch, so you may be able to find fresh dill without growing it yourself or making a trip to a specialty store.

*Acetum graveolens* is an aromatic herb native to the Mediterranean region. It is characterized by finely dissected leaves and small yellow flowers. Both the seeds and the leaves are used as seasonings.

Dill made its way to England before the Norman invasion of 1066. In both Old English and Middle English the herb was known as *dile*. For reasons now obscure, the word dill has become associated in British slang with silliness and sleepiness. In England the verb dill means to soothe or put to sleep. As a noun it indicates a simpleton or fool. As an adjective it means slow-witted or stupid.

In the kitchen, though, there's nothing dull about dill. It can be used to create a variety of sauces, vinegars and mayonnaises, and has a special affinity for seafood, lamb, cauliflower and cabbage. A bit of dill adds a delicious pungency to sour cream, cucumbers, bean dishes and potato salad.

Dill is an annual and can be grown easily from seed. It needs only frequent watering and moderate sunlight. To substitute dried dill in recipes that call for the fresh herb, use a teaspoon dried in place of a tablespoon fresh.

Grilled Shrimp with Dill and Mustard Sauce is a delicious and easy entree that I often serve to friends. Its great taste is its main appeal, but the fact that it can be prepared in under 15 minutes makes it appear even more frequently on my dinner table.

Dilly Beans are a favorite homemade gift in my family. They're so addictive, though, that the gift usually has vanished before the party breaks up.

Dill Bread is great with soups and cheeses, and will make a new taste treat out of your favorite sandwich.

Dill Butter Sauce will add a special touch to almost any broiled, poached or baked seafood. Its flavor is distinctive, yet delicate enough so that it will not overpower even a mild, lightly flavored fish.

## GRILLED SHRIMP WITH DILL AND MUSTARD SAUCE

2 pounds large or jumbo shrimp, peeled and deveined

### SAUCE:

1 cup white wine mustard  
1 cup sour cream

$\frac{1}{4}$  cup fresh dill, finely chopped (or  $\frac{3}{4}$  tablespoons dried)  
Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste

Total preparation/cooking time: 15 minutes

In large saucepan or stockpot, bring 2 quarts water to a boil, add 2 teaspoons salt, allow to come to a boil again, and add shrimp. Cook for a minute or so. Remove shrimp from water, drain well and reserve.

In medium bowl, mix together mustard, sour cream, dill, salt and pepper.

Dip shrimp in sauce and grill 2-3 minutes over charcoal or under broiler, about 3 inches from source of heat, until they just begin to turn a light golden brown around edges.

Remove to platter and serve immediately.

Serves 4.

## DILLY BEANS

4 pounds string beans  
5 cups white vinegar (5 percent acidity)  
5 cups water  
2 teaspoons salt (or to taste)

In each of 10 (approx.) sterilized 1-pint canning jars, put:

$\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon crushed red pepper  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon whole mustard seed  
2 cloves garlic, cut in quarters  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon dill seeds

Total preparation/cooking time: 35 minutes

Wash and trim beans — use whole, if they are small enough to fit in jars. Pack beans fairly tightly in jars. In large saucepan combine vinegar, water and salt. Bring to a boil and pour liquid over beans, leaving  $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch space at top of jar. Place inner (circular) part of lids on jars and place in boiling water bath for 5 minutes. When liquid has cooled, screw on outer rim of jar lids.

Makes approximately 10 pints.



# After Work Gourmet

# microwave magic



By Desiree Viveca

*Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,*

*The flying cloud, the frosty light;*

*The year is dying in the night;*

*Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.*

*Ring out the old, ring in the new,*

*Ring, happy bells, across the snow:*

*The year is going, let him go;*

*Ring out the false, ring in the true.*

Midnight on Dec. 31 is a turning-point: the last few seconds of the old year fizzle out, while the first moments of the new bubble into being — usually washed down with a generous helping of champagne.

The coming of the new year is always a momentous occasion (and the perfect excuse to party until you drop). As the bells toll midnight and the ball drops in New York's Times Square, it's tradition to get misty-eyed, sing "Auld Lang Syne," and kiss whom-ever is standing closest to you — and anyone else you can get your hands on!

There are a number of interesting traditions and superstitions associated with the coming of the new year. While we ring it in with bells, or blast it in with fireworks, at one time sticks were used to beat out the old year and usher in the new.

Folks used to be very careful to have all the salt shakers in the house filled on Jan. 1, to ensure prosperity in the coming year. A Dutch custom maintains the necessity of eating a doughnut on the first day of the new year, to guarantee good fortune for the days ahead. And in parts of Mexico, men take care to eat at least one hot pepper on New Year's Day, to encourage virility throughout the coming year.

In some countries it is believed that foods should be served in the form of a ring at this time, to symbolize the old year's completion, if luck is to prevail in the new one.

If you've overindulged in New Year's festivities on the evening of the 31st, go ahead and sleep in on the 1st. It won't take long to prepare a restorative breakfast with the help of your microwave.

Make sure that each man in the family takes at least one bite of Chili Verde Eggs. (You don't want any non-virile men slouching around the house next year, do you?) And you might want to dish it out onto a round serving platter, in the form of a ring, just to be safe.

Have all the salt shakers filled, but use their contents sparingly, for your blood pressure's sake. And have some doughnuts on hand — it couldn't hurt (unless your New Year's resolution forbids them).

Serve plenty of hot coffee —

you'll probably need it — or try serving European-style Quick Cafe au Lait for a special treat. Then face the new year with a smile, knowing you've done all you can to ensure your family's proper share of luck and good fortune for the coming year.

Happy 1987!

## CHILI VERDE EGGS

$\frac{1}{4}$  pound fresh mushrooms  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup butter or margarine  
8 eggs  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup plus 2 tablespoons milk or half-and-half  
3 tablespoons canned diced green chilies, drained  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon each salt and pepper  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup shredded Monterey Jack or longhorn cheddar cheese  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup chopped chives  
1 medium tomato, cut in wedges  
Parsley sprigs

Preparation Time: 5 to 10 minutes

Cooking Time: 8 to 11 minutes (plus 3 minutes standing time)

Oven Setting: HIGH (100 percent power)

Wash mushrooms, pat dry, and slice. Place in small glass mixing bowl with 2 tablespoons of the butter or margarine. Cover with plastic wrap and microwave 2 to 3 minutes, stirring every minute, until limp. Set aside.

Place remaining 2 tablespoons butter in a 10-inch deep-dish glass pie plate, or  $\frac{1}{2}$ -quart glass casserole. Microwave 1 to 2 minutes, to melt.

In medium mixing bowl beat together the eggs, milk or half-and-half, diced chilies, salt and pepper. Turn into prepared dish, cover, and microwave 5 to 6 minutes, stirring every 2 minutes, until eggs are just set.

Stir in cooked mushrooms, shredded cheese and chopped chives. Cover and let stand about 3 minutes, to finish cooking eggs and melt cheese. Stir.

Transfer to serving plate; garnish with tomato wedges and parsley sprigs. Serve immediately.

Serves 4.



# microwave magic

# Here's How



By Gene Gary

**Q:** We live near the coast. We have many brass items, including lamp bases, clocks and table legs. Some are lacquered and some are not.

We also have stainless or chrome legs on some bar stools. All are getting pitted from corrosion. All are getting pitted on the top surfaces. Is there any way to get rid of the pits? How about preventing this on other items. — P.F.

**A:** First, concerning your problems with pitted brass, you can try a good brass polish, which may be all that's necessary. If you can't remove the marks yourself, using the brass polish and fine steel wool (like an SOS pad), you should probably have your brass items treated professionally.

Brass specialty shops often handle repairs, polishing, etc. If they can't polish away the marks, they can fill the pits using a process that's rather expensive but that does make brass look "good as new."

After the brass is filled and polished, have the shop give it a coat of lacquer that will help prevent the brass from pitting for some time. If you dislike the lacquer finish, you can maintain your brass

and prevent pitting by regular treatments and cleaning with a brass cleaner and waxing with a standard car wax that will prevent the pitting and tarnishing.

Regarding the other items, it is doubtful that your barstool legs are stainless. Stainless is the best metal to resist pitting and corrosion in moisture-filled atmospheres. Stainless, however, does require cleaning to remove dirt and rust stains. And a periodic waxing with a standard car wax (such as Turtle Wax) will help protect the surface. Pitting on other metals of less quality than stainless is more serious, and you may not be able to rectify the problem. However, if the legs are chrome, you can have them rechromed. This is also a rather expensive process. The best grade of chrome is chrome-plated brass.

If the metal is of less quality you may want to consider replacement rather than replating. Another alternative would be to spray paint the barstool legs. If you decide to paint, be sure to select a quality metal paint and follow manufacturer's directions carefully.

**Q:** We have hardwood floors

with area rugs. The rug in my dining room has corners that curl up and present a hazard. Is there anything I can do to make these corners lie flat against the floor? — N.S.

**A:** Try steaming the rug corners with an iron, being careful not to press down hard with the iron and applying steam to the back of the rug. Protect the floor underneath with heavy wrapping paper or layers of newspapers or plastic material. When the rug is thoroughly dry, gently brush up the nap with a soft brush.

If this doesn't work, try coating the backing of the rug with shellac. Turn the rug over and brush or spray on a thin coat of pure, fresh white shellac. Allow to dry thoroughly before turning the rug right side up.



check your library or local bookstore.

Do something positive for yourself today, get moving on the planning for your own will.

**Q:** I am receiving Social Security disability and SSI. Will my benefits be affected if I were to become a foster parent? — A.K., Lodi, Calif.

**A:** Foster parent "money" is paid to benefit the child receiving the care, such as the cost of food, shelter, clothing and incidentals, and is not considered an income to a foster parent. As we researched the question we found no reduction applicable on your current benefit payments.

**Q:** I am a lady, 62, who worked years ago, but not in the last 15 years. My husband is 63 and does not yet plan to retire. May I start to collect on his Social Security benefit? If I do, will it reduce what he will receive when he does retire in the future? — A.B., Mark Tree, Ark.

**A:** While your husband continues to work, you cannot collect on his Social Security benefits, as he has not filed for them. You should, though, visit your area Social Security office to ask if you have enough earning quarters from your own working years. If you do, they can establish your own account for benefit payments now. The answer lies in your own earnings record.

**Q:** How can this be? My pharmacist is charging more for generic drugs when filling two of my medications than he does for the brand name on the doctor's prescriptions. Is the druggist wrong? — M.L., St. Paul, Minn.

**A:** The druggist just might be right, for his pricing is based on the cost of the medications from the drug company or supplier. Some generic drugs, therefore, just might be priced higher than the brand-name prescriptions. A recent study from the Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics for the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, confirms this. The study was conducted by Bernard S. Bloom, Ph.D., who told us: "It is fact. An important number of consumers pay more for generic drugs than for their brand-name equivalents."

# TWEEN 12 & 20

By Robert Wallace, Ed.D.

**Dr. Wallace:** Last Halloween night three of our best friends were drinking at a party. On the way home the driver of the car was speeding and he lost control. The car smashed into a tree and one of our best girlfriends was killed.

All of this happened because they didn't have enough sense to call someone to pick them up. To make matters worse, the boyfriend of our dead friend committed suicide.

When will people ever realize that drinking and driving is a deadly combination and that a death affects many, many friends and relatives. Dr. Wallace, please print my letter. Maybe it will reach someone who will think. — Vi

**VI:** What a waste of young vibrant lives. Letters like yours are valuable but I wonder sometimes if provinces and states are doing all they can to eliminate this horrible social problem. I'm not saying that I have the solution, but surely more intelligent minds can offer encouragement.

**Dr. Wallace:** I've got a huge problem and I really need your help. I am 17 and share a room with my 14-year-old, very bratty sister. Sister dear seems to think that she can "borrow" anything of mine anytime she pleases.

When I complain to my parents, they take my sister's side. "Why don't you share with your baby sister? That way she won't have to borrow from you," or, "Well, you snoop through her things."

**Dr. Wallace:** I only snoop through her things when I discover something of mine missing. Guess what? I always find it!

Please, any advice will be deeply appreciated and will be used, I promise. I'm tired of being "ripped off" of my prized possessions. I'm talking about clothes and jewelry. — Jenny

**Jenny:** Put your prized possessions under lock and key and keep the key with you. But don't be selfish.

A big sister can make a younger sister very happy if she shares a few prized possessions with her occasionally. Usually, when this happens, the younger sister returns the possessions without being pestered because she will want to borrow them again!

**Dr. Wallace:** I had a very difficult time with my studies in school. I would study for an easy test for three hours and still fail. I was always depressed and my self-esteem was at the bottom. My teachers and counselors always considered me to be dumb.

Many times I thought of committing suicide but I didn't have the nerve. One of my friends encouraged me to take a few classes in a local community college. (What, me in college?) I thought, "What the heck; I've got nothing to lose," so I enrolled.

I was tested and it was discovered that I had a learning disability. I am now receiving As and Bs in my classes with the aid of tutoring and other assistance from the learning disabilities program.

I have discovered that I wasn't alone. Many other students are benefiting from the same program. But most importantly, I finally feel like a useful human being. I'm happy. — Alice, San Diego

**Alice:** It's unfortunate you didn't receive the necessary guidance in the public school system, but thank goodness the community college showed it had an interest in assisting all of its students.

**Dr. Wallace:** I am 16 and met a super-guy at a Christmas party recently. We talked for about three hours and before the party broke up he asked me to go steady with him. I really like the guy but I don't want to appear that I'm too eager.

I told him I would let him know in a few weeks. What should I do? — Kim

**Kim:** Tell the boy you would like to see him again but that you don't know him well enough to consider him a steady boyfriend, but make him aware that in the near future it could be a good possibility.

**Dr. Wallace:** Please answer my question and hurry. Is it proper to send flowers to a guy you like very much? If your answer is yes, what kind? — Pam

**Pam:** Of course it's proper. Make it a carnation or a rose that he can wear on his suit lapel when he takes you out to that nice restaurant because he is so impressed that you care!

**Dr. Wallace:** I am 18 and live with my mother and father and still attend high school. Am I considered an adult if I sign a contract? — John

**John:** Yes! So don't sign any contract unless you discuss it with your parents. And, if possible, get the advice of an attorney.

# TWEEN 12 & 20



By Leonard J. Hansen

## Mainly for Seniors

handled — you or your state government or court? If you die intestate — without a will — your estate will probably go to probate, where the court, in a long and possibly expensive process, will

determine the distribution.

The positive side of preparing a will is amassing the information about your estate. You will probably surprise yourself on what you have achieved, the treasures you have collected, the assets you own.

The best way to start, we recommend, is by reading on your own — so that you learn both the process and what needs to be accomplished. A good reference guide will take you through each of the steps so that your thoughts, information and intentions will all be collected for presentation to an attorney when you're ready to have the will prepared. Or, if you find a smaller estate, you'll find the directions for your own will preparation.

The "Simple Will Book" is the very best book we have found on the subject. Written by attorney Denis Clifford, this 256-page paperback from Nolo Press is the simplest to understand, easiest to use workbook we've seen anywhere. It includes all the forms and worksheets you'll need for preparing your own will or for being totally ready for meeting with your attorney.

You may write for information on the "Simple Will Book" to: Nolo Press, 950 Parker St., Berkeley, CA 94710. The ISBN number is 0-87337-017-1, if you want also to

Today's questions should be of interest to most senior citizens, as we provide answers on wills, Social Security, home businesses — and more.

**Q:** I know I need to make a will, but don't know where or how to start. I don't have a regular attorney and I am concerned that just walking into an attorney's office will cost me more than I can afford. What is your recommendation? — G.B.

**A:** According to *Consumer Reports* seven out of 10 Americans don't have wills, in spite of the fact that most should have them. A will is your identification of all of your assets and your statement on how you want your estate distributed after you pass on. Perhaps most people shrink from preparing a will because they don't want to consider death. Actually, the process can be a very positive one, even a rewarding one.

In earlier years the role of the will was to determine just a distribution process set by a person's advance determination. Today, there are many other concerns and implications that can be addressed in a will — including tax matters, effective property transfers and more.

The question, if you have an estate of any value at all, is: Who will determine how your estate is



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For 9 month old twins in my  
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Two Children, 4 year old and 16  
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931-0012. hj5

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Babysit two young children in  
Garden City. Flexible hours;  
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Days. Mature, okay. Small  
Garden City office. Light Typing,  
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to Box "Z", Garden City News,  
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**BABYSITTER NEEDED -**  
Mature woman, non smoker, own  
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ed for two young children in our  
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And Thurs. 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.,  
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two boys ages 5 & 3 in my  
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**Real Estate Wanted**

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 whom God has give such great  
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 urgent petition, in return I  
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I clearly recall an incident at our breakfast table about two years ago, munching on a grapefruit half, my wife picked out a couple of noticeably fat and heavy seeds, each with a little curly bit protruding from one end. Those seeds just had a look about them, as though they were positively itching to grow.

And grow they did, into beautiful little bushes with glossy, citrus-scented leaves. One of them even produced a blossom outdoors last summer — just one fragrant, waxy white bloom, mind you, but a very satisfying blossom just the same.

I should mention that citrus plants, grown from seed found in store-bought fruit usually will not blossom for several years and that fruit is not very likely. Still, I personally find the idea of a nearly free, fragrant and super attractive plant rather appealing.

If you should happen upon a few especially plump tangerine, lime or other citrus seeds amidst your Christmas feasting, why not plant them? Just soak them for a few hours, then place them about 1 1/2

inches apart on a bed of loose, sandy potting mixture in a flower pot. The soil should be moist and the seeds covered with about a 1/4 inch of soil. Place the pot in a warm, bright spot and keep the soil evenly moistened during the germination period, which takes around three weeks.

When the seedlings each have a few leaves, they should be transplanted into their own pots. If you don't want to bother doing this, pull out all but the strongest, leaving it room to grow and develop properly.

Your newly created young citrus plants will thrive best in a slightly cool, humid, bright location, their soil kept just moist. In the spring, move them outdoors into a spot with some protection from the hot afternoon sun. Mine seems to thrive best in finely filtered sunlight. A summer outdoors works marvels for citrus plants, ripening their wood and plumping them up for another winter of greening and decorating our homes.

Another fascinating experiment is to grow a pineapple plant from a slice off the top of a purchased fruit. But try this only with a pineapple top that is fresh and green, not one that is badly bruised and brown.

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# Decor Score



By Sharon Owen Haven

**Q:** My daughter has an ugly old radiator under the window in her bedroom. The radiator is no longer functional but our landlord does not want us to remove it.

**Do you have any ideas for camouflaging it? — N.E.**

**A:** Radiators and other exposed plumbing can be the bane of any decor, but there are ways of putting plumbing in its place and prevent it from dominating your space visually.

Perhaps the oldest technique is paint. By painting your radiator the same color as the wall behind it, you reduce its visual impact.

On the other hand, you might change your tack and glorify your plumbing by painting it a bright, shiny enamel that contrasts with your walls. This can be very effective in a contemporary room, giving the space a pop art flavor.

But should you not adore the funky shape of your radiator, you can always resort to total cover-up. Sometimes a desk or work table is the right height to slip right over the top and hide the offending pipes.

You could also make a free-standing cover-up like the window box pictured here. A three-sided screen made of pine veneer plywood and trimmed with wood molding, it slips right around the radiator. You can set blooming plants directly on top of the radiator and have an instant widow box. You might also use a similar

system to construct a headboard with a top surface.

These cover-ups can also be used for functional radiators in seasons of non-use. If you want to paint a functioning radiator, be sure to ask for paint that can handle heat without peeling.

**Q:** I would like a Parsons table for a small eating area in my apartment. The dimensions are critical and I have been unable to find one the right size.

**I can't afford to have a table custom-made. Do you know of any good ready-made sources? — C.T.**

**A:** Have you investigated unfinished furniture stores in your area? They offer some of the best bargains going, and usually have a good variety and supply of Parsons tables.

Best of all, if you cannot find a table with your precise dimensions, the store will normally special order one to your specification at the same price as the floor models of similar size. This way you get a custom-made table at ready-made prices.

You will, of course, have to finish the wood surface yourself. But this can be as simple as a quick application of a clear or pigmented wood oil. To thoroughly protect an unpainted finish, however, you should use polyurethane or a lacquer over the stained or oiled wood.



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## YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

### Employment not covered by SS

**Q:** After working a lifetime as a construction worker, I filed for my Social Security benefits. I remember being asked whether or not I expected a pension based on work not covered by Social Security. Why was I asked this? — G.P.

**A:** Retirees who are first eligible after 1985 for both a Social Security benefit and a pension based on employment not covered by Social Security have their Social Security benefits figured under a different formula, that results in a lower benefit. The purpose of the new benefit formula is to eliminate an unintended advantage that the heavy weighting in the Social Security benefit formula gave workers who also have pensions from employment not covered by Social Security.

**Q:** My husband will be 65 on June 24, 1987, and plans to retire on that day. Since he will probably earn over the allowable amount, will he be entitled to any checks in 1987? — S.R.

**A:** There is a special rule that applies to people only in the year they retire. Under this rule, even

exempt amount (which in 1987 will be \$2,160 for those age 65 to 70), a benefit can be paid for any month the person's wages do not exceed the monthly limit. The 1987 monthly wage limit will be \$880 for people 65 or over. The annual exempt amount in 1987 will be \$8,000 for people under 65 and the

monthly limit will be \$500.

**Q:** I am retired and have received Social Security benefits for several years. Since I don't get out much, can such things as a change of address or a missing check be reported by telephone? — V.L.

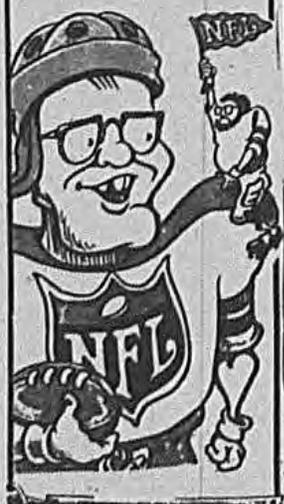
**A:** Yes. Much of your business with the Social Security Administration can be transacted by phone. You can save time, effort and the cost of a trip by calling instead of visiting the office. Before you call, it's a good idea to have all the information you'll need, including your Social Security number, at hand. You can find the number to call in the white pages of your local directory under "Social Security Administration." The afternoon is the best time to call, especially during the latter part of the week and month.

**Q:** My brother's Social Security disability claim was approved and he was due to receive checks. However, he died before receiving any checks. He had no wife or children. Can I receive the money due him? — D.M.

**A:** If the deceased was not survived by a spouse or child, the next living person due the underpayment would be the parent or parents. If the deceased is not survived by any of the above, then the underpayment is paid to the legal representative of the deceased's estate. Contact your local Social Security office for additional information.

## BENCHWARMER'S SPORTS TRIVA

When was the National Football League officially formed, who was founder?



The year was 1922 and the N.F.L. was organized by George Halas of the Chicago football team.

Al Downing of the Dodgers was the pitcher who served up Hank Aaron's historic 715th home run, but who was the pitcher who gave up Aaron's very first major-league homer?



He was Vic Raschi of the St. Louis Cardinals on April 23, 1954.

# ANTIQU OR JUNQUE



By James G. McCollam

**Q:** This Ansonia clock has a bronze finish and is in good running order. Can you tell me anything about its vintage and value?



**A:** Bronze-finish figural clocks like this were made by several manufacturers and were extremely popular. They are still popular today with collectors.

This Troubadour model clock was made in the 1880s and would be worth over \$500.

**Q:** I have accumulated several old magazine ads dating back to the turn of the century. Can you tell me if these have any value?

**A:** Some of those old ads are collectible — specifically, full-color ads by famous artists, well-known products, those featuring famous people. Here are some examples:

Jello ad by Maxfield Parrish — \$20

James Montgomery Flagg, black and white — \$3

Coca-Cola color ad prior to 1925 — \$8

Dr Pepper, early 1920s — \$10

Fashion, color, prior to 1930 — \$4

Campbell Soup kids — \$8

Dutch Cleanser, color — \$5

The Beatles — \$25

Humphrey Bogart — \$9

Johnny Carson — \$2

Marilyn Monroe — \$10

John Wayne — \$5

Mae West — \$8

If you have the complete magazine in good condition, the price is about double.

**Q:** I have a pair of porcelain figurines (boy and girl at the well) with the attached mark on the bottoms. They are about 2 feet tall. Can you tell me who made them, where, when and how much they are worth?



**A:** Edward Eichler founded the Royal Dux Porcelain manufactory in Austria in 1860. It is now Duchov, Czechoslovakia.

Your pair of figurines was made about 1900 and would be worth from \$1,000 to \$1,500, depending on condition.

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## Points on Pets

By R.G. Elmore, D.V.M.

**Q:** Our 8-month-old dachshund has a small reddish patch without hair near the corner of her lip. Our dog does not scratch the spot and it doesn't seem to bother her.

**Could the spot be mange? Should we be concerned about it?**

**A:** Without actually examining your dog it would be difficult to say for sure whether the patch you are concerned about is mange. Your veterinarian will be able to give you a diagnosis after examining the dog.

Demodectic, or red mange, is a skin disease of dogs resembling superficial abrasions that occurs almost exclusively in dog 3 months to 1 year of age. Puppies acquire the demodex mite from their mother's skin during nursing. Older dogs with the disease usually have been afflicted since an early age.

There is a predilection for short-haired breeds, especially dachshunds, beagles, boxers, English bulldogs, Boston terriers, basset hounds, Doberman pinschers and Chihuahuas. Of the long-haired breeds, shelties, collies and German shepherds are the most susceptible. The disease is uncommon in poodles.

Two general types of demodectic mange are recognized: localized and generalized.

With localized demodectic mange there are usually one to five patches of mild redness and partial hair loss. There is usually no noticeable scratching and the areas may be covered with fine, silvery scales. The face and forelegs are the most common sites affected. Most of these cases occur at 3 to 6 months of age, and may heal without treatment. Hair will re-grow within 30 days if the disease is treated.

Although localized demodectic mange is usually mild, generalized demodectic mange is one of the most severe skin diseases of dogs. If not treated promptly, it can result in death.

Generalized demodectic mange usually begins as localized case. As time passes the localized case worsens and numerous affected areas appear on the head, legs and body. Each patch gradually enlarges and some will eventually join each other.

Generalized demodectic mange is likely to become secondarily infected with bacteria. Discharges containing pus develop, and after several months develop into crusted patches on much of the body. Bleeding from these patches may be seen. The most severe lesions form around the head and throat.

Hypersensitivity to either the demodectic mites or the secondary bacteria causes the patches to itch and the dog will usually scratch.

The diagnosis of demodectic mange is usually made by examining skin scrapings and finding the demodectic mites. The mites reside in the hair follicles.

Treatment will vary with the severity of the particular case. Localized cases are usually treated with ointment containing drugs effective against the mites. Generalized cases are usually treated with weekly baths for several weeks, and anti-bacterials to control the secondary bacteria. Severe cases may not respond to treatment.

During treatment particular attention should be given to diet and control of internal parasites. Poor diets or intestinal worms can make the dog less able to respond to treatment. Early diagnosis and prompt treatment are very important in overcoming demodectic mange. Dogs with persistent skin problems should be examined by a veterinarian.

## Putterin' Pete

By FRYE

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I also hope you have had wonderful holidays: Christmas for my young Christian readers and Chanukah for those of you who are Jewish.

I hope Santa was good to all of you, and that you enjoyed sharing this time with your family and friends!

Aunt Tilly

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