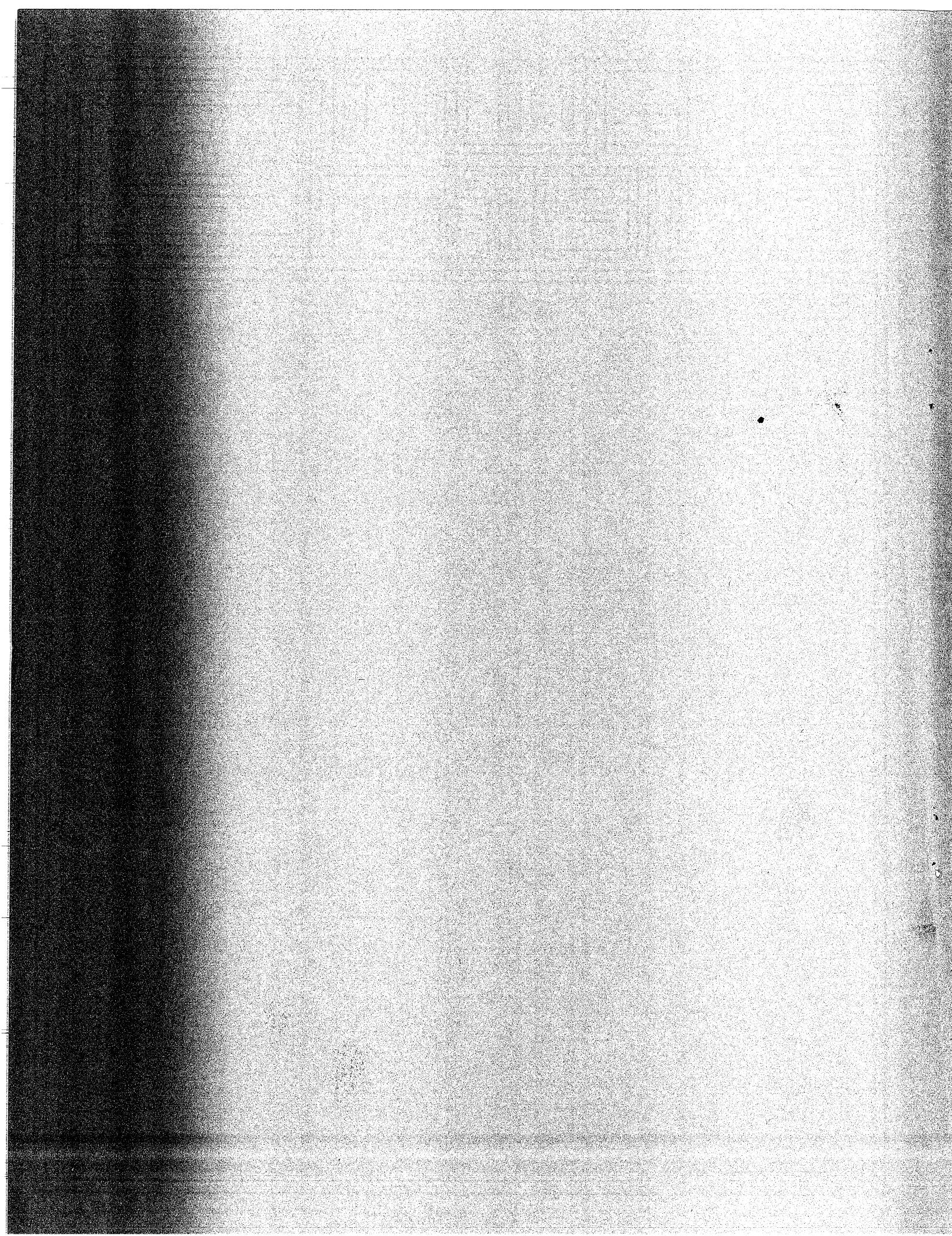


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## Guest Editorial

The following Guest Editorial has been rekindled from the CROWN Crier archives. This editorial was originally printed in the October 21st, 1974, issue and was written by the Editor, Sylvia Eger:

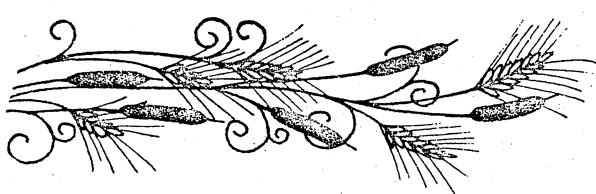
## HALLOWEEN: Where Did it Come From?

According to Collier's Encyclopedia the "popular secular observance of Halloween, falling on the night of October 31, is derived from the rites of the Druids celebrating the day of Saman, when the Lord of Death called together the souls of the wicked who had died during the past year. The theme of the harvest, which runs through modern Halloween celebrations comes from both the old druidic celebrations and the old Roman festivals in honor of Pomona, goddess of fruit, which were brought to Britain during the Roman occupation".

In Celtic and Anglo-Saxon tradition, October 31 was the eve of the new year and significant in several areas. The fire festivals associated with the return of the herds from pasture occurred at this time. They attempted to placate supernatural powers to gain protection for the herds from the demonic influences of the corn spirit. It was also important as the time to renew laws, land tenures, and rekindle fire for the year. It was further considered the most favorable time of year for divinations both for communication with dead souls returning to homes and also those concerning marriage, luck, health, death, etc. Many of the games played to ascertain spouses and facts concerning them are the forerunners of the games played with apples in our modern Halloween festivities. Traces of sacrificial October 31 marks the beginning of the barren half of the year, goblins, ghosts, witches and other evils quickly became associated with Halloween by these pre-Christian era peoples.

Most of the activities carried on today, including pranks and all sorts of mischievousness, trick 'n' treat, etc., came to us from Ireland. For example, legend tells us that a certain fellow named Jack could not enter heaven because of his extreme miserliness nor could he enter hell because of the practical jokes he had played on the devil. Therefore he was forced to walk the earth carrying his lantern until the judgment day -- thus

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the "jack-o-lantern". The druids contributed the concept of black cats we associate with Halloween -- they believed that cats were once people who had been changed as punishment for their evil deeds.

Although many tricks are still played today, Halloween is primarily a time when small children have fun dressing up as imaginary characters and going from house begging for treats and "threatening" a trick if they don't receive any. Halloween is a lot different now than in the days when it consisted only of festivities of pagan peoples.

-- Sylvia Eger

## Baby Face

This  
young lady  
is shown here  
with her first love.

Pets  
are still  
an important part  
of her life.

She  
can be  
found just

"wangin'"

around the offices.



## Nature's Beauty

How beautiful the woodlands are  
As autumn days unfold,  
When maple leaves have turned to red  
And poplars, brightest gold.

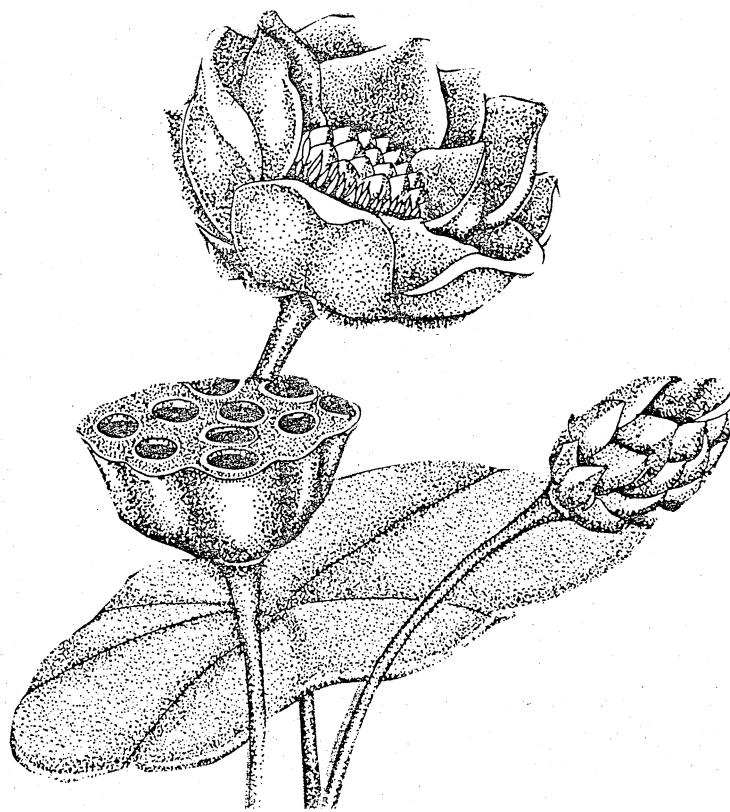
When stately firs and lofty pines  
Are standing proud and green,  
There is no beauty to compare  
When nature paints a scene.

How lovely just to wander down  
A shaded, leafy trail,  
To pause beside a little brook  
Where colored leaf-boats sail,

To watch them gently drift along  
To some secluded pool  
Where each one is reflected  
In the water, clear and cool.

Though nature's beauty may surround us,  
It's unseen by troubled eyes.  
With the daily care of living,  
Without thought, we pass it by.

But to those who are discerning,  
Nature's beauties never cease;  
And in its solitude, they find  
Quiet strength and sweetest peace.



## Executive Comment



We are half way through the year and we are at the 47 per cent mark in our goal for shipments for the year. Inflation is taking its toll on our budget at CROWN just as it is on everyone's home pocket-book. Parts, supplies and services are all costing more than expected. Fortunately our orders remain strong. I feel we are close enough to the 50 per cent level to still make our sales goal for the year look very realistic.

We have every right to feel very good about having orders while many other businesses are having a very difficult time. As a matter of fact, it is just because so many others are having difficulties that we may not know how to be thankful.

Can we give thanks to God for our blessings without the obvious comparison to those less fortunate? Have we earned or merited God's favor?

It is easy to think only in terms of the material reward system that we use in our everyday life. (Remember how surprised the workers were who all received the same pay no matter how many hours they had worked in Jesus' parable of the workers? [Matthew 20:1-16]) Thinking only in terms of our reward structure, we might say God is blessing us because we have been faithful to Him and "they" are having a rough time because they have not been "good". We then draw the conclusion we are good and they are bad. At this point, it would be good to look at the prayer in Luke 18 where the Pharisee said "I thank God I am not as other men are . . ." His attitude was not very pleasing to God. I know some very fine Christian people in the RV business. They know that God has not deserted them, but for the moment they do not see many

new orders.

We can and should expect God's guidance and blessings as we continue to honor Him. We can also note that we have taken some very good steps to provide a good stable diversified marketplace. We have developed a product line that people want. We can thank God for the wisdom and guidance that has brought CROWN to where it is today -- and we can and should praise Him for His goodness to us.

We are continuing to thank God for His blessings. We do not need to gloat over those who appear to have less or be envious of those who appear to have more. Let us also continue to be aware of the many non-material ways God blesses us.

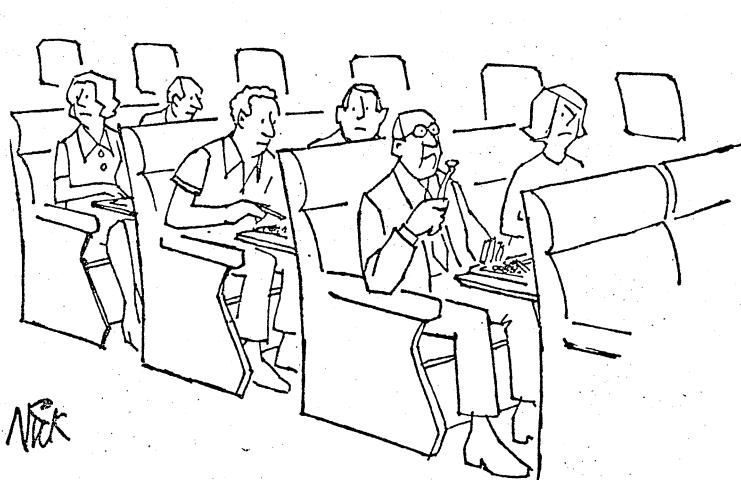
-- Max Scholfield

Many Congressmen are against President Carter's drive to make it easier to fire incompetent civil servants. They're worried the idea might spread to Congress.

Overheard at a local garage: "When buying a used car, check the radio push buttons. If they're all set on rock stations, chances are the transmission is shot."

Children will watch anything, and when a broadcaster uses crime and violence and other shoddy devices to monopolize a child's attention, it's worse than taking candy from a baby.

It's taking precious time from the process of growing up.



"This is the captain speaking. Does anyone else think the peas taste funny?"

## Spotlight



In the Spotlight this month is Ruth Overhulser. Ruth came to CROWN over three years ago and went to work in the Wire Cut Department. She is still in Wire Cut, but is now co-ordinator. Her duties are varied, but she usually makes up cables or runs the amplock machine. Ruth heard of CROWN through her sister, Lou Murphy, who used to work in the Sales Department.

Ruth has a good philosophy for everyday living that is worth sharing:

"I set goals daily for myself. factory work is very repetitious and by striving to beat your own rate, it makes you work harder and should improve your work also. I think we should all learn to be more tolerant. We should learn from others' mistakes, not criticize them or yell at them."

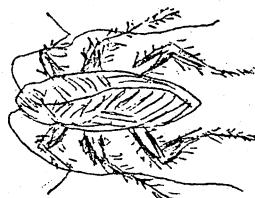
Ham radio is one of Ruth's interests. Her husband is a "ham" so she sort of "fell" into it. She took to heart the saying, "If you can't beat them, join them". She also enjoys cooking and sewing.

Ruth and husband, Paul, have six children; five girls and one boy. They live in Osceola and are avid "Penn" fans.

Ruth has one title of which she is happy and excited . . . "soon-to-be-Grandma!" Congratulations and best wishes!

-- Marcie Kidder

## bernie



dere editur

me and sum of mi budeez have ben  
haveen a grate time latlee  
and its reelee interesteen how we all  
got together

wun day i wuz takeen a brake owt by the  
receeveen dok

it wuz so beutiful owt that day i meen  
have yu ever had a day that absolutlee  
evreething went rite this wuz wun of  
those speshul daze

i wuz just relaxeen and enjoyeen the  
sun wen a cupel of crikets came over  
to see wut wuz hapeneen

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and became frends reel fast

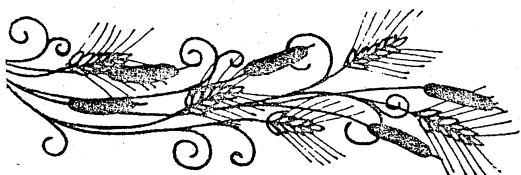
so i invited them in to tour crown and  
yu gessed it thay never left

several daze later we were owt by the  
employee entrance and a grashoper got  
in wen the door opened up furst thing  
in the morneen

so fred joyned owr troop and we had lots  
of fun we were all diferent yet we all  
spoke the same language yu no wut i meen  
well ole fred wuz a daredevel we kep  
telleen him if he didnt setel down he  
wuz goeen to get burned

he sed he wood take hiz chancez  
wun day he reelee got brave and thot he  
wood try swingeen on the door of the  
microwave it wuz super the furst too  
timz but the therd time he missed wen  
he went to hop bak and in he went for  
45 seconds

we were holdeen owr breth wundereen  
wether he wood make it or not he didnt  
and bill miller wuz pritee surprised to  
see fred on top of hiz hamberger



bernie

# Trick - or - Treat!

WHY NOT TREAT YOUR FAMILY TO A GOOD CROCK POT DINNER? HERE IS ONE:

## MEATBALLS

2 lbs. ground beef; ( I use 1b ham and 1 lb fresh pork, ground together)  
2 tsp salt                            1/4 tsp pepper                    1 small onion, chopped  
1 C cracker crumbs                    1 egg                            1/3 C milk

Mix ingredients together and form balls. Brown and put into sauce in crock pot, low at least 4 hours.

## SAUCE

1/2 C butter	1/2 C vinegar	3/4 C brown sugar
1/4 C soy sauce	1 C catsup	1/4 C water
1tsp dry mustard	1/4 tsp garlic salt	1/4 C lemon juice

Mix all together until well blended and put in crock pot.

THIS IS M----- GOOD:

HAVEN'T TRIED THIS, BUT IT SURE DOES SOUND GOOD: HUKELAU CAKE

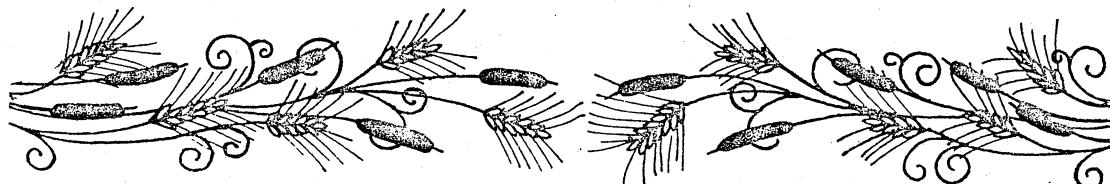
2 C sugar	1-1/2 C vegetable oil	4 eggs
2 C flour	1 tsp salt	1 tsp cinnamon
2 tsp soda	3 C shredded carrots	1 C nuts and raisins
1 C coconut	1 C crushed pineapple (drained)	

## FROSTING:

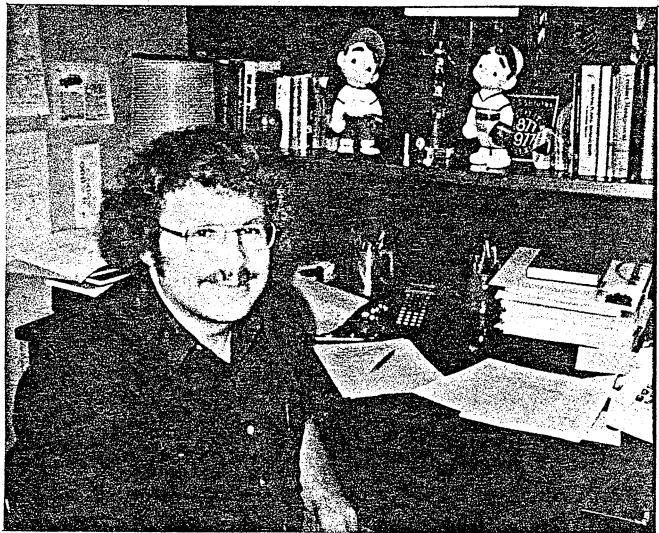
1- 3oz package cream cheese 1/2 stick butter or margarine  
1/2 box powdered sugar.

Combine sugar, oil and eggs. Beat lightly. Combine flour, salt, cinnamon and soda and add to the first mixture. Add remaining ingredients and bake in a 9x13 inch pan or 2 9-inch pans for one hour at 300 degrees. Combine frosting ingredients and frost baked cake.

LADIES: If anyone has recipes they would like to share, please bring them in to me and I'll see that they get put in the Crier.



## On the Other Hand



The same government that has gifted us with Skylab, \$1,10 gas, \$8.50 steaks, Watergate, and the detailed lunacy of the Congressional Record has now provided the Susan B. Anthony Dollar. What could we, the American people, possibly have done to deserve it? Here we sit begrudging our taxes, complaining about high prices and lousy government, being generally disrespectful and ungrateful, and what do we get? Bad treatment? Punishment? (I mean besides the fact that all of the above things get worse.) What we get instead is the S.B. Anthony Dollar.

And it's not as if this piece of 20th Century government largesse is a cheap, short-effort idea, a throwaway that wasn't, so to speak. It has come by way of a carefully researched, high priority, well-organized project. Never mind that the research indicated that it could be the worst idea since "Billy Beer" or Chrysler futures. It's the thought that counts, and if there had been any significant amount of thought involved, you can bet your paper currency it would have been high class, expensive, and hard to pay for.

The idea will not, of course, work worth a dead fly. Bet your knife and snuffbox on that.

There is something astonishing naive about anyone who would expect a human accustomed to carrying light, foldable, quiet, and neatly decorated dollar notes to swap them for heavy, noisy, and odd-shaped coins.

A fundamental problem shows up right off in the nature of the medium. We must

resist change in those things dearest to our hearts. Money tends to slide along in that direction -- and we look with exceeding skepticism on anyone who proposes to mess with it.

It is furthermore a fact that the government advanced the most openly fraudulent reason for the inception of the S.B.A.D. that could be imagined by the normal human mind. It was said out loud and in public that this would save money. Surely they did not want us to achieve that. How could we trust them to go against their instincts so dramatically? In order to prove how thrifty the whole thing had become, a multi-million dollar publicity effort appeared. Paid for no doubt in tin dollars.

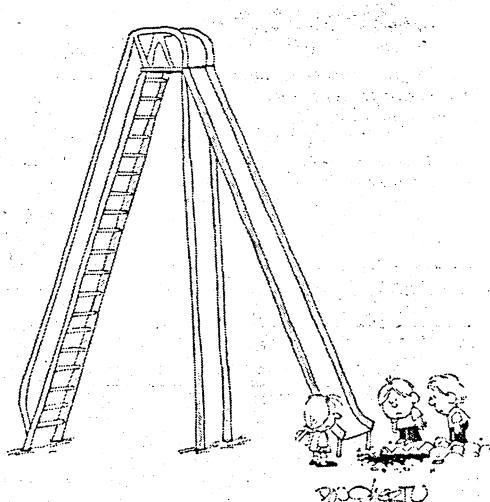
History has spat on the two dollar bill on more than one occasion. The relative weakness of the half dollar as a medium of exchange has also been amply demonstrated. With this background, plus the research indicating that no one wanted metal dollars except Las Vegas, one could be excused for assuming the U.S. Treasury to be deficient in common sense. It is unfortunate that we must pay for this deficiency.

We will survive, however, and we may even prosper, S.B.A. Dollars or no. And I will bet you a funny-shaped dollar to a stale donut that inside of three years we will have:

1. A Johnny Carson three million dollar bill, or
2. A Dolly Parton forty-four cent piece, or
3. A genuine Teddy Kennedy three dollar bill.

Remember, you heard it here first.

-- Dave McLaughlin

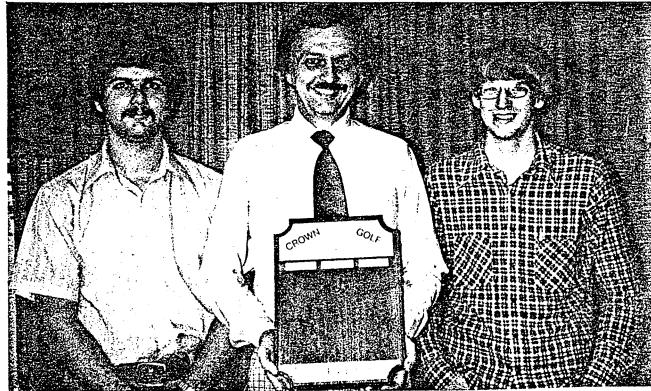


# Sports

## CROWN GOLF SEASON CALLS IT A SEASON

September 13th, 1979, was the official closing date for the CROWN Golf League. That evening, the League celebrated its first successful year with a carry-in banquet where several members were recognized for their golfing achievements. The awards were as follows:

- Low Scratch Score -- Dennis Badke
- Most Improved Player -- Terry Frick
- Low Net Score -- Steve Eger



Other awards/prizes were given for tournament winners in several categories:

Mens Tournament Flight Winner  
Terry Frick

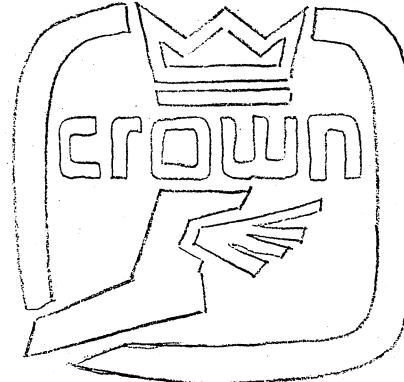
Ladies Tournament Flight Winner  
Margaret Thompson

Long Ball Tournament Winners  
Terry Frick  
Steve Hamilton  
Margaret Thompson

Special guest speaker, Jack Nicklaus, shared his views on golfing which included many helpful demonstrations and tips. Unfortunately, Jack could not stick around for questions (he had to be mailed back to the video tape company where we rented him from).

Most golf league members will hang up their clubs (or their game) for the season, except a few of the truly devoted players. For them, it will take the loss of three dozen balls in the white snow or some other sport to occupy their time. Who knows . . . maybe the CROWN football team?

-- Craig Smith



## THE 3rd ANNUAL Y M C A T E A M M A R A T H O N

is coming up!!

In 1977 CROWN placed third . . .

In 1978 CROWN placed second . . .

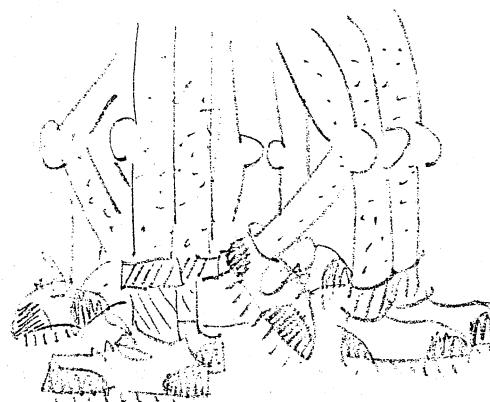
In 1979 CROWN will place -- well, what's left? . . .

CROWN has been the only industrial team that has placed. The run will be aired over WCMR.

Support our runners on October 27th at 8:00 a.m. as they run the 26.2 mile run. The marathon begins at the Elkhart YMCA, to Bristol, Bonneyville Mill and back.

Some of the CROWN team runners are:

Steve Peer  
Walt Berndt  
Tim Bock  
Eric Lattrez  
Kim Curry  
Dale Kauffman  
Paul Moffitt  
Mike Branch  
and a former employee, Jerry Vest



# Little Orphant Annie

James Whitcomb Riley

Little Orphant Annie's come to our house to stay,  
An' wash the cups and saucers up, an' brush the crumbs away,  
An' shoo the chickens off the porch, an' dust the hearth, an' sweep,  
An' make the fire, an' bake the bread, an' earn her board-an'-keep;  
An' all us other children, when the supper things is done,  
We set around the kitchen fire an' has the mostest fun  
A-lis'nin' to the witch-tales 'at Annie tells about,  
An' the Gobble-uns 'at gits you

If you  
Don't  
Watch  
Out!

An' one time a little girl 'ud allus laugh an' grin,  
An' make fun of ever'one, an' all her blood-an'-kin;  
An' onc't when they was "company," an' ole folks was there,  
She mocked 'em an' shocked 'em, an' said she didn't care!  
An' thist as she kicked her heels, an' turn't to run an' hide,  
They was two great big Black Things a-standin' by her side,  
An' they snatched her through the ceilin' 'fore she knewed what she's about!  
An' the Gobble-uns 'll git you

If you  
Don't  
Watch  
Out!

Onc't they was a little boy wouldn't say his pray'rs—  
An' when he went to bed at night, away up stairs,  
His mammy heered him holler, an' his daddy heard him bawl,  
An' when they turn't the kivvers down, he wasn't there at all!  
An' they seeked him in the rafter-room, an' cubby-hole, an' press,  
An' seeked him up the chimney-flue, an' ever'wheres, I guess;  
But all they ever found was thist his pants an' round-about!  
An' the Gobble-uns 'll git you

If you  
Don't  
Watch  
Out!



An' little Orphant Annie says, when the blaze is blue,  
An' the lampwick sputters, an' the wind goes woo-oo!  
An' you hear the crickets quit, an' the moon is gray,  
An' the lightnin'-bugs in dew is all squenched away,—  
You better mind yer parents, and yer teachers fond and dear,  
An' cherish them 'at loves you, an' dry the orphan's tear,  
An' he'p the pore an' needy ones 'at clusters all about,  
Er the Gobble-uns 'll git you

Ef you  
Don't  
Watch  
Out!

## Floodlight

Cheryl Crow is the supervisor of Line 6. The PSA-2, SA-2, PSA-2D, and the M-600 are run in this department. Cheryl's daughter, Lisa, at almost 16 is learning to drive while Cindy, who's 14, is practicing being a teenager. When not busy with the girls, Cheryl spends time with her husband at Corvair meetings, Corvair conventions, Corvair picnics and driving the countryside looking for none other than Corvairs.



Cheryl Crow

Bob Kollar is the department technician. He worked with Engineering on the PSA-2 prototype, helped lay out the balanced input module and worked on the parts list while there. In November 1978 he helped introduce it to production. Bob's outside interests consist of ham radio (of which he has passed his advanced qualification test) a correspondance course titled, "Complete Communications", through the National Radio Institute, which he has almost completed; and a two and a half year old daughter, Shelly.



Bob Kollar

Barb Lester was hired in December of 1978 is the coordinator of the line after bidding for the position in May of this year. Barb describes her duties as the supervisor's gopher -- "go-fer" this, "go-fer" that, etc. When she's not a gopher, she's a Mommy for Matthew and Jacob.



Barb Lester

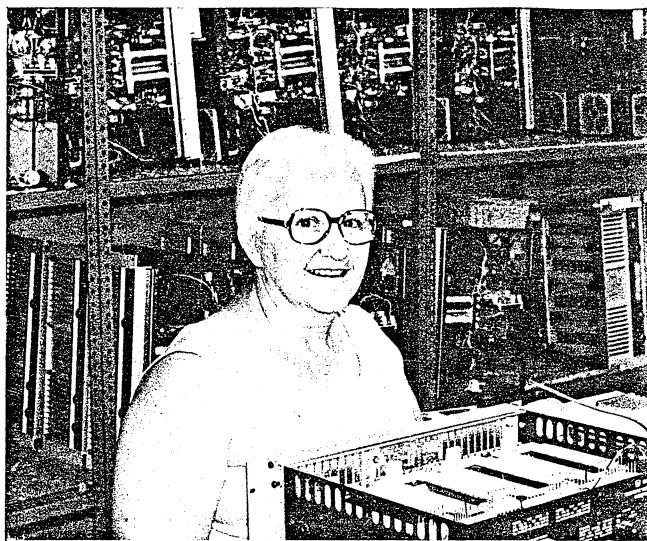
Sandra James came to us at the same time Barb arrived. She is cross-trained for most department jobs, both assembly and wire. Presently, she is building output assemblies for PSA-2 and SA-2's. Sandra has a son, Shawn, who is six years old and is expecting in February of next year to add another addition to their family. If they don't keep her hopping, in her spare time Sandra likes to jog.



Sandra James

Norma Miller was another addition to Line 6 in December of last year. Norma is cross-trained for wiring and assembly. She has twin 18 year old sons, Curt and Craig; and a daughter, Brenda, age 21.

Norma spends most of her Friday nights at Memorial ball games where Craig plays in the band. She is also a sister-in-law to Sylvia Miller -- need I say more?



Norma Miller

Kay Haas was next to arrive the same month of last year. She is also cross-trained on most jobs. Presently, she is working on the J-Chassis assembly for the PSA-2 and SA-2. Kay's Mother, Pat Fletcher, works on Line 4 and her Aunt, Linda O'Neal, works on Line 1. Kay has two daughters, Risa at age three, Bobbi at age 6, and according to Kay there's another "girl" on the way due to arrive the first part of November.



Kay Haas

Carol McQueen was hired in February of this year, worked on Line 3 for six weeks and then transferred to Line 6. She solders and assembles, but usually will be found on final wire for the PSA-2 and

SA-2. She has a son, Bryan, and two daughters, Sherry and Terri. If that isn't enough to keep anyone busy, she has a great dane, Gretchen, that plays with their kitten and has her own couch to sleep on. Reminds you of Marmaduke doesn't it!



Carol McQueen

Rachel Eger transferred to Line 6 in March of 1979 from Line 2. Before that she had worked in service, and if we were to go back even further, we'd find her on the original DC-300 line, or better known as the "amp line". She even spent some time on the new FM tuner. Rachel now does cool pack assembly and output terminal module wire. Rachel's daughter, Chris; and son, Steve; both work at CROWN along with brother-in-law, Millard Eger; nephews, John E. Harris, Don and Richard Eger; son-in-law, Jim Stumble and so on.



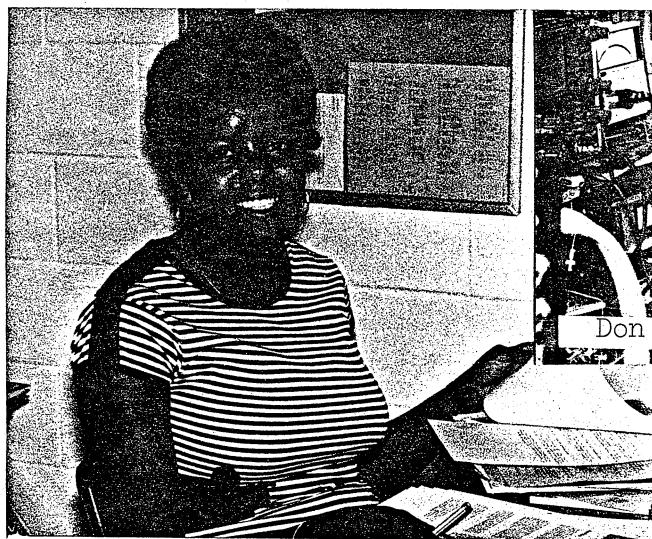
Rachel Eger

Karen Lerner also transferred in March from Line 2. Karen began her work in July of 1978. She does both wiring and assembly, and is presently doing main wire. Karen has three sons; Christopher, 10; Marc, 8; and David, 4. She likes to embroider in her spare time.



Karen Lerner

Joann Bryant began work at CROWN in June of 1978. This past March, Joann was transferred from Engineering to Line 6 where she solders and assembles. Presently, Joann is working on PSA-2 and SA-2 main assembly. Her spare time is spent driving around in her new cadillac, and with her son, Reggie, who is 5.



Joann Bryant

Tony Geisendorfer transferred from Line 2 on July 2, 1979. Tony does the packing and preping that keeps him pretty busy on the line. In his spare time he belongs to an area band called, "Touch".



Tony Geisendorfer

Last, but not least we have Don Curtis. Don is the technician for the M-600. He also will be doing some pretest for the PSA-2 and SA-2 modules. We will be running the M-600 on Line 6 for the first time in October and Don will be helping set that up. When he's not at CROWN, Don is a voluntary fire fighter for Cleveland Township Fire Department.



Don Curtis

-- Cheryl Crow

There is the same difference between talent and genius that there is between a stonemason and a sculptor.

What we seek is amusement, rather than spiritual uplift, achievement, love, peace, the great ideas men have always fought for. We are settling for games and toys. Our values are like the merchandise we buy: convenient, lightweight, disposable. They don't make frying pans like they used to — nor values.

# Terry's Trivia

## IT'S ABOUT TIME

I'm sure most people know Alexander the Great as a brilliant military man who almost conquered the known world. A little known fact is the influence he had on our modern method of time keeping.

It seems that while Alexander's armies were in the midst of battle, it was very difficult for his generals to keep track of the correct time. Sundials were hard to carry around, and on cloudy days not reliable. Therefore battles were often disorganized and chaotic. Armies didn't know when to and not to attack.

Alexander recognized the problem and summoned to himself all the wisest men in his domain. He gave them the task of creating a timepiece that was easily transported and unaffected by the weather.

After ten months of constant research the project was completed. A piece of cloth which would change 24 different colors (a different color every hour) was the result. It could be tied around the arm where it wouldn't get in the way, and one only had to glance down to see it.

While the exact details of this story may be new to you I'm sure that at sometime in your life you've heard of Alexander's Rag . . . Time Band.

-- Terry Hrabak

# # #

Terry Hrabak is the Office Coordinator for the offices of Audio Resources in Westmont, Illinois. Audio Resources reps our line in Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, and Eastern Wisconsin.

ONE of John F. Kennedy's most appealing traits was his modesty. A newspaperman once asked him how he became a war hero. "They sank my boat," Kennedy replied.

*He that is good for making excuses is seldom good for anything else.*

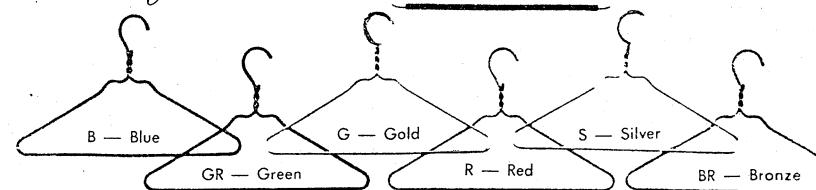
BEN FRANKLIN

## Classifieds

FREE PUPPY!!!! Two weeks old. Mother is a full golden retriever and father is a sheep dog. Call Phil Wilt at extension 282.

WE'RE SENDING IN ANOTHER HANGER ORDER! If enough are ordered, the cost is only \$7.80 per dozen. These hangers come in six different colors (see below) and make nice Christmas gifts. ORDER EARLY! Call extension 241 or see Marcie Kidder.

### Decorator Hanger by Lorin

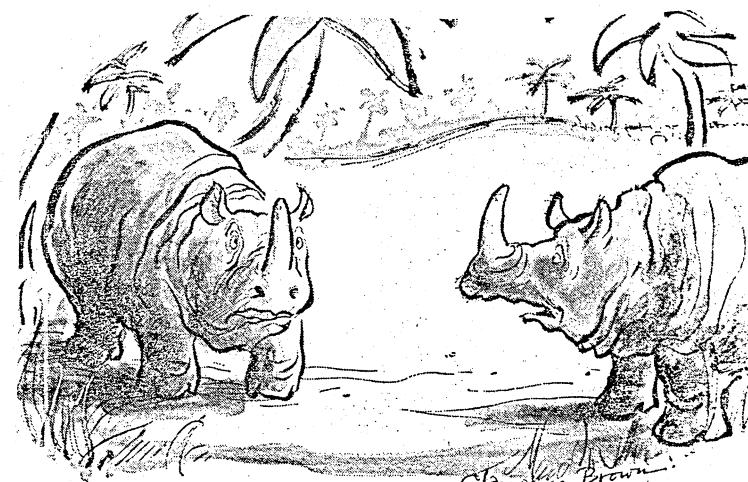


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ANYTHING YOU WANT TO BUY OR SELL? TRY THE CRIER. ALL ADS MUST BE IN BY OCTOBER 20TH FOR THE NOVEMBER ISSUE. ROUTE TO JAN SMITH.



*"Well, why stare at it all the time if it makes you cross-eyed?"*

# TUBEE OR NOT TUBEE?

A TV Trivia Quiz Will Answer the Question

Would you rather own a TV than a bathtub? Would you refuse a dinner date that conflicts with your favorite show? If so, you'll probably zip right through this quiz. A score of 70 percent or better separates the attentive fans from the casual viewers. It may also separate the generations, since some of the questions go back a few years.

## WHO SAID IT?

Can you identify the personalities who were famous for the following quotations?

1. "Put a little fun in your life—try dancing!"
2. "One of these days, . . . one of these days—POW! Right in the kisser!"
3. "I don't mess around, boy."
4. "What a revolting' development *this* is!"
5. "Well, I'll be a dirty bird!"
6. "Abracadabra, please and thank you."
7. "Good night and God bless."
8. "I arrest you in the name of the Crown."
9. "Hi-ho, Steverino!"
10. "I'd like you to meet my brother George."
11. "Would *you* like to be Queen for a day?"
12. "Heck, no!"
13. "Sorry about that."
14. "Good night and a good tomorrow."
15. "Peace."

## DOCTORS

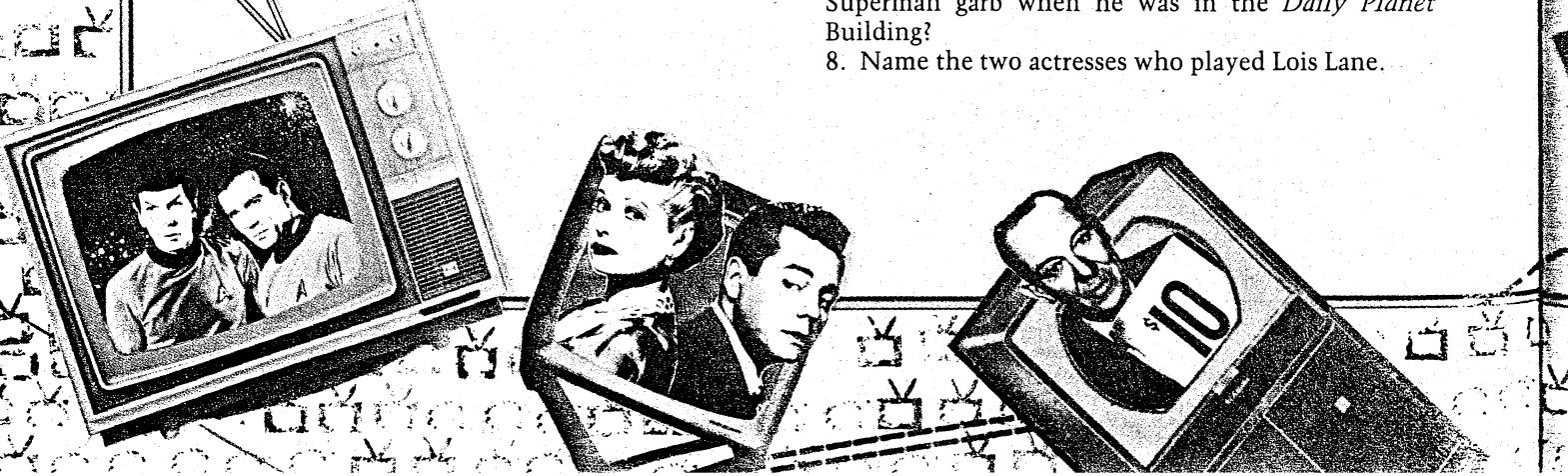
Match the doctor with the hospital where he practiced, and name the series.

1. Steve Hardy	a. County General
2. David Zorba	b. New North
3. Matt Powers	c. General
4. Leonard Gillespie	d. Lowell Memorial
5. Peter Goldstone	e. Blair General
6. Jake Goodwin	f. Hope Memorial

## UP, UP, AND AWAY!

Look! Up in the sky! It's a bird! It's a plane! It's trivia!

1. In what town did Clark Kent grow up?
2. What one metallic element could critically harm Superman?
3. Who played cub reporter Jimmy Olsen?
4. What actual edifice was used for the exterior shots of the *Daily Planet* Building?
5. Perry White was forever making a plea to whose ghost?
6. Complete this *Superman* opening narration: "Faster than a \_\_\_\_\_!  
More powerful than a \_\_\_\_\_! Able to leap \_\_\_\_\_ in a single bound!"
7. Where did Clark Kent usually change into his Superman garb when he was in the *Daily Planet* Building?
8. Name the two actresses who played Lois Lane.



## LAWYERS

1. Who played Owen Marshall's assistant Jess Brandon?
2. Where was *Judd for the Defense* set?
3. Who was Perry Mason's receptionist?
4. Who portrayed San Francisco attorney Sam Benedict?
5. Name the father-and-son lawyer team on *The Defenders*.

## HUSBANDS AND WIVES

Match these familiar television couples.

1. George Jetson
2. Chester A. Riley
3. Margaret Anderson
4. Ted Baxter
5. Carol Brady
6. Natalie Lane
7. Florida Evans
8. Henry Mitchell
9. Henrietta Topper
10. Kate McCoy
11. Rob Petrie
12. Albert Arbuckle
13. Louise Jefferson
14. Sally McMillan
15. Bob Hartley
16. Milburn Drysdale
17. Ed Norton
18. Donna Stone

- a. Margaret
- b. James
- c. George
- d. Jane
- e. Emily
- f. Peg
- g. Luke
- h. Georgette
- i. Alex
- j. Trixie
- k. Jim
- l. Cosmo
- m. Mike
- n. Ethel
- o. Martin
- p. Laura
- q. Alice
- r. Stewart

## TREKKIE FEVER

Star Trek fans are among the most loyal of audiences. These questions will test you for the post of honorary crew member on the *Enterprise*.

1. How long was the *Enterprise*'s original mission supposed to last, according to the opening narration?
2. What were the first four words of the opening narration?
3. Can you name Jim Kirk's deceased brother?
4. On what deck of the spaceship was Dr. McCoy's medical lab located?
5. What *Enterprise* crew member had green blood?
6. What was Spock's father's name?
7. In Vulcan language, what does "Kroykah" mean?
8. How many stars appear on The United Federation of Planets' flag?
9. Who was the chief engineer of the *Enterprise*?

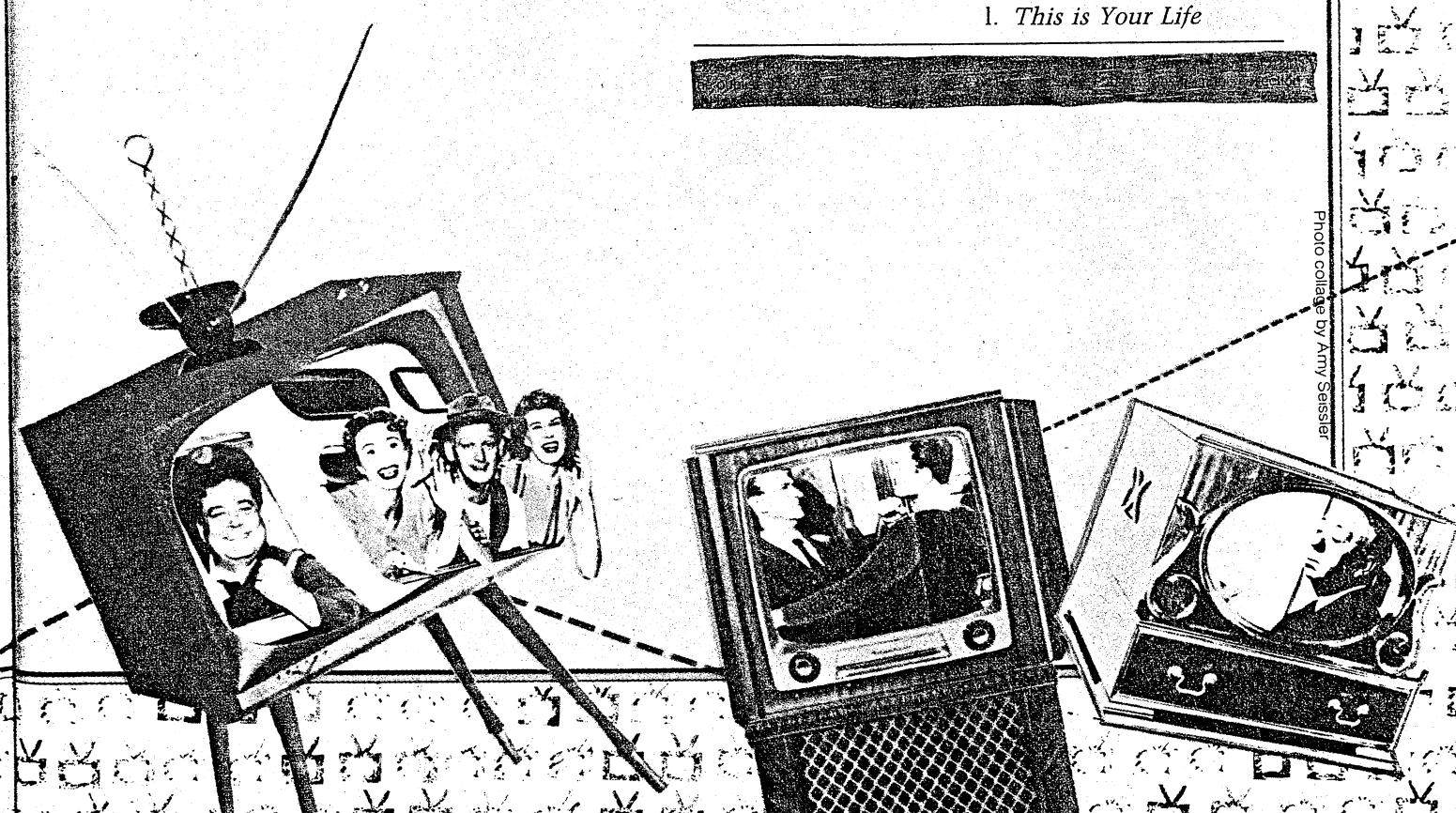
## AND NOW A WORD FROM ...

Match the major sponsor with the show or star.

1. Lipton Tea
2. Sylvania
3. Geritol
4. Clearasil
5. Kent cigarettes
6. Texaco
7. Philip Morris
8. Revlon
9. Boraxo
10. Campbell's Soups
11. Chevrolet
12. Hazel Bishop

- a. *Richard Diamond, Private Detective*
- b. *Arthur Godfrey*
- c. *American Bandstand*
- d. *Dinah Shore*
- e. *Beat the Clock*
- f. *Milton Berle*
- g. *Lassie*
- h. *Death Valley Days*
- i. *I Love Lucy*
- j. *Mr. and Mrs. North*
- k. *Ted Mack's Original Amateur Hour*
- l. *This is Your Life*

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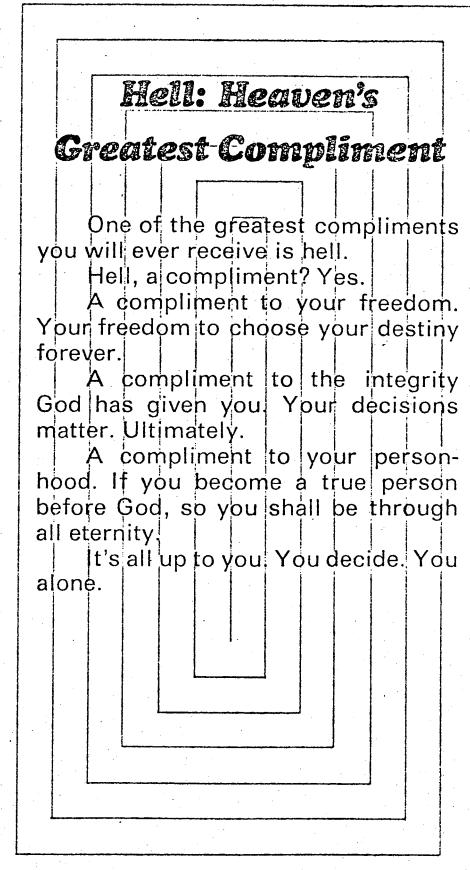


# Happy Birthday



5 -- Darlene Williamson  
17 -- Sylvia Miller, Alan Schrader  
18 -- Rachel Eger  
19 -- Barbara Lester  
22 -- Paul Gerard  
26 -- Millard Eger  
27 -- Jenny Scheiber  
30 -- Jan Smith  
31 -- Lowell Huffman

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## Personnel Paraphernalia

DEBBIE GRANGER (Modules) has a new little bundle from heaven -- a baby girl born on September 13th -- Julie Marie.

SYLVIA MILLER (Line 5) sometimes buttons her blouse wrong and sometimes even gets caught in the act.

CINDA PITTMAN (Sales) traveled to Maine with her husband on their vacation.

TOM SZERENCSE (Engineering) has another daughter, Tammy Renee, born on September 22nd.

JANET COOK (Line 1) vacationed near Petosky, Michigan.

LEONA FOGGIN (Boardroom) vacationed in her car as she and her family drove out to California and back.

KEN WOODCOX (Sales) spent an extra leisurely vacation at home mainly because his right arm was in a sling by orders of his doctor.

DEB (Shipping) and WALT BERNDT (Drafting) moved into their new farmhouse near Casropolis. It was reported that JIM PUTZ was acting like a headless chicken all week while DEB was gone.

SHIRLEY SOUSLEY was given an honorary farewell on her departure from CROWN on September 21st. It began with a surprise luncheon on the 17th -- boy, was she surprised!!! -- and ended with ice cream on her last day. In between times she was feted with another free lunch, gifts, and lots of things to eat. God's good wishes on you, Shirley. Visit us often!

PAUL GERARD (Line 1) is an expectant parent -- expecting his first child somewhere around the 28th of March.

DALE PARROTT (Service) may not be able to serve a tennis ball like Jimmy Connors, but he sure can "serve" a bat with a bang from his tennis racquet.

STOCKROOM reported that they had a picnic at BILL SWIHART's home.

CHERYL CROW (Line 6) had three weeks of vacation and did a lot of fishing in Wisconsin, spent time with her parents at a lake in Michigan and went to the dentist.

JENNY SCHEIBER (Stockroom) is really doing some traveling on her vacation -- she plans to travel to Minnesota then to Virginia and finally to Brown County.

SANDY JAMES (Line 6) is expecting a new arrival sometime in February.

LAURA WEAVER (Accts. Payable) is driving around with a new rabbit only this one eats gas instead of grass!

KAY HAAS (Line 6) will have an addition to her family the first week of November.

JOHN BACHMAN (Service) is sporting a new '72 Fiat.

RACHEL EGER (Line 6) will spend three weeks alone with her husband. They will be traveling up into Canada and points East.

STEVE HAMILTON (Parts) has a new nickname -- "Jusaminute".

ETHEL MILLER (Line 1) is back after a three and a half month leave. We're glad you're back, Ethel, and that you're feeling lots better also.

CINDY BISHOP (Line 5) went camping on vacation and is now working on EQ-2's instead of VFX's and is really enjoying it.

BOB KOLLAR (Line 6) took one week of vacation and went on a fishing trip without his wife. The second week of vacation he allowed his wife to go along with him as they visited her sister.

JIM WORDINGER (Engineering) bought a new house south of Osceola.

DON CURTIS (Line 6) will be gone on vacation for three weeks.

BETTY MYERS (Line 5) caught the biggest fish on vacation with her family in Minnesota!

JIM ROMINE (Service) became a daddy with the birth of his son, Ryan Andrew, on October 7th. Congratulations!

DAVE ENGSTROM (Tech Service) is planning on closing his house deal shortly. They are buying a home here in Elkhart.

Line 3 had a pleasant visit from Cheryl Roth and daughter.

ALL EMPLOYEE NEWS MUST BE TURNED IN BY OCTOBER 20TH FOR THE NOVEMBER CROWN CRIER. PLEASE PUT IN THE BOX OUT IN THE EMPLOYEE AREA!

## What's Happening

The sound system that Pope John Paul II used at Shea Stadium was CROWN powered.

Steve Hamilton went to a special seminar called, "Service, Parts, Inventory Management", in Madison, Wisconsin.

Billy Joel bought a piece of CROWN for his home system from one of our dealers in New York.

Ken Woodcox returned from a week trip to the Los Angeles area to visit dealers.

Jim Beattie and Dave McLaughlin flew to New York City to attend the I.H.F. Audio Conference at the Statler-Hilton.



## Signs and Wonders

Autumn is in the air once more,  
Bright hills are all aflame.

The cricket sings  
Of warmer things.  
Earth's no longer the same.

Green leaves have turned to gold again,  
Wild birds sail the sky,  
The new frost nips  
And the night wind whips.  
Sun wears a glint in his eye.

Meadows beyond the old stone fence  
Are lovely, near and far.  
They seem to hold  
That touch of gold,  
Bright as an autumn star.

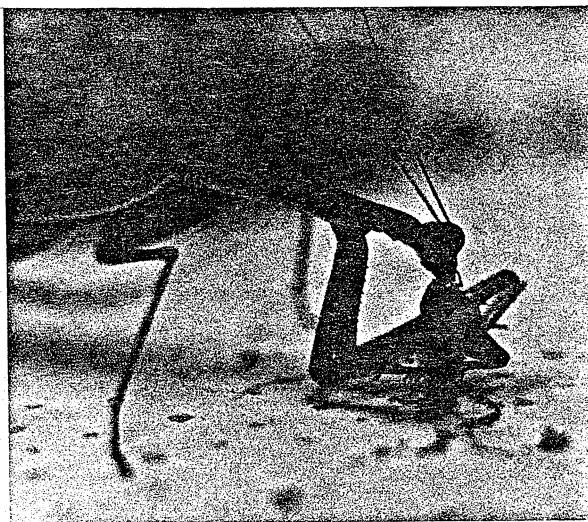
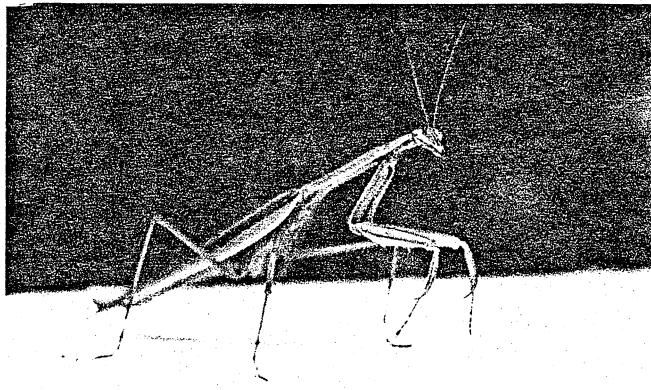
Rich color changes hill and glen,  
Wild sumac shows its fire.

True beauty starts  
To lift all hearts  
Like amens from a choir.

Grateful hearts give thanks to God  
For His almighty hand,  
For clothes to wear  
And food to share,  
For peace throughout the land.

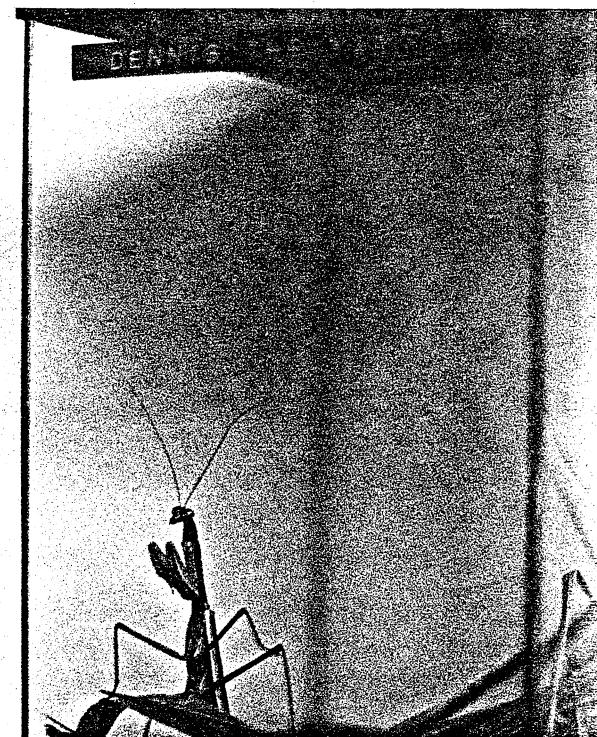
# Special Feature

Parental discretion advised. The following pictures may be too violent for young children  
(or people with queasy stomachs)!



Here we have a new friend of the Engineering Department. Jim Bontrager claims he caught this monstrous thing in his garage, named it "Dennis the Mantis", and brought it to work where our "caring and thoughtful" Engineers have taken him under their wing. They have been feeding Dennis crickets and other yummy items found in their Department. Ray Stevens reports that Dennis doesn't like grasshoppers though.

Jim, we hate to break it to you, but we have reason to believe that "Dennis the Mantis" is only a pseudo name and actually its name is really "Denise the Pregnant Mantis"!

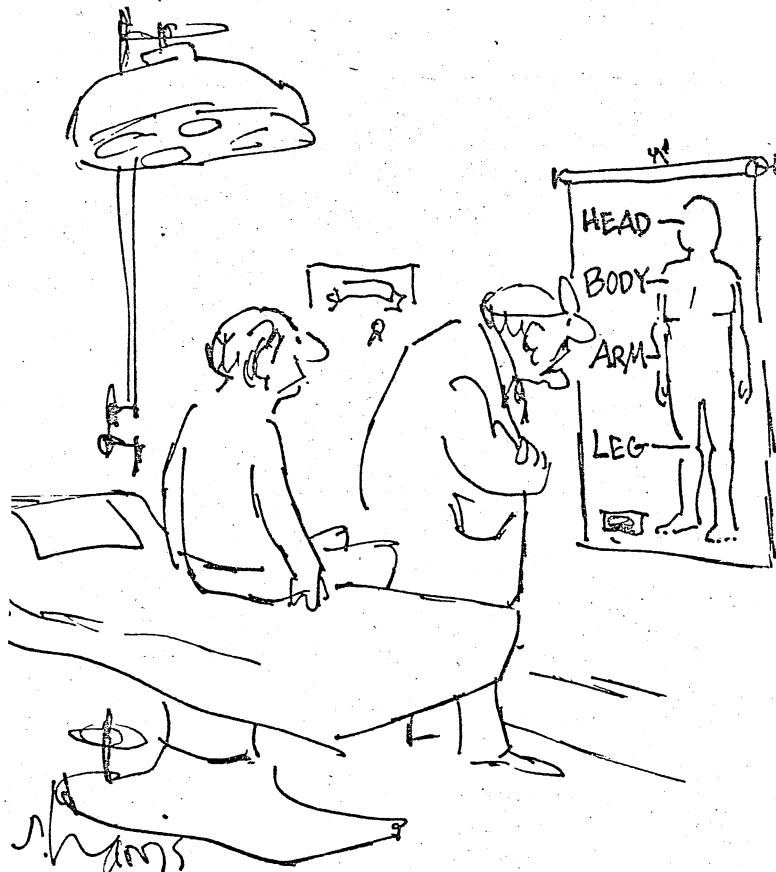


## Employee Council Report

Statement of funds for the one month period ending September 30, 1979:

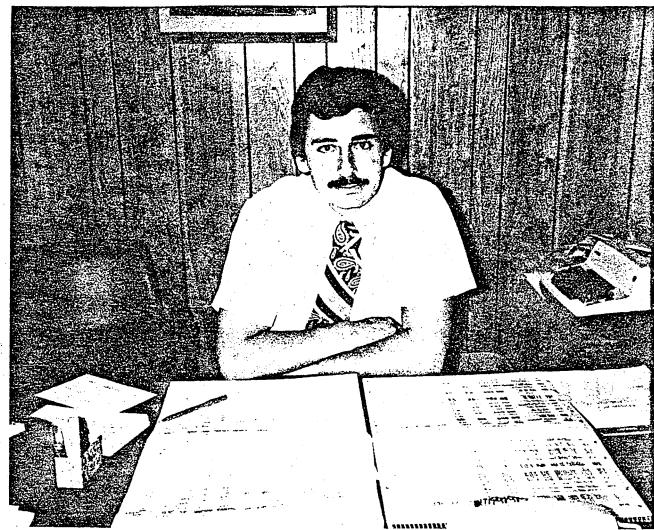
Balance at August 31st, 1979	\$544.72
Income from food services - September	<u>130.73</u>
	675.45
 Less Expenses:	
Carry-in meal	\$236.00
Ice Cream	48.72
Flowers	62.52
Supplies	<u>19.50</u>
Balance at September 30th, 1979	<u>\$308.71</u>

-- Ross Swinehart

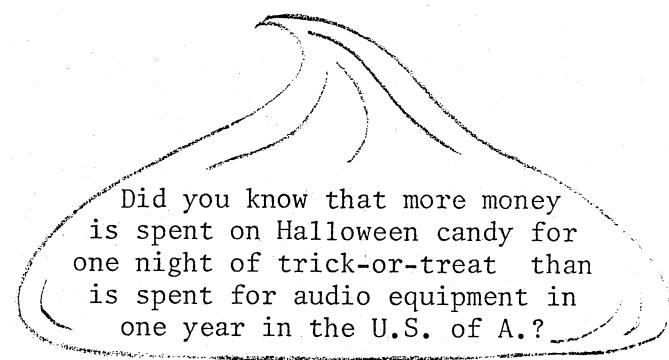


"Let's see now..."

## New Employee Profile



NAME: Preskel Gayheart  
BIRTHDAY: March 3  
DEPARTMENT: Credit  
POSITION: Credit Manager  
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Softball, basketball  
AMBITION OR GOAL FOR THE FUTURE: To continue with my education while keeping CROWN's bad debts and past dues to a minimum.  
HEARD OF CROWN THROUGH: Employment Agency



It is the job of a leader to make it easy for people to do the right thing, difficult to do the wrong thing.

NEVER trust a man who is Dr. Jekyll to those above him and Mr. Hyde to those under him.

CHARLIE BROWER

## THE PREACHER WHO WOULDN'T DO

A church was in need of a pastor. One of the elders was interested in knowing just what kind of minister they desired. He therefore wrote a letter, as if he had received it from an applicant. He read this letter before the Pulpit Committee:

Gentlemen:

Understanding that your pulpit is vacant, I would like to apply for the position. I have many qualifications that I think you would appreciate. I have been blessed to preach with power and have had some success as a writer. Some say that I am a good organizer. I have been a leader in most places I have gone.

Some folks, however, have some things against me. I am over fifty years of age. I have never preached in one place for more than three years at a time. In some places I have to admit that I have been in jail three or four times, but not because of any real wrong-doing. My health is not too good, though I still get a good deal done. I have had to work at my trade to help pay my way. The churches I have preached in have been small, though located in several large cities.

I have not gotten along too well with the religious leaders in different towns where I have preached. In fact, some of them have threatened me, taken me to court, and even attacked me physically.

I am not too good at keeping records. I have been known to forget whom I baptized. However, if you can use me, I shall do my best for you, even if I have to work to help with my support.

The elder read this letter to the committee and asked them if they were interested in the applicant. They replied that he would never do for their church. They were not interested in any unhealthy, contentious, troublemaking, absent-minded ex-jailbird; in fact, they felt insulted that his application had even been presented.

The committee asked the name of the applicant, whereupon the elder answered, "The Apostle Paul".

THIS MONTH'S BABY FACE - Lynne Gran

THE greatest man in the world, in my opinion, is the man who can take an average job and make something of it.

GEORGE ALLEN

12. I, This is Your Life  
 11. d, Diana Shore  
 10. g, Lassie  
 9. h, Death Valley Days  
 8. j, Mr. and Mrs. North  
 7. i, Love Lucy  
 6. f, Million Baire  
 5. a, Richard Diamond, Private Detective  
 4. c, American Bandstand  
 3. k, Ted Mack's Original Amateur Hour  
 2. e, Beer the Clock  
 1. b, Arthur Godfrey  
 And Now A Word From . . .

9. Lt. Cmdr. Montgomery Scott  
 8. Thirteen  
 7. "Case and Desisti"  
 6. Sarek  
 5. Spock  
 4. Seeneh  
 3. George Samuel Kirk  
 2. "Space: The Final Frontier . . ."  
 1. Five Years  
 Trekie Fever

9. I, Cosmo  
 8. d, Alice  
 7. b, James  
 6. o, Martin  
 5. m, Mike  
 4. h, George  
 13. c, George  
 14. r, Stewart  
 15. e, Emilly  
 16. a, Margaret  
 17. j, Trixie  
 18. i, Alex

1. d, Jane  
 10. g, Luke  
 11. p, Laura  
 12. n, Ethel  
 13. f, Peg  
 14. k, Jim  
 15. m, Mike  
 16. o, Martin  
 17. b, James  
 18. d, Alice

1. Lee Majors  
 2. Texas  
 3. George  
 4. Edmond O'Brien  
 5. Lawrence and Kenneth Preston

1. Phyllis Coates and Noel Neill  
 2. Jack Larson  
 3. Los Angeles City Hall  
 4. Great Caesar's  
 5. Speedy bullet, locomotive, tall buildings  
 6. In the Slope Room  
 7. In the Slope Room  
 8. Phyllis Coates and Noel Neill

1. d, Lowell Memorial, Doctor's Hospital  
 2. a, County General; Ben Casey  
 3. General Hospital; Dr. Kildare  
 4. e, Bilt General; Dr. Kildare  
 5. New North, The Items  
 6. Dr. Kildare  
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 9. Louis Nye  
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 13. Don Adams as Maxwell Smart  
 14. John Daly  
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 7. Red Skelton  
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1. Kathryn Murray  
 2. Jackie Gleason as Ralph Kramden  
 3. Ricky Nelson  
 4. William Bendix as Chester A. Riley  
 5. George Gobel  
 6. Bob Keeshan as Captain Kangaroo  
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1. Who Said It?  
 2. This Month's Baby Face - Lynne Gran  
 3. Jackie Gleason as Ralph Kramden  
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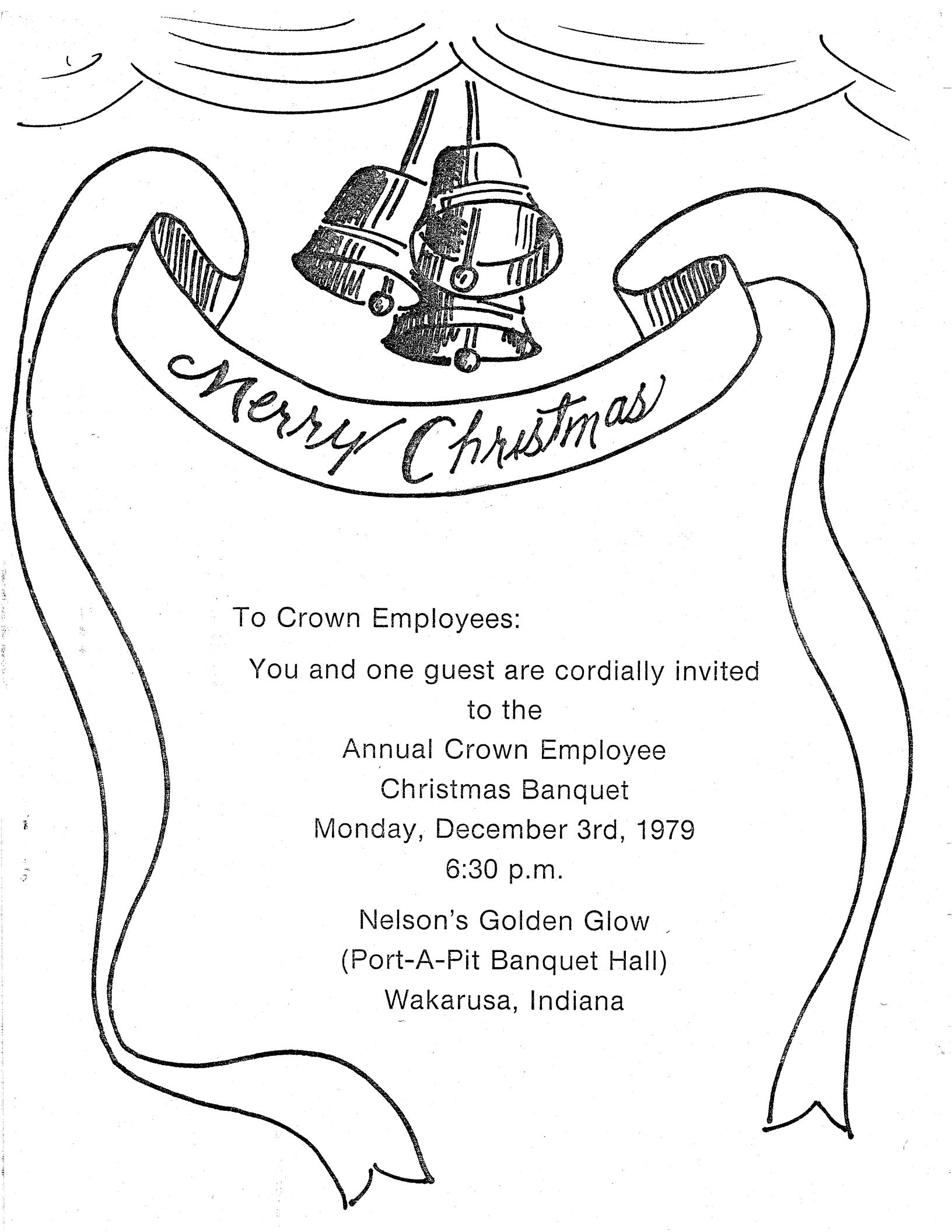
Tubee or Not Tube

Crown Crier Survey:

# What Makes You Nervous?

Here's the CROWN family's answers to this month's survey:

1. People, people, people, and more people!
2. Waiting for something.
3. Misteaks, Misstakes. Mistakes.
4. Bodacious ta-ta's.
5. Justified anticipation.
6. My boyfriend's mother.
7. Planning to buy a house.
8. Talking in the hallway and your boss walks by.
9. Sleeveless outfits.
10. Several phone calls at one time and no one takes them.
11. "Hisey" makes me nervous when he just stares.
12. Waiting in line at a grocery store or bank.
13. Women.
14. Climbing antenna towers.
15. Someone who cracks their gum.
16. Someone jiggling their legs during the sermon.
17. People who talk too much.
18. An amp as it starts to sizzle.
19. Life in general.
20. Assembly.
21. Schedules.
22. "Gettin' down!"
23. Going into strange places.
24. Thunderstorms.
25. Having less than \$100 to my name.
26. Not getting my work done!
27. Kids who are not my own doing something wrong while the parents just sit and watch them.
28. Max Scholfield.
29. CROWN management.
30. Having more work than humanly possible for one person to do!
31. Talking in front of people.
32. Mice.
33. Snakes.
34. People who talk to your supervisor all the time.
35. Interviews.
36. When I can't get my earring in.
37. When the food machines don't work.
38. Going to the doctor.
39. Having the "boss" watch you.
40. I don't get nervous.
41. When someone watches or stares.
42. Riding home with my husband.
43. Constant annoyances like tapping feet.
44. My husband's driving.
45. Babies.
46. People calling for batches when not done.
47. Driving on ice.
48. Flying.
49. People watching me eat or type.
50. Meeting prospective spouse's parents.
51. Golfing with better golfers!
52. Inflation.
53. My car payment.
54. Being financially insecure.
55. The lights going out.
56. Having to sing in church.
57. Listening to people argue.
58. High places.
59. When I can't find my kitten.
60. Getting an irate customer on the telephone.
61. A competent secretary.
62. Flying in a one engine Cessna.
63. Waiting on the dentist.
64. Everytime I hear the word "bankruptcy".
65. Fuel oil.
66. Three mile island.
67. Bald jokes.
68. When the pastor asks for testimonies and is looking right at me.
69. Swimming. Wading. Water in general.
70. The thought that winter is just around the corner and I misplaced summer.
71. While you're driving along a newly paved road a heavy rainstorm begins and the line painter forgot the paint the lines.
72. When you're reading a mystery novel.
73. Getting a phone call late at night.
74. Receiving a telegram.
75. When you get an overdraft and you're pretty sure the bank's in error.
76. People with lots of money to blow.
77. Violations.
78. Deep sea fishing when there's no land in sight.
79. Getting a phone call from Arline.
80. When you're paged four times and you are in the restroom.
81. When a cop follows you.



Merry Christmas

To Crown Employees:

You and one guest are cordially invited  
to the

Annual Crown Employee  
Christmas Banquet

Monday, December 3rd, 1979  
6:30 p.m.

Nelson's Golden Glow  
(Port-A-Pit Banquet Hall)  
Wakarusa, Indiana

