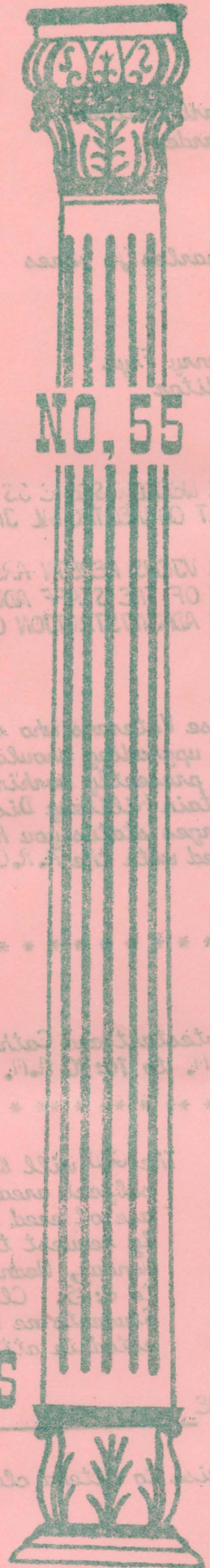
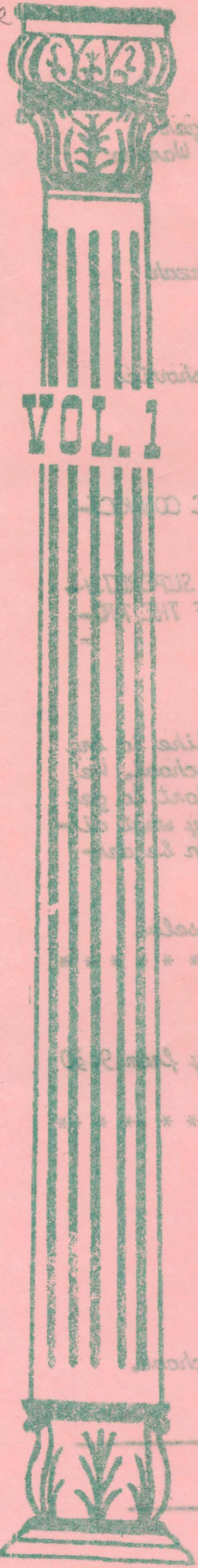


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God grant me the
Serenity
to accept the things I
cannot change...

Courage to
change the things I can

and Wisdom to
know the difference...

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NOTICE

Those Veterans who received discharges other than Honorable and would like to try for upgrading should contact Jesse DeLoach Vocational Counselor in the school. We are presently working with the American Red Cross Association in an effort to get certain Military Discharges Upgraded. Send a request form stating clearly what discharges status you have at the present time and an interview for you can be arranged with the A.R.C.

Jesse DeLoach
Vocational Counselor

RELIGIOUS DISCUSSION CLASSES

Protestant and Catholic Discussions are held in the school every Sunday from 9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. Everyone is welcome so please attend.

The GED will be given in April. Most men need a review in some subject areas, especially math and English. Full time classes are offered in the school. Men can be assigned to this school by request through classification. Evening classes are held on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings in the school from 5:45 to 8:45. Classes are offered in English and Mathematics. Students are usually assigned to both classes. If you are interested in attending, complete the form below and return to the school.

NAME _____ NO.# _____ House Unit _____

I wish to attend classes on Monday _____ Wednesday _____ or Friday _____

This "Weekly Scene's" editorial concerning Christmas in prison is definitely the most difficult one to write about. It is almost impossible to cheer up anyone who has to spend Christmas in an 8 by 5 foot cell. It is almost impossible to enliven a man who has to remain imprisoned while his children ask why he cannot come home and spend the holidays with them.

The last week in December is the saddest time of the year for a prisoner. It is the time when one remembers and feels the separation from family and friends. It is the time which brings back vivid memories of happier days. Indeed, it is the time of the year when one really feels the coldness of the cell, the loneliness of a prison and the greatest desire and hope to be home among loved ones.

Through our own efforts and concerned persons encouragement, we manage to live through it. December not only means a dismal period for an inmate, but it also indicates the end of a year. The end of another twelve months of imprisonment; the momentary closing of the pains and suffering of 305 days spent in a penitentiary. Sure it pains us to be behind prison walls at a time such as this, but one must realize that a prisoner's Christmas is one of the spirit and not of the physical self.

Regardless of our situation, Christmas can still have a meaningful outlook for us all. We can tighten family bonds and friendships because it is the time of year we come closer together with one another. We wish that this year, Christmas delivers to us all, a message of hopeful expectations for next year.

Editor, Henry Frye
Asst. Editor, Armando Agudelo

"THE CHRISTMAS PRAYER"

Let us pray that strength and courage abundant be given to all who work for a world of reason and understanding,

that the good that lies in every man's heart may day by day be magnified, that men will come to see more dearly not that which divides them, but that which unites them, that each hour may bring us closer to a final victory,

not of nation over nation, but of man over his own evils and weaknesses, that the true spirit of this Christmas season, its joy, its beauty, its hope, and above all its abiding faith may live among us, that the blessings of peace be ours - the peace to build and grow, to live in harmony and sympathy with others, and to plan for the future with confidence.

"OUR FAITHFUL FATHER'S MESSAGE"

On Thanksgiving day we gave thanks to almighty God for all of his blessings. On Christmas Day we thank him for the greatest blessing of all, the gift of his Son, Jesus Christ. By the son of God coming into the world, we are able to share in the sonship of God and become heirs to his heavenly kingdom. Christ's life on earth was one of sacrifice and love. He gave his earthly body as a sacrifice for the sins of all mankind. Through his love, love was brought into the world.

Through Christ we are more aware of the needs of others, more willing to reach out and care for other brothers and sisters in Christ. Christmas is a time for Love, Caring, and Sharing the Beautiful Good News that Christ gave us.

May God give all of you the grace to increase your love for Him and for all of your Loved Ones during this blessed season. May you have a blessed Christmas in Jesus our Christ Child.

Father Shanley

"FOR HE SHALL SAVE HIS PEOPLE FROM THEIR SINS"

Once again it is my pleasure to greet you in the name of our Lord and saviour Jesus Christ. The subject is taken from Matt. 1:21. "And she shall bring forth a son and thou shalt call his name Jesus, for he shall save his people from their sins," and a few months after these words were spoken by the angel of God, the promise was fulfilled and this is the time of year we take time out of our full lives to celebrate the birth of the saviour.

Let us take more time in the days we have on the face of this earth to let the promise in our hearts and be saved from our sins and we will be rejoicing each and every day because God is with us....

AND THE GRACE OF GOD BE WITH YOU ALWAYS.
MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE WARDEN AND STAFF.....

Reverend Barber

I AM WISHING YOU ALL A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR. CONSIDERING THE CIRCUMSTANCES, AND SURELY TO OUR FAITHFULS AND LOVED ONES THAT THE NEW YEAR WILL BE PROSPEROUS AND THAT THE GOALS YOU HAVE SET FOR YOURSELVES WILL BE ATTAINABLE.

CARL ROBINSON
WARDEN

NOTICE TO PRISONERS WHO HAVE BEEN DENIED PAROLE

Two of the inmates of this prison have brought a class action in federal court on behalf of all inmates of this prison who have been denied parole during their current term of imprisonment. The only issue in this action is whether the prisoners who are members of the plaintiff class are entitled to examine their parole files prior to their parole release hearing. The parole file of each prisoner contains, among other things, his presentence report, psychiatric reports, any prior misconduct reports, and other documents relating to the prisoner which state officials have either themselves written or acquired from private persons during the course of the prisoner's involvement in legal process.

If you have been denied parole during your current term of imprisonment, you will automatically be made a member of the plaintiff class in this action, and therefore will benefit from any favorable judgment or be bound by an unfavorable judgment, unless you take steps set forth below to exclude yourself from the class of plaintiff. Any prisoner who does so exclude himself will be entitled as a matter of law to raise the issue of access to his parole file by his own suit against the Board of Parole, as a practical matter, the judgment in the class action will probably dictate the outcome of similar suits.

If you wish to exclude yourself from the class action described above, you must give notice of your decision by a letter addressed to the attorney for the plaintiff class:

Stephen Wizner Esq.
127 Wall Street
New Haven, Connecticut 06520

If you wish to remain a member of the plaintiff class and have any knowledge that your parole file contains erroneous information, or if you have any questions concerning this case, you should bring these matters to the attention of the above named attorney.

M. Joseph Blumenfeld
Senior United States District Judge

C.C.I. - SOMERS JAYCEE'S

FIRST ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT

Included with all of the events that have been taking place here at Somers over the past two weeks was C.C.I. - Somers Jaycee's Annual Awards Night which was held on Thursday, December 15, 1977. Some of the distinguished Guests who were present for the event were: Carl Robinson, C.C.I. - Somers Warden; Connie Wilks, Department of Corrections Public Relations Representative; Raymond Lopes, Deputy Commissioner of Corrections (representing John Manson, Commissioner of Corrections); Reverend Jesse Barber and Father Mathew Shanley, C.C.I. - Somers Chaplains; Jack Jackle, President of the Connecticut Jaycees; Lois DeMayo, President of the Connecticut Jaycees for Women; David Savitt, President of the West Hartford Jaycees; William Reddick, C.C.I. - Somers c/o and Jaycees "Liaison Officer; Dwight Jenkins and Micheal Gibson, Community Coordinators from WHUS, University of Connecticut radio station.

Following the "call to order" and the Invocation by Rev. Barber, Allen Crespo, Master of Ceremonies, presented Jaime Breison, representing the "Awards Committee". He presented these Diplomas to the following individuals: PERSONAL DYNAMICS DIPLOMA - (Diploma given in recognition of thier efforts in leadership and Human Development); Issac Parham, Roger Moody and Arthur Williams.

COMMUNICATIONS DYNAMIC DIPLOMAS - John Stone, Oscar Bowen, and Kenneth Schaffer.

GOVERNOR'S ACHEIVEMENT AWARD - (Awarded for the outstanding job done with the Muscular Dystrophy Drive); Allen Desamon.

PROJECT OF THE MONTH - For the month of September; David Lewis - Chairman of the Fund Drive; October; Nicky D. Lewis - Chairman of the refreshment stand; November; David Lewis - Chairman of the Printing Committee.

COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH - For the month of September; Jaime Breison - Chairman of Parliamentary Procedure; October; Joseph-Mario Spates - External Chairman of the Legislative Committee; and November; Allen Crespo - Internal Speakup Chairman.

JAYCEE OF THE MONTH - For the month of September; Robert Manville - Treasure; October; Arthur Williams - Internal Vice President; and November; Nicky D. Lewis - Refreshment Stand Chairman.

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION - For the month of September; Linsay Johnson, Bernard Lane and Kenneth Schaffer. Robert Van Steenburg and Charles Allen. For all the time; Micheal Raimo - Noted for the work he has done for the Jaycees. Jaime Breison - Cited for the hard work and dedication he put forth for the graduating of 5 members.

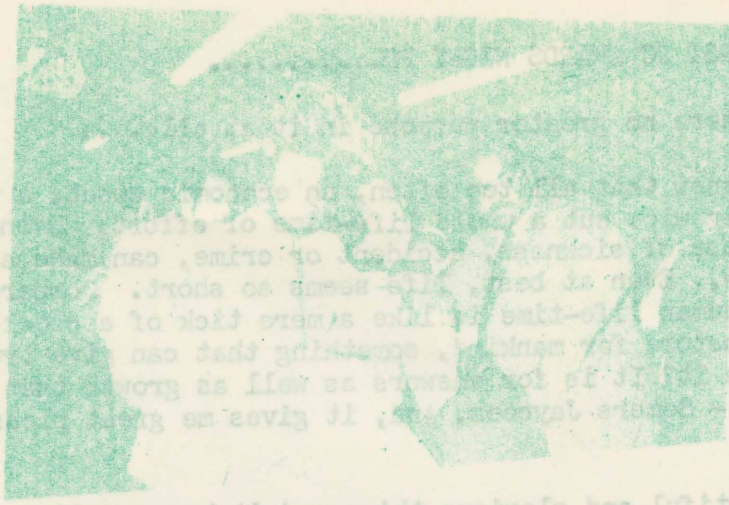
SPEAK-UP DIPLOMAS - Kenneth Schaffer, Juan Nunez, Richard Kelly, William Delgado, Nicky D. Lewis, David Lewis, and Issac Parham.

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT - David Lewis - For the outstanding job he did on the Muscular Dystrophy Fund Drive. David Spencer - For the outstanding job he's done in the refreshment stand.

During the course of the evening the Jaycee members and guest were presented with various speeches from a few of the Jaycee members who were "Speak-up Graduates". One such man, Nicky D. Lewis (whom we noted) had a very enlightening story to tell which we choose to "quote" parts of.

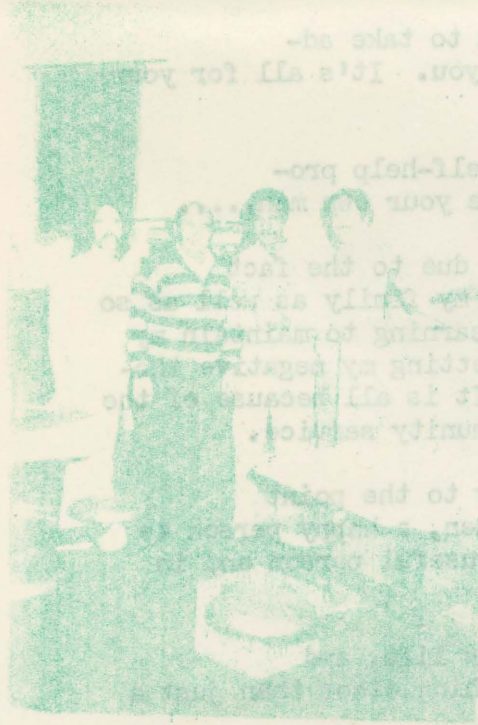
"It may seem that life is merely a matter of living a few short years, raising children to carry on the family name and the children in turn repeat

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 JAMES SOMERS
 CARL ROBINSON
 JOSEPH SPACE
 JAYCEE PRESIDENT
 JACK JACKLE
 JAYCEE PRESIDENT

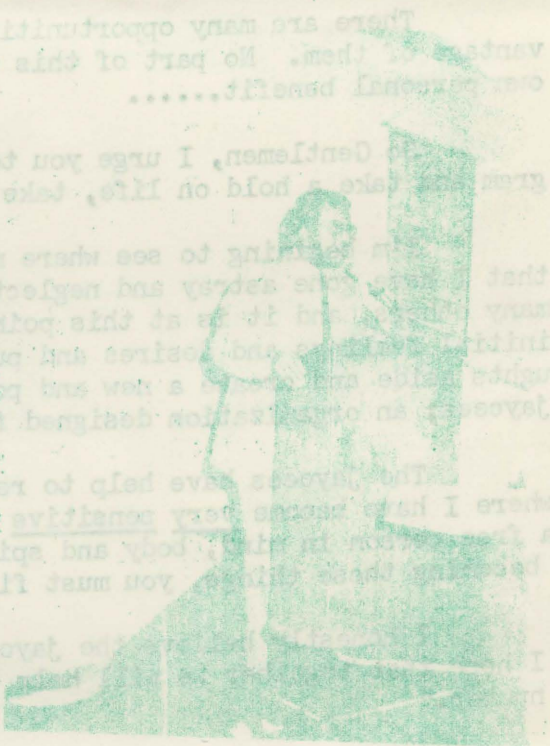


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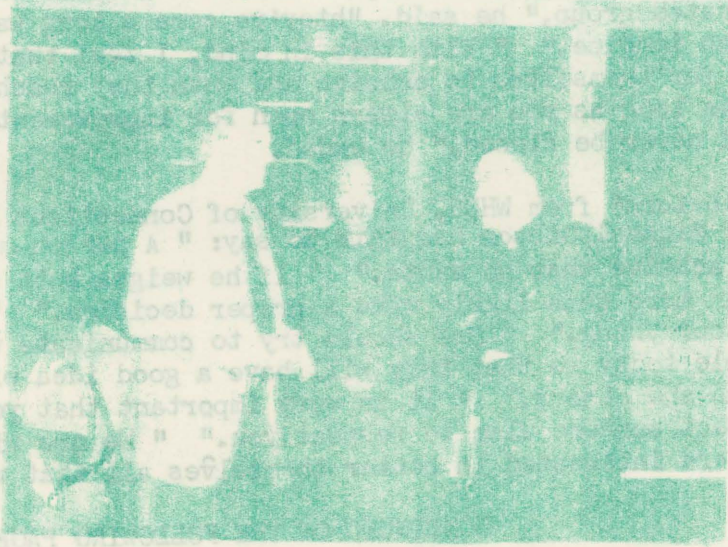
There are many opportunities here and it's up to you to take advantage of them. No part of this Organization is forced on you. It's all for you.



RIGHT TO LEFT - DAVID LEWIS, CHAIRMAN OF THE JAYCEE PRINTING COMMITTEE - JACK JACKLE, CORN. JAYCEE PRESIDENT - JOSEPH SPACE, SOMERS JAYCEE PRESIDENT, AND LEON VINCE PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR



Raymond Jones, Deputy Commissioner of Corrections, also stressed the "positivity" which the Jaycee organization possesses. I think that this Jaycee chapter is a very definite asset to the community.



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: ASST. WARDEN OF THE INSTITUTION, JAMES SINGER; PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN, REV. JESSE BARBER; CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN, FATHER MATTHEW SEAN.

the same cycle. Is there no greater purpose in it at all.....

Also, people know that all too often, an economic upset, a war or some other calamity may wipe out a whole life-time of effort; Even more sadly to lose a loved one because of sickness, accident or crime, can make a life seem terrible, empty and aimless. Even at best, life seems so short. Compared to the ageless universe around us a human life-time is like a mere tick of a clock. Surely there is something better instore for mankind, something that can give true meaning to our lives. If so, what is it? It is for answers as well as growth that I have become a member of the C.C.I. - Somers Jaycees. And, it gives me great pleasure to serve this chapter.

Life is a beautiful and glorious thing and it has a sadden effect on me to know that it can be cut short by the likeness of this penitentiary. The time to enjoy God's gift to man is now and the jaycees are definitely a step in the right direction.

There are many opportunities here and it's up to you to take advantage of them. No part of this Organization is forced on you. It's all for your own personal benefit.....

So Gentlemen, I urge you to get involved with this self-help program and take a hold on life, take a hold yourself and become your own man.....

I'm begining to see where my short-comings have been due to the fact that I have gone astray and neglected my responsibilities to my family as well as so many others, and it is at this point in my life where I am learning to maintain my initial feelings and desires and put them to use simply by setting my negative thoughts aside and create a new and positive outlook on life. It is all because of the jaycees; an organization designed for leadership through community service.

The jaycees have help to restore my faith in humanity to the point where I have become very sensitive to my fellow man. Gentlemen, a happy person is a free person in mind, body and spirit. A happy person is a useful person and in becoming these things, you must first want to.....

I honestly believe the jaycees are my turning point in life, and I hope that together we will help each other to become something other than just a number."

Raymond Lopes, Deputy Commissioner of Corrections, also stressed the "positivity" which the jaycee organization possesses. " I think that this jaycee chapter is a very dedicated group," he said. "they've come a long way and progressed more than anyone can imagine." " With this in mind, I feel that they should continue to set high goals for themselves to acheive and when they reach those — set even higher ones." " As long as you are always open for improvement the road to bettering yourself will never be closed," he ended.

As "Community Coordinators" from WHUS, University of Connecticut Radio Station, Dwight Jenkins and Micheal Gibson had this to say: " A person must prepare his or herself properly to acheive what he wants." " If he weighs both sides of a particular situation, he can more than likely make a proper decision." " The starting point for this is with our young." " One should try to communicate with and help educate our young people today so that they will have a good idea of what it means to care for themselves and others." " It is very important that you respect yourself before you can expect someone else to respect you." " We are willing to help and support those who are interested in better themselves all that we can."

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C/O Jack Jenkins who has been a "Liaison Officer" (one who acts as a communicator between the Administration and Somers jaycees), for the C.C.I. - Somers jaycee chapter, sees the organization this way. "Were it not for programs such as this one, there would be alot less "togetherness" than there is now." "This type of thing helps to bridge what little gap there is between people!" "The people are involved because it is their desire." "I find it a very rewarding experince to work with these people and I feel that the road to progress stems from all people getting together."

Jack Jackle, who is the former President of the Connecticut Jaycees feels that this years' jaycees are the best he has ever seen in his four years with the organization. He has a number of goals in mind for the organization; some of which include: adding new members as well as retaining the present ones. Expanding the jaycees chapters they have now and starting new ones. And, developing new programs such as the Muscular Dystrophy Drive that C.C.I. - Somers Jaycees formulated here. "We are concerned with the problems of all and we are willing to put forth any and all effort necessary in an attempt to help resolve these problems," he his quoted as saying.

Bill Quinley, External Vice President of the Connecticut jaycees hopes to be able to pass on some of the ideas of the present organization to the up and coming young people. "Our Administrative structure changes from year to year, and if we can all put our thoughts and aspirations together, I'm suer that we'll be able to come up with some of the most rewarding benefits," he says.

David Savitt, President of the West Hartford Jaycees, hopes to better himself as a person as well as seeing others bettering themselves. "I would like to be able to be more aware of what is going on with the people I am in contact with," say Mr. Savitt. "One opens many doors for himself by being aware. If he can make a practice of this, I have no doubt he will add much "peace" into his life," he ended.

Carl Owens, Manager of the "Inner City Funk," who was the band present for the evenings events, says that "we try to express what we feel through our music," "We attempt to bring people together with our music in the hope that we can share with them whatever "goodness" we possess." The band has only been together about a year, but he says that "they have come a long way from starting with nothing." They practice four nights a week and travel to various cities and states to perform. They're future goals are to play the best music they can, travel, make money, and bring people together. Members of the band included:

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| Larry Towels - Piano. | <u>Percussion Section</u> |
| Darren Smith - Alto, clarinet, and flute. | |
| David Dickerson - Baraton and Percussions. | Lee James - Vocalist, and Percussionist |
| Kenneth Peeples - Trumpet, flute, horn, | Micky James - Congas, Timdales and Guirawoy |
| vocalist and narrator. | Cathy Keen - Vocalist |
| | Rolaud Galbert - Vocalist and Percussions |
| <u>Rythum Section</u> | Gene James - Vocalist and Percussions |

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|--------------------------------|--|
| Gregory Barnes - Lead Guitar | <u>Miscellaneous</u> |
| Bruce Anderson - Rythum Guitar | |
| Morris Trent - Bass Guitar | Darria Jackson - Secretary and Financial |
| | Adviser, |
| | Bedford - Driver and incharge of equip- |
| | ment. |

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"PATIENCE" "PATIENCE" "PATIENCE"

It is written that the "All-Wise" God will always assist those who willingly sacrifice their possessions to promote the Cause of God, and who patiently endure trials in His path. In his life, an experiences many trials and tribulations, but often does not understand their purpose. Although the full significance of suffering cannot be fully appreciated in this world, its effects upon the individual can be readily observed.

In the world of nature most objects are affected by external influences. For instance, a piece of iron left on its own is cold and becomes rusty. As a result of friction it can become even a luminous body. But only pressure from without will cause these characteristics, which are latent within the iron, to be manifested.

Similarly, within a human being there are many qualities and virtues which remain dormant. Often, suffering helps to release the potentialities within man, bringing to the surface noble qualities which had hitherto remained concealed. History has shown that many eminent men have achieved greatness merely by facing hardships and difficulties. That is - through perseverance and steadfastness they have overcome obstacles, demonstrated their strength of character, and revealed the hidden powers latent within them. In contrast, the weak and feeble have often succumbed to such difficulties and perished. Clearly, suffering reveals the strength, the character and the faith of every human being. The greater the cause, the more strenuous are the tests and trials to which the individual is subjected. In this dispensation, from amidst the blood-baths of martyrdom, great heroes have emerged whose lives have illumined the history of the Cause of God by their courage and self-sacrifice.

The Suriy-i-Sabr (Surrah of Patience) recounts in great detail the story of Job, one of the Prophets. It states that God conferred upon Job the mantle of prophethood. He was wealthy, owned a vast area of land, and lived with his wife and family in great luxury and comfort. Having been entrusted by God to guide the people to righteousness and truth, he dedicated his life to fulfilling this mission among his community. He summoned them all to the Cause of God, but they became jealous and accused him of insincerity, saying that his devotion to God was due solely to his wealth and material possessions. In order to manifest his truthfulness to the eyes of men, God surrounded him with tribulations. Every day a fresh calamity descended upon him. First, his sons were taken from him, all his possessions were removed and his crops burnt. Then he was taken ill and his body afflicted with disease and covered with boils. In spite of all these calamities, he remained thankful to his Lord and patiently endured hardships with a spirit of resignation and detachment. Yet his afflictions did not end there, for he was forced out of his village with no one to help him except his wife, who believed in him and did all she could to alleviate his pain. In the end he became destitute and was without food for many days. Job was so patient and resigned to the will of God that his thankfulness and devotion to his Lord increased with his trials. At last, having proved his detachment from earthly possessions, God again bestowed upon Job all that was taken from him. His teachings spread and his words penetrated into the hearts of the sincere, enabling them to recognise and acknowledge his station.

Here is the great lesson within itself. There is not a soul who isn't tested and tried in one form or another. Patience is a word we should not take lightly, for the word conveys wider dimension than we care to think. Patience takes on the great virtue of learning, and one's suffering is not without "Aim or Purpose." But sometimes the road becomes too tough to travel, we become over-anxious and our patience begins to fail us. Job symbolised what all people must go through in life. Nothing is easy in this world, its a continuous struggle all the way.

Submitted by Juan Sierra,

"A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE"

Christmas is coming (as it does every year)
Tis the season to celebrate God's vibes with a cheer
By buying and giving and once taken back
To be exchanged for something better—an umbrella, a tie rack

Yes, Christmas is commercial, it goes without saying
Was there ever a Yuletide for which we weren't paying?

There was, indeed, not that you'd care
A long time ago, when times were bare
The Puritan fathers, in sixteen-fifty-nine
Passed a law against Christmas (even dropped a fine)

Down through the years, Christmas wasn't much of a day
But in eighteen-sixty-seven it finally began to pay
Why Christmas sixty-seven you ask, or you might?
On that Christmas eve, Macy's stayed open 'til midnight.

Even since then Christmas has boomed
The unsellable has sold, profits have zoomed
St. Nick had been around but was mostly ignored
Until the department stores took him aboard

Christmas trees, Christmas clubs, Christmas cards came along
With Christmas lights and Christmas tykes singing Christmas songs.

Of all our holidays Christmas is much the best
To this even presidents (when asked) will attest

The day after Thanksgiving starts the Xmas season
Usually there's time for four weeks of unreason

But November had five Thursdays in nineteen-thirty-nine
Taking a week from December - there wouldn't be time!

The squeals of the shopkeepers were presidentially heard
So FDR put the turkey back to the twenty-third

Now neither custom nor calendar dare get in the way
Maybe it's because God planned it that way,
Peace to all Brothers on this Christmas Day.

* * * * * Submitted by Al S. Steele * * * * *

"An Olde Gaelic Blessing"

Deep peace of the running wave to you
Deep peace of the flowing air to you
Deep peace of the quiet earth to you
Deep peace of the shining stars to you
Deep peace of the watching shepherds to you
Deep peace of the SON OF PEACE to you.....

Submitted by Stephan H. Johnson

"ORACION DE AÑO NUEVO"

Señor, haced de mi un instrumento de vuestra Paz!

Allí donde haya odio, que yo ponga amor.

Allí donde haya ofensa, que yo ponga perdón.

Allí donde haya discordia, que yo ponga la unión.

Allí donde haya error, que yo ponga la verdad.

Allí donde haya duda, que yo ponga la fe.

Allí donde haya desesperación, que yo ponga la esperanza.

Allí donde haya tinieblas, que yo ponga vuestra luz.

Allí donde haya tristeza, que yo ponga la alegría.

"J. TOR"

Cuando murmuras con nervioso acento
una frase de amor que me provoca
y recoge en los besos de tu boca
las abrasadas ondas de tu aliento.

Cuando más que cenir, romper intento
tu cuerpo hermoso que a mi cuerpo toca
y a mi te estrechas delirante y loca,
todo mi ser estremecido siento.

Mi gloria, ni poder, ni oro, ni fama
quiero entonces mujer. Tu eres mi vida,
esta y la otra si hay otra; y solo ansio
gozar tu cuerpo, que a gozar me llama,
!Ver tu carne a mi carne confundida
y oír tu beso res ondiendo al mío!

"LATINUS"

Distinguidos Señores: La entrada del Nuevo Año y
las Navidades le brinda la ocasión al Weekly Scene de
reiterarle sus invariables expresiones de amistad,
deseándole a TODOS toda clase de venturas y prosperidades.

Que esta nueva fecha aumente para TODOS ustedes el
caudal de felicidad a que son legítimos acreedores y que
el más completo bienestar les sea dado largamente.

Nadie se sentirá tan dichoso de que así sea como el
Weekly Scene y sus respetuosos y fieles miembros.

Submitted by: Victor H. Cubano

"CUANDO"

Cuando En mis manos No pueda Tener
libros que hablen de Verdades,
Tal vez me Decida a Volver
Don De Se Encuen Tran mis Viejas Amistades

Cuando me Canse De Escribir Cosas Puras
Don de Pongo de mi Alma El Sentimiento,
Puede que regrese a la Senda Dura
Donde la Amistad es solo un Pensamiento.

Cuando al Caer la noche me Vea llorando
al comprender que mi Alma Esta Vacía,
Tal vez la multitud me Escuche Hablando
De Cosas sin Valor, De Fantasia.

Cuando El Recuerdo de mi Vieja Adorada
ya no se encuentre en mi Corazon,
a lo mejor me voy en Escapada
hacia ese Valle De la Traicion.

Cuando ya en la Vida no quiera Triunfar
y se extingan mis ansias De Progreso,
reire y Bailare al Can Tar
Baja mirados de envidia y de embeleso

"P. R. T. J. A. P. E. U."

Desde mi Celda Escribo Esta Poesia
Salutando a mis Hermanos en Derrota,
Eso que van fingiendo Alegria
y en su rostro la Tristeza Se Nota.

No fingen el Sentimiento
que duros los hace arte el hombre
pues se con llanto expresan sus lamentos
el hacerlo no los de para sin nombre.

Vivan su vida pensando
en que algun dia han de triunfar,
no se sigan engañando
riendo a veces por no llorar.

Desde mi celda escribo esta poesia
pues mi alma de poeta me lo exige,
quiero que sea un mensaje de alegria
pues todo el que lucha... Vive!

Escrito Por: Miguel Angel De Jesus Rivera

Cuando mire mi cielo Sin Estrellas
y diga en Al ta vez que he Pecado
volvare de nuevo hacea ella
esa masa = humana de Locados.

Cuando crea que el tiempo me ha Vencido
y sienta que el dolor me esta matado,
Escogere al Azar un amigo
para ase mi Dolor irle Contando.

Cuando mi Amor Por la Patria se Desuan-
nezca con el Viento que corre en la
Galera, llegare como Bestia Gigantesca
y hablare de el mundo y sus ra meras.

Cuando en mi celda me Sienta morir
y mi mente quede cautiva en tela-eranas,
alargare mi oido para oir
"Como la muger de Aquel lo Engana."

Cuando al indio ya no sea Pieertanig-
ento ni su apellido de Jesus Rivera,
vol vere a pruncir el ceno
desaliando pasadas quimeras.

Vivan la Realidad de la Vida
pues aunque es amarga y dura
con su dureza sera vencida
siendo la victoria segura.

Hagar como yo que me rebelo
ante las injusticias y el dolor,
pere se quiero llorar miro al creador

I Am is.

I Am was.

I Am will always be.

You are I Am.

I am I Am.

All that ever was is I Am.

All that ever will be is I Am.

Give the love I Am gave to you,

And to all other beings that are,

That were, or ever will be, to each other.

To accomplish the purpose for which I was created

And the fulfillment of my Being, I give you all my love.

To accomplish the purpose you were created for, give me and all

The awareness that ever were, are now, or ever ever will be,

Your love.

Jesus Christ, Buddha, The Popes, Allah

All say the same, but the vocabulary differs.

As nature, the universe, the earth continue to regenerate,

Know that you are also nature, the earth, the universe

And the offspring of the creator, I Am.

All things are possible with I Am, the creator.

All things are possible for you because you too are I Am.

If you will take one moment to recognize I Am, you will have

Peace . . . Health . . . Wealth . . . Success . . . and Eternal Life!

I am present awareness of the creator
Humble.

C.C.I. SOMERS DRUG PROGRAM
"EMPATHY HOUSE" 2ND ANNUAL SOCIAL NIGHT

It was another "life" filled evening here at Somers on Friday, December 16, 1977 as participants of "Empathy House" gathered for the start of their 2nd annual Social Night.

After the opening prayer by the Rev. Jesse Barber and the reading of the Empathy House Creed, the members and their guests were given a brief description of the history of Empathy House by Jose Ortiz. "Participants (past and present) of Empathy House have struggled very hard to get as far as we have gotten." he said. "We've worked together as a family for a long time to do the things needed to be done so that we might help one another to better himself. With the help of the administration and our staff counselors, our efforts have paid off. We are now gathered together for our 2nd annual Social Night."

Before those present broke for refreshments and family rap, Empathy House's Resident Director, Herman Gilmore presented the following awards and Staff Coordinator, George Gay, read two poems from which we have "quoted" certain parts. Certificate of appreciation was given to Correctional Officer Ronald Hardy, Correctional Officer Edward Berube and Staff Counselor, Vandy Moore. Certificate of Merit went to Francis Basey, John McKay, and Donald Edwards. Dominic Robles was awarded "Brother of the Month." The following "quotes" were taken from the poems "Why" and "My Beautiful Black Mama," written and read by George Gay.

"WHY"

I walked today through the slums of life, down the dark streets of wretchedness and of pain. I trod today where few men have trod, and as I challenged God.

Living in worlds of sin, and the din, I wispered "Why God, why?" I walked today down the leans of hate. Hearing the jeers of bitter men, hearing them as they cursed and spat, "Dago, nigger, kike, jap" I saw the dejected men they stoned. I felt the anguish of their cries, I saw them as they slapped the lonely, As they turned their backs on human needs.

Why God, why must we live like this?

I walked today through wars grim dreg, over fields of blood. Over graveless men. I saw the dead, the crucified, the headless, the limbless, the pleading and the crying. I saw the pain, the waste. I smelled the odor of rotted flesh. I saw the children gather around watching naked, hungry, weeping, deseased and dirty. I saw the baby trying to nurse from a dead mother. The ruins of agony, the despair. Disaster, disaster all around.

God canist thou watch and do naught? Why must this be?

The world grew silent, I awaited reply. The silence was heavy, I started to tremble. I waited long, half rebuking, half fearing. Then I heard from close behind me, man, why?

"MY BEAUTIFUL BLACK MAMA"

Even during those early days while you were eating for two, and you had to make sacrifices instead of doing what you wanted to do. You held your head high which showed pride, for a new chance, a new life, that you carried inside.....

Continued on next page.

My Beautiful Black Mama, continued

Then finally the waiting was over and the ninth month came, which of course put a little added attraction into the game.

You taught me to crawl, sit up, eat, then walk, and in between the spankings, you even found time to teach me to talk. You taught me about this world full of sin, you taught me that black folks had to be stronger than strong to win.

You're the one who scolded me about being careless, you're the one who taught me about black awareness....

Then Beautiful Black Mama, you taught me, that our beautiful black sisters are as true as can be. You said, "Son, whatever you do stick by your race, so you can be proud enough to look any man face to face...."

Beautiful Black Mama, you have never been so right, and I promise to love you always with all of my might.

I AM PROUD OF YOU BEAUTIFUL BLACK MAMA.....

Returning from refreshments and family rap, entertainment was continued as two brothers of Empathy House put on a display of wit and charm by performing a 20 minute "puppet show." The two puppets portrayed the ups and downs of a father to son relationship. The father trying to help his son along the road of life by giving him advice and encouragement and the son, reluctantly, but intelligently, accepting it. Although play had a serious and meaningful moral to it, it ended on a rather humorous and joy filled note.

Before the evening was brought to a close, I had the chance to speak with a few of the people who were present. I asked them about their feelings and aspirations concerning the growth and progress of Empathy House as a whole, they had this to say: c/o Ronald Hardy has worked with the residents of Empathy House from 1973 - 1977. He describes their efforts as very sincere and motivated. "I believe that the residents of Empathy House are working extremely hard for a worthwhile cause; which is to "change" and "better" themselves not only as human beings, but also as MEN." he says. "They help one another when they are doing alright as well as when they are having a few problems. From what I've seen during my time down there, and I've seen a lot, they have a "total" respect for each other." He goes on to say that his experience down there has been a self rewarding one as well as a good one. "I had the opportunity to see another view of what it means to care for ones self and others, and I treasure it to the very end."

Gloria Stewart who works with "Greater Regional Narcotics" feels that there should be more "communication" between both sides, outside and in, so that the opportunity for support of Empathy House and programs like it as far as "progression" is concerned will be more widespread.

Apparently, Marty Johnson, who is a writer for the North End Agents, a black newspaper in the west end of Hartford, felt the same way. "I'm here to represent those who are on the outside looking in." She said. "I would like to share with the public the positive things that go on in places like this as well as the negative ones."

Two of the Empathy House residents, Curtis Anderson and Alvin Bryant, related parts of their experience as being members of the house. "We have learned some of the positive sides of life through our experience with Empathy House," they said. "Caring for yourself and others are two of the most rewarding attributes of life, and utilizing them, although it will not be that easy a task, will no doubt turn out to be a very rewarding and beneficial virtue of life."

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TOUGH TONY'S SPORTS CORNER

Well its been another big week for sports here at C.C.I.S. kicking off the sports scene this week, the varsity basketball teams players spent the whole of last week going through various drills, offensive and defensive set ups as a whole, the team did quite well. So well in fact that Coach Ecker has already made a tentative game schedule in which the varsity will play at least four opposing teams in the coming two weeks. These teams are going to play as scheduled.

Wednesday the 21st, the Varsity vs. Bernie's all stars. Thursday the 22nd, the Varsity will play the Hartford Explorers. The following week starting Wednesday, January 4th, the Varsity team takes on the farm. Also, that same week on Thursday the fifth, the Varsity team plays Al Davis's All Stars. All these teams are considered to be pretty tough, but I am quite sure that our Varsity team has the skills and finesse that will bring us victory. So if you are like me and like basketball, played at its best, be sure to be there on game night. I will be looking forward to seeing you there.

Moving along to the INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL scene, last week teams were picked and the name and teams that players have been drafted on will be posted. I've talked to the various chaches about their draft picks. Most of them seem satisfied with their choices. Here are just a few of the top draft choices in the Intramural Draft for the Knicks. Coach Carlton Bailey. His picks were as follows, C. Young and R. Logan, two very good guards who are sure to make their prescence felt in the coming season. For the Lakers, Coach Stanley Roberts picked Carmine and Grant, these two are very aggressive players who unlike Young and Logan aren't gifted with natural ability but make up for it with hustle and determination. Now for the Supersonics, Coach Hoffler has come up with two big forwards, Howard Stovall and Bo Gomes. If Gomes puts as much effort in basketball as he did football then he is going to be a player to contend with. And as far as big Howard is concerned, he is always tough. Cavaler's Coach Mike (?) Corbit picked as his choice of big men were Bobby (Wonder Buns) Walker and Otis Gordon. Gordon is always a threat and Walker is really a tough ball player who I predict will surprise a lot of people.

There are quite a few other really good ball players that I haven't mentioned, but as we all know everybody can't be a top draft choice. Now if there are any new men desiring to play Intramural Basketball, just send a regular request form to Mr. Musco, Recreation Department, and as for you guys who haven't signed up at all, the only thing I can tell you is "tough, you had your chance and you elected to wait for some reason or another and now it's too late."

Now I would like to speak on a matter of importance concerning the officiating in the past, there have been a lot of complaints about the ref's and there has also been a lot of disrespect level at them. I don't know what happened in the past, but I can assure that this years officiating will not only be honest but it will be tough and for those who do not like it and don't know me, I don't mine throwing someone out of a game. So if for some reason you feel as if you can't keep your cool on the court, I advise you to pack your sneakers. Other than that I wish all those who signed up the best of luck in the coming season.

Now moving along to another scene, well as I am quite sure everyone is aware that we had one hell of a football season this year at C.C.I.S., and now that another year of football is coming to a close and teams are jockeying for there places in the play offs. I want to speak on a group of winners who for unforeseen circumstances and various other reasons, weren't or haven't been given there due recognition. I am speaking of the big red, Mean, Machine. A team that made some marvelous accomplishments on the playing field, they went undefeated the whole season and boasted such a talented team, that they were willing to take on the combine players of other teams in the league in a exhibition all star game. The mean machine also had in its ranks the best defense and offense player of the year. James Cookie Moster Cook Defense and Mark Syms, Offense. So in saying all that I would like to give a belated thanks and congratulations to the coaches and players of the 1977 Intramural Football Champions.

TOUGH TONY'S SPORTS CORNER - CONTINUED.

**** THE MEAN MACHINE ****

Manager - Tony Henderson
 Head Coach - Willie X. Jones
 Asst. Coach - Offense, Bob Newman
 Asst. Coach - Defense, Bob Fredricks

QUARTERBACKS

Michael Morris
 Michael Corbett (?)

HALF BACKS

Mark Syms
 Thomas Anderson

RECEIVERS

Guy Ritchon (WR)
 Tony Henderson (FL, FB)
 Norm Theriault (TE, P)
 Kevin Burns (TE)

LINEMEN

Judge Arnold (C)
 Frank Brockberry (C, DT)
 Earl Harris (OT, DT)
 Mark Mc'Intosh (OG, DT)
 Sonny Big Dasey (OT, DT)
 Marvin Woodard (OT, DE)
 Bradley Bell (DE)
 Johnny Gates (DE)
 James Cookie Moster Cook (OG, DE)
 Allen St. Germaine (OT, DT)
 Antoine Reddick (C, DT)

SECONDARY

Dick Knight (SS)
 Mousy Manns (S)
 Thomas Dennie (CB)
 Nelson (FS)
 Robert Suggs (CB)
 Ernest Washington (CB)
 Manley (CB)

MIGHTY LINEBACKERS

Bobby Walker (MLB, OG)
 Benny Brown (SSLB)
 Alfred Gones (WSLB, P)

HONORABLE MENTIONS

David Jackson (FB)
 Roger Thomas (FL)
 Henry Horton (DT)

TEAM QUITTERS

Tyrone Booze ?
 Roy Rich ?
 Gre Hamilton?

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TEAM HANDBALL

Anyone that is interested in playing in a Hand Ball League that is being formed, please read this article and send in a request as soon as possible. A League is being form for the purpose of having regular team hand ball sports program. The League will be comprise of as many 4 man teams as possible, who will compete with the other teams in single or doubles. Each matches will be on a round by round basics. Each round consisting of at least 20 games or more. There will be 4 rounds played and the winners will be determined by the total team point tally at the end of each round and at the end of a season. Champions and runner ups will be determined through the same method. This is not a tournament, but a regular league sport. Trophy's and awards given to the outstanding team. Get involved!

I WOULD LIKE TO BE ADDED TO THE TEAM HANDBALL LIST ALONG WITH THESE MEMBERS OF MY TEAM.

TEAM.	Names	Numbers	Housing Unit

"FIGHT NIGHT"

The trill of victory, the agony of defeat. Twelve bouts of solid, hard core action.

FIGHT ONE

Pagan vs. Goodman - Both fighters came to do just that "FIGHT." Pagan caught Goodman with a good right, and Goodman took an eight count. Goodman came back stalking and jabbing and caught Pagan with a staggering left that dazed Pagan. Both fighters became some what leary of each other.

ROUND 2 - The pace picked up in this round as fighters slugged each other with vicious hooks and jabs. Goodman the aggressor stalked his prey until the bell sounded ending the round. Both fighters appeared to be a little tired.

ROUND 3 - From the sound of the bell, Pagan was the Man to watch, as he caught Goodman with a left and sent him to the canvas for the second time in the fight. At the bell, Pagan caught Goodman with a short, "but good" flurry. Although the fight should have been a draw, Pagan won by decision.

FIGHT TWO

Newell vs. Badillo - Vicious is the way I have to call this first round as both fighters came out swinging wild and crazy. Newell jabbing and moving in became the aggressor just before the bell. Newell caught Badillo with an explosive flurry that almost ended the fight.

ROUND 2 - At the beginning bell, Newell leaving nothing to the imagination of any one as he went on to prove that he was in fact the champ as he opened up with one of the most explosive flurries I've seen yet. Badillo went to the canvas, and the fight ended with Newell scoring a second round knock out.

FIGHT THREE

Harvey vs. Villa - Harvey opened up the round with a few short jabs that didn't amount to anything. He danced and played with Villa who tried to maintain his composure and not fall into traps. At the bell, all Harvey had to show for all his dancing was signs of being tired.

ROUND 2 - Villa on the move, cut the ring off and wouldn't give Harvey any room to run. Villa caught Harvey with a flurry and Harvey seemed a bit dazed. Harvey, swinging wild looked like the opponent Villa fought the last two times out. It's about time they left that wild man at home and give Villa a chance to show himself as the good fighter he really is.

ROUND 3 - Villa being cool, bobbing and weaving, kept the fight going as he continued to cut the ring off. After a wild mix up, both fighters hugged each other and the bell sounded. Villa won by decision.

FIGHT FOUR

Cojagas vs. Beard - Cautiously, both fighters look each other over and check their situation. Beard, on the attack, waits and picks his shots. Conjagas who was picked to be the winner by the locker room crew, didn't make to much of a showing in this round.

ROUND 2 - Bobbing and weaving, Beard attacks. Cajagas tries to take Beard out with a couple of wild and ill timed right hands. Beard caught Cajagas on the ropes and kept him there with a flurry of punches until the bell rang ending the round.

ROUND 3 - Beard on top of things and in complete control caught Cajagas on the ropes for the third time and as the fight came to an end, both fighters were tied up on the ropes. Beard won by decision.

FIGHT FIVE

Slaughter vs. Ortiz - Slaughter, dancing and jabbing took an early command of the fight as he thundered on Ortiz's head with punches. Slaughter looked like the young Ali, as he did the Slaughter "Git Down."

ROUND 2 - Slaughter was sticking and jabbing. Ortiz wanted to fight but Slaughter just wouldn't let him. For the last minute of the round both fighters stood toe to toe and battled.

ROUND 3 - Both fighters proved that they could take a punch as they traded semi toe to toe in the third and final round. Slaughter won by decision.

FIGHT SIX

Gonzales vs. Mora - From the bell, Gonzales was on Mora, who went down for an eight count within the first minute and a half of the first round. Mora made a come back before the bell. ROUND 2 - Gonzales not willing to give ground kept coming and kept the pace going at full steam. He caught Mora with a wicked left hook which dazed him. ROUND 3 - Gonzales on the attack kept Mora busy. Gonzales left hooks enable him to win the decision. It should be noted that Mr. Mora fought one hell of a fight and even though he lost, he won a lot of friends. Keep on trucking Tommy.

FIGHT SEVEN

Rodriguez vs. Suggs - Suggs moving in, trades punches with Rodriguez as they both tried to be the aggressor. ROUND 2 - Rodriguez swinging wild ran into a Suggs left hook. Suggs combining and moving in kept the pace going. ROUND 3 - Rodriguez came out smoking, but the smoke was done away with long before the fire had a chance to start. Suggs won the decision.

FIGHT EIGHT

Mitchell vs. Walker - This fight had barely begun before it was brought to an abrupt halt as Kelvin "Coltrane" Walker knocked Shoe String Mitchell out.

FIGHT NINE

Beverdego vs. Booze - The Booze came out early and fell as he crossed his feet in an attempt to get off the ropes. The officials scored it as a knock down. ROUND 2 - Both fighters came out smoking and tried to gorilla each other. The third round was in some respects a replica of round two. The fight was declared a draw.

FIGHT TEN

Crawford vs. Washington - The first round began and both fighters looked like pros. ROUND 2 - The second round started and Washington once again proved to be the Man to keep your eyes on. ROUND 3 - Crawford attempted to become the aggressor and won the fight by a decision.

FIGHT ELEVEN

Syms vs. Morey - Sportsmen, gentlemen and boxers are the best way to describe these fighters. Morey tried to take advantage of Syms, but caught Morey with jabs and short lefts. ROUND 2 - This round showed that Syms was the true aggressor catching Morey with four quick punches. ROUND 3 - Syms nor Morey were not to be taken lightly as they fought to the bitter end. Syms won by decision.

FIGHT TWELVE

Ortiz vs. Forbes - The old fighter (Al Forbes) looked exceptionally well. Every chance he got he landed bombs to Ortiz's mid section. Forbes was weaving and slipping punches and went on to win the fight by a decision.

MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES....MOVIES.....

DECEMBER 24, 1977 Everything You Wanted DECEMBER 25, 1977 Audrey Rose
to Know About Sex

Will be announced

Will be announced

DECEMBER 26, 1977 Network

Will be announced

Drug Program continued.

As for two of the programs counselors, Vandy Moore and Dennis O'Neil, how far they would like to see Empathy House progress, they had this to say when asked what would be a few things they would do had they all of the funding and cooperation they desired. "We would make the entire J Dorm area into a "full" and "complete" drug program. Each dorm used for a particular "phrase" of the program as a resident progresses. Among the "phrases" the fourth and last one would be an extension of Empathy House on the street strictly for those pre-release inmates who will be continuing their treatment on the street once they are released."

Editor
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"MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE WEEKLY SCENE STAFF"

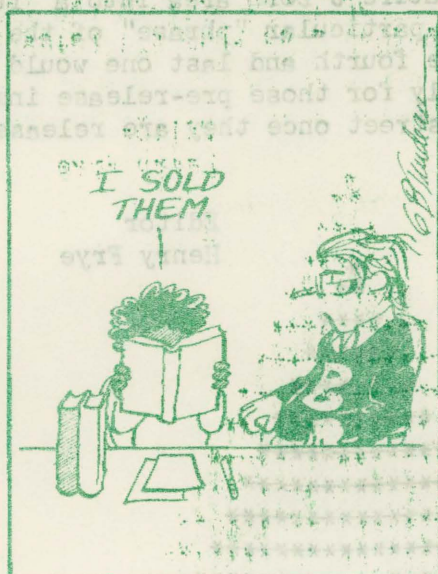
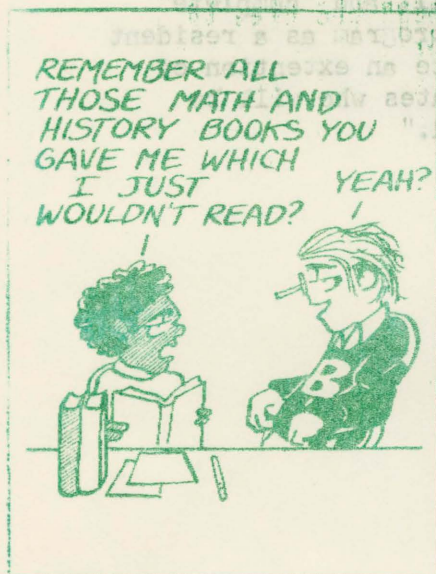
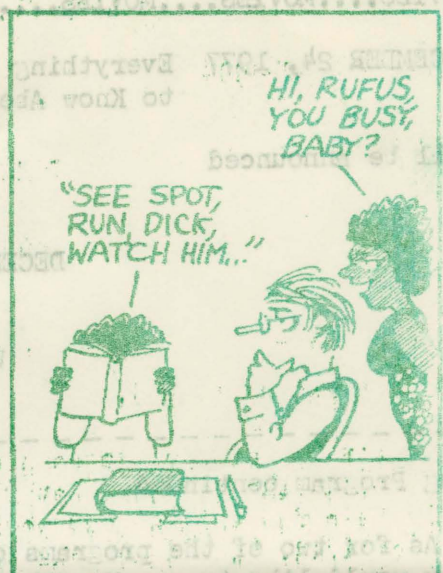
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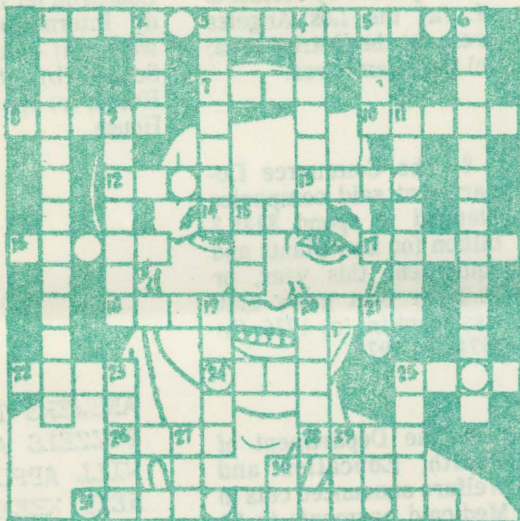
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Test Your News I.Q.

The Associated Press

How much do you remember about the news of the week? If you score fewer than five correct answers, you had better read the paper a little more carefully. If you get eight or more right, you rate an "A."

- Administration officials said the United States would recall 6,000 ground troops by the end of next year from: (a) Vietnam; (b) Turkey; (c) South Korea.
- The Seychelles Islands, where rebels overthrew the government of President James R.M. Mancham, are in: (a) the Indian Ocean; (b) the Atlantic Ocean; (c) the Caribbean.
- Queen Elizabeth II lighted a bonfire on a hill near Windsor Castle to inaugurate a week-long celebration of: (a) 20 years of her reign; (b) 25 years of her reign; (c) 30 years of her reign.
- The U.S. Supreme Court ruled the death penalty cannot be the mandatory, automatic punishment for anyone convicted of murdering a policeman, by a vote of: (a) 6 to 3; (b) 5 to 4; (c) 7 to 2.
- The party of former Prime Minister Bulent Ecevit emerged from a general election with close to a majority in Parliament in: (a) Ireland; (b) Greece; (c) Turkey.
- A liberal abortion bill was unexpectedly defeated by a two-vote margin in: (a) Italy's Senate; (b) England's Parliament; (c) France's Senate.
- A law protecting homosexuals from discrimination in jobs, housing and public accommodations was repealed by residents of: (a) the Los Angeles area; (b) the Detroit area; (c) the Miami area.
- The Commerce Department said companies planned to spend \$135.3 billion for new plants and equipment this year, or 12.3 per cent more than was spent in: (a) 1976; (b) 1974; (c) 1975.
- The Department of Health, Education and Welfare announced cuts in Medicaid payments to 20 states of: (a) \$1 billion; (b) \$2 million; (c) \$142 million.
- Efforts by members of the New York delegation June 8 to have Congress ban the supersonic Concorde jet from Kennedy International Airport were: (a) defeated in the Senate; (b) defeated in the House; (c) approved in the House.

ANSWERS TO ALL
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JUMBLE. THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

by Henri Arnold and Bob Lee

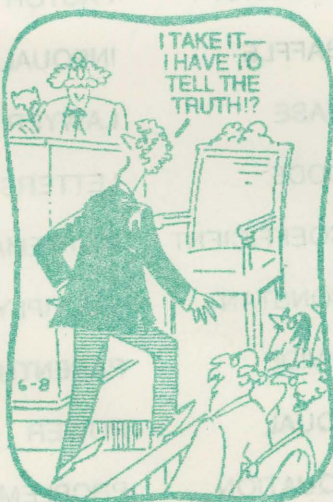
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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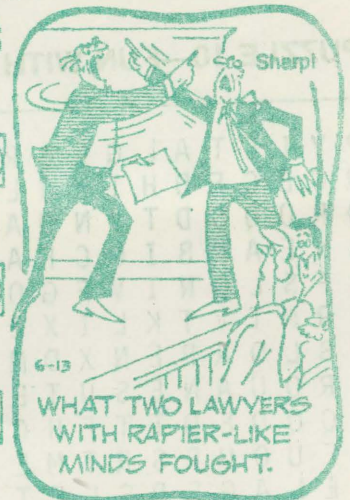
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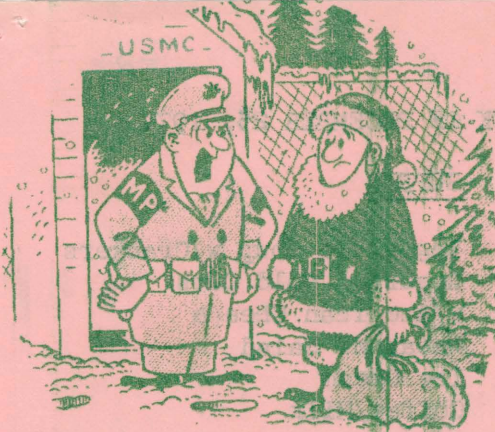


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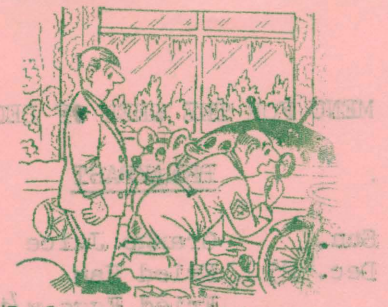
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"HO, HO, HO my foot. Where's your I.D. card?"



"Gee, Sarge! You shouldn't have!"



"By George, you're right! If I could say, 'Made in Mars!'"



"... I told you Santa wouldn't forget us!"



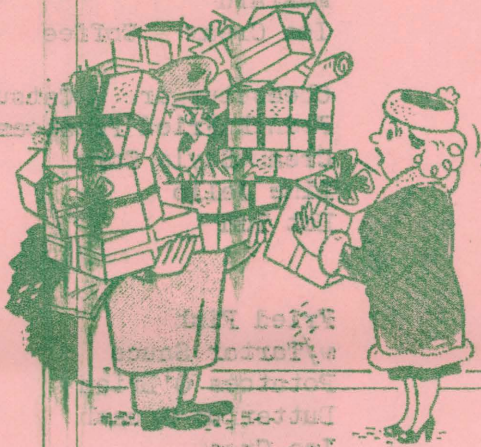
"There's a Mr. Claus and some MP's outside who want to see you about a reindeer!"



"Smedley, can't you do anything right?"



"Sir, isn't that Pvt Smith from Disbursing?"



"That's right, lady. I'm not your Henry!"



"I've just sent out this year's Christmas cards!"



"Sorry, but visiting hours are from 1630 to 1900 only!"



"My girdle doesn't do a thing for you!"

MENU FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 25, 1977

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BREAKFAST

DINNER

SUPPER

Sun. Orange Juice
 Dec. 25 Fried Ham
 Fried Eggs w/toast
 Christ- Dry Cereal
 Mas Day Coffee/Milk

Grilled Sirloin Steak
 French Fried Potatoes
 Sweet Pea
 Tossed Salad
 Dinner Rolls
 Strawberry Shortcake
 w/Topping
 Assorted Fresh Fruits

Vegetable Soup w/Crackers
 Assorted Cold Cuts
 w/American Cheese
 Macaroni Salad
 Ice Cream
 Coffee/Milk

Mon. Blended Juice
 Dec. 26 Griddle Cakes
 w/Syrup
 Dry Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Veal Par. esan
 Shells w/Tomato Sauce
 Grated Cheese
 Wax Yellow Beans
 Chocolate Pudding

Baked Chicken w/Gravy
 Buttered Rice
 Corn O'Brien
 Cranberry Sauce
 Fruit Cocktail

Tues. Grapefruit Sections
 Dec. 27 Pastry
 Hot Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Grilled Frankfurters
 Boston Baked Beans
 Cole Slaw
 Mustard/Catsup
 Pastry - Hot Tea

Swedish Meatballs
 w/Brown Gravy
 Whipped Potatoes
 Cut Green Beans
 Bread Pudding - Coffee

Wed. Pineapple Juice
 Dec. 28 French Toast
 w/Syrup
 Dry Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Baked Ham
 Candied Sweet Potatoes
 Succotash
 Mustard
 Ice Cream - Coffee

Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
 Grated Cheese
 Tossed Salad
 Pastry/Coffee

Thurs. Fresh Fruit
 DEC. 28 Pastry:1
 Hot Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Cheeseburger w/Catsup
 French Fried Potatoes
 Cream Style Corn
 Lime Jello
 Hot Tea

We tern Omelette
 Pan Fried Potatoes
 Mixed Vegetables
 Catsup
 Pineapple Chunks
 Coffee/Milk

Fri. Tomato Juice
 Dec. 30 Fried Eggs
 w/Toast
 Dry Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Fried Fish
 w/Tartar Sauce
 Potatoes O'Brien
 Dutternut Squash
 Ice Cream
 Coffee/Milk

Sloppy Joe
 Duttered Rice
 Wax Yellow Beans
 Pastry
 Coffee/Milk

SAT. Orange Juice
 Dec. 31 Pastry:
 Hot Cereal
 Coffee/Milk

Deef Stew
 w/Vegetables
 Buttered Noodles
 Cole Slaw
 Chilled Sliced Peaches
 Hot Tea

Hot Chowder or Soup
 Cold Cuts w/Cheese
 Blackeye Peas
 Mustard
 Lettuce Salad

This week's winners in the C.C.I. Somers Innate Sweepstakes are:

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