## Tucker's Corner

by Anne Tucker

Daytona Beach, Victoria's Secret, Bain de Soleil. OK, so I just depressed half of the Salem College campus. But, fear not ladies! There is a cure of your labanzas and turkey drumsticks. It's called Slimfast. And you know what? If it's good enough for Ed Koch and Miss America, it's good enough for me.

In fact, I've been enjoying two smooth and delicious Chocolate Royale shakes each day for the past two weeks. And guess what? I don't even miss gorging on Shepherd's Pie. Now, I can actually say "No" to those juicy, deep-fried turkey steaks in the refectory. Boy, do I feel good!

But really folks, I'd like to tell you a little something about Slimfast. Initially, it was pretty exciting. I mean, I was getting to have this wonderful, satisfying shake, and still lose weight! Right? The only catch is that after about three servings they started tasting like a combination of Metamucil and Yoo Hoo chocolate soda. Even the sight of the stuff became unappealing. I couldn't decide if I should drink those little lumps or use it for a facial mask. Call me strange, but it even smelled like Purina Hi-Pro Dog Chow. MMMM!

So you think I'm trying to discourage you from subjecting yourself to the tastebud nightmare?

Not really. If you are frustrated, desperate, and don't mind spending \$6.47 a week, this plan is for you.

I must say though, that Slimfast has made a difference in my life. I have more energy, I sleep less, and even my underwear is too big. I don't wear support hose anymore, because I can finally see past my stomach in the shower. I'm back to one chin, instead of three, and I no longer have to get my bras custom made. (Just kidding about that part.)

The bottom line is, do you want to eat the whole package of cream horns or would you rather be tanning a great body in a shimmering gold Gottex bikini? You must sacritice, though. You can't eat a dish and be one, too!

This is the first diet that worked for me. I've already tried the "Give Blood to Lose Weight Diet," the Shirley MacLaine "Channel Your Mind Into a Thin Body Diet," and the most recent "Pan Pizza and Hot Fries Diet," all with minimal results, of course.

I hope this testimony has inspired some of my fellow Salemites. Feel free to call me anytime for our own personal moral support consultation. Just put down those pork rinds and pick up the phone! I will even reserve a special Slimfast therapy section for us in the refectory. Just look for the table with the security guard and the barbed wire fence around it.

# Horoscopes

by Jupiter's Junk

Aquarius

This dance weekend will be good for you. Your date has a surprise or two up his sleeve so be ready for anything!

#### Taurus

Start on that fitness kick today. Spring Break is only about three weeks away and that size 6 bathing suit is staring you in the face. So get to it!

Leo

Make your Spring Break plans today. The longer you wait, the more it costs. You may wait to consider Florida, the Bahamas or Mexico. They're all fun!

Virgo

Take money matters seriously. Maybe you need to skip a night or two at the O-Pit and pocket the money. You may even enjoy the rest.

Scorpio

You need to slow down. You're living in the fast lane and things are getting too hectic. Sit back and gather your thoughts.

#### Aries

Don't let your mom know you're staying at the Hyatt with a date; she probably wouldn't be very happy. Remember, if there's a strange knock on the door in the middle of the night - DON'T answer it!

Capricorn

Be weary of the weekend. Romeo may be a little tarnished. So remember, if all else fails you still have all of your Salem pals!

#### **Pisces**

This is your month! The money supply is good and romance is great. March even looks good for you! Stick to what you're doing, you're doing it right.

#### Libra

Don't get down on yourself! I dislike the beginning of the new semester as much as you, but remember, thing always get done and you'll even have a little fun!

#### Cancer

Contact your boyfriend now! Sometimes things have a tendency to fall apart, especially on the heels of Valentines. Be understanding and work together.

#### Gemini

Jump on getting that summer job. Its much easier now than in May when every other college student in the world wants <u>that</u> job.

Sagittarius

Your intuition is correct. Go with what you feel is right and you may be surprised at the results.

### Feature Horoscope

Did you party too hard at the after-party?! All your friends have phones and taxi drivers do, too!

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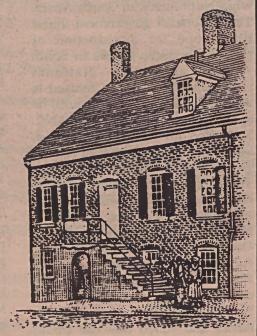
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