

# BAKER'S FRYING PAN

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Section One: It's all out in the open, now. . . I understand there is somewhat of a showdown brewing in the Art department. One of the insturctors there is revealing his doubts about the artistic merits of portraying the human body on canvas. Now I'm not sure what's been streaking through his mind, but evidently he feels that if people were menat to be seen nude, they'd have been born that way. My hat (and so on) goes off to you, sir.

Section Two: If you have tried to buy anything other than one of the outrageously expensive soft drinks in the Snack Bar lately, you probably came up against their new time-and-labor-saving-easy-do-it - yourself - jiffy forms. Designed by a former Pentagon efficiency expert, these forms were meant to speed up service and make everything much simpler. they have nedded up causing people to spend thirty minutes trying to figure the darn things out. To illustrate my point, read the transcribed typical conversation between a typical customer (whom I'll call "C") and a Snack Bar employee ("SB"):

SB: Could I help you?  
C: Yes. I'd like a

cheeseburger with lettuce, tomato, and --

SB: Please fill out this form, sir.

C: Well, all I wanted was a chees --

SB: I'm sorry, you cannot be served unless you fill out a form.

C: Oh, all right. Let's see - "date of birth: That;s easy enough.

SB: Kindly fill out the form silently, sir.

C: Sorry, what;s this "Have you ever suffered

from dizziness, fainting spells, or seizures?" I only wanted a cheeseburger, not a life insurance policy. My gosh--

"Are you or have you been a member of any subversive organiza-

tion?" What do they think I'm going to do

smuggle an order of French fries across the border? Wait

here's an easy one: "Married". I'll just

put a check in this sapce here. . .

SB: I'm sorry sir, we cannot accept

frooms with check amrks or X's. Rule number fourteen clearly states this. Kindly

erase your check and fill out the form properly.

C: Hey, Listen, I'll settle for a plain

hamburger if you'll forget this nonsense-

SB: Trying to bribe an empolyee of the

Snack Bar is a very serious offense, sir.

C: I'm sorry. Could you explain this to

me, please; why do

you ask for my religious affiliation?

Do you serve kosher cheeseburgers or something?

SB: Please, sir, we only do our job here. We do not expect any

emergencies, but should you become unconscious after eating something here, and become unable to answer questions, it would save time for us to be albe to notify the appropriate

clergyman.

C: Hey, you know that cheeseburger I wanted? Well, I've

wans't as hungry as I thought. Let me just

have a coke - here I put "one small coke" on this form.

SB: You only wish to order a drak?

C: Yes.

SB: In that case, sir, it was unnecessary for you to fill out a form at all.

Rule seventeen clearly states - sir? Sir? are you leaving, sir?

I hope you get the idea. I never thought I'd have to put up with red tape in my hamburger. Pickles are bad enough.

Section Three: Ending on a Jolley note. This just ocured to me. Do you know what you would call a not

too interesting but very important test lecture given by one of the History professors?

Underwood's Deviled Ham!!!!!!!

## BIGGER AND BETTER ENLARGERS

Rochester, N.Y. - a new book, "Bigger and Better Enlarging" has been written to aid beginners in learning basic enlarging techniques. Authored by Don Nibbelink, a producer in the Presentations and Promotions group, Eastman Kodak Company, and Rex Anderson, a color specialist and recent Kodak retiree, the book is published by Amphoto and distributed by Kodak.

"This is a logical first book for the beginner enthusiast who wants to make enlargements in black-and-white or color, and it is a basic companion to the very successful advanced darkroom book, "Creative Darkroom Techniques," noted John Fish, director, Ko-

dak's consumer markets publications.

The colorful darkroom primer is designed to be read straight through before the novice begins work. After initial review of the contents, the book can be used easily as a reference work by the beginner who is aided by the use of red and black text corner triangles, to indicate pages dealing with black-and-white, color, or techniques applicable to both. The coding is maintained in the table of contents and the index.

The book is written in straight forward language avoiding unnecessary technical terms. Techniques are illustrated with color and black-and-white photographs,

extensive before and after pictures, and simplified drawings.

Figures and formulas which might impede a beginner are placed in a special reference section at the back of the book.

In addition to basic subjects, the book outlines unusual and special printing techniques including ground-glass printing, dodging with matte acetate, combination printing, the modern use of paper negatives, and many other subjects.

Measuring 6 1/2 by 9 1/2 inches, the \$9.95 book has 288 pages with more than 130 photographs in both color and black-and-white. "Bigger and Better Enlarging," AG-19, is available at photo and book retailers.



Jan Evans selected Football Queen for 1974

## LION SWIMMERS PREPARE FOR MEET

PAT. PENDING

The Lion Swimmers finish their fourth week of wet paws as they prepare for the first meet of the year next Friday afternoon, Nov. 15 at 4:00, at UNC-Asheville.

From its origin as the Mars Hill Swim Club, the swimmers went through a division this past week dividing the 28 members between those who were swimming for fun and exercise, and those who wanted to compete on intercollegiate meets. The division left about 14 swimmers for the competing team which is quite respectable in collegiate swimming for a first year team.

In NAIA meets, there are 13 swimming events and 6 events in both 1 and 3 meter diving. The Lion team is without

butterfly and individual medley events will be Jo Ann Harrelson and Janet Hill and in the 200 and 500 meter free style events will be Gary Williams and Eric Garner.

The above persons plus several others will be competing in the relay events as the Lions seek to open the season with a win as they build for the future. divers and they are needed badly to keep points on the board.

In the upcoming meet, freshmen will dominate the Lion team which takes on the much more experienced UNC-A swimmers. Participating in the 100 and 200 meter breast stroke will be sophomore Craig Williamson. The back stroke will feature Margaret Boyd and Gary Williams. In

