

A Queen In Our Midst

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her accomplishments, has been published in the "National Extension Homemakers' Newspaper." As president of the Forsyth County Extension Homemakers Council, she has 45 homemakers clubs with a combined membership of about 900 persons under her direction. She also serves as president of the Extension Homemakers Luncheon Club.

She is the wife of Lloyd Hawkins, Sr. and she has 10 children, 26 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. The organizer of the appreciation service was Evangelist Sarah Rowdy. Evangelist Sarah Rowdy said that she "believed in giving people their flowers while they are able to smell them."

Others appearing on

the program were Andrea Rice, Paulette Jones, and Pearl Le-Grant, each rendering a solo, and Lenora Shuler giving Mrs. Hawkins's biography. Rev. Benjamin Dunlap was the speaker of the evening. Also featured were: Elder T.R. Rice, the pastor of Mercy Seat, and the T.R. Rice Ensemble, and the senior choir of the church.

Q&A

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Q. Was he a foreman?
A. No. Reynolds didn't have no black foremen before World War II. Now, they had two colored mechanics. Mr. Lash and Mr. Lemmons. That was all the mechanics they had at that time. Mr. Lash was the first colored man I ever saw with a check for \$20. Then the next was Lawrence. Of course, Lawrence was related to him, and he got him in there. They'd make \$20 or even \$27 every week. I know that because I'd see their checks.

Q. How much did the prizings and casers make?
A. They had a whole floor for the casing of tobacco;

they had a whole floor for the prizing of tobacco; they had a whole floor for the machine room. When they started making that Prince Albert; they built a new plant. Those colored people who worked in there made good money, \$9 and \$10 per week. My wife had a brother who worked in there and I had a brother who worked in there. They made good money in there for a long time. Then something happened and they got out of there. The union came in 1919. It was when I came back from the Army. I was discharged on the 6th day of March 1919. The union was trying to get in the Reynolds' factories and

could to keep it out. There were very successful in getting it out. A lot of people lost their jobs. The same thing with this last time, in 1947. A lot of people lost homes.
Q. How much did you make when you were a kid?
A. I didn't make nothing. I worked for my aunt. She'd give me five or ten cents. Now my parents might have gotten something, but that's all I got.
Q. How much did your father make?
A. He prized tobacco. He made \$1.60 a day. That was the hardest work in the place. It took men to do that, sho' nuff men.

Ebony Etchings, Etc. by Warren Lanier

Airport 79

Concorde

"Notes of The Week....."

The multi-million-dollar Jennings Lang Production of "Airport '79 Concorde," a supersonic air adventure motion picture with an all-star international cast is in full production, and close to winding it up at Universal Studios. The cast for this production reads like the who's who off the top shelf of filmdom, and thank God for small favors, we've got our token number of blacks involved in this production

Laker star Happy Hairston, plus lovely and talented Dwan Smith; and I only wish I could write a book and cover every front page of every major publication in existence with all of their likenesses, and the good things to be said about them as genuine honest to goodness real people, doing one helluva job in their career fields.

If my memory serves me right I got to meet J.J. Walker who seemed to be bothered by the presence of us black press reps on the scene, and was definitely not into taking any publicity photos with the rest of the cast.

Unfortunately, I never got to meet Cicely Tyson... and the word by telephone from her PR person let us know that she was unavailable for everthing relative to publicity coverage by the black press at that particular time. 'Hollywood Hotline..' Isaac Hayes will be co-hosting the Second Annual Rhythm and Blues Awards

those fantastic-BAR-KAYS- Jimmy Smith and his cooking trio comprised of Ray Crawford on guitar, along with Kenny Dixon on drums, will be departing these shores for a 30-day European tour beginning February (2)....



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Family Stars In Circus

Bounding and rebounding from tautly stretched canvas to heights of acrobatic excellence, the Canestrellis make their debut in the 109th Edition of Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus at the Greensboro Coliseum on Tuesday, Feb. 13th for 12 performances through Sunday, Feb. 18.

The renowned Canestrelli family, whose members

include patriarch Ottavio, sons Marco, 18, and Belmonte, 26, Belmonte's wife, Patti, and their six-year-old son, Allision, boast one of the greatest trampoline acts in the world today.

One of the most unique tricks in the Canestrelli's repertoire is the sextuplet which features young Marco. He is the only acrobat ever to do six full twists,

feet to feet on a trampoline. Another speciality of the versatile troupe is a masterpiece of teamwork entitled the sandwich somersault where three men jump up together and do a complete forward roll and land standing on their feet!

In addition, the magnificent new 109th Edition of America's family attraction features animal trainer Gunther Gebel-Williams, and five new production features to dazzle Children of All Ages.

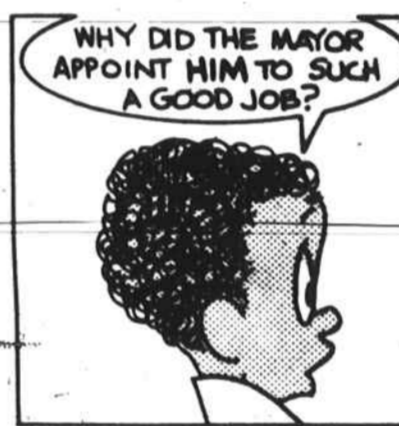
of the line (hats off to producer Jennings Lang and director David Lowell Rich).

The mock up of the Concorde super-sonic jet being used for this production with actual Aerospace equipment cost more to build than any three top black film productions lumped together ever cost. And believe me when I tell you, this mock up of the Concorde jet does every-3 thing but fly on Stage 12 at Universal Studios. The special effects and mechanical gadgets being used in the filming of this production on a mock-up of the Colcorde super-sonic jet will have viewers of this film dealing with a new realism in filmmaking, there-by making the Concorde, the real star of the film (sorry about that all you wonderful people in the cas).

Now, back to my notes and the rest of the story. Thanks to DWAN SMITHS insistence, I made up a trio of black press representatives invited to the set to cover what was going on with the token amount of blacks involved in the production. First, and carloads of congratulations to Jennings Lang again, we

LUTHER By Brumsic Brandon, Jr.

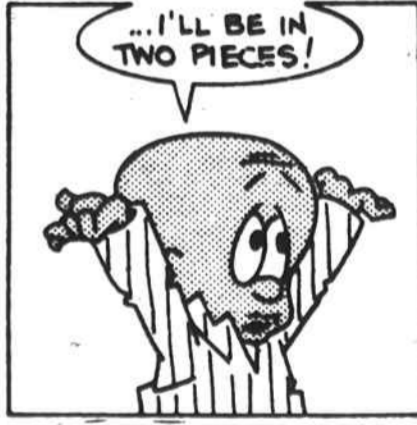
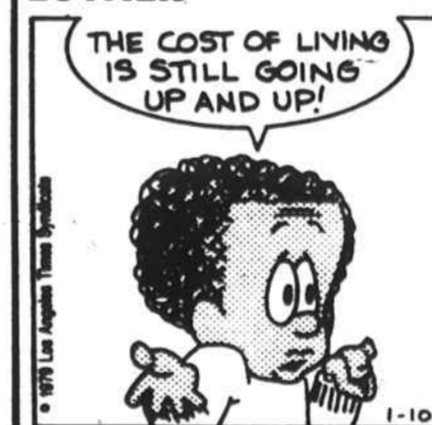
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STARSCOPE

Clare Answeil

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 8, 1979

AQUARIUS — January 21 - February 19
Finances improve after Thursday, thanks to previous money decisions. Love signs are hiding everywhere, and it's up to you to seek them out. Good time for contests.

PISCES — February 20 - March 20
Jobs go off on tangents, making for a disorderly — but constructive — week. Thursday - Sunday favor interviews. Could find yourself playing advisor to the lovelorn — and everyone else, in fact.

ARIES — March 21 - April 20
Things run more smoothly at home than on the job. Not the time to voice opinions. Rest up for a Valentine's Day that can be oozing with sentimentality.

TAURUS — April 21 - May 22
Week favors advancement, travel, and surprise. Friends could catch you off-guard. Avoid controversial subjects unless you're backed up with facts, and figures, and lots of time.

GEMINI — May 23 - June 21
Not the week for changing opinions or playing hunches. In health and in romance, make pampering your keyword. In finance, restraint is critical all week.

CANCER — June 22 - July 22
On the homefront, tiffs seem a way of life... and diplomacy is a must. Accent should be on exercise and health — get out and rejuvenate yourself.

LEO — July 23 - August 22
Emphasis is on revision. Ideas and plans change with equal speed through the week. Telepathy's at a high point. Take the initiative through the weekend.

VIRGO — August 23 - September 22
Explain any difficult situations before you're really entangled. Rewards for hard work are featured... at last. Reserve weekend time for yourself. Travel's accented on Tuesday.

LIBRA — September 23 - October 22
You surprise yourself with the range of talents displayed this week. Watch tendency to laugh too hard at your own foibles. Lively entertainments indicated on week nights.

SCORPIO — October 23 - November 21
A week that includes a little intrigue, a little glamour, and a lot of routine chores. Friday is superb for finalizing projects; Monday - Tuesday favor launchings.

SAGITTARIUS — November 22 - December 22
Patience is the week's keyword — particularly if you're expecting a budding relationship to bloom. At work, don't feel compelled to go it alone. In health, caution's essential.

CAPRICORN — December 23 - January 20
Friends may seem chilly, but don't ask too many questions. Invention is in, extravagance is out. Attention to detail is required in health and financial spheres.

Your sense of loyalty? Unquestionable! Your intuitive strengths? Astonishing! But your tactlessness? Unfortunate! This year has you traveling and learning. Be a little risky — and you can broaden your scope considerably.

BORN THIS WEEK
February 8th, novelist Jules Verne; 9th, singer Carol King; 10th, comedian Jimmy Durante; 11th, King Farouk; 12th, naturalist Charles Darwin; 13th, actress Kim Novak; 14th, comedian Jack Benny.

Crossword

ACROSS

- Become dry
- Rock
- Cognizant
- Merited
- French article
- Every year
- Us
- Note of scale
- Terrible
- Dress edge
- A number
- Act
- Spinal membrane
- Limb
- House section
- Little ball
- Narrow opening
- Chest sound

DOWN

- Provided that
- Ireland
- Beast of burden
- Kind of fruit
- Italian river
- Pronoun
- Strong dislike
- Jumbled type
- Flower part
- Speaks
- Formerly
- Distant
- Attempt
- Atop
- More current
- Droopy
- Mistake
- Help
- Wit
- Barriers
- Heraldic bearing
- Distribute
- Myself
- Bone
- Extol
- Church holiday
- Tip
- Long scarf
- Frizzy
- Din
- Companion
- Nothing but
- Head covering
- Water barrier
- Postscript (abbr.)
- Toward



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WORDS & MEANINGS

Unmix the letters in the boxes to form a word. Then circle A, B or C for the correct meaning (or definition). Score yourself as follows: 4 Correct - Excellent, 3 Correct - Fair, 2 Correct - Good, 1-0 Correct - Poor.

- Z E H A**
A. SLEET B. NIGHT C. DIMNESS
- R G N A T**
A. ALLOW B. REFUSE C. HALT
- T I R E A**
A. WILD B. CONFUSED C. ANGRY
- M E V O N**
A. FEAR B. POISON C. PERIL

FINDIT!

Find 16 baseball words. Words run across, down, or diagonally in any direction.

H M G L O V E B
S O I P T E U M
A W M T A N B R
F A B E T C A O
E L A K R I T F
S K L Y A U H I
A A L M O S N N
B F E D I L S U

Word list: Balk, ball, base, bat, burnt, cap, fly, glove, hit, home run, mitt, out, safe, slide, uniform, walk.

WHY CAN'T YOU DRIVE A GOLF BALL?

CAUSE IT DOESN'T HAVE A STEERING WHEEL!