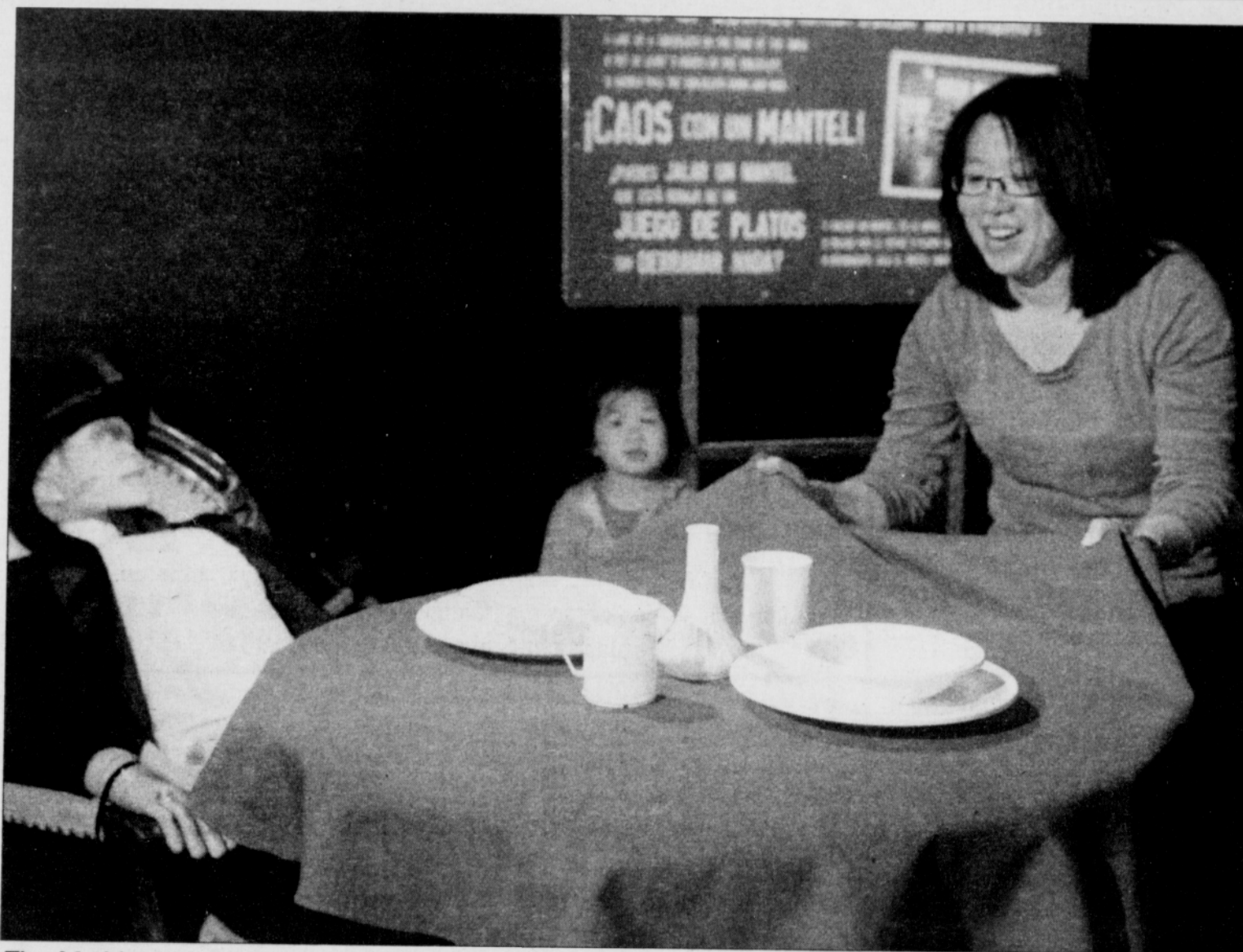


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The Mythbusters exhibit at OMSI allows visitors to dive into the scientific method to explore myths associated with human reaction time and momentum.

OMSI's Explosive MythBusters Exhibit

Hands-on, interactive tests of facts await visitors

Does sprinting rather than strolling keep you drier in a downpour? How would you stack up against an action hero or stunt man while, say, hanging from a ledge by your fingertips? Answers await visitors at the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI), where MythBusters: The Explosive Exhibition opened this month and continues through May 5.

The exhilarating exhibition brings the popular Discovery Channel series to life, helping visitors uncover truths behind popular myths by mixing scientific method with gleeful curiosity and old-fashioned ingenuity.

MythBusters: The Explosive Exhibition creates hands-on, interactive experiences for guests of all ages by combining popular scientific facts with innovative, family-friendly displays.

In MythBusters, co-hosts Adam Savage and Jamie Hyneman take scientific investigation to exciting new levels by proving or exploding myths using their highly experimental approach and extensive backgrounds in special effects. Savage and Hyneman were heavily involved throughout the development of the exhibition to ensure guests experience a true MythBusting encounter.

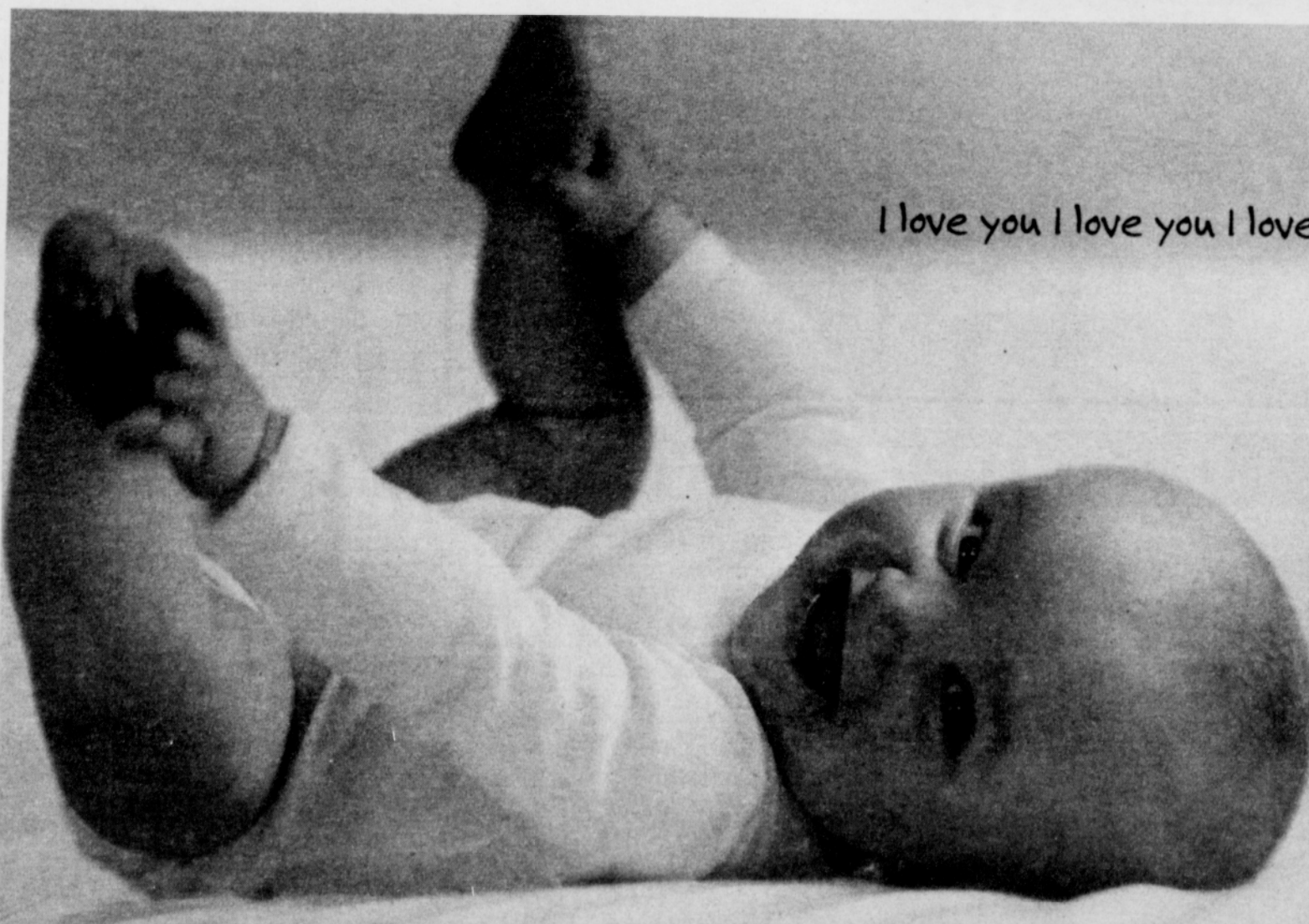
OMSI guests will learn about myths, the MythBusters and what experimenting is all about by partici-

pating in a series of fun, hands-on experiences and live demonstrations. Experiments cover topics such as flight, friction, gravity, speed and combustion.

"We truly hope this exhibition will spur scientific curiosity, thought

and experimentation for all ages," said Amy Noble Seitz, OMSI founder and chief executive of the museum's exhibit development group

Tickets are on sale at omsi.edu. Admission for adults is \$18; youth (3-13) and seniors (63+) is \$13.



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