

New Orleans—An artist who painted a prize-winning "modernistic embrace" in a local show explained Saturday why she chose the field of modern art.

"It's the only thing I can draw," said 7-year-old Lynne Alliver.

On The Side

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How old can a man be and still become a father? Such is the query of a Philadelphia husband, who gives his age as 74. Dr. B. Belonoskiss of Stockholm, Sweden, checked exten-

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sively on this interesting question. He found that it was possible for a man of 92 years of age to become a proud papa. Dr. Belonoskiss was unable to find a man who was too old to become a father and at the conclusion of his investigation said, "In the human male there is no biologically established limit at which the reproductive function of his reproductive glands cease."

Passing By

Jay Coogan, Debonair descendant of the New York City family after which that historic Harlem spot called Coogan's Bluff was named. The Coogan family own the site of the Polo Grounds and leased it to the N.Y. Giants for many years. Gordon Coogan now lives in New Jersey. No longer interested in baseball he is a regular at the Freehold Raceway, harness horse track. The Giants will play their last baseball game at the Polo Grounds this year. What was the most exciting ball game ever staged at the Polo Grounds? My nomination is one game play-off for the pennant between the Giants and the Chicago Cubs in 1908. The Cubs won by a score of four to two. Mathewson pitched for the Giants. Jack Pfeister started for the Cubs and was relieved by "Three Fingers" Mordecai Brown. Many other sporting events besides baseball games took place at the Polo Grounds. How about the topper in excitement in those events? My nomination is the Dempsey-Firpo fight in 1923.

Asking

Queries from clients. Q. What is this country's oldest automobile manufacturing concern? A. Oldsmobile. Incidentally, it was in 1905 that Gus Edwards and Vincent Bryan wrote the hit song titled "In My Merry Oldsmobile." Q. For what organization did "Diamond Jim" Brady work as a salesman? What did he sell? A. Brady was connected with the firm of Manning, Maxwell and Moore. The first item he sold successfully was a hand saw used for cutting steel rails. After that he sold a variety of railroad supplies. He worked on commission only. It is said that at times Brady's commissions on sales totaled as high as \$20,000.

Get It Right

Among the Biblical quotations which are constantly subject to misquotation is "Money is the root of all evil." The quotation appearing in I Timothy 6-10 is "The love of money is the root of all evil." That is an observation with a radically different meaning. Mark Twain once amended it to read "The lack of money is the root of all evil."

Great Lover

Note Lord Byron referred to as "The 19th Century's greatest lover." Perhaps Byron was a great lover but he was also something of a cad and heel. He often kissed and told. And when married spoke disparagingly of his wife to other people. Only a very low grade heel does things like that.

Black Market

The French government is reported unable to eliminate the dealers in black currency. Mussolini, confronted with a similar difficulty in the 1930s in Italy, established legislation which made death the penalty for dealing in black market currency. That stopped it.

Texas Again

Texas is in again with something for Brooklyn and even California to try to top. The Lone Star State claim is that Dr. John B. Cummins of Fort Worth, Tex., is the oldest practicing physician in the United States. Dr. Cummins, who is 99 years old, is at his office from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. six days a week.

Pickets Close Down

Evans Products Plant

Coo's Bay — The Evans Products company plant, employing about 500 persons in its Coo's Bay operations, was closed down at noon Friday when pickets were posted by members of Local 2621, Plywood, Veneer and Box Workers union.

Dorthea Voeller, president of the local, said the union's contract with Evans had been open since April and that the company had refused to negotiate on an accumulation of grievances. No strike vote had been taken, however, and a number of employees expressed ignorance of what the dispute was about.

Evans officials said they had not been contacted by the union and did not know the purpose of the strike.

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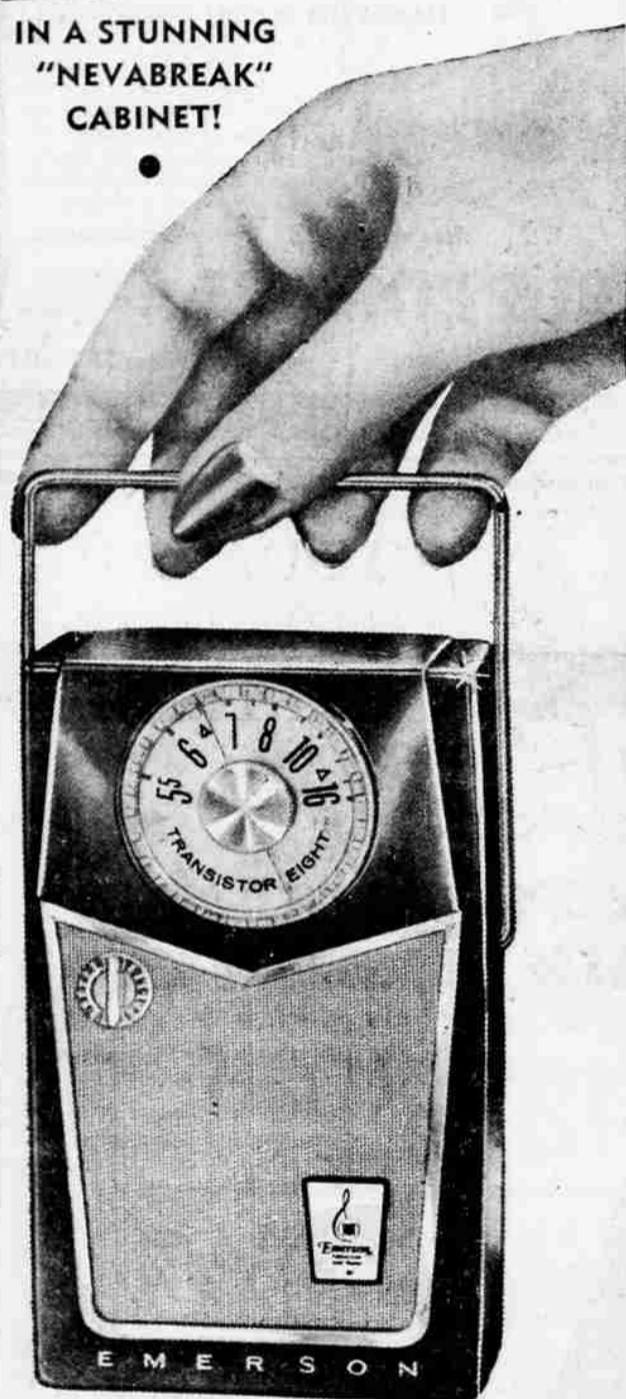
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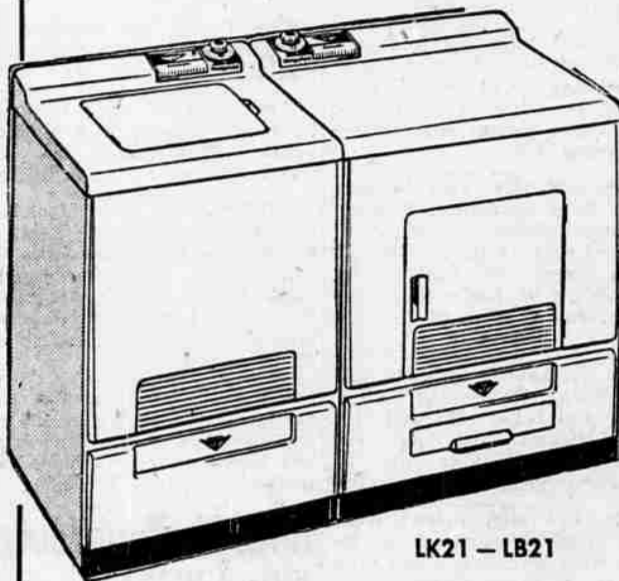
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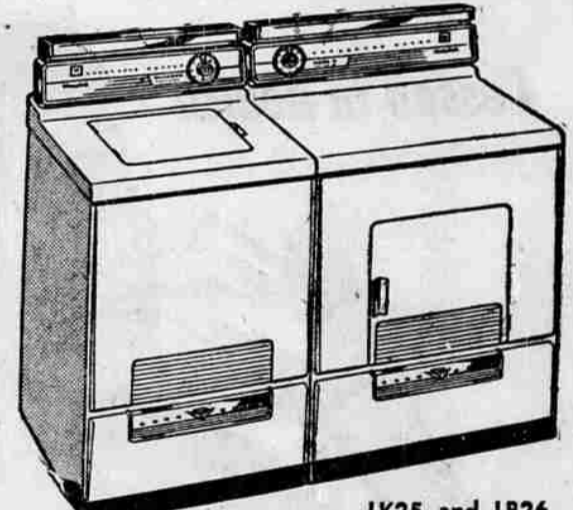
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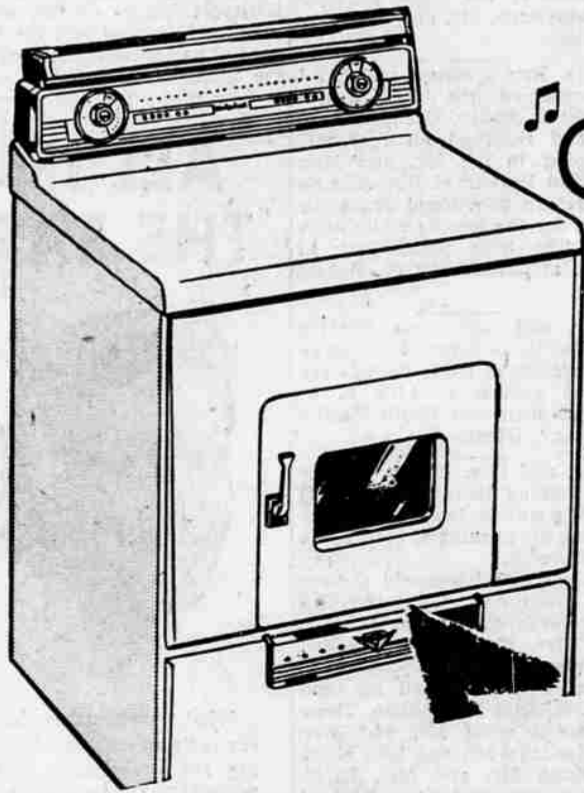
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