

Fewer Lipstick Colors Result of Federal Order

Washington (Science Service)—Women will find fewer lipstick shades available to them as a result of a Federal order.

The Food and Drug Administration here has ordered the removal of 17 coal-tar colors, used principally in lipsticks, from the list of colors permitted for unrestricted use in drugs and cosmetics.

The order is based on the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, which specifies that any coal-tar color that is harmful in significant amounts in the diet of test animals, though safe in smaller amounts, must be banned for human use.

Harmful to Animals
Feeding tests had shown that the 17 colors involved in this order, including shades of red, orange and yellow, were harmful to laboratory animals.

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare has sponsored legislation, now pending in Congress, that would authorize the FDA to set limits on the amount of a color that can be used safely, to "specify products in which it may be used, or both."

Under the present law, a color that cannot qualify as completely "harmless" must be banned altogether.

Whether the 17 colors affected by the order could be used under the safeguards provided in the proposed legislation has not been determined, the FDA reported. Further laboratory tests on animals will be necessary for such a determination.

May Continue Use
By the FDA order, 13 of the affected colors may continue to be certified for safe use in drugs and cosmetics and that cannot get into the digestive system, such as lipstick can. The other four colors have never been offered to the FDA for certification for use in drugs or cosmetics and have been removed entirely from the list of colors that may be used by manufacturers for this purpose.

Of the 70-odd colors certified by the FDA for use in drugs and cosmetics, about 33 were used in making lipsticks. The order, therefore, cuts the permissible lipstick colors about in half.

Belgium's Royal Family Seems Not To Be Able To Get Along

Brussels (UPI)—The family just doesn't seem to get along well with each other. One son, a bachelor, hasn't been too happy since he was forced to take over the family business from his father. Another son recently got married in the midst of a squabble over whether it should be a church or a civil ceremony. And the father is apparently having some trouble with his second wife over where they'll live.

All of which would be their own private business except these are members of Belgium's royal family. The first son is King Baudouin I. His brother is Prince Albert. Their father is ex-King Leopold III.

Vacation Without Mate
The family's latest contribution to the grinding gossip mill is the fact that Leopold's wife, the beautiful Princess Liliane de Rethy, has twice gone on vacation without her husband recently and he wasn't even at the airport to greet her when she got back. Instead, he sent the 29-year-old Baudouin.

The princess is reported to be unhappy over the new home the Belgian government has proposed that she and Leopold move into, leaving Baudouin alone in the Laeken Palace.

Court sources have dismissed the reported rift between Leopold and his wife by saying the ex-king didn't go on holiday with her because she likes hunting in Austria and he doesn't.

The family hasn't been getting along too well with the people either. This began when Leopold, who had be-

Army Issues Call for 9,000 Draftees

Washington (UPI)—The Army has issued a call for 9,000 draftees in December, the same number as in October and November. It said all will be allowed to spend Christmas at home.

The call will bring to 2,490,430 the total number of men inducted under the draft since it was revived at the start of the Korean war.

Denmark's cows in 1957 had the highest average yield of butter fat in Europe, almost 385 pounds.

A Present For Thrifty Nephews and Nieces



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come king in 1934 upon his father's death in a mountain-climbing accident, kept at his job during the German occupation of World War II.

After the war, the Belgian people were sharply divided over whether Leopold should still be king. In 1950, a plebiscite decided that he should stay, but after 10 days of riots and demonstrations against him, Leopold asked that his powers be transferred to Baudouin.

Choice Opposed
One thing the Belgians have long held against Leopold is the fact that he chose a commoner, Mary Liliane Baels, as his second wife and made her a princess. His first wife, Queen Astrid, the mother of Baudouin, Albert and sister Josephine Charlotte, was killed in an auto accident in 1935.

Baudouin has never hidden the fact that he thinks his father was wrongly deposed.

For the first years of his reign, he ruled in isolation from Laeken Palace, where he lived with his father, who continued to have a strong voice in the country's affairs. The new king showed his attitude by rarely smiling and by giving a generally gloomy appearance in public.

But he has changed since his visit to the United States last May when the easy, friendly approach of the Americans seemed to turn him into a smiling, relaxed and reachable monarch.

Tremendous Welcome
Baudouin got a tremendous welcome when he returned home. And the general atmosphere surrounding the royal family lightened further when the 26-year-old Albert announced he would marry the vivacious and beautiful Italian Princess Paola Ruffo de Calabria.

Then, suddenly, the storm clouds gathered again when it was learned that the wedding would take place at the Vatican instead of being the civil ceremony required under Belgian law.

Rumors said the Vatican marriage had been engineered partly by Leopold. In any event, public opinion forced a change in the plans and the wedding finally took place in Brussels, last July.

When that dust settled, it was learned that Leopold would be moving out of Laeken Palace with his wife and their three children.

Castle Selected
After looking around for a suitable home for the former king, the government decided on Argenteuil Castle about 20 miles from Brussels.

Argenteuil is set in 300 acres of a beautifully wooded park. Transforming it into a home for Leopold and his family, his secretarial staff and servants will cost several million francs.

The Socialist opposition howled against spending the money which must come from government funds.

Parliament has just been

There are over 68 million passenger cars traveling on the nation's highways today. Automotive advertisers, who invest more money in daily newspapers than any other group of advertisers, spent \$159,227,000 in newspapers in 1958 to reach the drivers of these cars.

More than 1,000 ships a year pass through the port of Honolulu, Hawaii's principal city.

GOLD HILL Ohio Couple Moves

By Mrs. Clyde Kell
Gold Hill—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kelly of Dayton, Ohio, arrived here recently to make their home with her sister, Mrs. Bertha Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morrow arrived in Portland recently from their home in New London, Iowa. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morrow, and family, drove there to meet them, bringing them here where they are guests at the Morrow home.

Returning with three bucks after spending the opening week end of the hunting season near Lakeview were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Washburn, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dusenberry. The Washburn's three children, Patty, Carol and Larry, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and family while their parents were gone.

Mrs. Elbert Maerz entertained in honor of her son, Kenneth's seventh birthday

Grange News

Phoenix Grange
A musical program preceded the October meeting of the Phoenix Grange.

Mrs. Corinne McDaniel, pianist, played a medley of old favorites. Mrs. Daniel introduced Mr. and Mrs. Gary Beard and accompanied them on the piano. Arrangements included a duet, "Down in the Valley," "Riding Old Paint" and "Celeito Linda" by Gary Beard, "O jos Tapatios" by Mrs. Matweillis Beard and a duet, "Carmen Carmela."

During the business session, the charter was draped in memory of John Perl. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilletts were voted to become members.

Mrs. Sol Cox, chairman of the home economics club, announced the Grange will serve hot dogs and coffee at the Community club Halloween carnival Oct. 31. Booster night will start with a covered dish dinner about 6:30 p.m., Oct. 27. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Quackenbush and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hackersmith will be in charge. Members should bring table service and prepare for invited guests.

Special entertainment is planned to bring out members as well as visitors for the open house. Members from other granges are welcome.

Refreshment committee for the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Al Schroeder and Mrs. Herman DeGroat.

at Fort Ord, Calif., in the six-month Army reserve program is now attending clerk typist school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eskew. Another son of the Eskews, Roland F. Eskew, who is on duty at Westover Air base near Springfield, Mass., received the rating of master sergeant recently. He is making a career of the service, and has served almost 10 years. Roland is a graduate of the old high school, and Larry graduated from Crater last June.

Larry Eskew, who left recently to serve with the Army

Advertising to Cost Chamber \$8,250

Jackson County Chamber of Commerce will spend \$5,825 in advertising and promotion to attract tourists and vacationers and \$2,425 in attracting industry to the county.

The figures were among those released recently by the research department of The Curtis Publishing Company in its annual survey of the amounts set aside for advertising and promotion by 262

state, area and community groups throughout the United States.

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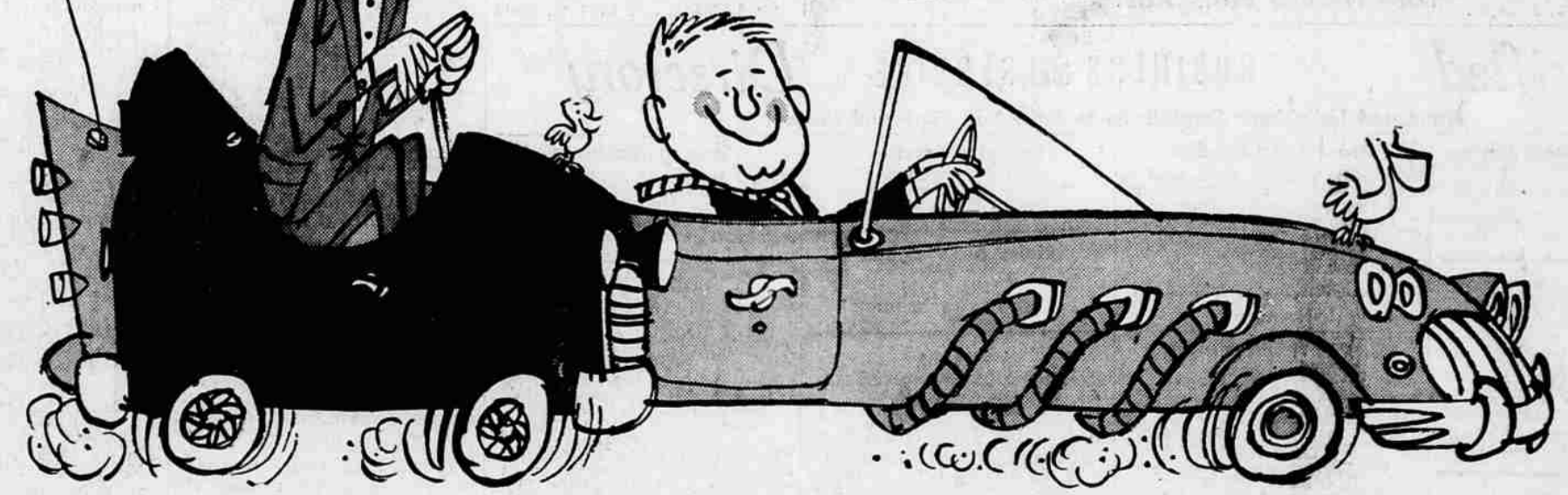
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