

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

TO PROVE how inaccurately people listen, or read, Pollster George Gallup tells of a Congressman who chided the Department of Agriculture for the trashy, useless pamphlets it publishes at the people's expense. "Seems like you fellows print every last thing about nature," he complained, "but the love life of a frog!"



Promptly, six letters arrived in the next two days asking for copies of "The Love Life of a Frog." Others followed in such profusion, the Department felt obliged to state in a circular, "We do NOT print 'The Love Life of a Frog.'" The result of this procedure was such a flood of new requests that the Secretary of Agriculture got into the act personally.

"Confound it!" he thundered on a nation-wide radio program. "This Department never has printed 'The Love Life of a Frog,' never will print 'The Love Life of a Frog,' and we never even want to hear about 'The Love Life of a Frog' again!"

The next day there were over four hundred requests in the Department's mail.

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Motorists Warned Of Driving in Fog

Medford Police Chief Charles P. Champlin said last week that knowing the rules of driving in fog is essential to residents in the Medford and Rogue valley areas.

Champlin noted that National Safety Council figures show that nearly one out of every six fatal accidents is attributed to bad weather conditions that obscure drivers' vision.

Champlin suggested that drivers go slow enough to be able to stop suddenly if necessary, and to check on both brakes and windshield wipers to make sure they are in good working order.

He also said it is essential that headlights be used when driving in fog. Even if headlights do not seem to illuminate the road ahead, he said, they will help oncoming cars to see your vehicle. Champlin said parking lights are not nearly adequate enough for driving in fog.

Toastmasters Meet In Jackson Hotel

The Medford Toastmasters club held their weekly meeting Oct. 17 at the Jackson hotel.

Dr. John Welch was toastmaster for the evening. The program consisted of discussion of current political topics. Featured speakers for the evening were Don Auxier and Walter Nunley.

The club meets every Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the Jackson hotel. The club has invited any persons interested in speaking to attend the meetings.

Washington - (UPI) - The Interior Department said Thursday the first of the remaining 32 whooping cranes has arrived at the National Wildlife Refuge at Aransas, Tex., for the 1960-61 winter and that the others are expected to arrive from their summer nesting grounds in northern Canada during the next six weeks.

Duckbill Low Down
Rather far down in the animal scale, in fact classed as one of the lowest orders of mammals, is the so-called "duckbill" or platypus. It was a long time before science knew just where these creatures were to be arranged in the order of living things.

There seems still to be a little question. Having fur, four feet, warm blood, but with the un-mammal habit of laying eggs in a nest like a bird, these characters have caused all manner of conjecture.

Even today, the platypus stands out like a sore thumb and occupies an argumentative niche in the world of quadrupeds. Scientifically they are classed as "monotremes." In the jigsaw puzzle of biological oddities these creatures form peculiarly-shaped pieces.

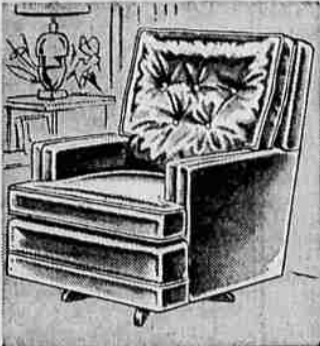
Portland - (UPI) - Fire in a women's clothing manufacturer's store caused an estimated \$60,000 damage here early Friday.

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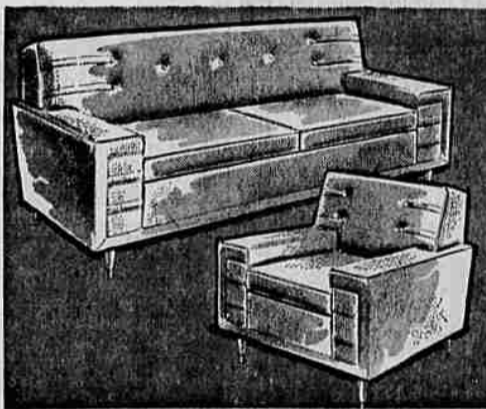
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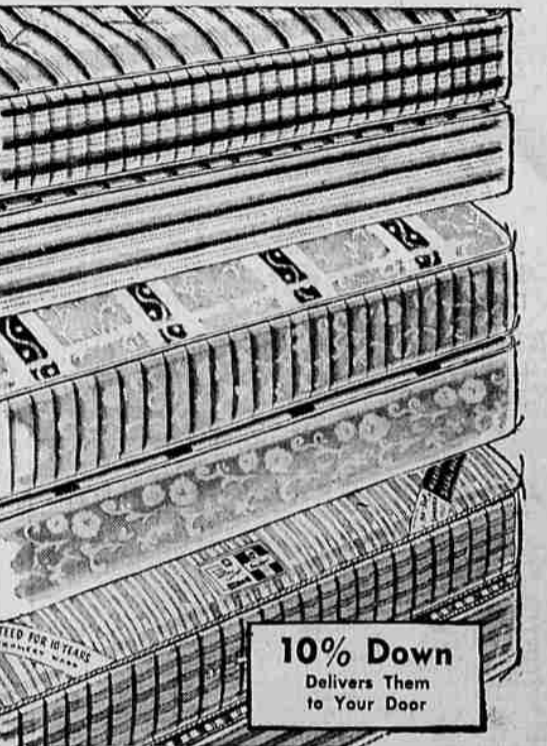


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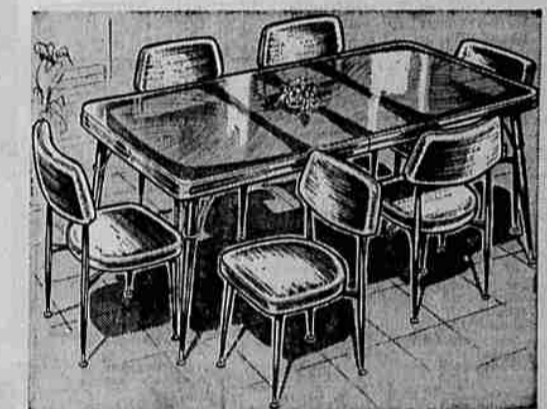
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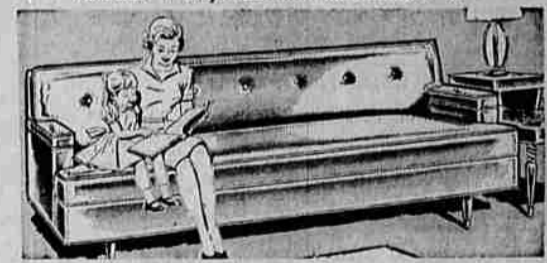


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