

MD Says Quarter Of People Downed By Respiratory Ills

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CLEVELAND (AP)—At least one fourth of the nation's people have

Know Your Community

Editor's Note: — This is the fourth in a series of articles on a community survey conducted by the League of Women Voters. It is presented as a service to our readers.

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A summary of city officials and their duties follows:

Mayor: Elected by the voters at large for four year term. Duties: Chairman of City Council, executive powers, public relations.

City Council: Five members elected by voters in their wards for four year term. Duties: Legislate on all matters concerning the government of the city.

Police Judge, City Clerk: Elected by the voters at large for four year term. Duties: Hold court in the city hall, keep records.

Treasurer: Elected by voters at large for four year term. Duties: Receive and pay out all monies for the city. Make quarterly statements to the council and a yearly statement.

City Attorney: Appointed by the mayor for one year, renewable. Duties: Official legal adviser and prosecutor for the city government.

Police Chief: Appointed by mayor. Duties: Supervision of Police Department, detective division, traffic uniform, jail, records, identification, maintain law and order.

Fire Chief: Civil Service. Duties: Fire protection, fire fighting, supervision of functioning and administration of fire station and company.

City Engineer: Appointed by mayor subject to confirmation by council. Duties: Supervision of Public Works.

Recreation Head: Appointed by the Park Commission. Duties: Administration and supervision of all city public recreation.

The mayor by virtue of his office shall be a member of and chairman of all boards or committees created.

The police judge by virtue of his office, shall serve as clerk of the council and clerk of all boards and committees.

Airport: Appointed by the mayor — one citizen and three councilmen.

Animal Pound: Appointed by the mayor — two citizens and three councilmen. Duties: Enforce rules and regulations relating to pound. Report in writing each month to the council of all matters of interest to department together with recommendations.

Building Department: Appointed by the mayor. Duties: Inspect and enforce building code.

Street Control: Appointed by the mayor — three councilmen.

Cemetery: Appointed by the mayor — nine citizens.

Public Library: Appointed by the mayor — five citizens.

Armory: This is mostly county responsibility. City has one member.

Appraisal: Three members.

Building Appeal: Appointed by the mayor — five members.

Health: Appointed by the mayor — one certified physician, physician, chief of police, and six citizens. Duties: This board shall have the management and control and supervision of all matters pertaining to the preservation, promotion, and protection of the lives and health of the inhabitants of the city.

Traffic Safety: Appointed by the mayor — chief of police, city engineer, a representative from city council and seven citizens.

Boxing: Appointed by the mayor — five members.

Insurance: Appointed by the mayor — three members.

Budget: Appointed by the mayor — six members.

Civil Service: Appointed by the mayor — three members known to be devoted to civil service reform.

Planning: Appointed by the mayor — city attorney, city engineer, councilman and seven citizens.

Park: Appointed by the mayor — city engineer and six citizens.

New Bomber Sent To SAC

SEATTLE (AP)—The Boeing Airplane Co. and the Air Force announced jointly today the B52E, a new model of the eight-jet global bomber, has gone into service with the Strategic Air Command.

The improved model is the fifth since Boeing began production of the 200-ton B52s. Major advances in the B52E are increased navigational accuracy, more reliable electronics systems, greater crew comfort and relocation of some equipment.

External appearance, speed, range and altitude remain unchanged from earlier models. The B52s can fly more than 6,000 miles without refueling at speeds up to 650 miles an hour and altitudes of more than 50,000 feet.

The new model will be manufactured at both the company's Seattle and Wichita, Kan., plants.

had to spend a day or more in bed since midsummer because of severe colds, sore throat, Asian flu or similar upper respiratory ills, a report by a U. S. Public Health Service official showed today. There were 38 million so affected from mid-July to October.

Dr. William Stewart, assistant

to the surgeon general of USPHS summarized the latest available data on the Asian flu situation before the 85th annual meeting of the American Public Health Assn. As to Asian flu alone, he said: "The anticipated epidemics are now occurring in various parts of the country, particularly in the

middle Atlantic and east north central states. "Slight to moderate increases in mortality (that is, above normal seasonal rates) chiefly among older persons, have occurred in several places where epidemics are in progress."

He said that "future spread of

the epidemic can be anticipated in essentially all parts of the country not now affected," and added:

"A high national incidence can be expected to continue for a period of six to eight weeks. The Public Health Service urges that vaccination against influenza be promoted vigorously."

Stewart said some idea of the prevalence of Asian flu could be derived from reports obtained in

connection with the national health survey, in which the Bureau of the Census interviewed a representative national sample of households for the Public Health Service.

The resulting estimates indicate, he said, that during the period from July 15 to October 5 there were an estimated 38 million people with acute respiratory diseases severe enough to cause them to go to bed.

Stewart said that during the week ended October 12, an estimated 8.5 million persons throughout the country had colds, sore throats, influenza or similar diseases severe enough to put them to bed. The average number of persons in bed each day that week as a result of these illnesses was about 3 million. A great many of these cases undoubtedly were Asian flu.

IT WASN'T SO HARD
DENVER (UP)—Ten-year-old Patty McNally of Denver picked 17 of 20 games correctly in the weekly Rocky Mountain News football contest to join five men in winning the award this week. "Gee," Patty told a news reporter, "I don't see what's so hard about it. All you do is mark some of the squares on one side of the coupon and then some on the other side."

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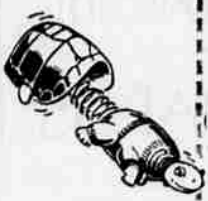
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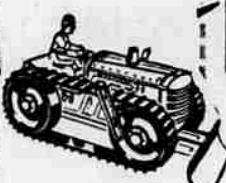
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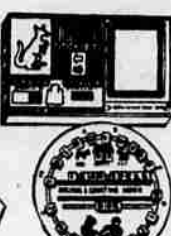
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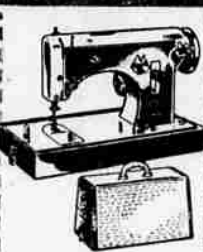
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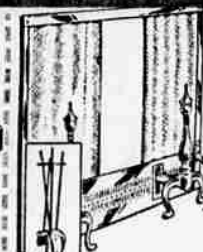
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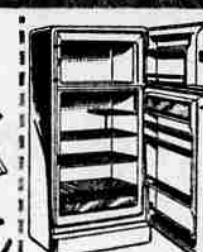
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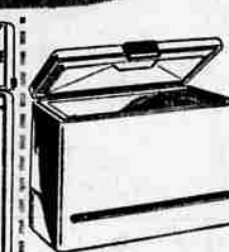
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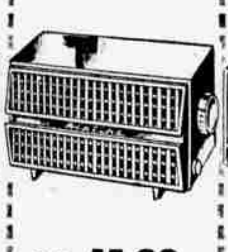
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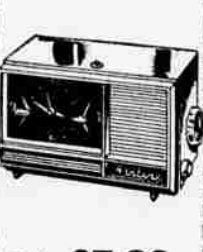
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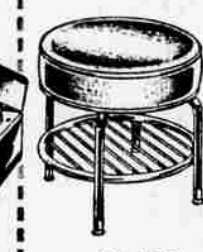
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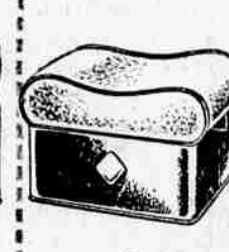
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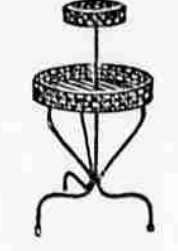
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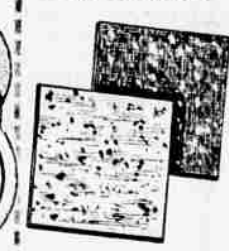
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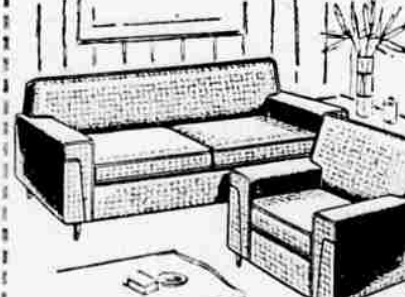
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