

The Mail Ego

By Terrence O'Flaherty

"Can anything be done about getting 'Cimarron Strip' back on Thursday night? It used to remind me that Friday morning was the day to collect the garbage and tin cans. We used to drag them out right after the program. What can we do now?"

Watch "The Ugliest Girl in Town" and you'll never forget to take out the cans again.

"I have been looking at the reruns of 'Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea' and discovered the first scripts in the series were far better than when the series was cancelled this summer. Did the ABC network blame the actors? If so, they made a great mistake. The writers killed that show."

It's difficult to know WHERE the networks place the blame for a show's dwindling ratings. Some writers go stale after a year's worth of scripts on dry land. There's even less that they can do UNDER WATER. "Voyage" may simply have run out of monsters that could swim.

"Do you mean to tell me that those people on 'The Hollywood Squares' get PAID \$325 for playing that game? I think they ought to pay NBC!"

They appear to work hard for their money even if they ARE provided with the answers as the FCC claims. Most actors can't work without a script anyway. They tape a week's worth of shows on one night — two before dinner and three afterward — with a change of clothes between each show.

"After looking at the new shows being offered by the networks, I ask you—how could they have selected such duds?"

You should see the ones they DIDN'T select!

"Why do those who sing the National Anthem at openings of political conventions and World Series baseball think they are obligated to tamper with the music? Aretha Franklin and Jose Feliciano were a disgrace to the country, to politics and, heaven help us, to baseball. Do they think they can get away with it?"

They didn't get away with much. Both are "soul" singers and they proved they don't have the range to sing the National Anthem properly even if they tried. (In Miss Franklin's case it also helps to know the words.) Little known performers often use the honor for personal publicity. Feliciano proved it can backfire. Miss Franklin proved she's a better oracle than a singer. Her rendition was a suggestion of disaster to come.

"Why doesn't Leonard Nimoy who plays 'Dr. Spock' on NBC's 'Star Trek' ever smile?"

He says it's quite simple: his make-up would crack.

"I know you can't tell a joke these days without offending SOMEONE, but I'm tired of hearing comedians say that TV repairmen make a lot of money. If that's true I just can't understand what I'm doing here six days a week helping my husband earn a living as a TV repairman. We live modestly drive a four-year old car and are raising two teenagers. We never go anywhere and have steak for dinner once every two weeks. If you don't believe it, why not follow my husband around for on whole day sometime?"

Okay, but make it the day you have steak.

Aid Cut-Off Warranted, District Poll Reveals

Student demonstrators should not be eligible for federal aid and assistance, according to the results of an opinion poll conducted by Congressman Alphonzo Bell (R-28th District).

Bell, in announcing results of his monthly opinion poll in his district, said 69 per cent of those responding do not believe that students involved in campus demonstrations should receive federal aid.

The percentages were computed on the basis of 10,000 replies, Bell added. Results of five other questions were:

• Do you believe the FCC should regulate the portrayal

of Violence in television programming? Yes, 44 per cent; No, 47 per cent; Undecided, 9 per cent.

• Would you support legislation to limit the terms of Supreme Court justices? Yes, 65 per cent; No, 30 per cent; Undecided, 5 per cent.

• Do you favor stricter federal penalties for the illegal possession of firearms? Yes, 83 per cent; No, 13 per cent; Undecided, 4 per cent.

• Do you believe the Saigon government should participate in the current Paris peace negotiations? Yes, 69 per cent; No, 22 per cent; Undecided, 9 per cent.

• Would you favor transferring authority over Headstart programs from OEO (Office of Economic Opportunity) to the Office of Education? Yes, 48 per cent; No, 34 per cent; Undecided, 18 per cent.

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(Continued from Page C-1) day," he said, "it can get to you."

He moved to Long Beach and went into a partnership with real estate investment property. Through this work, Wilbanks made connections with the local Chamber of Commerce and was soon serving in various capacities on a volunteer basis. It wasn't long before the chamber hired him on as assistant for membership and public relations.

In Torrance, Wilbanks' first big project will be to upgrade and expand the Chamber's membership. He's impressed with the "intense desire" of local citizens to improve their community and he's convinced Torrance industry can forge ahead at an unprecedented rate of speed if local businesses will cooperate with the Chamber of Commerce.

"It's the community that sticks together," he said "that's going to be the most successful in getting new business to come and stay in that community."

Area Home Opened for Cranston

The Harbor Area Committee to Elect Alan Cranston has announced the opening of area wide neighborhood headquarters. Those who have volunteered their homes will have available Cranston for Senate literature and have agreed to help coordinate the Democrat's campaign in their precincts.

Torrance residents may go to 5617 Andrus Ave., 5455 Linda Drive or 337 Calle Mayor for materials on the Cranston campaign.

Any resident wishing to set up a neighborhood Cranston headquarters in his home may call Cranston's Peninsula Headquarters, 27777 Silver Spur Road.



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COOKIES doz. 59¢

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BABY FOOD or JUICE reg jar 10¢

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2-lb. can\$1.37
3-lb. can\$1.99
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10-oz. jar\$1.19

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FARMER JOHN OR LUER'S HAMS 43¢ Lb.

U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF—BONELESS
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BEEF SHORT RIBS 35¢ lb.

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BRISKET OF BEEF 89¢ lb.

FROZEN—PLAIN OR BREADED
VEAL STEAKS 69¢ lb.

FRESH—SLICED
BEEF LIVER 59¢ lb.

RED LABEL—SLICED HORMEL BACON 59¢ 1-lb. pkg.

FROZEN ASSORTED BIRDS EYE VEGETABLES 7¢ 10-oz. pkgs.

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• CORN
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GOLDEN CREME ALL FLAVORS IMITATION ICE MILK 33¢ 1/2 GAL.

FROZEN Simple Simon PIES 49¢

Mince or Pumpkin
9-inch size

MA PERKINS
TOMATO SAUCE 29¢

3 8-oz. cans

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Hawaiian Punch 3 jumbo 46-oz. cans \$1.25

RED RIPE
Whole Tomatoes 25¢

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Fruit Mix 29¢

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MPS 2 6 1/2-oz. cans

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MA-HAT-MA
RICE 63¢

3-lb. pkg. 5-lb. pkg. 98¢

COMSTOCK
APPLE PIE FILLING 47¢

22-oz. can

DOLE PIL
CRUSHED (No. SLICED OR CHUNK) JUICE (46-oz. 1 can)