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"If one person has establed a little east because II live, then I know that I have been a success."
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of happiness.

My father worked on the railroad in Ohio One time a man, impeccably dressed, walked into our home with a diamond ring on his finger and a diamond to his time.

mond ring on his linger and a diamond in his tie.

"He flashed them in front of my father and said: look at it, this is my treasure." To this my father pointed at a family pic-ture on the wall and replied, took at them, they're my treasure."

## Metric system updated

What do meters, kilograms, seconds, amperes, kelvins, moles and candelas have in common."
They're all base units within the SI Metric System. The system of measurement to which the United States eventually will consist

which the United Satisface Versionary with the United Satisface The Si Metric System inher to show for "Le System International d'Uniter" or, in English. The International Systems of Units was officially adopted in 180 by the Coneral Conference on Weights and Measures as the internationally accepted language of metric measure. It differs in a Gram-Second system which most of us learned in School and which has been in use in Europe.

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WHOSE IDEA was it to convert to a meric system? Actually, the question of metication is nearly as old as the United States George Washington raised the issue in his first message to Congress in 1790, when he called for a uniform system of currency and weights and messurement of the congress in 1790, which is the congress passed legislation making it legislation entire system in U.S. trade and commerce However, the legislation entire recommended nor required its use.

In 1879, the United States signed the Treaty of the Meter, one of I'r countries to do so. But, in spite of that the U.S. retained its old measurement system.

A century later—in 1975—President Ger-aid Ford signed legislation providing for continued voluntary conversion to the met-ric system. The legislation contained no definite deadline or even a target date, but it established a United States Metric Board to coordinate the conversion.

MANY AREAS of industry in the U.S.—
such as pharmaceuticals cameras and
space apparation—already are largely
metric. The automobile industry is converting rapidly, and construction industries are getting ready for conversion.
Retailers are finding it good basiness to
deal metrically with their customers.
Today, more than 50 per cert of the
sortid's people use metric measurement in
their everyday lives. Since six per cert of
the world's population lies in the United
States, only four per cert of the red of the
world is not already using the metric system.

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Metric conversion will affect every industry, every company and every individaal And, although the long-term benefits
of metrication are clear, the short-term
confusion and disruption cannot be min-



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sports.costing with his religious education. Dies has written a book entitled "Men in the Haddie", describing religious effect in the National Football League. "The book relates stories about individual athietes seen away from the football field Dies plans on donating the majority of the book's receipts to charity

Although a media personality himself.
Diles sees many areas which need improving in television. "There is a lot of waste on television." he says. "It can do better. There is a lot of trash, but this is the public's fault as much

trash, but this is the public's fault as much as the industry. "Thomography and smut movies are flourishing because people support them. So make the control of the control



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