Here is a nasty paradox for black, who has to play a 6-2 roll. Since he has to leave white a shot no matter what, his concern is being hit. Black must move either the 9 or 10-

Black must move either the 9 or 10-point checker.
How would you move the 6-22 Black could move the 9-point check-er to the 3 and safety the 6-point blot to the 4. With this move, white would need any 2 or combination of 7 (15 ways out of 36) to hit belot on the 9 point. Also, black has duplicated the number two. If white rolled a 2 (except for 1-1 and 2-2), the choice of hitting or covering the white blot on the 5 point would certainly cause white to think.

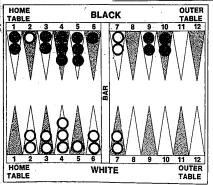


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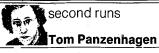
Among the 12 convicts were Charles Forson, Jim Brown, John Casswetes, Trini Lopez, Telly Sawdas, Donald Sutherland and Clink Walker, which leaves five. The film still holds up as a gripping adventure story and you'll be rooting for Jim Brown when he makes an open-field dash through raging gunfire near film's end.



### Concert band performing

The Detroit Concert Band, under the direction of conductor Leonard B. Smith, will play a Valentine's Day concert at 8 p.m. Saturday at the Redford Theatre, 1738 ol. Labers, Petroit.

The program is presented by the More City Theatre of gan Society, which owns the theater. Featured will be the music of Strauss and other pops pieces, as well as the band's march repertoire. Tickets for the Valentine's Day concert are \$8.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50. More information is available by calling \$37-1133.



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best in his actors, which is why all his fine films feature fine performances, such as: "The Lost Weekend" — Ray Milland (1945); "Stalag I7" — William Holden (1953); "The Apartment" — Jack Lemmon (1960), all Academy Award-winning performances. Wilder also has the uncommon knack

Wilder also has the uncommon knack of knowing how to make very funny films, as well as thrillers and dramas — testament again to his ability of getting the most from his actors and the material he has to work with. Billy Wilder has made a gareer of taking good stories and good actors and producing wonderful films. Rating: \$3.75.

"Quintet" (1979), 7:30 and 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Cass City Cinema, 4605 Cass at Forest, phone 832-6309, \$2. Running time 117 min-



"The Dirty Dozen" (1967). 11:45
p.m. Saturday on Ch. 7. Originally
150 minutes.
How many can you name? Lee Marvin, Ernest Borgine, Robert Ryan and
Richard Jaeckel don't count becasue

they were the commanding officers.

"Jaws II" (1978), 8 p.m. Sunday on Ch. 7. Originally 118 minutes. Roy Scheider returns as the only islander with enough sense to want to close the beaches after yet another shark attack. The old "Saturday Night Live" skit called "Jaws XII" was better. That's where the islanders are upset because no sharks have been spotted and the tourists are bored and leaving town.

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