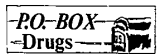


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Will Hash Really Hurt You?

Questions should be sent to the Community Commission on Drug Abuse, P.O. Box 48151, Livonia, Mich. 48151.

Q. Recently a relative of mine was arrested for possessing hashish. Just what is it and is it addicting?

A. Hashish, "hash" means a lot of different things. To the person who refers to it could mean up to 20 years. Unfortunately for him, it is a narcotic in the eyes of the law.

Actually it's a resinous substance from the tops of marijuana plants. It is medically not a narcotic but a strong hallucinogen along the lines of LSD. It is not addictive or lethal, but its stupefying properties and its tendency to produce psychotic effects on the user make it a dangerous drug.

The dangers of marijuana, a relatively milder version, are open to some legitimate debate. Hashish is simply too strong to merit this consideration.

Q. My brother was killed in a terrible automobile accident some time ago. I've used marijuana in the past to get me over some rough spots. But what I've been getting lately seems to be acting strange—it really brings me down. Is the supply around here getting worse?

D.V. Westland

A. No, the marijuana available in this area in the past few months is no worse or better than before. The fact that you have bought from various sources makes it unlikely that your problem arises from "bad buys."

What may be happening is that the drug is increasing the depression through which you are going. This is not uncommon. Since it isn't helping you, there's no point in your continuing to use it.

You might try opening up and sharing your sorrow with your parents. If this fails, you might try counselling through your church or school. There is no need at this time to mention your use of drugs. Get over this problem and then take a long look at your tendency to turn first to drugs: this could become a problem in the future.

Q. There was a drug analysis program started some time ago in this area. What are they finding? Are there any patterns developing?

R.J., Livonia

A. In most respects it's too early to tell; the program is new and analysis is not refined enough yet. But one pattern is already emerging—namely, that a lot of people are getting taken in quite badly. The most beautiful is that there have been three samples of Coffee-Mate or Pream (remember we said analysis was not refined enough yet) sent in. Average cost—about 75 cents a cap. Step right up folks...

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The contractor who will build 2.6 miles of service roads on the planned Interstate 96 Freeway in Livonia has yet to be determined by the State Highway Commission.

The commission announced the project was postponed pending a detailed study of bid proposals.

The plan calls for building service roads on both sides of a 2.6-mile section of the proposed Interstate 96 Freeway between Eckles and Farmington Roads.

Work includes grading and drainage structures, utility alterations, and paving and construction of one bridge.

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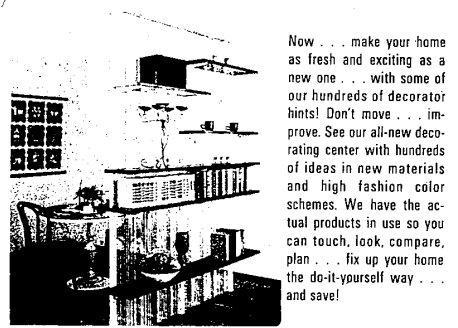


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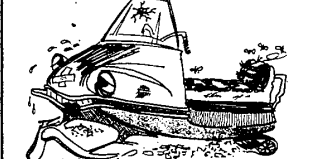


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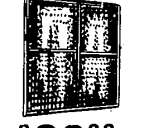
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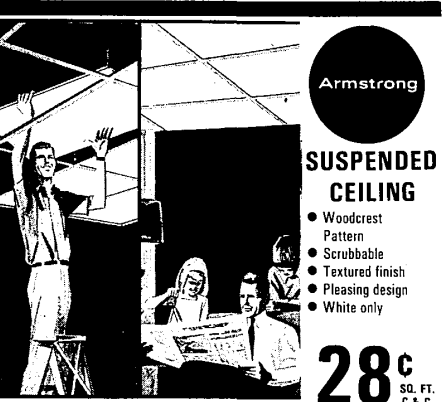
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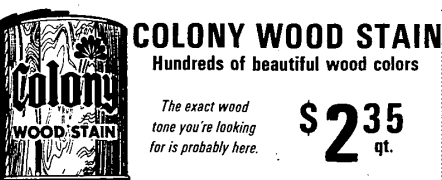
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