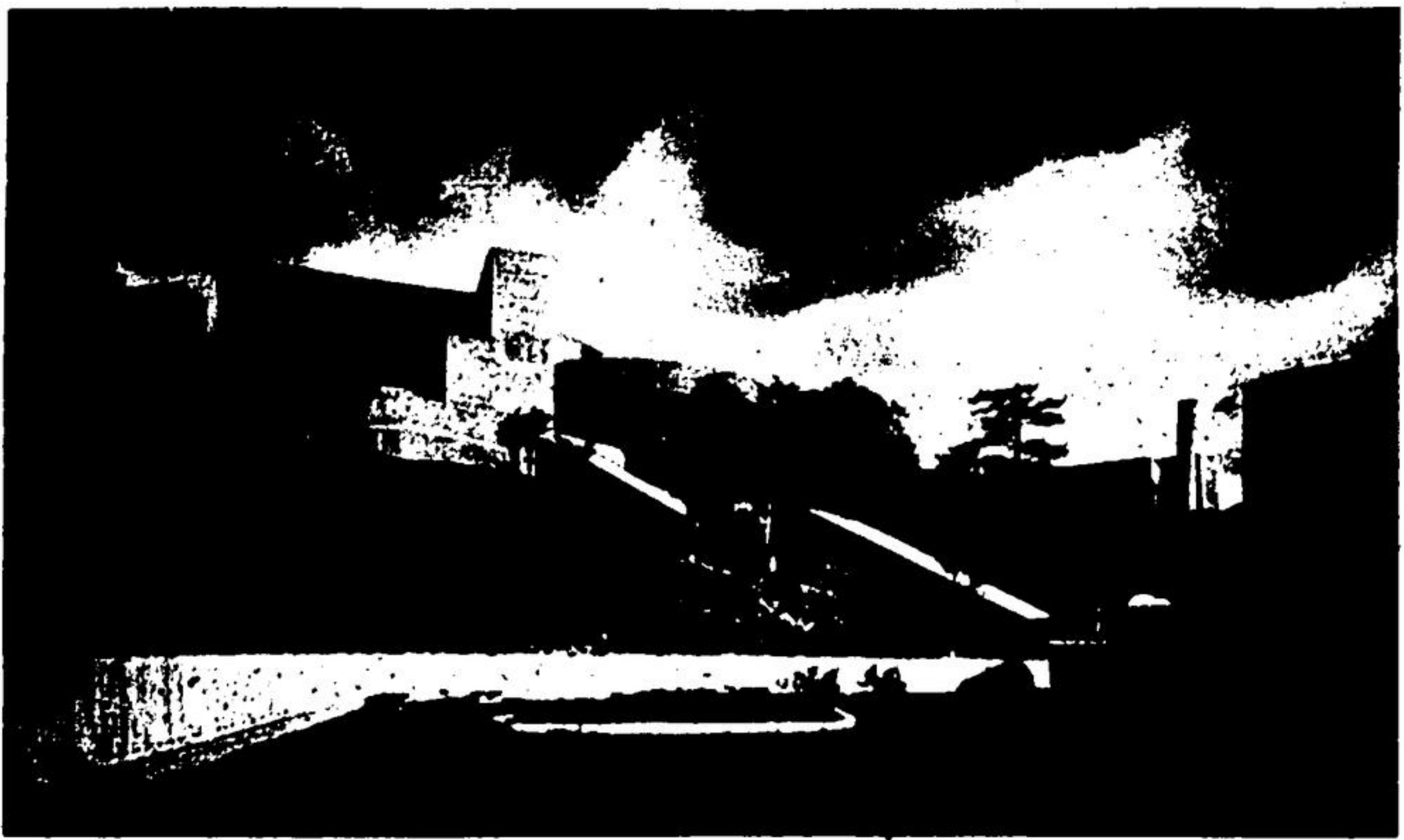
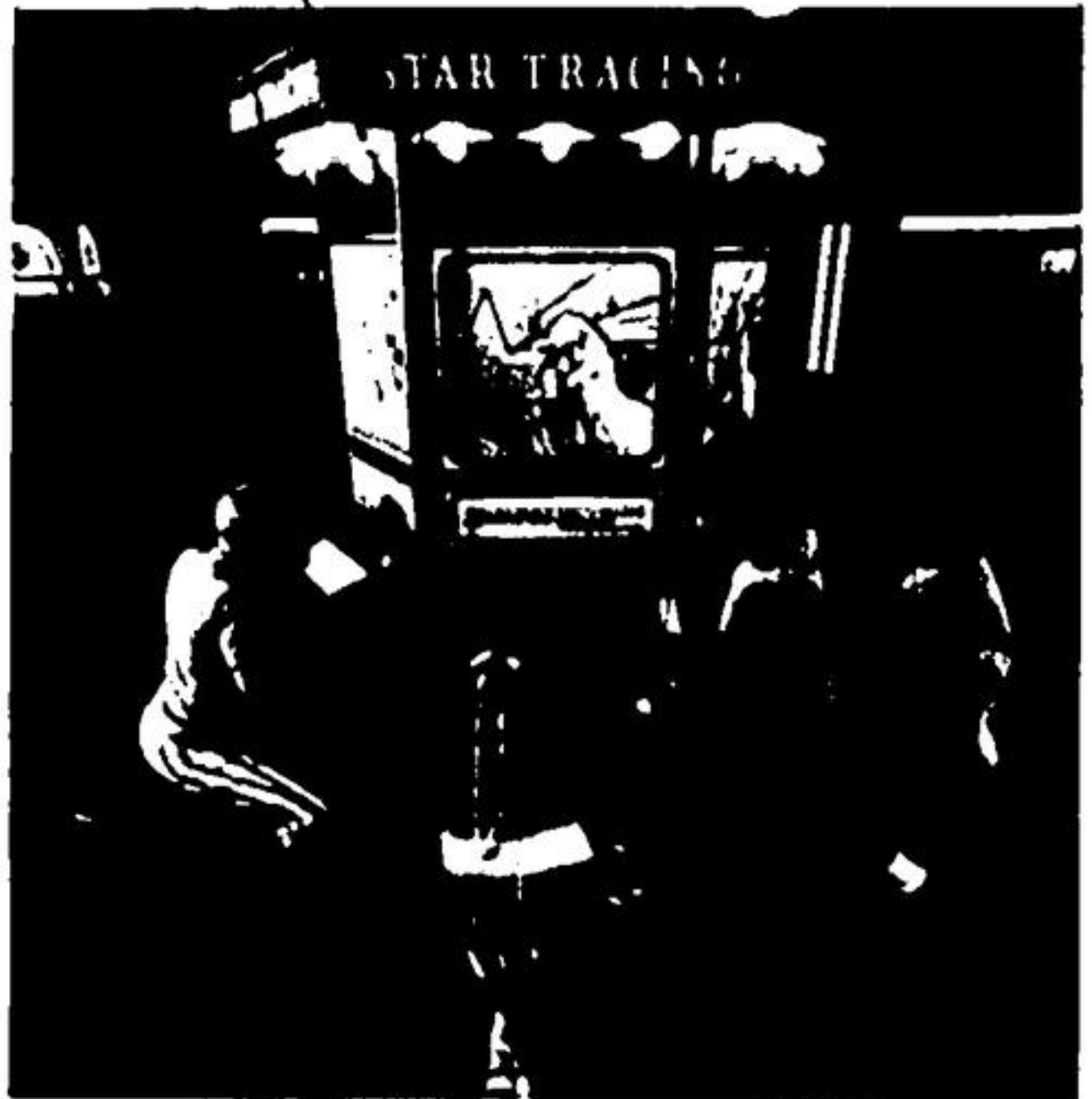


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BIG NEW ATTRACTION is the Ontario Science Centre at Eglinton Avenue and Don Mills Road in Metro Toronto. A Government of Ontario project, the Centre is a discovery-land of 450 colorful, contemporary exhibits in science and technology. The three-building complex is open to the public every day except Christmas. Photo at top shows how green space and patios surround the Tower Building which is connected to the Valley Building by escalators that flow down the side of a 90-foot knoll. Photo at right shows young visitors absorbed in a scientific perception game. Because it is played by looking into a mirror, it requires a re-learning of hand and eye co-ordination.



THE CHAMPS. Members of the championship Nellis Construction novice team of the Acton Minor Baseball Association received individual trophies as well as the team trophy, held by captain John McCutcheon. — (Staff Photo)

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Hunter safety demands precautions in car, boat

You could say that some hunting accidents are the result of bad luck or forgivable inexperience on the part of the gun handler. But when a hunter deliberately loads his gun and takes it into a car or boat and drives off, he is knowingly asking for trouble.

Carrying loaded guns in a car or a boat when under way is unlawful in Ontario. If apprehended by a Department of Lands and Forests game warden or any peace officer, the offender could have his firearms confiscated and be summoned to appear in court.

Court action could result in severe fines and possible permanent confiscation of firearms and cancellation of the privilege to hunt for a period of time.

But even more serious is the safety aspect of such actions. Research into hunting accidents proves that carrying loaded guns in vehicles places high on the list of accident causes.

The Ontario Safety League states that all firearms should be unloaded and placed in cases while being transported in motor vehicles, and never carry a loaded gun in a boat or shoot from a boat unless it is securely anchored in a blind.

Another salt secret makes fireplaces work better and more safely. Get a roaring fire going, then throw a handful of salt. Enjoy the pretty yellow flames while the salt cleans out accumulated soot and helps prevent dangerous chimney fires. It's a double secret.

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Let's Play Bridge

by Bill Coats

Most bridge players know of the advantage of leading towards an Ace-Queen in a suit. You hope that your left hand opponent has the king and he must play before you commit yourself to the ace or the queen. That's the idea behind a simple finesse. However, many bridge players do not realize the advantage of generally leading towards high cards. It's always a good idea to make one opponent play before you put on one of your honor cards.

Here is an example from last week's action at the Acton Bridge Club. Two declarers went astray—how would you have done?

North dealt with East-West vulnerable

NORTH	SOUTH
S-A 10 7 3	S-K 5 4
H-A Q 6	H-K J 3
D-K Q J 4	D-9 7 5
C-A 2	C-9 7 5 3

WEST S-8 2
H-9 8 2
D-A 10 6 2
C-K Q J 4

EAST
S-Q 1 9 6
H-10 7 5 4
D-8 3
C-10 8 6

The bidding:
NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST
3 N.T. Pass 1 N.T. Pass
All pass

Opening Lead - King of Clubs
In spite of his 20 points, North can only open one of a suit. It should be a minor to make it easy for his partner to bid. South keeps the bidding open on seven points with one no trump. North goes straight to three no trump since he knows that the partnership has at least 26 high card points.

After West opens the club king, declarer should take stock and make his plan. It's too bad that there is duplication in hearts for declarer can count on only three heart tricks plus two in spades, two for sure in diamonds and one in clubs. The best line of play is to try for the extra trick in diamonds.

Declarer should win the first club lead in case he can block the club suit (try five clubs in West's hand and a doubleton 10 in East's to see what I mean). A low heart is led to the jack and a diamond led. If West plays low, the jack can win. The heart queen is led and overtaken with the king. Another diamond is led and again if West plays low, the queen can win. A low spade to the king and a third diamond is led. West cannot stop

declarer from making three diamond tricks.

There is no reasonable way to make the hand if a high diamond is led from dummy at any time. But if declarer leads towards his honors every time, three diamond tricks are his and so is three no trumps.

Last week's winners at the Acton Bridge Club were: first, Dick Frust and Tom Waines; second, Jack and Kate Coats; third, Gloria Coats and Ivan Harris.

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LINDA CARBONETTO

Ice capades star Parcel post rates will be hiked Jan. 1

Appearing in this year's Ice Capades Show at Maple Leaf Gardens is a special thrill for 20-year-old Linda Carbonetto. It was here, last January, that she won the coveted Canadian Free Style skating title.

Because her father is a member of Canada's foreign service, Linda has spent most of her life in Europe and the United States. Though she showed exceptional promise at an early age, it wasn't until her family returned to Canada in 1966 that she began to take skating seriously. Under the skilled guidance of Toronto's Ellen Burka, Linda became one of the top three free-style skaters in the world. (Quite a success story for a girl whose first skating experience as a child was therapy for weak ankles).

Linda Carbonetto's dynamic performance will be a feature of the Ice Capades Show from November 3rd to November 9th at Maple Leaf Gardens, where tickets are now on sale.

Communications Minister Eric Kierans announced hikes in Canadian and international parcel post rates designed he said, to simplify the rate structure and bring parcel post revenues and costs into balance. The major change comes into effect January 1, 1970 when the rates for the 92 million parcels mailed and delivered in Canada each year will be revised. Under the new rates, the minimum charge will be forty-five cents for a one-to-two pound parcel within a zone and the maximum will be three dollars and fifty-five cents for a 25 pound item between the Atlantic provinces and the western region of Alberta-B.C.-Yukon.

The increase in domestic surface parcel post rate is calculated to bring revenues and expenditures into line in this category of post office operations, in contract to an estimated deficit, before the rate changes, of \$8.7 million in the fiscal year 1969-70. The effect

of this change, in the fiscal year 1970-71, is calculated at \$14.7 million. In announcing the revisions, Mr. Kierans noted that parcels weighing up to six pounds make up approximately 80 per cent of Canadian parcel post traffic and that increases in these weight ranges will vary from 10 to 20 cents per parcel. The impact of this increase, on the basis of an individual who mails a half-dozen one-to-two pound parcels a year, is estimated at one dollar per person per year.

Included in the new rate structure is an adjustment of the surface parcel post rates to and from Canadian Forces Post Offices and Fleet Mail Offices. They have not been changed since the introduction of that service in 1951. The new rates effective 1st January 1970 will be: 50c for the first 2 lbs. 15c each additional pound.

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