Letters

Enlightening, Timely

This is to let you know that enjoy reading DAWN Magazine. I find the articles very interesting and I thought the article on Cinque, the African slave, was enlightening, timely and had historic value as well.

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Myths of History

The Amistad Research Center holds the records of the committee established to defend the Amistad Africans in 1839 and also the records of the Mendi Mission established in Sierra Leone after the Africans were returned to their home.

Among the thousands of manuscripts in these records, there is not one piece of documentary evidence to support the statement by Lucius H. Henegan in the August 31 DAWN that "irony of ironies, he (Cinque) himself became a slave trader."

While we cannot prove that this statement is untrue, the absence of documentary evidence leads us to believe that it is one of those myths of history repeated again and again by persons who have not checked the original sources.

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Heighten the gaiety of the entertainment season with a cheerful punch bowl of cool refreshing Kool-Aid unsweetened soft drink mix teamed with tangy fruit juices. Add excitement by threading stirrers with brightly colored fruits.

Brighten Holidays With Colorful Punches

It is time to pull out the punch bowl and polish the glasses — the great gadabout season has begun.

Young people home for the holidays visit about; old friends meet to toast the coming New Year. The punch bowl becomes a cheerful gathering place for all ages.

Here is an inexpensive holiday punch that can be prepared at the last minute or even after unexpected holiday guests have arrived. Combine any bright red flavor of Kool-Aid unsweetened soft drink mix with tangy lemon juice, refreshing pineapple juice and icy cold water. Or maybe a sparkling, bubbly Colorful Cooler is the order for the evening.

Unsweetened and sugar-sweetened soft drink mixes are easy to use, inexpensive, store on the cupboard shelf ready to work at a moment's notice, and can be made in large quantities.

The bright holiday color can be further enhanced by floating different fruits on top of the punch or centering a gay red or green maraschino in an ice cube

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Quick Quotes

By
David M. Warren

"The biggest trouble with the human race is that mankind is afflicted with an incurable malady called human nature."

"Beauty is something that mother nature gives and father time takes back."

"Of all the great teachings, the simple philosophy of Jesus Christ stands out like an island of good in a sea of evil."

"People who search the hardest for happiness, usually find the least of it."

"Unless the easy availability of handguns is curbed, this great country faces the danger of being destroyed by an epidemic of triggernosis."

"Instead of being in what is said, sometimes the message is in what is left unsaid."

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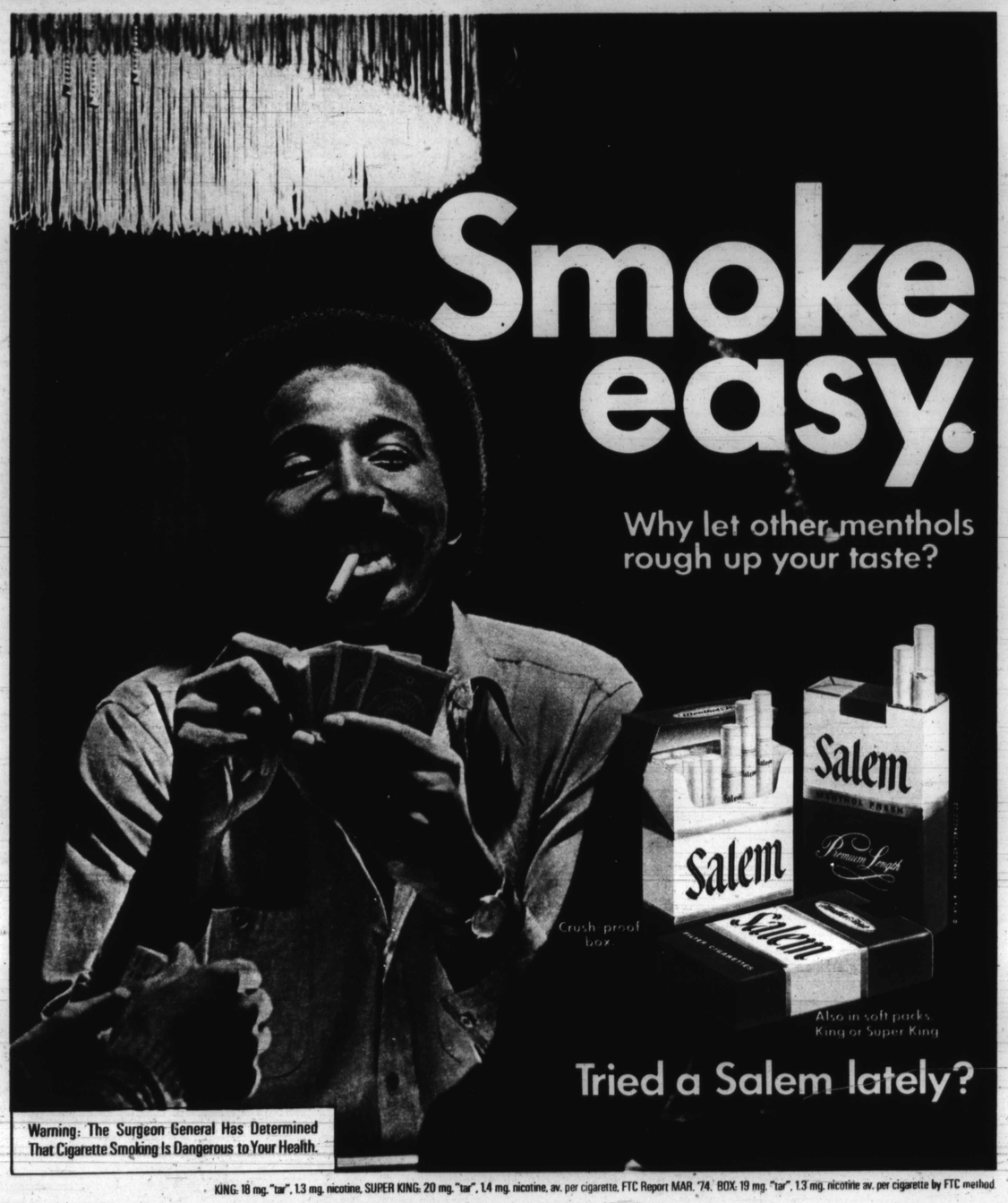

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