Letters to the Editor

Letters must include signature and mailing address. Names may be withheld for adequate reason. The editor reserves the right to condense letters.

SMALLER SIZE

Houston, TX—I have just received my November issue of Dawn, and must say the new size is more convenient. However, I can't help but wonder why Dawn is now smaller.

MRS. DALE EDWARDS

One of the major reasons for the change in size is strictly economics. It stands to reason that if the publication is smaller, then it uses less newsprint. Over the past several years, the price of newsprint has gone up consistently, and as a way of coping with this, publications all over the world have reduced their size—Dawn Magazine included.

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SUBSCRIPTION

Virginia Beach, VA—Can you please tell me how much it would cost to have the monthly issue of Dawn Magazine sent to me. I am intensely interested in having the horoscope included in the magazines.

MISS LETHA DELAPENNA

Guess this is as good a time as any to re-emphasize that Dawn Magazine is available only through member newspapers. On this page are the publications which carry Dawn on a monthly basis.

We might suggest, however, that to insure getting your copy each month, a subscription to one of the member newspapers would be instrumental in insuring the delivery.

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PROPER DATES

Trenton, N.J.—Being a Capricorn, I have noted a slight discrepancy in the dates of the various signs of the zodiac as put in Dawn Magazine.

For example, I had always used the dates, Dec. 21 - Jan. 20 as the Capricorn range. This is what I had always believed. But I note in Dawn, there is a difference in dates.

Where does Dawn get those dates, and how authentic are they? Please.

JO ANN MILLER

The Astrological dates as used in Dawn Magazine are the ones certified by the American Federation of Astrology, headquartered in Tempe, AZ.

Penny Brady, who authors the column In the Stars, for Dawn Magazine, instituted the change so that Dawn would be in conformity with the accepted dates of the astrological society.

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This Month

- Celebrity Roundup is back this month, and can be found on page 4.
- This month's sports feature, by top-ranked sportswriter Sam Lacy, is on page 6.
- News from the nation's capital will be found in National Roundup, page 9.
- The holiday foods features begin on page 11.
- Horoscope fans will find In The Stars on page 16.
- The Poetrie Gallerie is located on page 20 in this issue.
- Focus on Fashions gives some insights on how to achieve that chic look. Page 22.
- Record Review Ratings is on page 25 this edition.

Editor's Desk

For the past three years, Dawn Magazine has portrayed a gorgeous holiday dish on the front cover of the December edition, and this year is no exception.

You'll find the recipes for those gorgeous-looking fruitcakes on page 12 in this issue.

Actually, there were so many recipes sent in for use in this issue, which is mainly devoted to holiday foods, that we couldn't get all of them in. So next month, we will feature some of theme.

While we're about it, one of our regular contributors, Ann Williams-Roblow who hails from the West coast and has spent time in Texas, compiled a story of some of the holiday customs in other cultures.

And, happily, Grandma Says is back in this issue. So now, all of those Dawn Magazine features you said you like, are in place.

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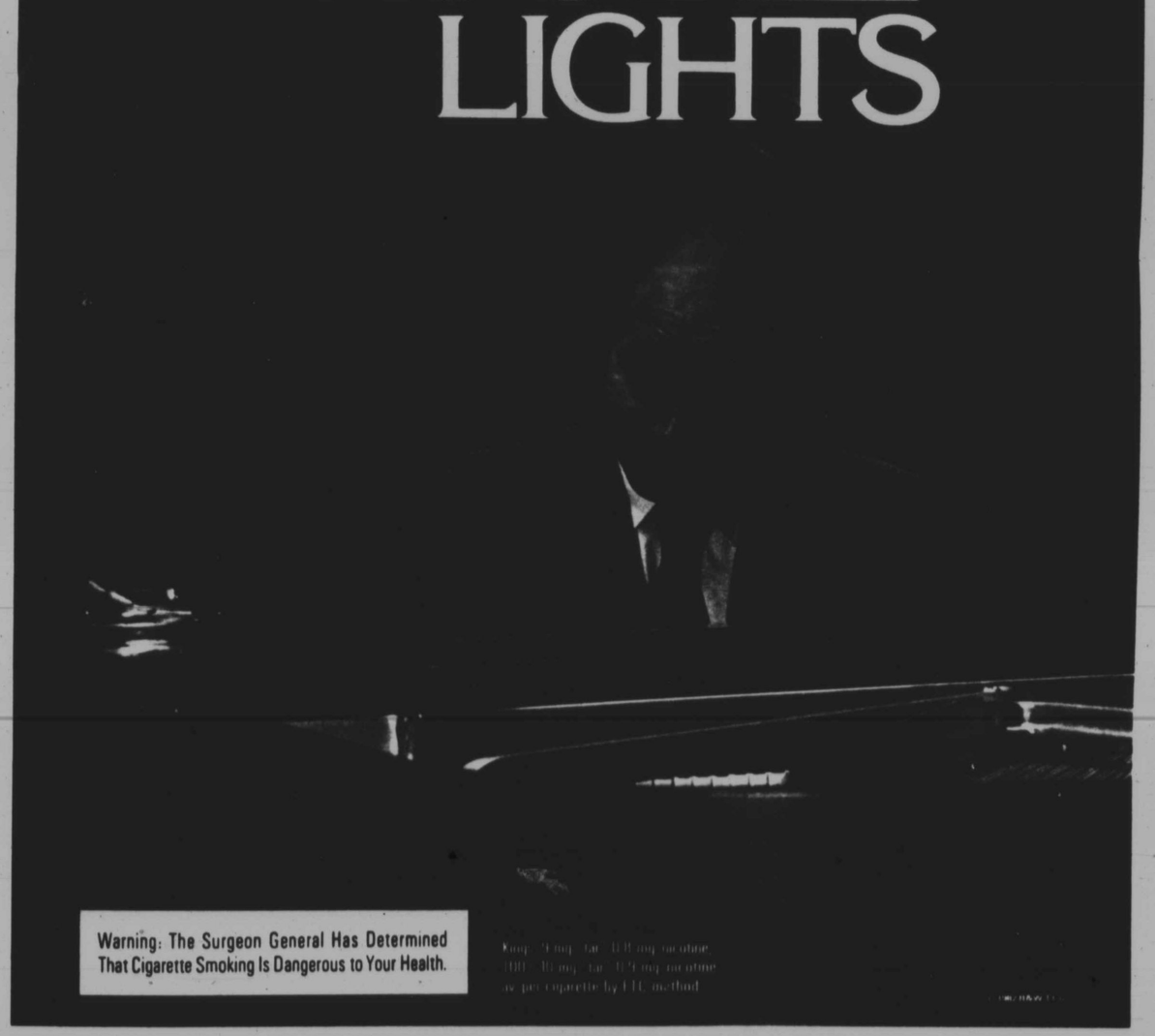

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