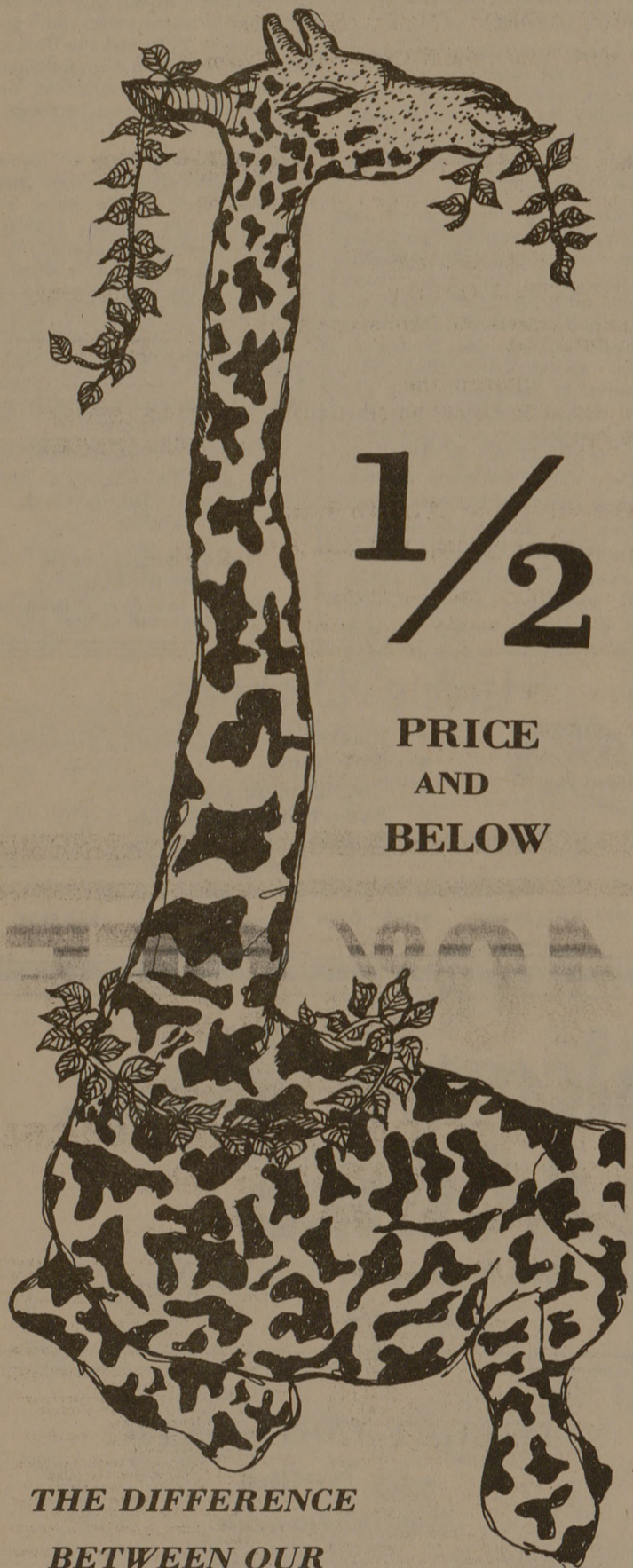


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Miss - Information

Christmas holidays, like the snow, have melted away all too fast into our memory and thoughts turn back to school. Making 8 a.m. classes is not easy after sleeping late over the holidays.

Elegant Fashion Returns In Menswear Collection

The elegant international man with conservative tastes is back in vogue for 1973 if recent fashion previews are an indication.

Dust And Polish Indoor Foliage

Keeping indoor foliage plants clean and attractive requires a little extra effort, says Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Leaves may be kept clean by using a soft camel hair brush or damp cloth or sponge once or twice a month to remove dirt which collects.

To get a high gloss on some plant foliage, gently brush the surface with a soft cheese cloth or a soft, fine brush.

Several commercial leaf polishes are available. If such materials are used, water the plants several hours prior to treating.

Plants with pubescent or hairy leaves are more difficult to clean. Occasional syringing of such plants with clean, warm water is beneficial.

His collection, aimed mainly at the upper crust of the mass volume market, is restrained and in step with the creations of other international men's designers.

Jackets will remain long, close fitting, shaped at the waist, and slightly shaped at the shoulder with two-button fastening.

The trouser look is very important. They'll be pleated, fit snugly over the hips and taper out to feature deep cuffs that are generally 25 inches wide and 2 inches deep.

Suits will be complemented with 4 to 5-button waist coats, some of which will be sewn-off at the waist.

Amies emphasizes that accessories must complement the total look since balance is the basis for styling.

A most important accessory to the new look is the high-heeled shoe. Amies believes that a heel 2 to 2 1/2 inches high is most comfortable for walking and balancing the wide-cuffed trousers.

As for casual clothes, Hardy Amies says his approach is uncontrived and "very functional—pockets to put hands in, gloves in. Collars that button up, zip up, and stay up."

Food Costs Lower With Edible Containers

"If predictions of some food scientists are correct, consumers may really get to eat what they pay for," according to a foods and nutrition specialist.

Karen Kreipke with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, noted this week that edible containers such as ice cream cones, pie crusts and gelatin capsules may have encouraged food scientists to look for more.

Citing recent developments, she explained that "coatings which act as a release agent in the frying pan, such as Myvacet, have been used on fresh poultry before freezing to reduce moisture losses by 85 per cent.

"Some coatings also add a nutritious substance to the product.

"Water soluble films are already available for packaging instant tea, dehydrated soup and powdered drinks.

"Can you imagine dropping an envelope of soup into boiling water and stirring a minute—while the soup powder, as well as the envelope, dissolve?" she grinned.

Turning to some possible stumbling blocks, Miss Kreipke listed sanitation and strength as problems.

"Edible containers must be protected from dust and bacterial contamination, which will add to

packing costs and increase to the consumer.

"These edible containers must be strong enough to stand touching and handling as well as strong enough to protect the product.

"So far, no coating has been found suitable for all purposes she reported.

"Except for beeswax and lard, there are very few natural products in nature to exploit in this way.

"So while edible containers are a possibility, there are many problems to solve before we expect to eat all that we buy when we buy food."

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