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ASTRONOMERS FIND RAYS BLINDING

Astronomers at the Cornfield Observatory have announced the discovery of a new star emitting a dangerous radiation. Amateur and professional astronomers are being warned to avoid viewing the Venetia Star Cluster. The dangerous radiation, when collected and magnified in the telescope, burns the retina causing irreversible blindness.

Venetia has been an active area in the night sky and many astronomers have been studying it. Several astronomers have been afflicted by the rays and wish to inform the rest of the scientific community of the dangers.

Dr. Erma Sterman has determined there is no danger to the general public. "Most of the rays are dispersed by the ozone layer of the atmosphere. Blindness is caused only when the rays are collected in the telescope, and when viewed through the eyepiece they will burn your eyeballs out of their sockets."

A fund has been setup to help those scientists that have been effected by the radiation. Donations can be sent to Erma at the Cornfield Observatory. She said any help would be used for the new Venetian Blinds.

FREE TRIP VIEWED AS SINISTER EXPERIMENT

1,500 male members of the White and Hampshire families received letters proclaiming them winners of a free trip to Cuba. Investigations showed that genetic scientists in England reached an agreement with Cuban scientists to provide pigs with the proper genetic make-up in return for 5,000 tons of sugar. Once the pigs reach Cuba they will be lured into brothels where they will be matched with the proper females.

Even with the knowledge of this sweet deal no one has refused the trip.

WASH-A-TON HOLIDAY MAY BE CANCELED

Plans for the Wash-a-ton holiday are still being carried out despite warnings from the Water Commissioner. Concern over the limited water reserves may force many pigs to skip their bath for this year. This has not happened since the great dust bowl. Barry said there is a good chance of rain, but forgot to say when.

FRUIT FLY IN WART COUNTY

Farmers are being asked to prepare for the approaching fruit fly. "I was asked, Farmer Jones replied, "I've been farming for more than 50 years and have only seen it fail. I ain't never seen no fruit fly!"

MOVIES IN REVIEW "OCTOPIGGY"

James Barn, 770, saves the world from hunger in this spy thriller. The evil Dr. Hognot has invented a bacteria that will eat every bit of corn on earth, if he gets the chance to release it. As always, Cuba gives James a full array of special weapons designed to give him the advantage over Hognot's evil plans.

The action builds as each trap is avoided until James encounters the dreaded meat grinder. This is a must see film by anyones standard.