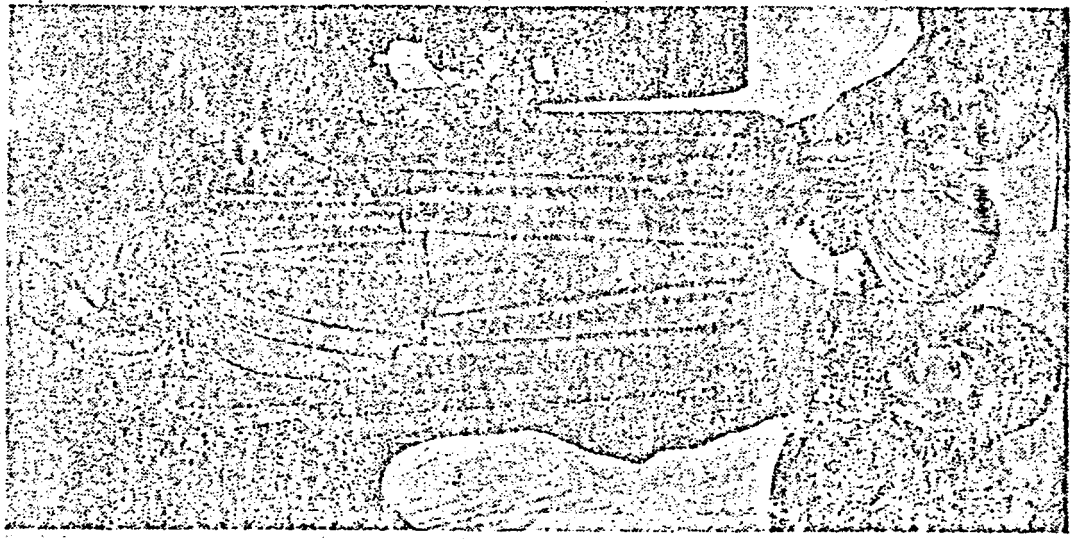


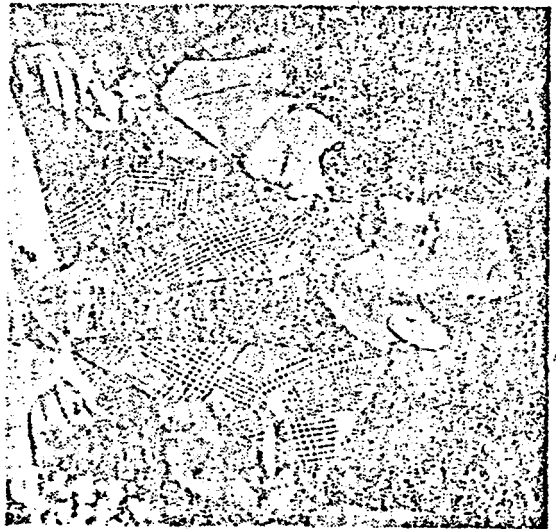
LOVE or LIFE



BAREFOOT Liza shows one very dirty foot as she kneels to talk with two party guests. Alvin, wife of Sammy Davis Jr., and Shirley

Liza's Back In Town!

... And Anything Goes As the Stars Whoop It Up

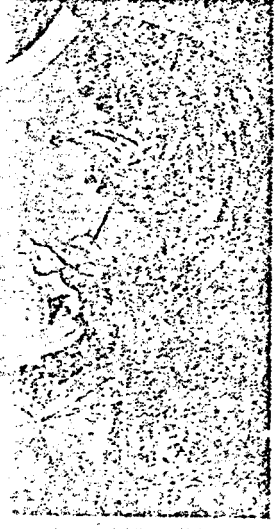


LIZA snuggles up to husband Jack Haley Jr., who threw the party for her to celebrate her return from months of filming in Mexico. They kept the party going until the small hours.

Liza's back! And what a grand return. When a bubbly Liza Minnelli came back from months of location filming in Mexico, her delighted hus-



INVITATION: To make sure everyone at the party got the point of the affair — to celebrate her return to Hollywood — this is how Liza Minnelli appeared on the party invitations.



REYNOLDS' arrival was the surprise of the night. He popped in for 15 minutes.

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The average American patient spends 12 minutes with the doctor during an office visit, according to a recent U.S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare study.

The first major survey to study why and how men people go to doctors was conducted by the National Opinion Research Center. And it revealed that the average general practitioner — who sees 18 patients a week — spends about 10 minutes with each patient. The average specialist, however, sees 9 patients a week and devotes about 15 minutes to each patient, according to the study. And pediat-

STUDY REVEALS

Shortly after my car failed to start, my 4-year-old son came into the house and promptly told me that he had fixed it. He had put the water hose in the gas tank — and turned the water on until the gas tank was full.

—Maxine Vonderheide, Liberty, Ill.

one side, it pictured the superstar with the message, "Liza's back!" scrawled — where else? — on her back.

At the appointed hour on July 26, some 130 well-wishers poured into Chasen's restaurant in Beverly Hills. And The ENQUIRER was there to capture all the fun and excitement.

A radiant Liza showed up in a hot-red gown, complete with turban and a flowing scarf, which she twirled merrily around her hand. But the superstar really stood out for what she neglected to wear — shoes. "I always wanted to go to Chasen's barefoot," she quipped, "and when it's your party, you wear what you want!"

Glad to be home, a happy Liza pranced gaily around the room, stopping once to kiss actor David Janssen and frequently to chat with guests. When she knelt to speak with Althea Davis, wife of Sammy Jr., and Shirley MacLaine, her dirty bare

ENCOUNTER GOES TO A PARTY

DAVID JANSEN come clone to the gold bosh and got a welcoming kiss from Liza.

feet stood out in sharp contrast to the ultra-posh decor.

The surprise hit of the evening was the appearance of heckle superstar Furt Reynolds, with his pretty date — Liza's half-sister, Lorna Luft.

Lovely Liza — who had just completed filming "Lucky Lady" in Guanajuato, Mexico — enchanted the guests when she sang a Judy Garland number while perched atop a piano. Then she dissolved into blishes and giggles and ran to the waiting arms of husband Jack Haley Jr. The merry-makers — who included Frank Sinatra, Gene Hackman, Ryan O'Neal, his little daughter, Tatum and Raquel Welch — celebrated far into the night.

Major Survey Reveals... Why — And How Often

tricians are the busiest doctors of all — they see an average of 13 children per week.

James DeLozier, who compiled the study, said it covered 1,103 doctors registered with the American Medical Assn. or the American Orthopedic Assn., who answered questions on 30,000 patient visits.

"From the information gathered," he said, "we estimate that there were 614.9 million visits to office-based physicians in the U.S. from May 1973 to April 1974," he said. The study revealed that:

- Females accounted for 3 out of every 5 visits.
- The average patient made 3.1 visits to the doctor during the year.
- Children under 15 accounted for 19.4 percent of all visits, people from 15 to 24 accounted for 15.4 percent, people from 25 to 44 for 24.7 percent, people from 45 to 64 for 21.9 percent and people over 65 for 15.6 percent.
- Among patients who presented symptoms,

People Visit Doctors

rather than just coming in for a checkup, almost 10 percent complained of problems (pain, sprain, swelling, fractures, etc.) of the upper and lower extremities and back.

• Colds, sore throats and coughs accounted for more than 8 percent of all visits.

• Lab tests were given to 1 in 5 patients and almost 1 in 5 patients were given injections.

• Drugs were prescribed for almost half the patients.

• About half the patients who visited doctors were not seriously ill, 30 percent were moderately serious and 20 percent were seriously ill. About 2 percent were admitted to hospitals.

• More than 50 percent of the visits were by patients who had been previously treated for the same problem by the same physician.

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