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Subject: SMITH, ROBERT ELLIS

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

The enclosed 85 pages of records were determined to be responsive to your subject and were previously processed and released pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). Please see the selected paragraphs below for relevant information specific to your request as well as the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for standard responses applicable to all requests.

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Please refer to the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for additional standard responses applicable to your request. **"Part 1"** of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. **"Part 2"** includes additional standard responses that apply to all requests for records about yourself or any third party individuals. **"Part 3"** includes general information about FBI records that you may find useful. Also enclosed is our Explanation of Exemptions.

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You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

Sincerely,



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Information Management Division

Enclosure(s)

FBI FOIPA Addendum

As referenced in our letter responding to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request, the FBI FOIPA Addendum provides information applicable to your request. Part 1 of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. Part 2 includes standard responses that apply to requests for records about individuals to the extent your request seeks the listed information. Part 3 includes general information about FBI records, searches, and programs.

Part 1: The standard responses below apply to all requests:

- (i) **5 U.S.C. § 552(c).** Congress excluded three categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIPA [5 U.S.C. § 552(c)]. FBI responses are limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIPA. Additional information about the FBI and the FOIPA can be found on the www.fbi.gov/foia website.
- (ii) **Intelligence Records.** To the extent your request seeks records of intelligence sources, methods, or activities, the FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1), (b)(3), and as applicable to requests for records about individuals, PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(1), (b)(3), and (j)(2)]. The mere acknowledgment of the existence or nonexistence of such records is itself a classified fact protected by FOIA exemption (b)(1) and/or would reveal intelligence sources, methods, or activities protected by exemption (b)(3) [50 USC § 3024(i)(1)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that any such records do or do not exist.

Part 2: The standard responses below apply to all requests for records on individuals:

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- (ii) **Requests for Records about any Individual—Witness Security Program Records.** The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could identify any participant in the Witness Security Program pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(3) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(3), 18 U.S.C. 3521, and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.
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- (i) **Record Searches.** The Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS) searches for reasonably described records by searching systems or locations where responsive records would reasonably be found. A standard search normally consists of a search for main files in the Central Records System (CRS), an extensive system of records consisting of applicant, investigative, intelligence, personnel, administrative, and general files compiled by the FBI per its law enforcement, intelligence, and administrative functions. The CRS spans the entire FBI organization, comprising records of FBI Headquarters, FBI Field Offices, and FBI Legal Attaché Offices (Legats) worldwide; Electronic Surveillance (ELSUR) records are included in the CRS. Unless specifically requested, a standard search does not include references, administrative records of previous FOIPA requests, or civil litigation files. For additional information about our record searches, visit www.fbi.gov/services/information-management/foipa/requesting-fbi-records.
- (ii) **FBI Records.** Founded in 1908, the FBI carries out a dual law enforcement and national security mission. As part of this dual mission, the FBI creates and maintains records on various subjects; however, the FBI does not maintain records on every person, subject, or entity.
- (iii) **Requests for Criminal History Records or Rap Sheets.** The Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division provides Identity History Summary Checks – often referred to as a criminal history record or rap sheet. These criminal history records are not the same as material in an investigative “FBI file.” An Identity History Summary Check is a listing of information taken from fingerprint cards and documents submitted to the FBI in connection with arrests, federal employment, naturalization, or military service. For a fee, individuals can request a copy of their Identity History Summary Check. Forms and directions can be accessed at www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks. Additionally, requests can be submitted electronically at www.edo.cjis.gov. For additional information, please contact CJIS directly at (304) 625-5590.
- (iv) **National Name Check Program (NNCP).** The mission of NNCP is to analyze and report information in response to name check requests received from federal agencies, for the purpose of protecting the United States from foreign and domestic threats to national security. Please be advised that this is a service provided to other federal agencies. Private Citizens cannot request a name check.

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
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- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
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- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
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- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

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- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Marshall

DATE: 8/9/73

FROM : Mr. Malmfield

SUBJECT: DOC ANDERSON: THE MAN WHO SEES TOMORROW"
BY ROBERT E. SMITH
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The Director has requested an indices check in connection with the captioned book which has been received from an anonymous source in Coral Gables, Florida.

The book consists of a collection of prophecies made by Doc Anderson and mentions the FBI twice. In Chapter X entitled "Short-Range Predictions--1970 and 1971" he states "I foresee a new director for the Federal Bureau of Investigation." In Chapter XI entitled "A State-by-State Look at the Seventies" in a subtitled section called "The Sacking of Washington!" he indicates "FBI files will be destroyed."

Bufiles contain no references identifiable with the author Robert E. Smith; however, "Books in Print" reveals that he is the author of numerous books, mainly of this same type.

Bureau indices were checked on the publisher, Paperback Library, and on Brad Steiger who wrote the introduction to the book with negative results. Bureau Library references indicate that Steiger's true name is Eugene E. Olson, born 2/19/36, in Iowa, and that he is president of Other Dimensions, Inc., Decorah, Iowa.

The subject of the book is Robert Charles "Doc" Anderson of Rossville, Georgia. Anderson, who was born 4/16/08, is a self-styled astrologer, seer, fortune teller, etc., and, according to Bufiles (dating back to 1955) he has a large clientele consisting mainly of Negroes and uneducated white people. In 1955, Anderson was the victim of an extortion attempt which was investigated by the FBI. (88-9511-100, 103, 106) In 1969 and 1970, Anderson was under investigation to determine if he was in violation of Federal gambling statutes. During this investigation, Anderson denied that he had ever gambled as a business or done personal gambling, although he admitted that he frequently receives calls from various persons

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asking for a "good number." He stated he always told them no one can predict the number and if they persisted, he gave them a number, but no conditions of payment were involved. Investigation was discontinued when the Assistant United States Attorney declined prosecution. (165-3283;) b7D

Bufiles also reflect that in March, 1971, an anonymous source from Miami, Florida, forwarded Mr. Hoover three copies of "Predictions" by R. C. "Doc" Anderson of Rossville, Georgia, which contained notations in the margins similar to those in the margins of the enclosed book. (62-0-77117)

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

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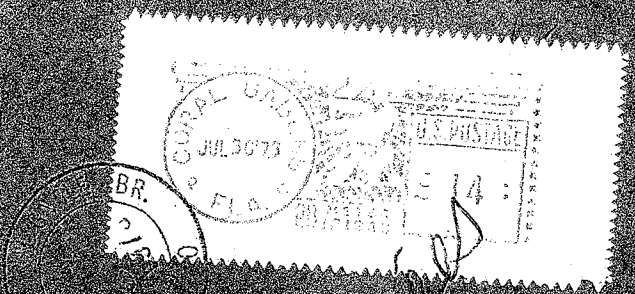
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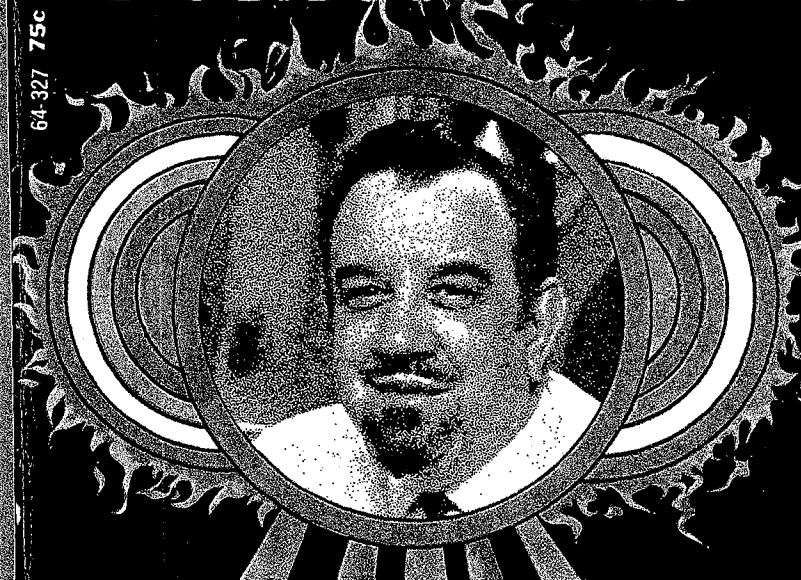
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THE MAN WHO SEES TOMORROW

By Robert E. Smith

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Introduction

By Brad Steiger

R. C. "Doc" Anderson—"The Man Who Sees Tomorrow"—is a remarkable psychic whose predictions have been *proved in print* many months or years prior to the event. As a skeptical, but open-minded, investigator of the paranormal, I have been impressed with his predictive ability, and he is certainly one of the foremost ESP practitioners today. Doc Anderson has foreseen many world-shattering events, including the assassinations of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Senator Robert Kennedy, and President John Kennedy.

"Doc Anderson is an astrologer, prophet and ESP practitioner whose talents are impossible to ignore," *Saga* magazine stated, recently. "Anderson dominates the psychic field with his proven prowess . . . and has compiled a 95 per cent accuracy in his forecasts of the future. His offices at 302 Gordon Avenue, Rossville, Georgia, are crammed with newspaper clippings of his predictions published well in advance of the event."

Columnist Robert Boyle of the *Pottstown* (Pennsylvania) *Daily Mercury* recently told his readers of Anderson's psychic abilities in his newspaper column:

" . . . I approached Anderson as a skeptic. After we had finished talking (by telephone) about ESP and his various predictions, he said: 'Now, I'll tell you something about yourself.'"

"And he did."

"Despite a distance of 1,000 miles he was able to pinpoint things that occurred that most people would not know about."

"He discussed an operation I had when I was eighteen years old.

"Then, he went into my background and hit the nail on the head each time. Some of the things he told me amazed me.

"In effect, my life was an open book to him. But he didn't stop there but went into the future, too. There was no possible way for him to know what had occurred. He told me of small incidents which I figured in that were even forgotten by me. I don't know how he did it. But I don't doubt that *he did do it.*"

Today, we consider such remarkable clairvoyant insight to be eerie, or a part of the "supernatural." Visions of the past, or future, are considered strange because we do not understand the mental processes surrounding these unknown qualities of the human mind. The psychic powers which you will read about in *The Man Who Sees Tomorrow* cannot be neatly categorized into our present knowledge of the physical sciences. Sometime in the near, or distant, future, we will have a scientific breakthrough; clairvoyance, precognition, prophecy, and other manifestations of extrasensory perception will be accepted as a normal function of the mind. Today, or in the immediate future, Doc Anderson's psychic gifts cannot be reduced to a mathematical formula or distilled into a test tube. Nevertheless, author Robert E. Smith has written a well-documented book with proof attesting to existence of clairvoyance in Doc Anderson.

Along with his psychic talents, Doc Anderson has lived the kind of life that frequently exists only in a Hollywood scenario for an adventure epic. He sailed to exotic countries, visiting foreign ports as a young seaman on merchant ships. He boxed in the ring as a prizefighter, starred as a wrestler, and is considered to be one of the world's leading experts on judo. Anderson traveled from coast to coast during the hungry depression days of the nineteen thirties, billed as "Little Samson—The Strong Man." One of his feats of strength was to lift an automobile before

a startled group of spectators. He has also been a world's champion bullfighter—Roman-style—facing the bulls in barehanded combat. He has also appeared in the bullrings of Mexico and Spain as a traditional matador.

This, then, is the remarkable story of Doc Anderson—an astonishing individual who has utilized both his physical and mental abilities to an astonishing degree.

BRAD STEIGER
Chicago, Illinois

Part 1

Chapter I

THE MAN WHO SEES TOMORROW

"... There will be new information released concerning the drowning of Mary Jo Kopechne. These revelations will be detrimental to Senator Ted Kennedy and persons close to the Senator."

"... Volcanic eruptions will create a terrible disaster in Vermont."

NO → "We will live to see the legalization of marijuana."

"... Washington, D.C., will become a city of scandal in 1970, with many prominent politicians in the news with stories of their dishonesty."

? ("The next great war will start with Red China striking through the skies with two nuclear bombs. Shortly thereafter, the United States and Russia will ally again to destroy the aggressor."

These are just a few of the hundreds of astonishing predictions of the future made exclusively for this book by Robert Charles "Doc" Anderson, an astrologer, prophet, and practitioner of ESP. From his office at 302 Gordon Avenue in Rossville, Georgia, Doc Anderson has exhibited uncanny accuracy in predicting future events during the past three decades. His ninety-five percent accuracy in prophecy has astonished the psychic world; on every occasion, he has successfully withstood the challenges hurled by friends, newspapermen, other psychics, scientists, psychic investigators, and just plain skeptics.

In a field sprinkled with a more than usual number of charlatans, con men, and crackpots, Doc Anderson has become known as the "Man Who Sees Tomorrow." Many of his clients in the South refer to their favorite

psychic as "The Georgia Seer." On television, several commentators have labeled Anderson as "The Man With the Radar Mind," and newspapers frequently refer to him as a "Master Mentalist." Whatever his title, Anderson has compiled his fantastic record for prophetic accuracy by documenting his many predictions *in print* prior to the event.

Skeptics who scoff at his paranormal abilities are buried under a blizzard of documented proof when they visit Doc Anderson's office. His files are crammed with news clippings, tapes of radio and television programs, and signed documents from throughout the world attesting to his prophetic prowess.

A hearty, robust man who towers above any crowd, Doc Anderson is a 250-pound, six-foot-two-inch giant, still in trim physical shape despite his sixty-two years. He draws in a smooth, Southern accent, dark, twinkling eyes peer intently over a trim, stylish mustache and beard. He moves quickly, unusual both for a Southerner and for a man of half his age.

"I've been a boxer, wrestler, bullfighter, and professional strongman," Doc Anderson explained. "Early in life, I learned the value of staying in top physical condition. Both the mind and the body can be trained to perform unlimited feats; they must be maintained in excellent shape to enjoy the fullness of life."

Many years ago, Anderson won international acclaim as a psychic and clairvoyant. A number of his predictions are contained in one of the most impressive documents in psychical history. It was a day that Doc Anderson, and many others, are not likely to dismiss lightly.

It was late afternoon, and a pale winter sun had disappeared behind the clouds. Gloomy shadows edged down the slopes and over the cliffs to cast a dark shadow on the buildings at the base of Lookout Mountain. The frost had not melted during the day, and there was a cold, biting crispness in the wind. Doc Anderson pumped hard on the weary brakes of his 1938 Chevrolet, guiding

the sedan into the crowded parking lot beside his office at 302 Gordon Avenue in Rossville, Georgia.

The clairvoyant had hoped to forget the rigorous demands of his psychic practice and spend the entire day with his family. It was Christmas Day, December 25, 1944, and he had hoped to insulate his wife and children from news of war and death for a few brief hours. The Anderson family had barely started to open their gifts when the telephone rang on that Christmas morning. Doc Anderson rubbed the sleep from his eyes, wading through the mass of Christmas wrappings to answer the shrilling phone. A war wife was visiting her parents in Rossville; she would be leaving on the evening bus. She wanted a psychic reading on her soldier-husband before she returned to her job in an Ohio defense plant. Doc Anderson had reluctantly agreed to be at his office that afternoon. The phone continued to ring persistently throughout the day. Anderson telephoned his two assistants; they opened up the reception room at his office, turned up the heat, and welcomed the clients.

Frost crinkled beneath his feet as Doc Anderson stepped from the parked car and strode toward the reception room. His ungloved hand closed over the cold metal doorknob. Suddenly, a faint ray of sunshine glistened against a Christmas ornament attached to the door. The glittering light reflected back into the seer's eyes. Anderson's massive body tightened with an alarming stiffness; his eyes were transfixed on the dancing light. A swirling vision swarmed into his mind, and he was conscious of a premonition of anxiety.

"You will be challenged today," an inner voice warned. "Someone will be critical of your power. They will demand proof..."

Suddenly, the door was pulled open by James Grant, Anderson's elderly assistant. Grant's mouth dropped open. He stared at the psychic for a moment.

"What is it?" Grant asked, frightened.

The vision that had started to form in the seer's mind

vanished. The inner voice drifted away into an abrupt void. Anderson's listless body sagged against the door frame. Almost reluctantly, his mind returned from psychic timelessness to the present moment of worldly reality.

"I'm all right, buddy," Anderson said, walking unsteadily into the reception room. He was conscious of the curious stares from his clients; they were bewildered by his unusual entrance.

"I'll get you a glass of water," James Grant said, anticipating Anderson's thirst following an intense psychical experience. Grant had been an aide and companion to some of the world's most gifted psychics. He had discovered early in his studies that there was a definite pattern between the gift of clairvoyance and the loss of body fluids during a trance. Anderson was the largest and strongest psychic Grant had ever assisted and, he discovered, the strongman often lost five pounds of weight during an intense psychical experience.

Anderson removed his topcoat and turned to his clients. "I apologize for my entrance," he said. "I have not been nipping at a bottle of moonshine, or Christmas cheer of the liquid type. I started to open the door when I slipped into a trance. When Jim opened the door, I returned to the present."

Anderson felt strong and sure now, but his sixth sense suddenly detected strong vibrations of doubt in the room. The reception room was furnished like a lounge, and Anderson's dark, intense eyes roved over the six women and two men waiting patiently for their readings. The hostile vibrations came from a tall, fat, neckless man who sat in the corner of the room, sipping from a bottle of Coca-Cola. The fat man wore a white shirt, open at the collar, and his huge belly overflowed the trousers of his blue serge suit. The fat man stared directly toward Anderson, and the seer felt an intense wave of hostility surround him.

"Let's start with the ladies first," Anderson said, diplomatically. He sipped the glass of water brought by his

assistant and shrugged off the vibrations. You can wait until the last, he thought, glancing toward the fat man.

Anderson stepped into his inner office and made preparations for the private consultations. Some of the clients who seek psychic advice are troubled by very personal problems; absolute privacy is essential to encourage these individuals to relate their questions with unswerving honesty. In addition, Doc Anderson knew his powers of extrasensory perception could be disturbed by a sudden, unexpected noise.

Cloistered in the quiet of his office, Anderson discovered the psychic readings for the six women progressed swiftly. It was almost as if the threat of challenge had erased all clouds from his psychic mind. The six ladies were concerned about the safety of their loved ones, soldiers who were fighting on the battlefields of World War II. Five of the women brought photographs of their soldiers; the sixth produced a V-mail letter written by her husband.

As Anderson's fingertips passed gently over the objects, a tableau leaped into his mind. The soldiers were alive, well, and there were no vibrations of death on the battlefield. One young man was huddled in the gloomy, bloodsoaked Hürtgen forest of Luxembourg—desperately fighting in what would become known as the "Battle of the Bulge." He would also survive and return home. As the last woman left his office, Anderson bowed his head and said a thankful prayer; he was always personally disturbed when the dreaded vibrations foretold the death of some person.

His assistant, Jim Grant, led a clean-shaven, well-dressed young man into the office. "This is Mr. Ernest Shinbaum of Newark, New Jersey," Grant said, proudly. "Mr. Shinbaum has heard about you all the way up yonder. He heard you were a great psychic."

"Buddy, I hope I am as good tonight as they say," Anderson drawled as he reached for Shinbaum's hand.

The seer felt a prickly surge of hostile vibration emanating from the doorway to his office. He turned toward the entrance, pumping Shinbaum's hand, and saw the fat man leaning against the wall. His fleshy face leered with an amused grin.

"You will have to wait in the reception room," Anderson told the fat man. "Readings are a private matter between my client and me."

"That's Ed Adkins," Shinbaum said. "He's an old friend of mine. He wanted to be here when you gave me a reading. Frankly, he doesn't believe in your ability to predict the future."

After a brief discussion, Doc Anderson agreed to the fat man's sitting in on the reading. Ed Adkins waddled into the office, dropped into a chair, and glared toward the seer.

"I have a son who is serving overseas," Shinbaum said, pulling a worn, wallet-sized photograph from his pocket. "Your assistant said it would be helpful if I had a picture." He handed the photograph to Anderson.

The seer's fingertips glided over the photograph, then snapped upward without warning. A look of deep gloom and sorrow moved across Anderson's face.

"What do you see?" Shinbaum demanded, anxiously. "Is it bad news?"

"Friend, my heart goes out to you," Anderson said, sadly. "I have never lied during a reading and—"

The fat man laughed. "Ernie, here comes the pitch for a big fee," he sneered. "Didn't I tell you?"

"Be quiet," said Shinbaum.

"Your son will not return from the war," Anderson continued, sorrowfully. "And as a result, his mother will die of a heart attack within two years."

"I don't believe it," Shinbaum replied, defiantly.

"Stupid fortune-teller!" shouted the fat man, standing up and leaning over Anderson's desk. "You're a fake and a fraud! I'm going to stop you from frightening people with this vicious con game."

Doc Anderson suppressed his anger. Eventually, he knew, the world would accept the reality of psychic phenomena, the orphan science that could not be tested by the orthodox methods of scientific investigation. The strange powers of a man's mind simply could not be placed under a critical microscope in some sterile, stark-white laboratory. There were many things that defied belief and disputed the rules of science, time, and space. A premonition or a vision could rush into his mind like a cold, damp wind, foretelling a future catastrophe. Anderson had shaken hands with a complete stranger and been conscious of his death in the near future. Subsequently, the person had died just as he had seen in his vision. Psychic phenomena had been ignored, or suppressed, since the beginning of time. It seemed as if humanity was afraid to tap the resources of the human mind, frightened to unleash the powers of psychicism for their benefit. There has certainly been no battle when prophets, psychics, and so-called witches or warlocks have been fed to the lions, burned at the stake, or torn apart by some diabolical torture machine.

Anderson interrupted his thoughts and looked up into the fury of the fat man's anger. "I can only tell what I foresee," he said, quietly. "I am not a charlatan, and to tell Mr. Shinbaum anything other than what I see would be extremely dishonest."

"If you can see the future, then you're in league with the devil," bellowed the fat man.

"Ed, sit down," cautioned Ernest Shinbaum. "Let the man tell his story."

"You have the wrong impression of a psychic," Anderson said as Ed Adkins moved sullenly to his chair. "My ability to foretell the future is truly a gift from God. I will never abuse this second sight. If you are religious men, you know that the Bible is filled with many examples of prophecy. I am not an educated man, but I read the Bible every day. My lack of schooling prevents me from pronouncing some of the names of these prophets. But

Chapter III

THE PROPHET WHO PROVES HIS PREDICTIVE PROWESS

Since the beginning of recorded history, the often bizarre world of ESP, predictions, and prophecy has been clouded by the fraudulent claims of pseudo-prophets, those misguided individuals who loudly, lustily, proclaim the alleged manifestations of their non-existent psychic talents. Cranks with a warped view on life, kooks with buzzing sounds in their heads, and plain, ordinary con men with a yen for someone else's money discovered long ago that prophecy was a fertile field for their dubious talents. The dark snadow of these canny charlatans has frequently cast a shadow over the remarkable talents of the true psychic.

Since the first saber-tooth tiger howled in the darkness beyond the caveman's campfire, mankind has sought to lift the veil on the future. We consult soothsayers, oracles, astrologers, tea leaf readers, palm readers, mediums, and other practitioners of the occult arts. Many of these people are gifted with psychic ability. Others realize our collective and personal anxiety concerning the future. The unscrupulous find it is an easy matter to prey on a believer, tell them what they want to know, and sometimes gain widespread recognition in the process.

Even today, there are certain well-known psychics who cannot support their outrageous claims of seeing into the future. Accompanied by an expert press agent, looking vaguely mysterious, lugging a crystal ball, they point to a world-shattering event and proclaim, "I predicted that exact occurrence. I told my Aunt Maude about it!" Naturally, Aunt Maude agrees that the lady with the

crystal ball made her prediction many months prior to the event.

Despite the turmoil in the psychic field, a select group of gifted clairvoyants are now carefully documenting their predictive abilities with solid evidence. Doc Anderson is foremost among the group, and this explains the many visits to his office and studio by psi investigators, writers, newsmen, and scientists interested in ESP. "Embellished stories by Aunt Maudes or Uncle Henrys are simply not evidence," Doc Anderson drawled. "Anything in the field of ESP must have accurate documentation to convince any intelligent investigator. This is an unproven field, and there must be no possibility of error."

Throughout his thirty-year career, Anderson has published an annual forecast of events to occur during the coming year. These forecasts are always published prior to the New Year.

"I've heard that some psychics experience difficulty having their predictions published. They offered to the newspapers or magazines are not interested in their predictions," Anderson explained. "When I first opened my studio, there was certainly very little interest by the news media. So I purchased advertising space to publish my annual predictions, to get them in print, on record."

As is traditional with many other psychics, Anderson must phrase his predictions in words to indicate an event, without naming a person involved. However, he does follow up by supplying names to a selected group of newsmen on a private mailing list. "After my experience concerning the prediction on the death of President Roosevelt, I realized it was neither proper, nor advisable, to name a person in a published prediction," he drawled. "There is always a possibility that a prediction can miss. If this occurred, I could create considerable anxiety for a person and his loved ones during the year."

For many years, Southern newspapermen have interviewed Doc Anderson and obtained his annual predictions for their newspapers. His 1969 forecast was also pub-

lished nationally in *Saga* magazine's year-end edition. Evidence of his present prophetic ability can be gleaned by reviewing these predictions, made in August, 1968, and distributed nationally by the magazine in December, 1968. His predictions, and the results, included:

"... *The war in VietNam will continue during 1969. It will be some time before we realize that our true enemies in Asia are Red China and North Korea. America will have no rest until the Communist regime in China is replaced.*"

Unfortunately, Doc Anderson's prophecy on the war in Vietnam proved true. The remainder of the prediction expressed the seer's growing concern about Red China and North Korea; he feels these two nations are the true agitators of trouble in the Orient. In recent months, he has continued to emphasize his psychic distrust of these two countries. "America will have to deal with Red China," he declared emphatically. "North Korea and the Chinese are truly our real enemies in Asia."

"... *The Pueblo will be released soon by the North Korean Government. However, there will be serious trouble unless great care is exercised in the negotiations for their release. Crew members of the captured ship are in fair physical condition. The nation will be angered by the Communist brainwashing of these brave men.*" Later, appearing on television station WDEF-TV, Channel 12 in Chattanooga, Tennessee, Anderson told television newsman Bob Grills, "*The crew of the Pueblo will arrive in the U.S. with much celebration. There will be an investigation concerning their conduct by a military board. I predict that the commander of the Pueblo will be given a clean bill of conduct.*"

As we know, the *Pueblo* was released following some delicate negotiations with North Korea. The crewmen were flown to California, receiving warm greetings from their happy wives and families. Crew members were in fair physical condition. The remainder of Anderson's prediction was totally accurate.

"Various types of organizations will be exposed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as being fronts for Communists. It will be disclosed that these groups are funded by Cuba, Red China, and Russia."

The F.B.I. named several militant groups as pawns for Communists, stating these organizations received financial aid from various Communist countries.

"In the year ahead there will be a change in our relations with Russia. The Reds will adopt a hard line in dealing with Western powers. There is a possible change in leadership in Russia. I have seen two opposing forces struggling for power."

Russia did become less friendly to the United States, although there were no cold complications. No major crisis developed between the two countries. There was a definite possibility of a change of leadership in the U.S.S.R. as "hawks" and "doves" maneuvered for control of their country. Considerable tension existed in Russia over Communist relationships with China; also over their role as an occupying power in Czechoslovakia. The U.S. intelligence services reported twenty-two Russian military men, high-ranking officers, "committed suicide" or were victims of "fatal accidents" during 1969. This indicated to America's spy agencies that a power struggle existed in the Kremlin.

"Russian troops will remain in Czechoslovakia. However, their military occupation will not prevent the rise of democracy in the satellite countries. There will be more demonstrations behind the Iron Curtain."

The armored might of the Russian Army prevented the rise of a Czech democracy. There were several widespread demonstrations by the Czechs. Anderson elaborated on this prediction for this book: "Despite all that the Communist rulers will do, there will be a wave of democracy in the satellite countries. ~~The Russian people are also~~ stirring."

"There will be considerable turmoil on the nation's college campuses in the months ahead. Many student re-

bellions will be led by individuals with Communist leanings. Many students will be pawns in their conspiracy. There will be a strong reaction against campus riots by citizens, college presidents, and the Government. There will be laws enforced to stop them."

This prediction proved true, foretelling events as they occurred on campuses during the next twelve months. Anderson also foretold the Federal legislation, and several state laws, passed by lawmakers to prevent interstate travel to start riots.

"There will be continued tension inside China during 1969 with many problems for the present government."

Master strategist Mao Tse-tung experienced considerable trouble suppressing rebellion in the outlying provinces. There were also problems with the Russian-Chinese conflict on the borders.

"I see future unrest in Mexico and the possibility of revolution in that nation."

On the heels of the riots swarming around the Mexico City Olympics, many leftist organizations launched guerrilla warfare. Revolution is a real possibility at this time in our neighboring nation south of the border.

"I predict continued tension throughout South America, and the U.S. Government will be forced to pay more attention to these countries. Watch Brazil and Panama as trouble spots."

Leftist guerrilla bands and dissident anti-Government groups plagued the Brazilian Government as that nation reeled under the worst inflation of this century. Panama was a festering trouble spot, with military coups and a change of government.

"Despite many doubters, there will be continued economic prosperity in our nation during 1969. The U.S. gold supply will become stronger. The British pound sterling will become stabilized."

This was a true prediction of American and British economic events.

"The Middle East will be a place of continued strife

for many years. However, Israel will prevail. Nasser will experience great dangers to his regime."

The volatile Jewish-Arab strife continued as Nasser lost prestige in the Arab world. The greatest danger to his rule came with the rise of Arab commandos, seeking concessions from Arab nations in return for their hit-and-run raids on Israeli positions.

"A top leader of our nation will die within the next year."

Privately, Anderson informed the author and several newspapermen that the leader would be former President Dwight Eisenhower.

"I've known Ike for many years," he explained. "I did not want him to become disturbed by my prediction during his final days."

Anderson's friendship with President Eisenhower was told about by Ruth Montgomery in a column in the New York Sunday Mirror on September 16, 1956. Miss Montgomery, who later wrote *A Gift of Prophecy*, the story of seeress Jeanne Dixon, wrote:

WASHINGTON (INS)—President Eisenhower, stung by the blow from once rock-ribbed Republican Maine, may be finding a measure of solace in a reassuring letter from an old admirer.

R. C. "Doc" Anderson of Rossville, Georgia, a former Marine who fights bulls in flamboyant Roman style without benefit of weapons, claims also to be a seer of no mean repute.

Ike, while a young Army officer at Fort Oglethorpe, knew Doc as "Little Samson," a professional strongman. In those carefree days between the wars, Ike frequently assembled with his brother officers on the army post to cheer as Doc rode a horse on stage, dismounted, and carried the animal offstage on his shoulders."

"... You will not only be reelected [in 1956]," Doc wrote him [Eisenhower], "but you will serve out your

full term, refuse a third term, and live to see many other Presidents come and go."

"President Eisenhower was one of the finest people I have ever met," Anderson stated. "He was an exceptional person, a rare individual, and this nation was fortunate to have him as a President."

Other predictions for 1969 in the *Saga* article included:

"Although he will have his day in court, New Orleans' District Attorney James Garrison will be unable to prove his case of conspiracy in the assassination of President John Kennedy."

New Orleans businessman Clay Shaw was acquitted of conspiracy charges when his case was brought into court by D.A. Jim Garrison. **HE (CLAY) WAS GUILTY.**

"There will be unusual improvements in television sets in 1969. I have envisioned a set that uses some form of laser beam to project a picture on a wall," Anderson stated. "It is very small, about the size of a slide projector."

Although the improvements did not show up in the models in the dealer's showroom, there were many advances made in the laboratories of TV set manufacturers in 1969. The laser beam set that appeared in Doc Anderson's vision was apparently a device under research by the Zenith Corporation, which utilizes a laser beam to project an image on a screen. There were several other improvements, including new systems for home recording and play-back of TV tapes.

"A group of scientists will organize independently in 1969 to study Unidentified Flying Objects. Release of the Condon Report from the University of Colorado will hasten their decision to act."

In reality, several groups of scientists organized for an independent study of the UFO phenomena. Their actions followed release of the Condon Report, which summarily dismissed the UFO problem in a biased, unscientific manner.

"The coming months will see much dissension in the Catholic church, with challenges to the Pope coming from below. The Pope should act cautiously and guard his health from grave dangers."

Both the Catholic and the Protestant churches were racked with internal problems. Many priests in the Catholic church challenged the doctrine of infallibility and questioned the pronouncements from the Vatican. There were no announcements of possible danger to the Pope. "I have continued to feel vibrations emitting from the Pope," Anderson said. "These may well be a nervous condition, due to the strain of leading the church at a time of crisis. However, I must warn him of the grave dangers surrounding him."

"There will be more interest in matters of the occult and the supernatural in 1969."

The national interest in subjects related to psychic phenomena reached a new peak in the past year. "I also foresee this interest continuing and becoming stronger in the Seventies," Anderson remarked, recently. "Mankind is becoming more open-minded in the quest for answers to the problems of living."

"Scientists will study the ESP phenomena in a serious manner."

For the first year in history, there were more than twenty serious scientific studies in the United States on various manifestations of extrasensory perception. Other nations were also launching widespread studies of all forms of ESP.

"Wall Street will be rocked with numerous scandals in 1969. There will be laws passed to curb abuses and protect the small investor."

Several scandals boiled to the surface, including the loss or theft of securities, inept handling of paperwork, and the Securities Exchange Commission acted to protect the average investor.

"Science will announce the discovery of a drug to prolong life to more than 100 years. This will occur within

a decade. Old age as we know it will be forgotten. This drug will work on the arteries."

Before this prediction was published, two research doctors with the private Columbia Foundation in Andalusia, Alabama, cautiously released their studies of the drug disodium edetate for treatment of arteriosclerosis. They indicated that their research results were 90 percent favorable. "We believe hardening of the arteries should be a thing of the past within five years," they reported.

"A popular male singer and movie personality will experience career problems due to his friendship with racketeers and hoodlums."

The nation was shocked when Frank Sinatra was subpoenaed to appear before a crime investigating committee in New Jersey; the singer avoided the official request to appear. Stories on Sinatra's gangster friends appeared in several publications, and several Mafia figures were named as friends of the well-known entertainer.

"Clothing for men and women will become even more unusual in 1969. There will be a continued trend toward feminine styles in men's clothing."

The year recorded the continued rise of the miniskirt and the arrival of the maxicoat. Male fashions did indeed become more colorful, more feminine.

"There will be many severe earthquakes in 1969 in parts of the world where such catastrophes never have occurred before."

Siberia was rocked by a quake, and southern Illinois and the Mississippi Valley recorded the first hard earthquake in many years.

"There is a period of grave danger ahead for the British royal family, and those around the Queen should set up tight security measures. These precautions should be taken immediately."

Rigid security was placed around the members of the royal family following Anderson's published prediction. It was fortunate, because such tight security prevented a train occupied by Prince Charles from being derailed

by a bomb. The Irish Church Riots also added to dangers to the royal family. "I foresee these dangers continuing into 1970 and several months into 1971," Anderson added recently. "I have received vibrations of a very hostile nature surrounding the royal family. This seems to indicate violence, or a dreadful accident, happening to one or more members of the family."

"There will be several laws passed shortly in Washington which will offer even more protection to the American consumer. These will be concerned with packaging, pricing, and the quality of products."

Nineteen-sixty-nine became known as the "year of the consumer" in Washington. Numerous laws were passed to protect the consumer from faulty products, trickery in "cents off" pricing of supermarket products, and other marketplace chicanery. "I expect to see the continued expansion of consumer interests in the nineteen-seventies," Anderson predicted recently. "We will see attention shift from quantity to quality. The nation will make a dramatic change in our national goals. We will conserve more of our vital resources, clean up our environment, eliminate the waste of both our human and natural resources in the Seventies."

In late 1968, Anderson also made several long range predictions. They included:

"Within three years a great crevice will be blasted into the earth's crust by an atomic explosion in Asia. This will occur in Siberia when Russian or Chinese nuclear tests are conducted there. The disaster will create death and destruction in many parts of the world. However, this will reveal to mankind the dangers of atomic weapons and there will be a ban on building bigger and bigger bombs."

"The next war will start within a decade. It will be triggered by a Red Chinese attack on two American cities with nuclear bombs. Two great metropolitan centers will be devastated. Millions of lives will be lost. This war

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will be brief because the United States and Russia will ally together and defeat the Chinese in a very short time."

"The vision of an earthquake in California is very vivid. This will occur in the next decade. It will be the most powerful quake ever recorded in history and will center near Los Angeles and San Francisco." (Anderson later appeared on several television shows and disclaimed any possibility of an earthquake occurring in the spring of 1969. "I foresee an earthquake on the West Coast at a later date," he told his viewers. "In addition, I see this disaster starting from volcanic activity under the sea off the coast. There is a tremendous build-up of pressure in that vicinity. However, I will not set a date for the catastrophe.")

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We shall have to wait for the passing of time to prove or disprove Anderson's long-range predictions. However, the Southern seer was absolutely correct in his prediction concerning inflation: *"There will be a continuation of rising prices and inflation in the United States, although the increase will level off toward the end of 1969."* Prices did continue on their inflationary spiral until the Nixon Administration applied a tight money brake to economic expansion in mid-1969. Inflationary pressures were starting to cool by the year's end, just as Anderson predicted.

Another correct prediction was: *"Continued prosperity and growth for Canada under her present Prime Minister."*

Anderson had clear misses in predictions concerning the assassination of a Southern governor, the violent death of another Civil Rights leader, and the announcement of a positive cure for cancer before 1970. "I am convinced that there has been a cure for cancer discovered, which has somehow been overlooked," Anderson stated.

While Anderson's statement may sound like an excuse from a psychic who hates to miss, some physicians and researchers agree in his belief. Dr. Solomon Garb is the scientific director of the American Medical Center, Denver Colorado; this is one of the nation's leading cancer hospitals and research centers. Dr. Garb is also consultant to

Leda, an astrologer says: "The Calif. earthquake is coming, in about 7 or 8 years. It will be centered in S.F." This was published July, 1972.

the American Medical Association's Council on drugs, a former professor of pharmacology at the University of Missouri and the author of *Cure for Cancer: A National Goal*.

"There is a very strong possibility that a cancer control has already been overlooked by the National Cancer Institute because of its testing methods," Dr. Garb told newsmen in late 1969.

Doc Anderson's predictions in his annual forecast for 1969 totaled thirty-two predictions. Of these, twenty-nine proved true and accurate. Three were clear misses. This is an accuracy of approximately 90 percent, an amazing feat for such a large number of predictions. In addition, many were quite detailed. In previous years, the Southern Seer has scored an incredible 95 percent accuracy with his predictions.

The passing of time and the march of events may yet prove Anderson correct in all of his predictions. We impose some very rigid restrictions on the modern psychic. Those who dare to forecast the future are expected to forecast also a time frame reference in which the event will occur. This system is far removed from those imposed on many of the prophets in the Bible, on Nostradamus, or other ancient prophets. This problem of time plagues every clairvoyant who ventures into the prophetic arena. An individual may have a true psychical experience, yet the vision may not produce a time reference.

"Time," groaned a baffled Saint Augustine. "What is it? If nobody asks me, I know. But if I am asked, I do not know!"

What is time? Since man first put his cerebral facilities to that question, there have been numerous theories, but remarkably few answers. Even today, modern scientists are unable to fathom the mysteries of time, and many declare we are totally naive in our present conceptions. Several psychic investigators have theorized that our common method of time is possibly an inaccurate pattern evolved from man's sensory patterns. Perhaps through

visions or ESP experiences an individual breaks loose from these self-imposed sensory patterns and receives a brief look at the true order of the universe.

The traditional idea of time being a river flowing past us in one-dimensional manner is certainly inadequate. In this theory, the past ceases to exist because it has disappeared forever. As the future has not yet occurred, it also does not exist. The only reality is the present moment. "If this were true," Doc Anderson mused, "then the present couldn't exist, because it is no sooner the present than 'now' becomes part of the past. What was the future when I started this sentence is already the present, and then the past by the time I finish speaking."

Therefore, if the past is no longer in existence, we would be totally devoid of memories. "Yet, every one of us has warm memories of some delightful past event," Anderson continued. "I believe the past exists in some manner; the future must also exist on some plane. I think the inner man, the soul, and the subconscious mind cannot distinguish between the past, present, or future. My psychic mind sees all things as a 'now' happening."

"If this is true, then how are you capable of being so accurate in timing the vast majority of your predictions?" I inquired.

"The power of prophecy is a God-given talent," Anderson replied, in his slow Southern drawl. "I consider myself fortunate to be one of the few persons gifted with a heightening of my inner awareness. I can enter a trance and direct my spirit to 'float' free from my physical body, visiting the future. On this astral plane I can seek out some object in the vision, which is actually like present reality, that provides a concept of time."

"What about those visions that come suddenly, without warning?"

"I learned by experience to judge their timing according to the intensity of the vision, the frequency of the experience, and the strength of the vibrations emitting from them."

"Then, do you believe time moves past us like a river?" I asked.

Doc Anderson chuckled. "You're like a pup with a meaty bone, when you get to time," he remarked. "I can understand your interest. I've sought the answer to time during my trances. Let's assume we get into an automobile and drive out on the freeway and into the country. All sorts of new scenes come into view, then pass behind us as we speed along. We can see a farmhouse far ahead, then we pass it, and the place disappears from our view.

"This doesn't mean the house doesn't exist, simply because we've driven beyond and out of sight," he continued. "The farmhouse was there before we drove by it. It continues to exist after we have gone. We just saw the farmhouse in our present frame of time.

"I believe we are moving through time," he said. "Hold that picture of the farmhouse and the speeding car in your mind. Now, add one more thing to our picture. High overhead is a man in a helicopter. The man is looking down on the highway from the helicopter. He can see the highway for miles and miles in either direction. That man, then, is a psychic who can see the past, present, and future, at the same time. He has an overall view of everything at the same time."

Doc Anderson's concept of time differs somewhat from that postulated by J. W. Dunne in his book, *An Experiment with Time*. Dunne recorded his own precognitive dreams over a span of several years, declaring sleep and dreams were openings to our subconscious minds. He developed a philosophy of time which he labeled "Serialism."

In Dunne's theory, all things exist in a timeless "now." All events are simultaneously merged into the present moment, with man's normal consciousness able to perceive only a slender bit of the phenomena called the "present." In sleep, or during a psychical experience, our perceptions are enlarged to create a wider view into the past, or future. Dunne's deterministic philosophy has been discarded by many investigators into the paranormal; nevertheless, it

lingers through the years to offer a challenge to a bold, imaginative innovator.

"Like so many things in life, I was barely conscious of my psychic gifts before I was deeply concerned with how they worked," Doc Anderson stated. "Despite my best answers, and the bewilderment of many very intelligent persons who were consulted, I never received a clear answer. My best advice came from an old wise man in India. He was very skilled in the occult sciences. 'Stop fretting,' he advised. 'You have the gift. It works. Worry no more about it.' I stopped aggravating myself about the process and simply accepted it. My psychic gift has strengthened immeasurably since then. It seldom fails."

Chapter IV

MISSING WOMEN AND DEADLY FIRES

Doc Anderson's ability to predict the future has been investigated on many occasions by students of the occult and professional investigators of psychic phenomena. Many of these investigators are astonished at the numerous ways in which the seer's psychic talents manifest themselves. Frequently, he can look at a person and obtain a vivid impression of his past, present, and future. Or, he may lightly touch a person's hand and the essence of his existence will be revealed to him, instantaneously. At other times, Anderson can hold a personal object in his strong hands, perhaps a piece of jewelry, or an article of clothing, and his mind will receive a detailed mental message concerning the object's owner.

"It is as if my mind opens up to receive thousands of pieces of information about that person," Doc Anderson related. "This is the method I used to locate a missing person."

Perhaps the most spectacular example of this power occurred when he visualized the body of a woman who was missing from her home. The body was found four weeks later, just as it was predicted by Doc Anderson. Files in the homicide division of the Chattanooga Police Department and past issues of the *Chattanooga Free-Press* document this phenomenal mental feat.

It was March 14, 1944, when the Chattanooga police received a report that Mrs. Bertha Ford, age 25, was missing from her home. On April 16, her decomposed body was discovered floating in the Tennessee River, near Scottsboro, Alabama. Mrs. Ford had been killed by a .22-caliber bullet, which entered under her chin and pierced her head. On April 17, 27-year-old Charles Daniel Ford, Jr., the dead woman's husband, was arrested by the Chattanooga authorities and charged with the murder. Three days later, the police reported that Ford had confessed to killing his wife.

According to the authorities, Ford dated a young Chattanooga girl on the night of his wife's death. When Ford drove the young woman home around 2 a.m., he returned to his car—and discovered his wife was waiting there for him.

Ford said he was driving toward their home when his wife suddenly pulled a .22-caliber pistol from the glove compartment of their car. Ford struggled with his wife over the gun, and she was shot. "I guess I made her do it," young Ford told the detectives. "I carried her in the car from 23rd Street, down through town to the Market Street bridge. There, I threw her in the river."

On June 30, 1944, Charles Daniel Ford was convicted of second-degree murder and sentenced to 20 years in the state prison. The *Chattanooga Free-Press* told of Doc Anderson's role in the murder in their April 17 edition:

MAN FORETELLS WOMAN TO BE FOUND IN RIVER

Dr. Robert Charles Anderson, a local seer, predicted when the body of missing Mrs. Bertha Ford would be found and under what conditions, a relative of the dead woman disclosed today.

According to the relative, who asked that her name be withheld, Doc Anderson of Rossville, Georgia, said that the body would be found within the number of days he designated, that the body would be "partially decomposed," and that it would be found "in a body of water."

Interviewed, Doc Anderson said "This is one of the many persons I have been able to locate for relatives. I once led a woman to her father after he had been missing for 20 years." He listed the phone number of the woman for verification . . .

"The relative brought a piece of Bertha Ford's clothing to me," Doc recalled. "I told her first that Mrs. Ford was dead. I could see her body floating rapidly downstream, with one arm and a hand out of the water . . . I said the body would be recovered within 30 days, and it was. Also, the bare hand of the corpse told me something, and I informed the relative that her jewelry had been removed and given to another woman."

Later, Chattanooga detectives discovered that the dead woman's body had been stripped of all jewelry. Several pieces of Mrs. Ford's jewelry were found in the possession of Charles Ford's girl friend. "I tried to locate Mrs. Ford's body to assist with an early recovery," Anderson remarked, recently. "However, I saw the body in a location where there was absolutely no identifying landmarks."

When there is a landmark, Anderson's precognitive powers can almost always provide searchers with instructions for recovering a body. "A young girl was drowned near here a few months ago" a law enforcement officer in

Huntsville, Alabama, reported. "I called Doc Anderson by telephone; I held on to the phone for a while. Then, I heard him ask, 'Are there some tall trees near the spot where you've been searching?' I said there was. I could hear him counting off steps, as if he was walking someplace. 'You will find her 13 steps out from those tall trees. Her arm is hung up in some underwater roots.' I went back to the search party and in just a few minutes we found the body with Doc's instructions.

VISION OF A DEADLY FIRE

James A. Bunchson was visiting in Chattanooga in November, 1945, and decided to test the prophetic powers of Doc Anderson. "I had heard about this man while I was looking for work with the Tennessee Valley Authority," he reported. "When I got through with my TVA interviews, I decided to visit the seer. Although I've always been a doubting Thomas about such things, I was worried about my future because I was out of a job.

"Doc Anderson said I would do a lot of work under water. Later on, I was a foreman on a construction crew building an underwater tunnel. There was one thing he said that I didn't believe. There would be two tragic deaths in my family by fire. This disaster would occur within a month.

"After I returned to my home in a little village in Pennsylvania, I started out to work one morning. My wife fixed my breakfast and made up my lunch bucket because I had found a few days of work. She then made breakfast for six of our eight children and sent them off to school.

"After the kids left, my wife went to the barn to feed the livestock. She left our two youngest children in the house. They were only two and three years old. Then it started. My wife said there was flames licking around the house when she first saw the fire. She started running

toward the house. When she got to the door, it was a mass of flames. There was no chance, no hope, for our children.

"We lost our two precious babies."

"The tragic truth of Doc Anderson's prediction had come to pass. I have always wondered what I might have done and what the outcome would have been if I had taken him seriously. After the death of the babies, I felt like I was being punished for my way of life. The Good Book always said that 'The sins of the father are upon the children!' I changed my way of life after that and have tried to live in the way of the Lord!"

VISION OF THE MISSING RELATIVES

Al Miller of Chattanooga was reunited with a family of lost relatives following a visit to Doc Anderson's studio. Mr. Miller reported:

"On January 4, 1964, I went to see Doc Anderson about some things. I was mainly anxious to know the whereabouts of some relatives of mine. They had moved to Virginia, and we had lost track of each other. There were some personal matters, and it was very important that I get in touch with them.

"Doc Anderson just stared at me for a while. Then, he knitted up his eyebrows and closed his eyes for a long time. When he finally spoke, he said I should look for a little white house, about seven miles from Richmond, Virginia. He gave me the highway directions to the place.

"He said, 'You will know this place because there will be a birdhouse on top of the house and a fish pond in the front yard. The house has nine oak trees around it. You go to Richmond and you will be united with your relatives.'

"I went to Virginia, and after two attempts I found the house. It was just like Doc Anderson described it. Nobody was more amazed than me when I found my relatives. We sat and talked all day about how I had

found them. They had been looking for me, but they hadn't much luck. They didn't have Doc Anderson on their side.

"Doc also told me that I would get married in a few months, that the marriage would only last eighteen months, and that I would have one child. All of this happened just like he said."

Somehow, the seer's mind has transcended time and space to find a single house among millions—the very home that contained Al Miller's missing relatives.

"DOC'S WARNING SAVED MY LIFE!"

J. D. Ross, a veteran of World War II, reported his experiences with the Rossville clairvoyant. He related:

"During World War II my grandmother dreamed I was blown up aboard my ship. I was a gunner on a cruiser. My grandmother was very disturbed by the dream; she had raised me and she couldn't sleep nights for thinking about that dream.

"She wrote me later that she had gone to see Doc Anderson and he told her I would return safe from the war. When I was home on leave in January, 1945, my grandmother made me go with her to visit Doc Anderson. He warned me that I would come near death in June, 1945, and he said I must exercise the greatest caution.

"When I got back to my ship I couldn't keep this prediction out of my mind. I was particularly careful when June rolled around. In the middle of June our ship was struck by a bomb. The gunplate was shattered. Flying fragments of steel killed some of my shipmates. Forewarned is forearmed, I always say. I got away with nothing more than a couple of small flesh wounds. Both my grandmother and I feel I was spared through the prophetic warning of Doc Anderson . . . If I hadn't been warned I would not have been prepared."

"LET DOC KNOW . . ."

C. W. Lamneck of Atlanta, Georgia, a deputy sheriff in Fulton county, was hospitalized in 1960 with acute hepatitis and jaundice. Lamneck was a patient in Atlanta's Crawford W. Long Hospital when his fever soared to 104 degrees. Lamneck reported:

"Although I did not know it at the time, my doctor felt he could do nothing more. He advised my wife to call in my family. I didn't feel I could pull through another day.

"I said to my wife, 'Let Doc know!'

"Her sister was in the room with my wife, and the air conditioner was making a racket. In a little while, all of us heard something like big rocks on the ceiling. It was like something, or someone, real heavy was walking overhead. I started feeling better.

"I'm going to make it!" I shouted. "I'll be out of here in three days."

"Actually, I was discharged from the hospital in four days. In three weeks I was a normal person and a well man. When I visited Doc Anderson later, he said, 'You have been sick. I worked all night keeping you alive. You were going.'

"I told him that I knew it."

"NOW I CAN SEE!"

Clive Corbin is a gentle Negro from Chattanooga, Tennessee, who served in the Army during World War I; during his service, he became blind and was placed in a veteran's hospital. Mr. Corbin was totally blind, his body was "stiff," and his eyes "were white." A deacon in his church brought the elderly blind man to see Doc Anderson.

Clive Corbin tells what happened:

"He talked to me. He told me I would be able to see in less than a month. He said I didn't have to come back to see him because he would be working for me. While he was talking to me, some of the stiffness in my body began to bust up. A little later, I started seeing a little light. It wasn't long after that when I begin to see. In six months I was able to go places by myself. I'm able to see real good now. How good? I can watch television or thread a needle, if I have to."

In this age of moon walks, space shots, and modern mechanical techniques, medical science is frequently baffled by the strange reaction of disease and the unique characteristics of human illness. There are no easy answers to the phenomena of psychic healing. God's marvelous creation, our body, can confuse the most competent diagnostician. Clive Corbin lost his sight. Buried somewhere in the musty files of the Veterans Administration are the medical reports containing the doctor's reports about his illness. Eventually, Corbin was returned home as hopelessly incurable. He visited a psychic and was cured.

"He just did it and I don't care how he did," said Mr. Corbin, a lively twinkle in his eyes.

Chapter V

VISIONS FORETOLD OF KING'S AND KENNEDY'S ASSASSINATIONS

I launched my investigation of Doc Anderson's talents more than four years ago. I have always been interested in psychic phenomena and any unusual manifestation of ESP. Nevertheless, I am also very cautious in testing the alleged powers of a psychic. Doc Anderson was no exception, and he was agreeable to the rules I imposed on my research, we prepared several lists of predictions and

waited for world events to prove or disprove his ability. His predictions were remarkably accurate slightly more than 90 percent of the time.

On the evening of April 1, 1968, I was discussing several of Anderson's prophecies with a visitor in my home. My guest was Brad Steiger, an author of several books on psychic phenomena and an authority on ESP.

"Do you really figure he's that accurate?" Steiger asked.

"I can only look at his past batting average. It's very high," I replied.

Steiger snapped his fingers. "Everyone believes this summer will be long and hot. There are supposed to be riots in several cities. Why not have Anderson predict the time and place where riots might be expected?"

"He plans on preparing a list in a few days."

Steiger reflected excitement in his voice. "Why not telephone Doc this evening? I can talk to him at the same time on your extension phone," he said. "Perhaps Doc can make a few more predictions."

I walked into my study and picked up the phone. "Operator, give me area code 404. The number is 831-1091." I said. I heard a click as Steiger picked up the extension phone.

"Hello . . ." Anderson's voice was sorrowful.

"Doc, this is Bobby Smith," I said. "I've got a friend on the extension. We were discussing your predictions . . ."

Anderson's jovial voice was noticeably absent; his tone was as hollow as a tomb. "Perhaps my grief sent a mental message to you," he said, somberly. "I've just had the most awful vision. Son, there will be riots in this country like we have never seen. Scores of cities are going to be looted and burned. I have envisioned the Capitol of our country with smoke rising above the dome. We will see troops marching down the streets of Washington, D.C., in an effort to protect our Government buildings."

I was shocked at Anderson's frightening predictions. "Are you sure? When will this occur?" I asked.

"It will be after the assassination of a Negro leader," Anderson replied. "This man will be standing on a balcony. He will be struck down by a bullet in the head. He will die almost instantly. When he dies, the Negro race will rise up in anger and frustration. They will feel the loss of this leader in their souls. His death will be a symbol of all that they have endured."

I heard Brad Steiger's voice on the line. "Who is this person?"

Anderson's voice was like a thin croak. "Dr. Martin Luther King. He will be assassinated very soon."

"This is frightening," Steiger said.

"This assassination will not be the end of the blood-letting," Anderson continued. His voice paused for a moment. "I see another man, a young white man, lying in a pool of blood. He is somehow connected with the Civil Rights movement and he will also be assassinated."

"Who is he?" I inquired.

"The face is blurred," Anderson said. He paused again. "Son, I'm sitting here all alone in my office. I am so tired and weary. There are terrible times coming toward us. Our nation will tremble with violence in the next few months."

"Can you predict the time of Dr. King's assassination?" I asked.

"It will happen within two weeks."

"Doc, I know your reputation for accuracy. Please, get in touch with Dr. King and warn him."

"I have a call placed to his office in Atlanta. The operator is trying to get him on the line."

"Then we had better hang up. Your call to King may come through," Steiger said. "Doc, as a matter of record, I want you to type out your predictions concerning these events and mail them to Smitty. If you are certain of this vision, please be sure to call Dr. King."

Steiger and I discussed the Anderson predictions far into the night. It seemed incredible that another assassination would occur in our nation so soon after the

tragedy in Dallas. The next morning, I drove Steiger to the airport, returned home, and placed a person-to-person call to Dr. King at the Southern Christian Leadership Conference headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia. I was unable to get Dr. King on the phone, but I related the prediction to an aide of the Negro leader. I had done all that was possible. Still apprehensive, I telephoned Doc Anderson and he told of his inability to reach Dr. King by phone.

"I talked to one of his assistants," Anderson said. "Dr. King was out of town. The man said Dr. King would be given my warning. He also said it would do very little good, because Dr. King is a fatalist about his work for his people."

"Then we have done all we can."

I was working on an article on April 4, 1968, and it was evening before I checked my mail box at the post office. As I walked into the building, I met Tom Holloway, a radio newsman. We were exchanging greetings as I glanced through my mail. Anderson's letters were included in my mail. A carbon copy had been made of the typed letter; one envelope was opened; the other was retained for documentation. The letter read:

Dear Smitty:

In response to our telephone conversation and at Mr. Steiger's suggestion, I am sending you these predictions in writing:

1. I predict that a very important Civil Rights leader will be assassinated by April 16, 1968. (As I told you, this will be Dr. Martin Luther King.)

2. I predict that another very important person, equally active in Civil Rights, will die by the end of June, 1968. It will be either a violent death or one brought on by the strain of violence.

Sincerely,
Doc Anderson
Rossville, Georgia

I handed the letter to the newsman. "What do you think of this?"

Tom Holloway glanced at the letter. "I'm a skeptic when it comes to this jazz," he said. "I've never known of anyone making a prediction in advance of the event."

Mr. Holloway and I parted as we left the post office. I drove home and was barely in the door when the telephone rang.

"My God! You're not going to believe this!" Tom Holloway blurted. "I got back to the station and the wire service machine started ringing with a bulletin a minute ago. Someone just shot Dr. Martin Luther King in Memphis. We're going on the air with the bulletin." He hung up the phone.

Doc Anderson had also made the King prediction to several Chattanooga newsmen. "I asked them not to print anything," he said. "There is a vague line between reality and suggestion in some people's minds. I don't have to keep 'score' on my predictions. My greatest fear is that publishing such a prediction concerning an assassination might implant a suggestion into the mind of a mentally ill person. We must beware of the phenomena of what the professors call a self-fulfilling prophecy."

During the days of riots and devastation after Dr. King's death, many Chattanooga newsmen recalled Anderson's prediction. He was interviewed by newsmen, and several television commentators asked the mentalist to appear on their programs. Privately, he informed these newsmen and me that he thought the next assassination would be that of Senator Robert Kennedy.

Staff writer Bill Cooley of the *Chattanooga News-Free Press* wrote of Anderson's remarkable predictions following the shooting of Senator Robert Kennedy by Sirhan Sirhan. The article read:

MENTALIST PREDICTED ASSASSINATION

Rossville mentalist R. C. "Doc" Anderson, in a prediction shortly after the slaying of Martin Luther

King, stated that "another very important person connected with the civil rights movement will be assassinated before the end of June."

The prediction has been repeated several times to the news media, and just last week was restated to the News-Free Press and to Channel Three television news.

Newsmen discussed the prediction today as Senator Robert Kennedy hovered near death at a Los Angeles hospital, the victim of a gunman. Kennedy has been one of the leading exponents of the Civil Rights movement.

Anderson, who also predicted months in advance the death of President Roosevelt, the end of World War II, the advent of the atom bomb, and the slaying of Martin Luther King, said in his revelation last week that "I see some confusion in the assassination to come. The victim may not die immediately from the attempt on his life, but will fall victim to his system's inability to withstand pain . . ."

According to Doc Anderson's psychic impressions, the slayer of Martin Luther King is not James Earl Ray, as officials contend. "The actual killer of Dr. King was killed when he attempted to collect money from a man who paid for the assassination," Anderson said, after King's death. "I have envisioned Dr. King's killer standing in a thicket-like area. This is near a road. The assassin never saw the instrument that killed him. His body was buried in that spot, and I have a feeling it will be located some time in the future. The assassin was killed because of the large sum of money he was to receive. He was also killed because of security reasons; the man who hired Dr. King's murderer knew that dead men do not tell tales."

More recently, Anderson has become even more firmly convinced of the innocence of convicted assassin James Earl Ray. "This man was enticed into being a patsy for

the real killers," Anderson remarked. "The assassins knew that the murder of Dr. King would create the largest manhunt in history. They knew the law would not rest until the murderer was behind bars. They selected James Earl Ray and two other men as potential people who might be framed for this murder.

"Ray followed their instructions without question," continued the seer. "He took his orders and never asked a single question. They dropped the other two men, who were curious about the various errands they were given. James Earl Ray purchased the murder rifle in Birmingham, but it was picked up from him on the night of April 3 after he checked into a Memphis motel. I believe that Ray will eventually prove his innocence and will be released from prison. There are many untold revelations coming in this case; not the least of them will be information on the way the authorities handled Ray's case."

Chapter VI

DOC ANDERSON'S DAY AT THE OFFICE

It was a few minutes after ten o'clock when Doc Anderson opened the door to his reception lounge and walked into the room. His assistant, a middle-aged man in gray trousers and a light blue shirt, sat on a couch, drinking a cup of coffee. He looked toward the psychic, giving him a bright smile.

"Good morning, Doc," Billy Parsons said. "I see you've gone and done it again."

"Done what?" There was mock surprise in Anderson's voice.

"Shaved off your beard."

Anderson raised a hand and caressed the smooth con-

tours of his jaws. "It got to itching. I like a beard, but I just can't stand it if they itch," he drawled, softly.

"Maybe you should hunt up some hippies and get a few tips," Billy chided.

"The bugs probably keep their itch away," Anderson grinned. "I can understand a man wanting a beard. I can't understand how those kids manage a beard that grows every which way. My face would be raw hamburger."

"They're young," Billy said.

"Well, this old man still has his mustache to keep him warm."

"Shoot, Doc, you'll start growing another beard next week." Billy walked toward a cluttered desk. There was an exaggerated spring in his movements. He reached for an appointment book.

"Save that show-off shuffle for your girl friend," Doc grinned. "I'm sixty-two years old, and I've seen everything at least twice."

Billy opened the appointment book. "Ready for the day's schedule, Doc?" he inquired.

"I feel real good today. Go ahead."

"We got to see an awful lot of people," Billy said, seriously. His eyes moved over the appointment list. "Several women drove up from Atlanta. There's five of them, and they're eating breakfast at the Old South restaurant. They'll be here soon. A man flew in from Los Angeles. He wants a life reading. There's another fellow flying in this afternoon from New York. A young couple telephoned early this morning to say they were almost here. Plus the regular clients from Chattanooga."

"I received impressions about that young couple during the night."

"He sounded pretty upset."

Anderson nodded in agreement. "They're a young Negro couple, and they want to get married. This is his first year playing professional football and he isn't doing too good. He's afraid of being cut off the team."

"Will they drop him?"

"No. He's going to be one of their best players. I see nothing but success for them, although I'll want to follow up with a complete reading."

Doc Anderson walked to a closet in the corner of the room, removed his dark topcoat, and hung the garment on a hanger. His thick shoulders moved with a supple motion as he rolled back the cuffs on his shirt. His strong, muscular arms were covered with black hair that coiled like fine wires, and his dark, intense eyes twinkled with a humorous inner warmth as he walked toward a wall mirror.

His thick-knuckled hands reached into a pocket and withdrew a comb. A large diamond glistened on his ring finger as he combed his dark hair. The dark shadow of a heavy beard lay just beneath the surface of his face. "I still want a beard," he said, trimming the thin mustache jutting above his lip.

He was dressed in a flamboyant costume, charcoal gray Western-cut stockman's trousers, a dark shirt with a Kentucky Colonel tie, and an embroidered Spanish vest. The sheen of a hammered silver belt buckle glistened at his waist. "This is an old vest," he said. "A gift from a Spanish matador. He's retired now, but he used to visit my ranch here in Rossville when I raised bulls. He's flying in this afternoon for a visit, and I'm wearing the clothes we wore when we appeared together in the bull rings. Ordinarily, I dress in a business suit."

Billy grinned toward the psychic. "Doc, there's still a lot of bullfighter's blood in your veins."

"It was a great life," Anderson admitted. Remembering another appointment, he snapped his fingers. "Oh, yeah. Did a Mrs. Adkins call for an appointment?"

"Yes. I told her we'd work her in when she got here," Billy replied. "Wasn't she here just a few days ago?"

"Last week." Anderson's reply was a tense grunt. His warm, friendly face hardened, and there was a puzzled cast in his dark eyes. "She asked for a reading on her

husband, and I predicted a long and active life for the old gentleman. She married a prominent businessman up north in another state a couple of years ago. He is twice her age, maybe more. Do you know that woman wants me to cast a voodoo spell to kill her husband? Billy, be sure to keep her here when she gets in. I'm going to have a very serious talk with that woman."

Billy turned to a visitor in the reception room. "Doc is good at conjuring and voodoo. I had warts all over my arm when I first came here. Doc conjured them off."

"Don't mislead anyone, Billy," Doc interrupted. "I don't make any claims for healing. The best thing any psychic can do is lead a sick person to a good doctor."

A light blue Cadillac pulled into the parking lot, and five expensively dressed women walked toward the reception room entrance. Doc Anderson's long legs carried him swiftly into his office. A thick carpet muffled the sound of his footsteps. He walked to his desk and dropped down into an ornate, gold-gilded chair. The chair was high-backed, embedded with semiprecious stones, upholstered in red velvet. "A disabled veteran came to me after he lost his sight in the South Pacific," Doc drawled. "There was no reason for losing his sight. Hysteria, the doctors called it. I helped the man over the threshold from darkness into light. This chair was a gift from him."

Billy entered the office and lit the incense in a small golden burner. "When do you want to start?" he asked.

"Give those ladies some coffee or a Coke," Anderson replied. "I need to meditate a few minutes and prepare my mind."

Anderson bowed his head, pressing his long fingers against his temples. Billy walked back along the hallway to the reception room. The five women were sitting in the lounge area; their stiff, erect posture revealed an attitude of strain and nervousness.

"Doc is meditating for a few moments," Billy said. "He begins each day with prayer, asking for divine guidance and strong psychic vibrations."

"Law, don't fret about that," drawled a young, slender blonde. "Things were just kind of dull in Atlanta, so we jumped in my little ole car and drove up here on a lark." Despite the gaiety in her voice, her eyes looked stricken and hurt.

A stout, middle-aged woman with an angular face made a sharp, cutting motion with her hand. "You don't have to pretend with these people, Aggie," she said, a trace of annoyance in her voice. "I've been here many times. Every one of us has a problem, or we wouldn't be here."

The young woman bit her lip and turned away. Blood flushed her pale cheeks. She obviously found it hard to keep the tears from flowing. The intercom buzzed in a corner of the reception room. "I'm ready, Billy," Doc Anderson announced.

The young woman named Aggie jumped up with a sudden start. "I'll go first," she said. "I can't wait any longer to find out the truth." Billy led her down the corridor and into Doc Anderson's office. Later, Anderson mentioned her anxiety was caused by a "problem in her marriage." Unfortunately, he could not forecast a happy solution. It has always been a constant source of annoyance with the seer that he cannot predict happiness for every client.

"I have to tell my clients exactly what I see," he explained. "Anything less than the truth would be dishonest. The only time I ever wanted to do different was several years ago when a young girl came to me for advice. I had barely started the reading when I looked across the desk. I saw the specter of death standing beside her, beckoning to that girl. I saw a vision of a terrible automobile accident at night and, then, the girl's entire face was transformed into a deadly death's head."

"Death has a smell about it," Anderson continued. "A sensitive clairvoyant knows that the appearance of the specter means death as certain as the winds of winter are damp and cold. There is no escape. In all my years of

psychicism I have not known one person to escape these deadly vibrations, especially when the specter is near them. I looked into this girl's future and it was an absolute blank, except for the vision of that terrible accident. I told her what I saw, and obtained her promise that she would not ride in an automobile at night for at least a week. The poor girl went out on a date that same evening and died in a car wreck less than two miles from her home."

Fortunately, the vast majority of Anderson's clairvoyant consultations are neither so dramatic nor so deadly. In reporting on the seer's predictive abilities, I felt my research would be incomplete without statistical evidence of his daily psychic ability. Other than knowing the names of the regular clients, Anderson and his assistants do not request the names of persons who visit the seer. "I don't mind if you ask if they will provide information on my predictions," Anderson said. "It would be up to the individual."

I approached Anderson's clients in the reception lounge on a purely random basis. One hundred and two persons agreed to provide future information on the value, and accuracy, of their readings. They were assured that their names and addresses would not be published. In some cases, I was also requested to use considerable discretion during any follow-up contacts. Forty-two clients volunteered to allow me to tape-record their readings.

Typical of these readings was that of a tense, agitated young man who entered Anderson's office smiling nervously, clenching and unclenching his hands. His greeting was barely audible. "Hello, sir, my trouble is that—"

"Sit down, son, and relax," Anderson said in a gentle voice. "You have an unsettled mind this morning. You don't know whether to trust me or not. I'm the first psychic you've ever visited."

"That's true—"

"I can also see that you have driven all of the way down here from New Jersey."

"Yes. But how did you know?"

"Son, I might have looked out the window to check your license plates," Anderson grinned.

"But—but, my car has Illinois plates," stammered the young man.

"I was just kidding. You purchased your car in Illinois. You're a college student, a pre-med student, to be exact. You drove down here from New Jersey, where your home is located."

The youth's eyes widened. "This is really something."

"Buddy, if I drove a few hundred miles to see a psychic, he had better have something on the ball," Anderson said, seriously. "He had better tell me a little about myself. Now, there is an older woman in your life. She's your mother, and you feel she is the cause of all your problems."

"My mother is a terror," said the young man. He giggled nervously, running a hand through his hair. "My mother always wanted a son who would be a doctor."

"And you're an only child and 'my son, the doctor' isn't a joke."

The student twisted in his chair. "My grades are pretty bad."

"You could do much better," Anderson said. "You have a good brain, intelligence, and ability. You've been brooding about things too much, staying alone, and trying to figure out the truth about life. Your mother has been pressuring you to get better grades."

"That's true. We had an awful argument on the phone a couple of nights ago. Then my father came on the phone and he was shouting."

"Now, you're worried about the future. You're concerned about the draft and your studies," Anderson said. "You want to know whether to continue your studies in medicine, select another subject for study, or just drop out."

"I don't know what to do."

Anderson lowered his head and pressed his strong

fingers against his temples. He closed his eyes. "Son, you are going to complete your studies this year. I do not see you dropping out. Your grades are going to improve enough to remain in school. Now, I see you entering a brick home in a few days. An older man and woman are greeting you. You're worried that the arguments about college will start again. They're also worried about you, but your holiday at home will be without arguments. You may not believe this now, son, but you're going to get along much better with your parents in the future."

"I really can't believe that," answered the youth. "Now, sir, what about another person quite close to me?"

There was a long pause before Anderson replied. "I see another woman, not as old as your mother. She's your Aunt Ellen, your father's sister. She has been married several times, and she is an independent, strong-willed woman. Son, you go to her for advice, but you shouldn't do that. Her advice is bad for you. She has a habit of causing trouble for other people."

The young man bit his lip. "That's what my mother and father say. Aunt Ellen says I am a man and old enough to make my own decisions."

"You're twenty-three years old," replied Anderson, "but you have been sheltered in life. You will become a true man next summer, because you're going to quit laying around the house and get a job in the outdoors. This is something connected with building; I can see you operating some kind of big construction machinery and—"

The student shook his head. "You're off-base, sir. I am not mechanically inclined."

"Nevertheless, this is what I see," the seer declared. "You're going to find you like working outdoors, although some of your workers will kid you about being a tenderfoot. You'll learn to take the kidding. I also see that you're going to meet a girl and be married before you return to school this next fall. She's a good-looking little gal; she'll give you the confidence and determination to complete your studies and become a doctor."

"How will I know this girl?" the youth asked eagerly.

"She's red-headed. She will be wearing a brown coat when you meet her."

"What is her name?"

"Her initials are P.A.J. You will call her Pat—Patricia."

"How many children will we have?"

Doc Anderson chuckled and his twinkling eyes looked across the desk toward the youth. "You were worried about college a few minutes ago. Now, you're concerned about raising kids."

The student relaxed, slumping into his chair. His face brightened with a broad, natural smile. "I'm an only child, so I always wanted a lot of children."

"Buddy, you're going to have two children."

"Boys or girls?"

"That would take part of the joy out of being a father," Anderson said. "They're going to be strong, healthy children, and you're going to be proud of them."

"That doesn't seem too bad. Two kids make up a good family," the young man said, cheerfully. "Now, there is something bothering me about my college. Will this thing cause me any problems?"

Anderson closed his eyes for a brief moment. "I suppose you're talking about lying on your admission papers," he said. "Son, the admissions people know you dropped out of another college before you entered their school. They're not concerned about it."

"Will I be drafted?"

"No. I don't see anything in your future that includes armed services."

Anderson continued to provide past, present, and future information about the youth's life. Gradually, as the consultation progressed, the young man relaxed as strain and tension disappeared from his body. Finally, he looked at the seer, asking, "You're certain of everything you've told me."

"You have seventy-seven cents in the left pocket of

your pants," Anderson said. "There are three quarters and two pennies."

The young man withdrew his change and counted the coins. "Okay, Doc. Exactly seventy-seven cents. Right on the nose."

"I have other clients waiting, so you may now ask me three questions on any subject to conclude the consultation," Anderson said.

"Your assistant told me about the three questions," the young man said. "I wrote them down while I was waiting. First, what is the cause of illness?"

"I obtained the answer to that in a trance several years ago," Anderson replied. "All physical ailments are the result of breaking the laws of nature and those laws of the spiritual realm. The body can remain healthy only so long as physical and spiritual elements are actively working toward a concept of union and moderation. Our physical existence depends upon the spiritual life force and a blending of the elemental life force. The mental existence depends upon a physical realization that does not disturb the harmony of spiritual vibrations. Our minds can, and frequently do, create a weakness in the physical body. On the other hand, disrupting the normal vibrations of the physical will create an imbalance, or a reaction, in the mental or spiritual life forces. We are a delicate union between the physical, mental, and spiritual forces within us."

"You have forecast the future for me. Is there any possibility this could be changed?"

"Our Creator gave us a free will. Although it is not likely that you will do so, you can consciously and deliberately change the patterns of your existence. I have had visions of death or danger for many people. They were given a psychic warning and cautioned to act in a way that would break the pattern. They have deliberately changed those visions I saw in my psychic soul. We can change our thoughts and, in almost the same manner, we

can change our futures. But you cannot change certain strong vibrations of death."

"Where can I go to find the truth about life?"

"Read the Bible. Apply what you find there to your daily life."

The reading ended and the young man returned to his home in New Jersey, then back to school in Illinois. Despite several letters sent to him from my office, he failed to report on the predictions made by Doc Anderson. It was a few days before Christmas, 1969, when a letter arrived. After the usual apologies for not writing sooner, he reported:

"... My folks and I got along better and I returned to school and improved my grades. Last summer, I got a job on a construction crew building highways. This job came purely by chance. I found out I am a pretty good machine operator and it was a great summer.

"... I had a blind date one weekend and she and I were married just before I went back to school. Her initials were exactly as Doc Anderson predicted. Her name is Patricia. I don't understand it, but I am sure a real believer in Doc Anderson's ability."

A follow-up investigation of other psychic readings was conducted over a fifteen-month interval. Edited comments from several other clients include:

Aggie, age 32 (The young woman from Atlanta): "Doc Anderson said the problems between my husband and me would not be resolved. He predicted I would lose weight and interest in living and visit many doctors. I did. He also predicted my marriage would end in a divorce, which is against my religion. Our marriage was dissolved a few months ago. I am looking forward to his happier predictions for me."

James, age 28 (The professional football player): "Doc said I'd have a good year, and this was my best

one in professional football. My girl and I got married, as he said we would."

Marie, age 19: "Doc predicted I would go on to college. I intended to get a job at the time I visited him. There just wasn't money for college. My dad received an unexpected promotion at work that provides enough for me to attend college."

Albert, age 52: "I requested a life reading. Four out of five of his short-range predictions turned out exactly as he said. I think the fifth prediction would have been true, except my wife talked me out of taking any action on a business deal."

Rhoda, age 38: "He said I would divorce my husband, which I was planning to do anyway. He also said I would remarry very quickly and get a divorce. I did just that. So, if you know any eligible men who don't mind a two-time loser..."

Walt, age 48: "My mother died without telling where she hid her money. This was several thousands of dollars. Doc Anderson went into a trance and said we should look in an old novel in the house. Just as he predicted, my mother had put her money between the pages of a book. There was thousands of dollars stuck in the book. All big bills. I don't know how he did it."

Tom, age 42: "I was warned by Doc Anderson to watch for accidents near water. I was burned in a gasoline explosion on a friend's boat."

Hazel, age 62: "He advised me against investing in a new business setting up in my town. It was only \$500, but I followed his advice. The factory just never did much from the beginning, and it finally closed."

Julian, age 43: (A college professor). "Doc Anderson told me not to sign a contract with my school. I was to wait until there were three offers made to me at a professional convention. I was to accept the third offer. I did just that, and there are good prospects for becoming a department head at this new college. I was trapped in my old position."

Evelyn, age 34: "He said my husband would not be sent to Vietnam, although he is an Army officer. He was sent to Germany instead, as Doc predicted. We will be moving there in another month. Doc hit it right on the nose..."

On a statistical basis, Doc Anderson's accuracy in predicting the future during a private consultation was 91.34 percent. This is an incredible score when we consider the number of clients who seek his advice, the variety of their problems, and the numerous predictions he makes each day. Even Mrs. Adkins, the young wife who wanted the seer to voodoo her rich, elderly husband, accepted the finality of fate and followed Anderson's advice.

Chapter VII

DOC ANDERSON ANSWERS QUESTIONS ON ESP

An awakening interest in the psychic world has resulted in a heavy lecture schedule for Doc Anderson, a dynamic speaker who delivers his talks in a rich, mellow Southern drawl. "A few years ago, most people remained silent on their personal experiences with ESP," he declared. "Today, the pendulum has swung sharply in the opposite direction; they want to share their experiences. Many have experienced premonitions, forewarnings of danger, prophetic dreams, and other manifestations of ESP. They know ESP exists and they want detailed explanations on the possible working processes of the phenomena."

Anderson ends each of his public talks with a question-and-answer period. "This gets things down to what the kids call the nitty-gritty," he grinned. "I've made a

thirty-minute talk, then answered questions for another two hours. Many of the questions concern the process whereby I obtain a prediction or vision."

The most representative of these questions, and Doc Anderson's replies, follow.

Question: What about the Biblical warning to beware of false prophets? How do you really know your gift is directed by God, rather than by evil?

Anderson: I enjoy a good practical joke, but that is the extent of my devilment. A true psychic is gifted by our Creator. My efforts are not the result of Doc Anderson, or his ego, but a higher power channeled through my body, this vessel.

I read the Bible each day. I believe a false prophet is not only a person who may forecast the future. He can be a national leader, such as Hitler or Stalin, luring their nations to degradation and ruin. Revolutionists with false promises led the Russians into Communist slavery; they were the worst kind of false prophets. A politician who makes promises to a minority group, and fails to deliver on his word, is certainly a false prophet. I also believe there are false prophets in business, men in both labor and management who pursue materialistic goals and neglect the needs of their fellow man, their families, neighbors and communities.

Those of you who have studied the Bible know that prophecy has a long and honorable history. Our Christian religion contains many examples of visions, predictions, and prophecies. The Book of Revelations is pure prophecy. The ancient prophets predicted the birth of Jesus Christ long before he walked upon the earth. Jesus appeared to St. Paul in a vision and the Bible tells of the Holy Ghost appearing at Pentecost. The Virgin Mary appeared before Bernadette at Lourdes and, since then, there have been many miraculous healings at that shrine.

My power to predict the future comes directly from God. A student of metaphysics once said I am in tune with the cosmic consciousness. Others have said I am di-

rected by "higher forces." Still others claim my predictive power comes from the "masters." Actually, these various descriptions are possibly those of the same source of higher power—our Creator. When I consult with a client, I receive knowledge that could not possibly come from known sensory processes.

Question: What happens when you enter a trance?

Anderson: A trance temporarily removes my normal senses and my conscious mind. The ego and mind of Doc Anderson are erased, blotted out, into a state of limbo. My personal impressions or environment do not affect me. My body is like a transistor radio. The source of all knowledge might be a broadcasting station. Normally, I have no difficulty tuning into this broadcasting station. On a difficult problem, or a disturbing day, my conscious mind might act like static, which disturbs reception.

I use a special type of self-hypnosis to enter a trance, and I can now do this in the twinkling of an eye. Doc Anderson disappears and another entity enters my body. Those who have witnessed a trance say my facial expressions change. Tape recordings of my conversation during a trance reveal a marked difference in the tone and manner of my voice.

During a trance I may often use words or phrases that are totally unknown to my conscious mind. A physician brought a poor, run-down woman to my office a few weeks ago. She was barely able to walk. She looked like death warmed over. Despite tests, the doctor was unable to diagnose her illness. I entered the trance state and reported my psychic information. The result was pure gibberish to me. The doctor said I talked in Latin. He said there was not a slight possibility of my instructions being correct. Later, he telephoned from Los Angeles to report the woman had improved so quickly she was discharged from the hospital. The doctor had followed the instructions in my trance statements. Since then, I have tried to say a few words in Latin on a couple of occasions. I have only succeeded in tying my tongue in knots.

When I am in a trance state, I believe my ego and conscious mind disappear almost completely. I am very careful of who is around me at this time. There is a definite danger that a sudden awakening might cause considerable physical or mental damage. I have experienced several of these bad moments in the past, and I hesitate to endure a recurrence.

Question: What happened to harm you during a trance?

Anderson: I don't understand it. On several occasions I have been in the trance when a person near me passed his hand over my body. It is the most intense pain I have ever experienced, as if he had rammed his hand completely through my body. But the hand was actually above my physical body. Another time, I was in trance when an automobile crash occurred out in the street. The noise was tremendous, loud, shrill. My spirit returned to my body too quickly. Afterward, I had an intense headache that lingered for days.

Question: Would there be any danger of not returning from a trance? Can you control when a trance will occur, or is this an involuntary experience?

Anderson: There is always the danger when you're dealing with powers that are not yet fully understood, either by the average person or by our professors. I believe my body is protected by an entity who guides my work. Past experiences have shown me there is no sense in taking unnecessary chances. As an example, a too-sudden awakening might not allow time for my mind and ego to return from the limbo of non-existence. We can only imagine the physical and mental experience of such a happening.

Usually, I have full control over the trance state or I am guided by the entity. I seldom go into an involuntary trance, and a vision has never occurred when it would have endangered my life. I drive an automobile, and only two visions have occurred when I was behind the wheel. However, these visions started and ended in a fraction of a second, although they appeared to be longer when

I remembered it later. Our knowledge of time is very limited. A vision may be compressed into a second, or lengthened into a year. We may never have a full understanding of time during our lives. If a young man is dating a pretty girl, the evening passes rapidly. If he is working, five minutes may be like an hour.

Question: What happens during an involuntary vision?

Anderson: I can be working in my office, or relaxing in my studio, or watching television—just doing any ordinary thing like putting in my flower garden, or swimming in my pool. For a brief moment, I am “gone” from the world as we know it. In that instant, I receive many impressions, vibrations, and visions. Occasionally, I will be reading a newspaper or watching television when the real picture gradually dims and a new scene replaces reality. This new scene is a glimpse into the future.

Recently, I watched television as a picture of Mrs. Ethel Kennedy appeared on the screen. I was watching Mrs. Kennedy, and had just started to think about the assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy, when the television image dissolved. It was replaced by a vision of Ethel Kennedy as a bride. There was a golden light surrounding the entire wedding ceremony, signifying her own happiness and the good wishes of the world. I am filled with hope and admiration for this brave, lovely woman. There was no time element involved in this vision, but I predict that Ethel Kennedy will remarry within the next three years. Perhaps much sooner than that.

Question: Do you have a spirit guide?

Anderson: I am not conscious of a spiritual entity taking over my physical body, or directing my work. Over the years, several of my assistants have reported seeing the apparition of a tall, long-haired, robed figure guarding my body during a trance.

A few months ago, I used my ESP abilities to locate a new oil field in Texas. The oil man visited my office in Rossville, and while he was there, I entered a trance to help find a little girl who was missing from her home.

Incidentally, my information helped locate her in a river wilderness, and she was home by evening, happy and unharmed. No one other than my assistants is allowed in the office during a trance. The oil man decided to peek through the window and see what was happening. I was alone on the couch at that time.

He swears he saw a tall, bearded, and robed apparition standing near my physical body. My visitor became very frightened. He ran to his car, shaking and trembling. He said he was certain of what he saw. Members of my family have reported seeing this robed figure. However, I have no knowledge of such a presence near me; yet, I do feel someone is guiding me, directing my work, and watching over me.

Question: Do you believe in reincarnation?

Anderson: I believe in life after death. As a psychic I have studied reincarnation, regressing hundreds of people back to what is suggestive of past lives. Naturally, it is very difficult to obtain absolute proof on these regressions. As many people know, there was very little attention given to efficient record-keeping in pioneer America. I know people who were born in the southern hills in the nineteen thirties who did not have their births recorded. However, I have successfully obtained documentation on many cases of reincarnation.

Question: Couldn't you enter a trance and discover the truth about reincarnation?

Anderson: There are plans to do just that very soon. Clients who seek psychic consultations occupy a large part of my day. So author Robert Smith has agreed to categorize my files on the occult. The section on reincarnation includes many notebooks written during my travels to India and Tibet. I visited many of the old monasteries, and I lived there for a long time, gaining considerable insight into the mysteries. Mr. Smith is compiling the section on reincarnation and, after he has finished, we will get more information through a series of trances.

Question: What do you believe about voodoo?

Anderson: Buddy, there are more things on earth than we will ever understand. As a young man I roamed the world, seeking new adventures, often serving as a seaman on merchant ships. When I visited a new country, I investigated the mystery cults, and also tried to pry out secrets and methods from the occult practitioners.

Many years ago, in Haiti, I became acquainted with a witch doctor. He was known as a powerful wizard. I spent a week at his home, far back in the jungle, and was a guest at voodoo rituals. He taught me to cast spells, throw the evil eye, and handle voodoo. This may sound like a return to the dark ages, but there are certain ways to cast a spell. I have seen grown men shrivel and die when such a spell was on them. I have never used these dark elements of the occult, but I know it can be done. I could select a person today, make a voodoo doll, and create any type of mental or physical torture in their actual body. These things do exist.

Question: Then you believe in good and evil in the occult?

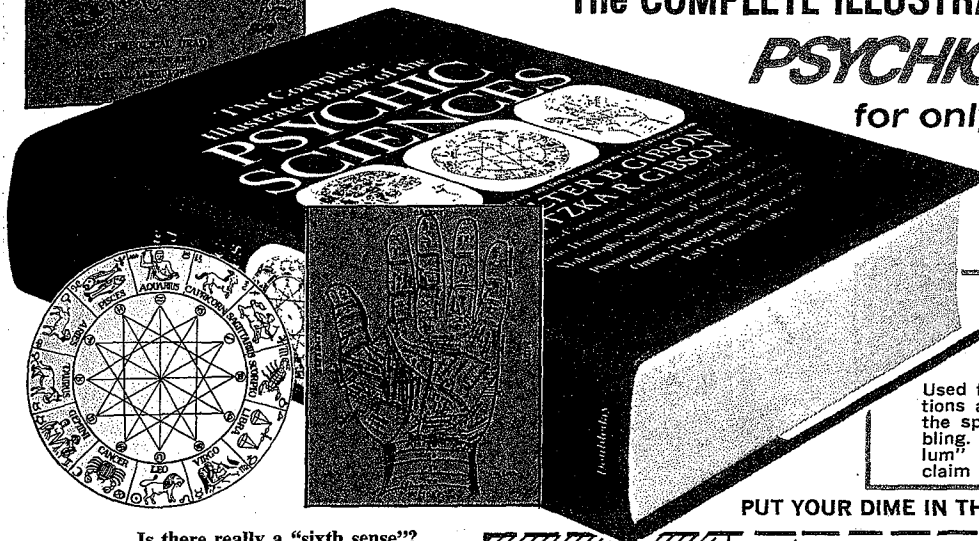
Anderson: Absolutely. Absolutely. You just have to read your newspapers concerning the Sharon Tate murders to realize there are powerful forces of evil available to those who search for them. *Possession* is an ancient phenomena meaning our bodies have been taken over by a demonic force. These manifestations are as numerous today as they were in olden times. Today, we may place the possessed person in a psychiatric clinic instead of exorcising the evil spirit.

Several arsonists have claimed to set their fires only after they were urged to do so by a demonic inner voice. A few years ago, a young circus roustabout in Ohio set a blaze that claimed several lives. He reported visions of a "flaming Indian," who ordered him to set the fires. The flaming demon even planned an escape route for the disturbed man.

Another possibility of devil possession concerns Sirhan Sirhan, the assassin of Senator Robert Kennedy. There

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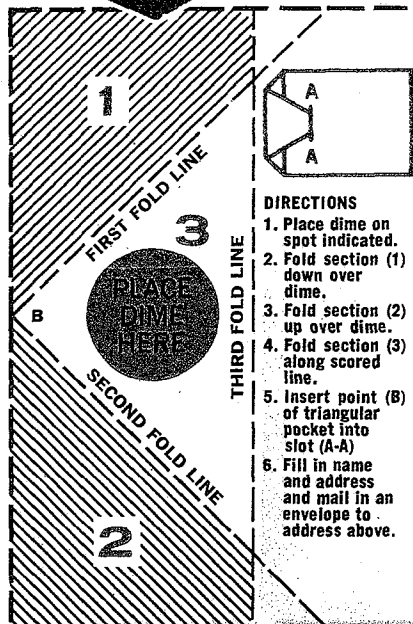
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world is coming to an end since the dawn of history. This old earth will continue on a merry path for a long time, and all of the good old boys and girls will live in peace and harmony.

Question: My young daughter has some psychic ability. Should she be encouraged to develop this?

Anderson: There are certain exercises that can heighten one's ESP senses. However, I suggest that you allow the little girl to enjoy her childhood. If the gift is there, it will come forth in time.

Question: Does a psychic require a special diet?

Anderson: Honey, you're just asking that to call attention to my big stomach! I should be on a diet right now, although I am not a vegetarian. I have always enjoyed a good steak and salad and have never paid much attention to dieting. If it's good food and Southern cooking, I enjoy it.

Question: What health tips did you use during your days as a strongman?

Anderson: Keep your lungs in good shape and maintain a trim stomach. Those are the life lines for the body. Your energy flows from those two sources.

Question: Do you have a personal philosophy of life?

Anderson: Friend, enjoy! Enjoy! Don't ever mentally promise yourself that you're going to be happy sometime in the future, when there are so many dollars in the bank, when you buy a new home, drive a new car, or get a promotion at work. Live life to the fullest day, right now, and do what you want to do so long as it does not hurt someone else. We just need more life to cure any problems, so create a longing for living.

If you sit in an office all day, do something physical in the evening. Or vice versa. Don't overdo anything. And kindness, a cheerful word for those we meet during the day. Time for our families and friends. Enjoy life each day. I have found after counseling thousands of clients that most people are about as happy as they will allow themselves to be.

Part 2

NEWS OF THE FUTURE

Chapter VIII

A NEWSLETTER FROM THE SEVENTIES

Doc Anderson's expression of peaceful serenity was suddenly clouded by fear.

"Don't . . . don't . . ." he shouted, twisting on his office couch. "Don't let that man into the stadium. He has a bomb in that suitcase! Follow him . . . Ooh! Do something!"

Tears welled in his eyes, rolling down his face. "He's placing the bomb under a seat in the stadium . . . walking away . . . people are standing up to cheer for the football teams . . . Oooh! Oh! Oh! The explosion was so loud, and there are so many dead. Young people . . . boys and girls . . . college students. Dead. Blown to bits!"

Doc Anderson raised his arms and gestured defiantly. "Don't run . . . stay still. They're running now. A stampede . . . running everywhere. Dying. Hundreds crushed by the crowd. The screams of the dying drown out the cries of the living."

His face darkened with sorrow, and his body tightened again on the couch. "California license plates on the automobiles . . . football stadium . . . everyone is wearing a coat, so it must be winter. Funny cars. Funny clothes. License plates say seventy-eight. Nineteen seventy-eight"

The horrified gasps ceased, and a look of peace crossed his face. His hands rested at his sides. There was a momentary pause, signaling the end of the deathly

vision and a mental search for another glimpse into tomorrow.

Doc Anderson spoke again, soothingly. "A doctor's office someplace," he said. The mind of the man in Rossville, Georgia, was now passing through time to the medical clinics of the next decade. His mind and spirit were seemingly transported ten years into the future, sending back detailed information on what we may expect in medical advances in the coming years.

"A group of doctors are talking about a new computer," Doc Anderson said, quietly. "There are hundreds of doctors at a convention, and the man giving a speech says the computer frees the physician from an inaccurate 'guesstimate' of what is wrong with the patient."

He paused, frowning. "There is still a shortage of doctors," he said. "A bad shortage, and patients have difficulty seeing a doctor."

Anderson's description of future medical technology poured into the tape recorder. Doc Anderson, a seer noted for the accuracy and number of his predictions, and I had been holding three ESP sessions each day in an effort to obtain as many predictions as possible on this decade. Later, Doc Anderson awakened from the self-induced trance state and sat up on the couch.

"Do you understand those fancy words I was using?" he asked.

I clicked off the tape recorder. "Not all of them," I admitted. "You were certainly detailed in your descriptions of everything. When I get this tape transcribed, I'll have the material checked by a physician."

Doc entered a washroom off his office, splashed cold water onto his face to erase the effects of the trance, then returned to slump down into a comfortable chair. An assistant handed an iced Coca-Cola to the fatigued seer.

"I think those last two visions indicate the tone of the future," Anderson said, lighting a long, thin cigar.

"The people who welcome the new year on January 1, 1980, will be looking back on a very remarkable decade."

"I was checking the transcriptions on our other tapes and was reminded of the opening paragraph in *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens," I said. "He wrote: 'It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity, it was the season of light, it was the season of darkness, it was the spring of hope, it was the winter of despair . . . ' that's all I remember, but it certainly sums up your predictions for the next decade."

"It will be those sort of times," Doc said. He puffed quietly on his cigar. "Take the last thing there about medicine. Those are real advances, because people will have their life span increased by a considerable number of years. Transplants are going to become commonplace, and artificial organs will be developed. The hundred-year-old man or woman will be an accepted thing in ten years. Yet, people will be aggravated because they can't see a doctor without a long wait."

"The world keeps advancing, but we've lost that personal touch," he continued. "Sometimes we move so fast that we forget the wisdom of God's word and the lessons of nature. I'm optimistic, however, because this great nation will prevail and mankind will forge ahead toward a better world. We will have new inventions, but we'll still have a madman who plants a bomb to explode in a crowded football stadium."

Anderson was silent for a moment, mentally reflecting on the vision of death in a California stadium. "That was an awful thing to do," he remarked, talking of the future as if it was already in the past.

Here, then, are Doc Anderson's predictions for the next decade:

THE SEVENTIES will be known for an unselfish attitude in a larger percentage of the nation's population. Materialistic goals will decline. Ownership of property

and possessions will be less fashionable. More and more items will be rented. Ownership will start to become obsolete . . . apartment living will be on the increase. Doctors, lawyers, businessmen, will flock to high-rise occupational communes . . . swinging singles apartment houses will flourish.

DIVORCES will increase . . . up 25% on the statistical charts by 1976 . . . sex will be more casual . . . Term Marriages will be legal in the seventies. Such vows will end at the end of certain time. They may be renewed, or ended, according to how the couple feels . . . The Government will help with raising the children of these shattered marriages.

LEISURE TIME will be a new status symbol for the "in" crowd . . . Time to enjoy life will be more valuable than money . . . Working hours will drop drastically. The four-day work week will become a reality . . . Many jobs will become obsolete—phased out by automation . . . People will spend more time learning new skills . . . Adult Learning will be a big business.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT will rise to a trillion and a half dollars in the late seventies . . . Wage-earners will receive a 50% increase in their paychecks . . . This will be a real raise, discounting inflation . . . Taxes will take an even larger portion from the worker's paycheck . . . Opportunity for persons of every race, color, and creed will be available in the United States . . . Women will be accepted as equals in business, industry, and politics.

BUSINESS WILL BE COMPETITIVE . . . operating in a widened world market; more competition from all sides . . . Many large firms will revise their philosophy and realize the needs of society must be met . . . The solution of many of our social problems will come when business accepts this challenge and takes the action away from the politicians . . . The general executive will emerge as a leader. The Specialist will be removed from the Company President's seat, replaced by the computer

... Corporations will return to a single decisionmaker, eliminating boards, committees, and group decisions.

EDUCATION WILL BECOME the nation's largest business ... A movement will form to use school buildings for the benefit of the entire community, eliminating duplication of buildings ... School gyms will be used in the evenings by adults ... Classrooms will become centers for night adult education classes, organization clubrooms, meeting places ... There will be successful experiments to hold school classes twelve months of the year ... New standards of certifying teachers will be passed ... The "Publish or Perish!" clique will be replaced by those who are true teachers.

STYLES AND FASHIONS will become normal in many fields. Bizarre costumes will replace our present clothing ... New processes will make disposable clothing a reality ... Wear a garment once and toss it away ... Both men's and women's clothes will be more form-fitting ... The body stocking will be accepted by the entire population ... Male fashions will see the return of fancier styles, lace cuffs, unusual collars, psychedelic suits ...

MEDIA WILL BECOME BOLDER in presenting pornography ... Nudity on the movie screen and on stage will be commonplace ... Blatant pornography will rule in the publishing industry ... This trend will eventually be replaced by new shocks coming from violence ... Sadistic scenes, torture on the screen, in books, on stage ...

RELIGION WILL BECOME FRAGMENTED ... The growing trend against the institutionalized church will continue ... More ministerial dropouts from every church ... The fundamental Christian will arise ... New theologies, old beliefs, will return in small, home-centered congregations ... Many will seek to blend the strong values of Christianity into a picture of Eastern religions, mystery cults, and spiritual groups ... Cults will rise

and grow in the occult, astrology, witchcraft, numerology ...

POLITICS WILL BECOME FRAGMENTED ... Protest movements will increase; politics of the young will challenge cynical machine rule ... Minorities will demand a voice in running the nation ... Strong protests from Indians ... women ... homosexuals ... retired people ... consumers ... Chinese-Americans ... Japanese-Americans ... and Negroes ... The Seventies will be known in history as a "decade of protest ..."

POLITICS WILL CHANGE. Energetic young people will become active in all parties ... Youngsters will create chaos and confusion among the experienced politicians ... Empty promises and political skulduggery will not fool the young ... A slowdown in the growth of big government as people discover Washington is unable to solve problems ... Smaller, more efficient local bureaus will be linked to the state and federal systems ... Professional politicians will be bypassed as new candidates appeal directly to the people, through television and armies of volunteer workers ... No one man will impose his will on a political nomination convention.

THE SEVENTIES will become one of the most exciting decades in history.

ADVERTISING

Anderson believes money spent by advertisers will double within the next ten years. "There's going to be an enormous outlay of money on new products," he predicted. "There is hope for the average person because advertising will become much more humorous. The admen will discover that if you can make a person smile, they will think kindly toward a product. Hard-sell advertising will become almost a thing of the past. New forms of media will also rise to challenge the print and electronic media."

New media will be derived from our increasingly complex technology. Anderson predicts that some, but not all, of these new methods of advertising will create problems for both our lawmakers and the average citizen. He cited an electronic gadget which he predicted will be invented in 1976.

"I've seen this thing, but I don't know what you could call it," he said. "You will be able to cast a message in the sky, using the atmosphere for a screen," he said.

"It can be compared to a giant projector, which throws a slide onto the skies. There will be a fantastic scramble to get this device into production. We'll live to see city governments renting out their skies to advertisers. The use of these projectors over scenic areas will create a national scandal. People won't be able to look at Lookout Mountain, or take a picture of a national monument, without having an ad message in the sky."

"Will this continue?" I inquired.

"The lawmakers will eventually get around to regulating where those 'ads in the skies' may be used," he answered. "There will also be a regulation over what hours the device may be used."

Anderson also forecasts a crisis on Madison Avenue during the Seventies, as agencies attempt to change with the times. "The telephone company is an example of what is happening," Anderson said. "I predict a strong wave of anti-materialism in the Seventies, when the lust for possessions will decline. The advertisers have always urged that everyone should own things, as a status symbol. The companies, and their advertising agencies, are going to find it very difficult to change over to a nation that wants to lease or rent products.

"Renting is the way of the future," he predicted. "People will rent their homes, apartments, and automobiles. They will rent their furniture, drapes, kitchen appliances, and household accessories. A product will be made to last a certain period of time, then be discarded. More and more businessmen will start leasing their stores, fixtures,

and office equipment. Ownership as we know it will decline in the Seventies. People will become even more unsettled. Families will move more. If a man gets transferred from Seattle to New York, he will leave one rented home and find another waiting for him with furniture, appliances, and cars ready for his arrival. This trend toward renting will increase as each year passes."

OTHER ADVERTISING PREDICTIONS: There will be a national scandal in television within the near future, with a storm centering on television program ratings . . . A fourth network will be formed in the mid-Seventies . . . Regional networks will be suggested as a means of eliminating control of all news at the national level . . . A very large advertising agency will go bankrupt in the near future . . . More advertisers will use premiums and giveaways as a means of luring customers.

AGRICULTURE

"The man who owns a small acreage will be in an enviable position in the next decade," Doc Anderson declared. "The price of food will continue to soar. A small garden will be an excellent investment. As our population grows, land will be at a premium. The cost of acreages and farmland will increase by at least fifty percent in the next ten years."

Anderson foresees the accelerated growth of the large corporation farm. "People will continue to leave the land and go to the city," he stated. "There will be some efforts at resettlement of disadvantaged groups in small towns. This program will be operated by the Government and will be a failure. We will see many of our smaller towns lose population; this will be a tragedy, because much of our national strength comes from the smaller communities."

Music will play an important role in farming in the future. "Believe it or not, we're going to see corn fields

and orchards wired for music," Anderson predicted. "There will be a tremendous breakthrough with the discovery that plants and trees have a system similar to the human nervous system."

Studies will prove, according to this prediction, that all kinds of plant life will grow faster, and be more disease resistant, if serenaded by music. "A recording with a fast tempo will create the fastest growth," Anderson said. "More serene music will create a larger yield. By the end of this decade we will see the canny farmer paying close attention to the music he selects for his corn crop!"

Another discovery will enable the gardener to double, or even triple, the size and yield of his vegetables and fruits through the applications of small amounts of electricity. "It will be in the news very soon, but there will be a passing of several years before it is realized that plants can be shocked into growth," the seer declared.

Other predictions: There will soon be a series of laws passed regulating safe use of farm machinery. "Roll bars for tractors will be mandatory," Anderson said . . . There will be a growing business in imported tractors and equipment, lowering prices for the farmer . . . More farm chemicals will soon be banned from use . . . A forthcoming scandal in the beef industry over animals that have been "pumped full of dangerous chemicals" . . . Drought in some areas and the return of "Dust Bowl" conditions in some states.

AMERICA'S AWESOME ARSENAL

Take a small, metallic box crammed with intricate electronic circuitry. Attach a line leading to a science-fiction type of ray gun. Press a button and dial the indicator into the dangerous red zone. Point the ray gun at a brick house and pull the trigger. "There is no sound and no explosion," Doc Anderson declared. "Yet, anyone within

that brick structure would have their brains scrambled instantly by the deadly sound waves from this device."

A weapon of the distant future? "It is one of our nation's deadliest secret weapons at this very moment," Anderson stated. "This ray gun is just one of the many devices stored in America's arsenal. Within two years, stories concerning this and other weapons using sound will be released."

We will also be disturbed by frightening advances in electrical weaponry. "Some of those power blackouts were no accidents," Anderson stated. "The Government has been testing a device that might be called an 'electrical cannon.' Drawing upon an enormous amount of electrical power, the weapon blasts a protective electrical shield over an area of several thousand square miles. Any enemy missile will explode upon contact with this electrical shield."

"A variation on this device is a weapon that shoots fireballs into the air," he continued. "Tests of this weapon have led to many reports of strange, glowing lights in our skies."

A third weapon in the nation's electrified arsenal is a frightening device which changes electrical insulators into conductors. "This device can be attached to an automobile or an electrical appliance," Anderson said. "The victim is electrocuted. I predict this weapon will become even more deadly when the Government scientists succeed in developing a pyramid effect. Then, the weapon can be plugged into any point in a city's electrical system and everything connected to electricity would become a virtual weapon for electrocution." **DEVIL-ARTS**

Doc Anderson also reported Government research into deadly poisons. "They now have a poisonous vapor which is both colorless and odorless," he stated. "When this vapor is breathed into the lungs, the unfortunate victim dies within ninety seconds. The poison closes the arteries, and the brain is deprived of blood. Although this poison is extremely dangerous to use, it evaporates within a very

few minutes from the victim. Government tests have shown that even a trained physician cannot detect that the victim died from anything other than a heart attack."

Weapons systems that will be developed during the Seventies will include:

1. Several variations on nuclear weapons, including a fallout-free bomb.

2. A machine to change the climate of an enemy country, capable of creating drought, snowstorms, blizzards, or rain.

3. Small nuclear bombs affixed to torpedoes and fired from submarines.

4. Numerous kinds of death rays and sound machines.

5. A device which burns the atmosphere over a controlled radius. "This will be known as the earth scorcher," Anderson predicted.

6. A laser cannon developed into an aerospace defense system to protect the nation against enemy missiles.

7. An artificial intelligence for missile guidance.

8. An orbited space platform, armed with nuclear-tipped rockets and controlled by a manned crew.

9. The ultimate weapon, the frightening Doomsday Machine. "Once triggered, this weapon would destroy the earth," Anderson declared. "Fortunately, I see no signs that research into this weapon will be successful."

ART

"I predict a tremendous surge in appreciation of the arts in the Seventies, with millions of people becoming amateur painters, sculptors, or musicians and entering every area of artistic fields," Anderson said. "This will blossom out and reach a peak in 1974, then continue with a regular growth."

All art will become more faddish and "virtually disposable."

"We will see new schools of expression suddenly burst-

ing onto the art world, being accepted instantly by millions and then forgotten in a few months," Anderson continued. "There will be an Oriental influence in most art, in furniture styling, and even in our clothing designs."

ATOMIC ENERGY

Peaceful use of atomic energy will gain tremendous acceptance in the next few years. "However, I foresee the possibility of at least one nuclear accident on the East Coast," Anderson warned. "These are dangerous materials and, even today, there are not enough safeguards over the construction of atomic power plants."

"I also predict that nuclear explosions will be used widely in mining and excavations," Anderson remarked. "Within a year, a program for developing peaceful use of small nuclear explosions will be created by industry. Extremely small bombs will be developed, detonating in a controlled charge, and allowing their use in constructing tunnels, underground storage areas, canals, and other projects."

Power for the nation's homes will undergo drastic changes in the late Seventies. Anderson named these trends:

Solar energy: "Although this is a relatively well-known source of power, it will become widely used in the last few years of the decade," he predicted. "Small space heaters, small generators, and similar devices will bring heat and power to even the remotest area."

Aerosol generators: "I foresee this machine becoming a definite threat to giant turbine electrical generators," he said. "It will use a helium gas and water to turn heat directly into electrical power."

Gas fuel cells: "A device will be marketed within four years that operates off natural gas and produces enough electricity to power the average home," he stated. "Home

owners may rent or purchase this device and generate their own electricity."

Summing up, Anderson said: "The Seventies will be a time of research and development for peaceful use of atomic energy and other new forms of power. The 1980s will be the time when these new sources of power will challenge the electrical companies."

AUTOMATION

"This is the dark demon of the space age," Doc Anderson remarked, discussing his predictions for future technology. "Automation has freed the worker from dull, tiring jobs. It has also created an army of unemployable people. Many of our social ills are linked directly to automation because the man with money in his pocket acts differently when he is broke and jobless.

"Automation will accelerate by 125 percent in the Seventies," Anderson predicted. "We're going to witness the greatest change since the Industrial Revolution. With this change will come some dramatic new methods of retraining workers. Both Government and industry will be involved in retraining programs—the greatest education of adults in history. A young man getting a job today may discover that job does not exist in 1980. He may have to retrain two, three, perhaps four, times in his working life."

Automation will also create a new form of taxation. "There will be talk of a production tax in 1972," Anderson said. "The actual tax will be imposed on industry in about 1977. An automatic factory, run by a computer, will produce millions of items in a year. A few mills, or cents, in taxes will be imposed at the production level. When this production tax becomes a reality, the rate of income taxes will drop."

Anderson foresees machines that will multiply the strength and endurance of workers as the largest single

breakthrough in the Seventies. "These machines will have to be directed by an operator, who will wear them around his body," he said. "Smoothly and efficiently, a man will be able to lift an automobile, or carry a ton of bricks, with these man-machines."

What about the mechanical robots, those efficient mechanical slaves, for all-purpose chores around the house or office? "I see some research into robots, but no actual devices being manufactured in the next few years," Anderson stated. "Changing bedclothes, washing clothes and scrubbing floors will still be done by the housewife. I do not see a human-like machine tirelessly doing our work for us."

New forms of machines are included in these predictions:

1. A device will pre-test products before they leave the factory. "Weak parts in a new automobile will be caught before the car is shipped to the dealer," Anderson said. "This machine will simulate 50,000 miles of travel in a three-minute test."

2. A new radar system will solve the problem of aircraft congestion over our largest airports. "An air traffic controller will be given a three-dimensional view of all aircraft in the area," the seer predicted. "He will be able to 'lock-in' dozens of planes into a single computer."

3. "The drug industry will be revolutionized with the invention of a microscope using the process of holography," Anderson predicted during one ESP session. "This microscope will give the user a three-dimensional view of complex materials. It will be one of the most important breakthroughs for science and it will occur in the mid-Seventies."

4. Fully automated post office machines, including optical scanners that read the addresses on envelopes and automatically sort mail, will become a reality.

5. "In the next three years we will see the introduction of an 'automatic' typewriter, which types the spoken

word," Anderson concluded. "A person will talk directly to the typewriter, which will automatically type his words without error."

AVIATION

When the Wright Brothers flew their aircraft at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, they launched a new dimension of travel that is expanding with explosive acceleration. Many of our elderly citizens can recall the horse-and-buggy days; their lives have gone from the buggy and railroads to today's gigantic jumbo jets. Doc Anderson's predictions on this volatile field of transportation indicate a surge of growth in the next few years.

"Passenger travel will double, then redouble, in the Seventies," he predicted. "The big 500-passenger jet liners will create a dramatic drop in the cost of flying. Before this decade ends, you will be flown from Chicago to Hawaii for less than \$100."

"The jumbo jets will stretch the aviation industry to limitless dimensions," Anderson declared. "There will be airplanes double the size of today's Boeing 747. A giant cargo fleet of these gigantic airplanes will become the trucks and buses of the next decade."

Here are Anderson's other predictions for the aviation industry in the next decade:

1. Regional jet-ports will be constructed close to the major population centers throughout the United States; many of these giant airports will be built on man-made islands close to large cities. "There will be satellite airports surrounding the big jet-ports," Doc Anderson explained. "These smaller airports will feed passengers and freight into the regional ports. By 1979, the airlines will have 400 million passengers a year. This tremendous upsurge in air travel will be worldwide. Cargo planes, double the size of our present jets, will fly freight across the nation just as soon as airport facilities are constructed."

2. In the late Seventies, a new means of silencing aircraft engine noise will be discovered. "This will stop the 'sonic boom', and airliners will speed through the air at fantastic speeds," Anderson explained. "By the end of this decade, a passenger will be flown from New York to California in approximately one hour."

3. "As unusual as this prediction may sound, these giant jetliners will enable vaudeville to flourish again," Anderson also predicted. "Passengers will soon grow weary of inflight movies and demand other entertainment. A major airline will seek to capitalize on the interest in live entertainment, presenting a complete stage show on one of their overseas flights. Their passengers will like this live entertainment, and other airlines will rush to get their own shows. Vaudeville will return by 1976—with bookings on transcontinental airliners!"

BIOLOGY

Disembodied brains . . . babies from test tubes . . . genetic engineering . . . 'artificial women' . . . supermen grown in laboratories . . . Half men, half machines . . .

These are a few of the biological discoveries predicted for the future; fascinating, yet frightening, breakthroughs by science that will change our lives forever. "Biology is the science of the future," Doc Anderson declared. "Just as physics has been in the headlines in the past twenty years, so shall the biologists come to the fore. Many of their experiments will be repulsive to the average person, yet this research will lead us to a better life."

During the past thirty months, Doc Anderson has obtained numerous psychic impressions, messages, and clairvoyant visions concerning the forthcoming biological revolution. "Some of these visions have been very disturbing," he admits. "They have been accompanied by some remarkably strong vibrations, indicating these events

will occur in the near future. I am certain our lives will be vitally affected by these discoveries."

While many of these predictions came from Anderson's unique, and sometimes involuntary, glimpses of the future, they were refined and additional information was obtained during a special trance. Doc Anderson and I had met one morning for a hearty late breakfast of eggs, country-style Southern ham, red-eye gravy, and the traditional side dish of Southern grits. We then drove past the steep Incline railroad, beyond the signs directing tourists to Rock City, down Gordon Avenue into Rossville and to his office. Doc pulled his Lincoln Continental into the parking lot, lit a long, thin cigar and turned toward me.

"I am not satisfied with the predictions on what science is going to do to people," he drawled. "I said last night that I was tired. I've had a good night's sleep, enjoyed a good breakfast, and I'd like to go into a trance."

"However, I'd like to ask questions during the trance if something isn't quite clear," I said.

"Sometimes it interferes with what I receive in my visions," Doc reminded me. "However, I'll see if we can't do that and clear up some of these things. My spirit can go into the future. I can see these things. But I can't describe them to you. Those scientists are using words that I just can't pronounce."

Several minutes later, the tall, gentle giant had stretched out on his office couch and entered a self-induced trance.

I clicked on the tape recorder. "Ready," I said.

His voice came through, thin and distant. "A laboratory. A red brick building, a large place. Long corridors, lots of rooms, all sorts of equipment. People are working there, doing things to the tubes. There are some women there. They're talking about the brain. Everyone is excited because the brain is such a successful experiment. Hmm. I'll look around some more."

Doc's face assumed a curious, puzzled look. Looking on the sleeping seer, I could almost see his spirit roaming down the corridors of some scientific lab, peering invisibly

over the shoulders of a busy research chemist. Without warning, he bolted upright on the couch. Shock and fear darkened his face.

"Good Lord! What have they done?" he shouted. "The brain is in a bowl! They've taken a brain from a human being, and they're keeping it alive in that bowl!"

Gradually, the horror in his voice subsided. His body fell back on the couch. Momentarily, he described the vision in a calm, detached voice. "The experiment is taking place in a sterilized room. In the center of the room is a large bowl, and attached to this bowl are all kinds of wires, tubes, and things," he reported. "There's a plastic transparent cover over the bowl. Inside, it looks like a milky liquid substance, and directly in the center of that substance is the brain."

"How do we know it is alive?" I inquired.

"There are little wires attached to it," he replied.

"These wires lead to a funny machine. The machine records the activity in the brain. Yes, it is alive. Very much alive."

"What year is this?" 1978

"I'll look around . . . no calendars on the wall . . . wait! I'll look through the desks! Yes. Papers on the desk. Postmark on the morning mail reads nineteen seventy-eight."

"What is the theory behind this experiment?" I inquired, excitedly. "Why keep the brain in the dish?"

"They are searching for a way to preserve genius." Anderson answered. "With this successful experiment, they plan to sever the heads from gifted people. The head would be taken just before the person dies. Surrounded by . . . what's the word . . . nutrients and electronic devices, the head and brain could be kept forever. The brain would receive immortality. One man has written a paper about this; he says there can be special libraries where children can come and talk to famous minds."

I wanted to ask Doc Anderson to check on the con-

dition of the brain, determining the emotional reaction to the brain involved in the experiment. I failed to do so, fearful that such a question might prompt the seer to enter the brain. Such an act, even though it would be performed by his spirit, might conceivably be dangerous. I assumed the brain retained a memory of the horrible experience of disembodiment. Our knowledge of psychic phenomena is limited and fragmentary and, therefore, can be dangerous. Although Doc Anderson always worked with apparent ease, I dismissed the question and asked where the experiment would occur.

"Government laboratory," Anderson replied. "Armed guards outside the lab. Wait! There are young people walking about . . . it must be a college campus. I'll look around a bit." Several minutes later, he named the campus of a well-known California university.

Doc's psychic sense was sharpened to a remarkable edge that morning. We continued our exploration of the future for over an hour, floating spiritually from laboratory to biological conventions, skittering across the known boundaries of time. Our fascinating journey ended only after I detected a strained tremor in Anderson's voice, indicating his fatigue. I clicked off the recorder reluctantly and, momentarily, Doc Anderson emerged from his trance.

"That brain was absolutely fantastic!" Doc said, moving from his couch to his gilded office chair. "It was alive, totally alive, lying in a weird dish. They were feeding it just as we might give nourishment to a prize flower plant."

"Do you think there will be an announcement in 1978 concerning the experiment?"

"There was considerable secrecy around the project," Doc said. "I'm not sure. Shall I try again to find out?"

I looked at the beads of perspiration on his forehead. "No, we'll try another day—or just wait and see in another eight years."

Later that same afternoon, the tapes were transcribed. Here are some of the predictions:

1. SCIENCE CREATES LIFE will be the banner headlines on our newspaper within seven years.

2. Within a very few years, you will be able to be inexpensively frozen and placed in cold storage moments before death. Your body will be brought from the freezer and thawed out at a designated time. The cost will be no more than an average funeral. Laws will be passed to have your possessions and investments placed in trust during your "frozen sleep."

3. Science will solve the problems of aging during the Seventies. Our children will easily live to celebrate their one-hundredth birthday.

4. Artificial parts for the human body will be manufactured in laboratories. Your new liver, heart, or kidneys, will be grown from collogen, an animal protein.

5. The laboratory reproduction of multiple-cell organisms will become a fact, leading to the eventual cloning of human beings in test tubes within twenty years.

"Even science will be apprehensive when they find that humans can be grown in a lab," Doc Anderson reported. "The first of these soul-less creatures will be produced in 1985. It will open up a frightening chapter in all of history."

6. Genetic engineering will become the "new" science. "We will soon be able to select the sex of our children, the color of their eyes, and their appearance," Anderson said.

7. Experiments will start soon to produce half-men-half-machines, virtual robot men to do the world's unpleasant tasks.

8. The "artificial woman," a mechanical device that walks, talks, and performs certain actions, will be marketed successfully in the last years of this decade. "Lonely men will purchase their 'dream' girl just as our children buy a doll in a store," the seer declared.

9. "One of my most frightening visions is that of a laboratory developing cross species of animals," Doc Anderson said. "I predict this will come within seven years."

We will see science create a dog with two heads, monkeys with human hands, and other frightening monsters. Every kind of cross species experiment will be developed in the laboratories of the future." A man-animal species will be created by 1990.

10. These developments will become a reality by 1975:

(a) Implanting fertilized eggs in the womb; (b) Artificial viruses; (c) A chemical process to erase the memory; (d) Hundreds of drugs to modify our moods and emotions; (e) New methods to postpone death, particularly clinical death, for long periods of time.

"Biology holds the key to our future," says Doc Anderson.

Chapter IX

A CLAIRVOYANT VIEW OF BUSINESS

Each autumn, when the landscape along the Tennessee-Georgia state line has turned from green to gold, an executive jet can be seen to arc high in the sky over Lookout Mountain. Moments later, the plane has passed swiftly over the dull tints of the Tennessee River, landed at the Chattanooga airport, and taxied to an obscure corner of the airfield. A tall, angular man can be seen stepping furtively from the plane. Face flushed by the wind, his hands shoved deep into the ragged pockets of his faded dungarees, the financier carefully scans the airfield with dark, intense eyes. Satisfied that he has eluded his competitor's detectives, or escaped from his personal demons, the tycoon crosses the concrete runway to where Doc Anderson's Lincoln Continental is parked. He crawls into the back seat, and settles back into the plush white upholstery. Doc Anderson introduced me to his unusual client.

"I've been coming to Chattanooga for the past nine years to consult with Doc," the financier admitted as Doc Anderson drove the car through Chattanooga traffic toward his office. "While the security precautions may seem to be eccentric, there are important reasons for protecting my identity. First, I do not want my competitors to know where I obtain consultation on future business conditions. Second, I am convinced Doc is a gifted psychic, and I value his predictions. I base my future business plans on his advice. But, you can bet your bottom dollar, my stockholders would scream like wounded panthers if they knew I was consulting a psychic. There are few people in the business world who will admit to the reality of ESP, or psychic talents."

The financier lit a cigar and explained the necessity in business for predictions. "Business is a game of outguessing the future," he said, as the car moved through downtown Chattanooga. He pointed to a clothing store. "There's a man in that store who is placing orders for next summer's merchandise. He can overbuy, and his store is in bad trouble. If he underbuys, they lose business. He has established a few buying guidelines based on his experience. Like every other businessman, he would like to own a personal crystal ball or ouija board."

"There's an entire industry that feeds so-called prophetic information into the business mainstream," the financier continued. "Pick up almost any financial publication. There are ads with headlines like 'Ten Stocks That Will Go Up in Thirty Days.' There are newsletters, charts that supposedly detect a business or market turnaround, and a hundred other gimmicks."

"I would buy stock if I was certain of ten winners," I said.

"So would those people, friend," Doc drawled. "I know a businessman here in Chattanooga who almost ruined himself buying stock according to those reports. Those forecasts just are not accurate."

"Right," the financier agreed. "I've gone the whole

route in business forecasting. Chartists. Computers. Business cycle experts. You name it, I've put a bundle into it. Now, some of these things can provide a generalized view of future possibilities in business. You won't get an answer on whether a specific thing will fail, or succeed."

"Tell him how you heard about me," Doc Anderson urged.

"I was down in Miami trying to put together a complex land deal," the financier explained. "I spent several weeks on that deal, and everything turned to dust. A maid at the motel said I should have asked Doc about the deal. She claimed he could see into the future. I was ready to try anything or anyone. I telephoned Doc, made an appointment, and flew to Chattanooga. I didn't act on the first reading, just kept score on the information. He made nineteen predictions, and seventeen proved true. That was good enough for me."

"Were these long- or short-range predictions?" I asked.

"Six-month predictions." The financier turned to Doc Anderson. "Doc, I really want to talk with you about a daily prediction on the stock market. I'll place whatever amount you say into a special broker's account. You make one prediction each evening to buy or sell on the following morning. We could make . . ."

"Friend, we've talked about this before," Doc Anderson said, patiently. "You know I don't like to misuse my talents. I've always felt that trying to simply make money would end up in a disaster for a project like that. The good Lord didn't give me this gift to sit in a broker's office and make money."

"There's no crime in making money." The financier shrugged. "You're always saying you don't make predictions on that stuff, but I was down here when you gave that number to the old fellow in the restaurant."

"Old Billy needed something to help him out of a pinch," Doc replied, defensively. "I did that without thinking about it."

"We were in a downtown restaurant when I was down

here a few months ago," the financier explained. "An old Negro came over to the table and asked Doc for a lucky number. I'll admit that Doc didn't want to give him one. The old man went into a story about having a daughter in the hospital, needing money for doctors, and being bothered by bill collectors. Doc said that he might place a dollar on 762. The old man came around a couple of days later and walked into Doc's office; he was grinning from ear to ear. He had hit right on the nose with 762."

"Friend, I did that to help old Billy," Doc said. "He needed something to get him back among the living. He works hard, raised a big family, and sent every one of those kids to college."

"How about horse races? Shooting dice at Las Vegas?" The financier called out a lengthy list of speculative enterprises.

Doc Anderson shook his head.

"I think you have a double standard," the financier said.

"If I was in need of money, you'd give me a tip."

"You're right," Doc said, pulling the car into the driveway of his office. "Poor people need money more than millionaires."

"Doc, you're a revolutionist. Let's get down to business and get a few good predictions. I have to be back in New York tonight." The financier followed Doc Anderson into the office, firing questions at the robust psychic.

The millionaire who uses psychic readings to increase his holdings is just one of numerous businessmen who consult the Chattanooga clairvoyant on complex business decisions. A dentist in Nashville flies to Chattanooga each month to obtain advice on his investments. A wealthy Florida land speculator seldom purchases a new parcel of property without a personal consultation to obtain Anderson's psychic impressions on the development potential on the land.

"I was interested in a piece of waterfront property for a marina and motel," Frank Tillson reported. "This was

an extremely expensive piece of property. I had several partners in on the deal. I like to give Doc as much as possible to work on. That time, I brought along several drawings, plans, and Polaroid pictures of the property and photographs of my partners. We were talking in his office and Doc was sort of absent-mindedly shuffling through the papers and pictures. All of a sudden, his face clouded up and a real sorrowful look came over him."

"You will lose every cent you invest in this project," Doc Anderson announced to the Florida man. "Two men in this group are not acting in good faith. These two men will bleed every cent from their partners through trickery and embezzlement." Anderson selected two photographs from the file. "Don't trust these men."

Tillson stared aghast at the psychic. "Doc, I've known those fellows for years. This is one time you're wrong. Dead wrong."

"Don't invest, or you'll lose everything," Anderson declared, firmly.

Tillson argued with the psychic. Doc Anderson was adamant in his prediction of disaster. "It was uncanny. Doc's warning convinced me not to go into the deal. I really wanted in because it looked like a profitable project," he said. "Just as Doc predicted, the two men he had warned me about did turn on the other partners. The funds were embezzled through trickery and deceit. I don't pretend to understand the fine points of this prediction business. All I know is that things turn out true whenever Anderson gives me his impressions on something."

Doc Anderson and I worked together to obtain his impressions on business in the future. "We are entering a time of the shake-out," Anderson predicted. "The years 1970 and 1971 are going to be very decisive for many businesses. There is going to be a slowdown in many areas and, regardless of what President Nixon and his economic advisers call it, we are going into a brief re-

cession. The Government will cause this recession. Profits in business will go down. Let me explain this: I do not mean that profits will grow at a slower rate. Profits will plunge down from their present levels.

"The full force of the Government's tight reins on money has not hit yet," Doc continued. "The full impact of these artificial high interest rates will not be felt until June, 1970. There will be an increase in the number of unemployed as business will continue to cut back because of the high rate of borrowing money. Workers will be laid off from private industry and require large outlays of relief, welfare payments, and unemployment insurance. This will increase Government spending and defeat the purpose of the plan to defeat inflation."

Anderson also foresees a bad decision by the President and his advisers in the latter part of 1970. "Wage and price controls will be discussed, and the President will be indecisive about such a plan," the seer stated. "The controls will be dismissed, and this will be an error. Another spiraling inflation will be triggered as soon as the supply of money is increased. Inflation will continue to be the trend for the next few years."

In 1970 and 1971, Anderson foresees the need for businessmen to work harder. "There will be increased competition. There will be even greater pressures on businessmen," he predicted. "Business will be slowed in 1970, then pick up speed in 1971. There is an impression of great danger connected with a group of economists tinkering with the nation's economy, but prosperity will continue in America."

"I foresee a recession, not a depression," Anderson emphasized. "Automobile sales will go down in 1970, and those car dealers who have expanded too rapidly may discover they are in trouble. There will be more purchases of used, rather than new, cars."

"In 1970, there will be less money in people's pockets to spend on leisure and entertainment," he continued. "I have also foreseen the continued decline of the Hollywood

studios, and there is a bankruptcy for a studio in the near future. This studio has gambled too heavily on films that will not do well at the box office. The movie-makers will be faced with an inability to accurately gauge public taste."

"Business will be difficult, profits will be down, and sales will be harder to create during the Nixon Administration," Anderson predicted. "This will prove very costly to the President in the next election."

Doc Anderson's specific predictions for business include these prophecies:

1970 AND 1971

STOCK MARKET PREDICTIONS

The "experts and insiders" will continue to be baffled by unexpected reactions in the market. The glamorous "go-go" performance managers will discover their time has passed. Investors are going to become tuned to stability and safety. This market will fluctuate up and down, with seemingly random movements, making investments very difficult. I predict a long series of minor scandals in the financial community, with the possibility of a major scandal. The confidence of the investing public may be lost.

ENGLAND'S MONEY CRISIS

I predict that Merry Olde England will totter along at a snail's pace, dragging her monetary problems behind her. The pound sterling will once again be in trouble. Speculators will launch an attack on the pound, and a group of nations will once again rise to the defense of

England. Speculators will continue to circle like jackals around the monetary carcass of this nation for many years.

STRIKES AND STRIKES

President Nixon will see his Administration plagued by many labor strikes. Business and labor will collide in trucking, communications, construction, and automobile manufacturing.

THE DECLINE OF RAILROADS

Less than a century ago, the nation was linked by great railroads, and America's rise to prosperity was due, partially, to this great transportation system. I predict a dramatic increase in railroad wrecks and derailments because of shoddy maintenance. These wrecks will end only when the Government forces new regulations for upkeep of the lines. And I further predict that a Congressional investigation will reveal the ruthless practices of many railroad managers. Legislation will follow.

UNEMPLOYMENT RIOTS!

We shall see unemployment figures at their highest peak in a decade. Many of those who lose their jobs will be unskilled members of minority races. Their loss of jobs will create inflammatory conditions in the ghettos. More riots are forthcoming.

BUSINESS SPENDING DROPS

I predict that corporations will cut their plans for expansion as profits plunge downward in the near future.

The cost of expansion will be much too great and these plans will be postponed until the business climate is better.

HOMES DOWN; TRAILERS UP!

New housing construction will almost come to a standstill in the near future, due to the high rates of interest. I foresee that many families will turn to mobile homes as a solution for their housing needs and this industry will boom. There will be many investment opportunities in every part of the nation for establishing mobile home parks.

APPLIANCE PRICE WARS

Both retailers and manufacturers will shortly engage in a desperate price war to increase their sale of appliances.

HIGH SPEED TRAINS

I foresee several "Metro-liners" to be established between our cities in the near future. Construction will start soon to provide high-speed travel between San Diego-Los Angeles; Cleveland-Toledo; Detroit-Chicago; and Miami-Jacksonville. These fast passenger trains will be subsidized by the Government.

LOWER AIR FARES

The competition of foreign airlines will create lower air fares to Europe.

FACTORIES TO BE PICKETED

There will be considerable picketing of factories as citizens' groups force a showdown on air and environment pollution. The Government will be more forceful in handling pollution matters; there will be many court orders to close pollution industries. Young militants will also demonstrate against those industries that are the worst offenders.

FRENZY IN FRANCHISES

The start of a "shake-out" will develop in the franchise industry. Many weak companies will go by the wayside. I also predict that franchise holders will form a strong organization to protect their rights against the franchising company.

BUSINESS HEADLINES

LARGE CONGLOMERATE GOES BANKRUPT ...
INTEREST RATES GO UP! ... MORE PEOPLE
LEASE AUTOS ... MEDIA MONOPOLIES BROKEN
UP ... CONSUMERS REVOLT AGAINST HIGH
PRICES ... TYCOON FLEES WITH MILLIONS ...
CRACK-DOWN ON SEXY ADVERTISING ... FARM
EQUIPMENT INDUSTRY HURT BY IMPORTS ...

THE NEXT TEN YEARS ↙

"The nineteen seventies are going to be one of the most exciting decades in the history of business," Doc Anderson declared. "Millions have been brain-washed to believe there is little opportunity for the individual in today's

world of big corporations, chain stores, and conglomerates. The next decade will open new horizons for the enterprising person who wants his own business.

"I foresee exceptional opportunities in electronics, as an example," Anderson continued. "The electronics industry is like a giant V, and we're at the bottom point at this time. Every new electronic breakthrough creates dozens of multiplied uses and applications. We'll see the introduction of many new devices in the next ten years. There will be low-cost personal paging systems, which anyone can afford; these systems will bring everyone into constant contact with telephone service. Electronic ignitions for engines will be perfected. Many new products will do away with much of the drudgery in life."

Long-range predictions include:

SUPERMARKET CREDIT

The more things change, the more they become the same. Just as the corner grocery store used to give credit to customers, so will giant supermarkets allow the housewife to use a credit card for her purchases. This will start very soon and will be accepted throughout the nation in a matter of months.

SILVER COIN INVEST IN/MONEY

I predict that the best investment of the decade will be silver coins. These coins will become very valuable and rare when the Government stops minting coins as we know them and turns to plastic scrip and paper currency. I foresee a rise of 20 percent per year in the value of coins!

THE COMPUTER REVOLUTION

A new form of telephone will lower the cost of data transmission in the Seventies. This new invention will create a runaway revolution in the use of computers. In addition, a low-cost computer will be marketed shortly by a Japanese company, and thousands of small businesses will rush to buy these machines. The computer will become one of man's most helpful tools—as well as his enemy!

LASER BREAKTHROUGHS

I predict that there will be many new inventions developed around the laser beam. These will include (1) guidance and range-finding systems to direct deadly missiles with pinpoint accuracy! (2) Laser beam machines that will crumble rock and vaporize the earth. Underground tunnels, railroad tunnels, and subway systems will be created for a fraction of their present cost. Man will start his move downward into the earth! (3) A "death ray" will be built by the military. On the battlefield, this frightening weapon will burn, blind, and vaporize enemy soldiers! (4) Lasers will be worked with computers and, by 1975, a piece of film no larger than this page will contain up to 100,000 volumes! (5) Lasers will create new television and broadcasting bands. Static-free AM broadcasting and three-dimensional television will be a reality! (6) Lasers will be used on coast-to-coast automatic highways. Your car will be guided by a laser beam, while you nap or read! (7) Medicine will use lasers to remove diseased organs with 100 percent accuracy. Near the end of this decade, your surgical operation will be programmed through a computer! (8) Instant urban renewal will be possible when laser rays vaporize abandoned buildings in the twinkling of an eye! (9) A laser beam will blast out a coast-to-coast underground tunnel

for trucks and large vehicles. (10) Finally, lasers will enable microscopes to be built that will provide a three-dimensional viewing lens.

BOOM IN SHOPPING CENTERS

I predict that shopping centers will become the merchandising miracle of the Seventies. New shop centers will include: (1) *Regional centers* of an enormous size to draw shoppers from 50 to 100 miles! (2) *Farm shopping centers* will be built to provide every service and facility for the farmer! (3) *Teen-Age Shopping Centers* will contain shops and stores appealing to youth! (4) *Adults Only Shopping Centers* will be constructed on the West Coast and contain adult movie theaters, bookstores, and department stores selling sexy merchandise!

CUSTOM MANUFACTURING

Computers that design products and, at the same time, run a production line will enable manufacturers to produce custom-built products. I predict this technique will be used first in the women's fashion industry to provide mass-produced "original" designs. It will quickly be adopted in other businesses.

GARBAGE INTO HOMES!

One of the greatest new inventions will be a method of turning common garbage into building materials. Garbage will be compressed into building bricks, slab forms, and even material used to pave highways. I foresee the time when the city will pay you for your garbage!

COLOR TV BOOM

January 18, 1976: Japanese manufacturers have announced a color TV set that projects an image up to the size of a movie screen. This new color set employs a low-cost laser beam and will sell for \$35 in the United States!

THE NEW EXECUTIVE LIFE!

I predict that the business executive will have many new tools to assist his work. These will include: (1) A typewriter that operates from the human voice. An executive will dictate his letters directly to the machine. (2) A "mindmachine" that stops depression and fatigue. Every executive will have this machine on his desk! (3) Closed-circuit television to link an executive with his factories in any part of the world. There will be instant communication within ten years! (4) Informal dress will be accepted in the business world, and executives will work in dungarees, shorts, or slacks! (5) A daily medical check-up will be compulsory in large corporations. Computers will analyze physical condition in no more than two minutes! (6) Lawyers will no longer be needed when a computer company markets a "legal machine," which provides instant answers for executives. These machines will be available in "normal," "borderline," and "shyster" models! (7) Some corporations will maintain harems for their executive staffs, and "sex care" will be an important part of executive contracts in the late Seventies! (8) Many firms will also have three groups of executives, operating on a round-the-clock basis, as business becomes more international in scope. (9) Office furniture will become very bizarre, with fur-covered desks, sculptured chairs, plastic rugs that constantly change color, and vending machines that dispense gourmet food! (10) Company presidents will instantly transmit orders to their em-

ployers by broadcasting over closed-circuit radio. Every worker will be required to wear a tiny radio in his ear for these executive "bulletin orders"!

EXECUTIVE "SLAVES"

"Gentlemen, look at this man!" the auctioneer chanted. "Young . . . a hard worker . . . always makes the right decision . . . happily married . . . four years of study at the Harvard School of Business . . . five years of experience with a national corporation . . . Gentlemen, who will start the bidding?" The chant of an auctioneer will be normal at the end of this decade as executive auctions bring the employer and employee together in a frenzied auction ring where executives will be sold like slaves! These auctions will replace employment agencies for businessmen!

LESS WORK, MORE PAY!

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1976 I predict that a 7-hour day and a 4-day week will be accepted in business in another seven years. Workers will also receive a 13-week vacation each year. In this decade, new honors will be bestowed on workers; the government will also establish a guaranteed annual wage for every person. The hard-core unemployed will become near wards of the state, and they will be called "drones."

THE COMING LAND BOOM

Land will become one of your best possible investments in the Seventies. The population growth, the demand for business and residential expansion, and the scarcity of land will double, even triple, the value of land. I foresee the time when any intelligent young man will "hedge"

his future by purchasing a small acreage. By the year 1980, land will be a priceless commodity in many locales. However, I do not advise anyone to invest in mail-order land deals or property that has not been personally inspected by the buyer. There are fraudulent land operators in this country, selling submerged lands and desert property to unsuspecting people.

THE ASSAULT ON BUSINESS

The Seventies will be an eventful time in business with many problems. They will include: (1) Militant demonstrators will leave the campus and capture the headquarters and branch offices of many corporations. Records will be destroyed, files burned, and much damage created by these groups! (2) Growing Federal control of business will continue in this decade! (3) Just as liquor and cigarettes are taxed at the production source today, so will a Federal Production Tax be placed on every item manufactured. This new revenue scheme will become a law by 1976. (4) Bribery and corruption will become commonplace in business! (5) Competent help will be a very rare commodity!

BLACK CAPITALISM

A new group of black businessmen will rise out of the ghettos and hammer out a new plan for Black Capitalism. This will be an entirely new concept of business and will be hailed by business, the Government, and minority groups. Enterprising businessmen will be encouraged to develop ghetto firms, in cooperation with their black brothers!

HEADLINES OF THE SEVENTIES!

Japanese build a railroad from Europe to Asia . . .
Businessmen flee Britain to settle in U.S., Canada and
Australia . . . New Zealand becomes tourist center of
the Pacific . . . A well-known weekly newsmagazine will
cease publication. Life African market proves to be non-
existent! . . . Russia becomes a big buyer of U.S. products
. . . A national scandal will erupt when the president of
a large corporation undergoes a sex change in Sweden
. . . Clothes are made of paper and plastic . . . Giant
"container" submarines provide new method of ocean
freighting . . . Weird, wild, and far-out architectural de-
signs . . . Stores will be automated . . . More businesses
move to underground buildings . . . Low-cost building
methods for home and business use . . . Artificial moon-
light cities at night!

"If there is one single impression I have received of
business in the next few years, it is one of constant
change," Doc Anderson reported. "Those people with
the ability to make rapid decisions, accepting change
will prosper. Many well-known firms will not be flexible.
They will become a part of history as new businesses rise
to take their place."

Chapter X

SHORT-RANGE PREDICTIONS—1970 AND 1971

Here are Doc Anderson's predictions for our immediate
future:

UPRISINGS AGAINST COMMUNISM

There will be more demonstrations behind the Iron
Curtain with rebel groups seeking more freedom from
the Government. The Russian leaders will be forced to
use military might to suppress their own people and
civilians in the satellite countries. These coming demon-
strations are the first sparks of a trend toward democracy
behind the Iron Curtain.

MASSACRES IN VIETNAM

I foresee more news stories on alleged massacres of
Vietnamese civilians by our armed forces. In the very near
future, there will be a story published revealing that the
U.S. Central Intelligence Agency has operated a Vietna-
mese assassination squad, staffed by paid mercenaries, to
spread terrorism among Vietcong sympathizers.

WAR IN ASIA TO CONTINUE

America's involvement in the land war in Asia will
continue. President Nixon will make every effort to fulfill
his campaign promises of bringing our troops home. While

there will be peace negotiations, the Vietcong and the North Vietnamese will continue their guerrilla warfare. I also have had a godly vision of America becoming involved in another war in another neighboring country in Asia.

SHIP IS SUNK

I predict that an American ship will be sunk by the Communists and this will create an international incident. This destruction will occur at night, and North Korea will be involved.

CHANGE OF LEADERS IN U.S.S.R.

I predict there will be a change of leadership in Russia in the very near future.

RIOTS IN JAPAN

We will see swarms of rioters in the streets of Japan during the next few months. They will be young Leftists and Communists who plan to disrupt tourist travel in Japan during 1970.

CHAOS ON CAMPUS

As I have predicted previously, there will be continued unrest on our college campuses. The rise of militant Leftists will be met by groups of Conservative students. College leaders and law enforcement authorities will become much stronger in dealing with rioters.

BIRTH CONTROL PROBLEMS

There will be new studies on birth-control pills, and many women will learn of the dangers of taking this medication. A totally safe pill will be introduced in the near future.

COPS IN THE CLASSROOM

Our high schools will be racked by violence and turmoil in the coming months. Teachers will be frightened of their students. Teachers will find it is necessary to carry guns in the classroom in certain high schools for personal protection. Educational groups will ask for police protection in many urban schools, and certain "inner city" schools will become virtual fortresses. Police sentries will guard the entrances, and only persons with school passports will be allowed to enter the building. Hallways will be patrolled by armed guards. Closed-circuit television will be installed to monitor the activities of student troublemakers. Laws will be passed to deal severely with any person disrupting a school, or a classroom. Violence and vandalism will create an increase in the premium rate for insurance on schools, with these costs doubling in many cities.

WAR OF THE WOMEN

We will witness the beginning of a great change in Western society. This will be the feminine revolt for complete equality. Women will demand equal representation in every area. This rebellion will move slowly at first, but many women will rally to the cause as time progresses.

ISRAEL WILL PREVAIL!

There will be many inflammatory incidents in the Middle East during the coming months. I do not foresee a widespread war. The Arab guerrillas will become stronger and will launch many attacks on Israel. However, it is written that Israel will prevail against all of her enemies.

RECOGNITION FOR LYNDON JOHNSON

Like Harry Truman before him, ex-President Lyndon Baines Johnson will be recognized as a true friend of the people and one of the great Presidents in our country. When his Administration is compared to others, it will be revealed that considerable important legislation was passed during his tenure. However, Mr. Johnson must guard his health during the coming months. There are intense vibrations working against his welfare, and he must act with caution and moderation in all matters.

THE BEAK WILL DIP

The Sicilian Mafia calls it "the dipping of the beak." Orientals believe it is "grease for the tiger's tail." Regardless of the semantics, there will be many stories of corruption in high places in the next few months. These incidents will be exceptions to the ethics of our society, because most men are essentially honest and trustworthy.

CANADIAN BORDER TIGHTENED

The U.S. Government under President Nixon will defoliate the entire Canadian border between our two countries. A strip from 50 yards to 100 yards wide will

be chemically treated to remove all life and vegetation. Following defoliation, the border will be sealed with a wire fence to prevent unauthorized crossings.

A MISTAKE FOR THE U.S.

One of the greatest errors of the Nixon administration will be easing the restrictions on trading with China. The President will seek to restore trade between the two countries, but the Red Chinese will use this opening to promote subversion and to stockpile strategic materials. America must realize that we can have no peace until Red China and North Korea are dealt with in Asia.

ASTROLOGY BANDWAGON CONTINUES

Interest in astrology will boom in the next few months, doubling during the next decade. All of the occult arts will be on an up-swing as our nation seeks new answers to problems created by our technological world.

VOICE-OPERATED TYPEWRITERS

I predict that researchers will perfect a typewriter that operates from the human voice. This new invention will be perfected in a few months; it will be marketed within four years. Such a device will revolutionize the secretarial departments of many firms.

GLASS HIGHWAYS

I predict that a large glass company will perfect a method to use old bottles to pave our highways. Old bottles will be crushed into a fine substance and mixed

with a small amount of adhesives. We will see the first glass-paved street within two years.

POLLUTED AIR WILL KILL

Pollution of the atmosphere will become so bad that people will be killed by breathing the very air around them. We will also discover that smog and air pollution have endangered many species of wildlife and the very trees that stand near our cities. We will learn of entire forests withering from noxious air. Cleaning up our environment will become one of the foremost goals of our Government during the next decade.

LAWYERS FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

I predict that a new trend toward public service by young attorneys will be one of the top news stories during this decade. Many graduates of our law schools will seek to bring justice to every American, regardless of his financial status. Street front legal-aid offices will be opened in the ghettos, and poor people will receive free representation when they encounter a legal problem. (From this will come a trend in the nineteen-seventies for "Legal-care.")

LARGEST SUBMARINE!

A 1,000-foot nuclear-powered submarine will be developed as a freight-carrying vessel. This enormous craft will carry a quarter-million tons of merchandise under the surface of the ocean. When the submarine is launched, it will be the forerunner of a new form of ocean transportation.

THE MOON BUGGY

I predict that construction will start very soon on a lunar automobile. It will resemble our "dune buggies," and will be powered by batteries. Within five years, this moon buggy will speed our astronauts across the surface of the moon.

NO NEW CANAL

I predict there will be much discussion of a new canal to cross the isthmus that connects North and South America. However, the Panama Canal will continue to serve as an interoceanic waterway, as there will be no new canal constructed during the next four years.

UNDERSEA MINING

I predict that undersea mining will become a reality when a company from Newport News, Virginia, starts to mine manganese off the coast of Florida in a few months.

ARTIFICIAL HUMAN SKIN

Within two years we will see the use of artificial skin for human beings. This medical breakthrough will provide new hope for persons who have been severely burned.

GAMBLING SCANDAL

I predict that casino gambling in Puerto Rico will be investigated thoroughly after members of an organized crime syndicate are linked to gaming on that island.

TRANQUILIZERS UNDER FIRE

I predict that several well-known tranquilizer preparations will be found to actually increase mental disorders in patients. These pills will be found to increase the hostility in a person during prolonged use. Another tranquilizer pill will be revealed as increasing anxiety in certain patients, instead of relieving these symptoms.

CIGARETTE BOOTLEGGING

I predict that as the Government increases taxes on cigarettes, the underworld will use trucks and cargo planes to smuggle cigarettes from a low-tax state into high-tax areas. Cigarettes will be smuggled north from Kentucky and North Carolina.

NEW EVIDENCE ON ASSASSINATION

I predict that there will be new evidence forthcoming on the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King within a few months. This new data will indicate that convicted assassin James Earl Ray is innocent of killing Dr. King. I predict that Ray will be in the news in a sensational manner within three years.

LEADER WILL PASS AWAY

A former leader of the United States will pass away. His death will signal the end of an era in U.S. politics.

ASSASSINATION

I also predict there will be the assassination of an important public servant. His death will shock the world.

NEW MONEY FOR BRAZIL

I have foreseen a new currency for Brazil in a few months, as inflation will cause the Government to print vast quantities of larger bills. Inflation will be widespread in all of South America during this decade.

CHANGE OF LEADERS IN FRANCE

The French Government will lose the confidence of the people, and a new leader will be selected.

NEW FBI DIRECTOR

I foresee a new director for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. PAT GRAY

A GREAT NEGRO LEADER

I have foreseen many great honors for Negro leader Julian Bond of Georgia. If he will make up his mind to do so, Mr. Bond will occupy some of the highest offices of our land. *This man has been gifted with greatness!*

LICENSED MECHANICS

A movement will start to license automobile mechanics. When a law is eventually passed, all persons who repair

an auto will be forced to submit to an examination. They will be required to pass a manual and written test, and only those mechanics with licenses will be allowed to repair your car.

Chapter XI

A STATE-BY-STATE LOOK AT THE SEVENTIES

With the predictive prowess of a latter-day Nostradamus, Doc Anderson's amazing mind has journeyed down the dim corridors of time to provide a powerful preview of future events in each of the fifty states. The result, after many weeks of intense effort, is believed to be the first localized predictions for any seer or clairvoyant. Some readers will be frightened by predictions of catastrophes and disaster; others will be pleased with reports of progress, prosperity, and peace for their area. "I advise each of my clients to remember that future events can be changed," Doc Anderson cautioned. "Many people have been saved from a train or plane wreck by a dream, or disturbing thought, concerning a potential disaster. I also feel that man has an amazing ability to endure on this planet, and our reward will be everlasting peace. Many of us shall live to enjoy this golden time."

ALABAMA

POLITICAL POWER FOR WALLACE

George Wallace, the outspoken and pugnacious politician from Alabama, will again be one of the key factors in the Presidential election in 1972. At this time, I can only foresee increasing power and acceptance for the principles of Mr. Wallace and his third political party.

As many know, I predicted that Wallace would win the election in 1968, and I have continued vibrations that Wallace will occupy the White House. I have seen this man in the high-ceilinged rooms of the White House. Wallace's political banners will be considerably strengthened in 1972.

NEW ROCK-AND-ROLL CAPITAL

Although this may sound like a ridiculous prediction at this time, I predict that the little known community of Muscle Shoals, Alabama, will become the rock-and-roll capital of the world within the next decade. Famous entertainers and musical groups will come to Muscle Shoals from all over the world to record their albums.

ALASKA

NEW PROSPERITY AND PROGRESS

This frigid state near the Arctic Circle will be transformed into a virtual Eldorado of progress and prosperity within the next decade. Mineral strikes, new gold booms, and even greater oil strikes will create wealth beyond the most imaginative dreams. Fortune-hunters will flock to Alaska for their share of the riches, and new towns will rise in the wilderness. The dark side to this prosperity is that many Eskimo and Indian tribes will be fraudulently deprived of their rightful lands unless extreme care is utilized. Charges and counter-charges of official corruption, bribery of officials, and conspiracy to defraud citizens and the Government will tarnish the boom.

A DANGER TO WILDLIFE

I predict that a large ship filled with oil from the new fields near the Arctic Circle will collide with an iceberg.

Immeasurable quantities of oil will spill from the freighter and spread an oil slick over the northern sea. The efforts of many nations will be necessary to save the wildlife endangered by this accidental spillage of oil. Many citizens will be outraged, and headlines will trumpet the arrival of this oil slick on beaches many miles from the collision.

WARM TEMPERATURES

Before the end of this decade, visitors to Alaska shall see Bikini-clad young bathing beauties cavorting in swimming pools—even on the coldest day of the year! This dramatic change in temperature will not be because the North Pole has shifted, or the earth has spun on its axis. Instead, the construction of giant plastic domes over the existing communities will provide a pleasant, 70-degree temperature throughout the year. The first of these domed communities will rise within three years; others will follow as city fathers pass bond issues to "dome" their own communities. These domes will create one of the largest changes in life in the north.

ALASKAN EARTHQUAKES!

I predict that Alaska will be shattered by several serious earthquakes within this next decade. These periodic earth tremors will spread out from a flaw in the earth's structure around the Aleutian islands; testing of atomic devices by the U.S. Government will widen this fault and create substantial pressures within the earth. Although these quakes will be accompanied by high property losses, there will be few people killed or injured.

THE "ANCHITKA TEST" WAS A CRIME.

HIGHWAY TO THE NORTH

The entire length of the Alaskan Highway will be paved within this decade, and the last wilderness will be opened

to millions of tourists. By 1980, it will be quite common for a family of vacationing Americans to visit Alaska during the summer.

ARIZONA

GOLDEN-AGE LUXURY TOWNS

The population of Arizona will continue to spiral upward during this decade; much of this mushrooming growth will come from luxurious retirement communities financed and established by the Federal Government. These retirement towns will be constructed to provide luxury, comfort, and security to older citizens who have only their Social Security checks for an income. The first of these communities will be built near Phoenix, with an ultimate population of 100,000 persons. Health, dental, and community centers constructed especially for the elderly, and free restaurants, will attract citizens to this town. The plan will be so successful that other golden-agers' towns will follow very quickly.

MAFIA IN POLITICS

A very prominent Arizona politician will be discredited after an investigation reveals his close links and friendship with organized crime gangsters. Newspaper headlines will herald the bribery of elected officials on several levels of government. It will also be revealed that members of the crime syndicate have invested heavily in Arizona business firms. This scandal will erupt in the near future.

ARKANSAS

A HILLBILLY DISNEYLAND!

I predict that an enormous, highly successful amusement center with a "hillbilly" theme will be constructed

within a few years near Bentonville, Arkansas. This will be the largest amusement and recreational complex in the nation and, naturally, land values in northern Arkansas shall soar to ten times their usual price.

A QUAKE NEAR NEW MADRID!

The mountains of northeastern Arkansas will tremble like a leaf in the wind, buildings will topple, and the land will whip and roll when an earthquake strikes the Midwest. The center of this frightening disaster will be near New Madrid, Missouri, and the deadly tremors will endanger the residents of the Midwest states. During this catastrophe, the Mississippi River will boil with fury and, in some instances, the course of the river will be changed forever!

PROGRESS AT WEST MEMPHIS

The population of West Memphis, Arkansas, will double within the next ten years.

CALIFORNIA*

TERROR IN THE STREETS

Law-abiding citizens will be driven from the streets in large cities by the terror tactics of brutal street gangs. These hoodlums will practically rule the streets of San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego. The danger will become so great that a citizen will not be safe even in the daylight hours. This situation will become so widespread within the next five years that, after many deaths, there will be martial law imposed on certain communities.

* Doc Anderson's predictions concerning the California earthquake are discussed in another chapter of this book.

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SEE PAGE 166 - OREGON EARTH-
QUAKES CHANGE COAST.

people will need a special pass to go to the supermarket, to work, or to the movie theaters!

PROBLEMS IN CALIFORNIA

The booming prosperity in California will show signs of weakness in this decade. There will be a continued pressure for welfare payments, and relief, by hundreds of thousands of new residents who flock to California to cash in on such programs. Unskilled workers will band together and picket government installations, demanding a guaranteed wage. Automation of the farm industry will create unemployment for many other unskilled persons, and there will be many problems in the state.

RONNIE REAGAN'S ANGER

I have seen a dark cloud floating over the political future of Governor Ronald Reagan of California. Governor Reagan will experience difficulty in controlling his temper; I see a roaring outburst of anger that will create innumerable problems for his political plans. A temper tantrum may cost Reagan a Vice Presidential nomination in 1972.

COLORADO

UNDERGROUND EARTH CHANGES

There will be innumerable changes in the earth's structure around Denver within the near future. Although the loss of lives will be very small, this shifting of the earth will result in considerable property damage. I am rather puzzled by my impressions of this event; it does not appear to be an earthquake created in a natural manner. The trouble will start because of a vast underground liquid storage system that has been constructed beneath

Denver by the U.S. Government. Even now, I can see huge subterranean rivers of poisonous chemicals flowing into crevices and creating underground pressures.

AIRLINER CRASH

A commercial airliner will crash in Colorado within the next 40 months with a large loss of life among the passengers and crew members.

GOLD!

A new discovery of rich gold-bearing ore will be announced in March, 1974, and the strike will be near the community of Steamboat Springs.

CONNECTICUT

CONSUMER'S BOYCOTT

A revolt of the American consumer will be launched in Hartford, Connecticut, in the next four years, and these tactics will spread across the nation. Consumers will picket factories and stores to dramatize their dissatisfaction against rising prices and the poor quality of products. A woman will lead the buyers' revolt and, for several weeks, her efforts will frighten even the most powerful industrial corporations.

RACIAL PROBLEMS

Hartford and New Haven will have racial problems for several years.

DELAWARE

SEVERE STORMS

Raging storms will lash the coast of Delaware, the cities will be plagued with howling blizzards, ice storms, and heavy snowfalls. Schools will be closed temporarily, factories will shut down, and food will become scarce as the wintery storms threaten Delaware during the winter of 1974-75.

HEADLINES OF THE FUTURE

Headlines in Delaware during the near future will include:

TAXES RISE: 25% LARGER BILLS FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

HOTEL FIRE CLAIMS 18 LIVES

GRANDMOTHER GIVES BIRTH TO TRIPLETS!

RACIAL FLARE-UP IN WILMINGTON;
CALL OUT NATIONAL GUARD

HIPPIES TAKE OVER WILMINGTON IN 1973;
FLOWER CHILDREN INVADE DOWNTOWN
AREA

OIL TANKER BREAKS UP IN STORM;
BEACHES COVERED BY OIL SLICK

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA- CURSED

LAWLESS CITY

I am not optimistic in my predictions concerning the future of Washington, D.C., because this community

appears to have been cursed. The next decade will toll the final hours for the nation's capital, as we now know it. Gangs of lawless hoodlums will rule the streets, and prominent Government officials will be robbed, beaten, and mugged by these bands of desperados. The dangers will become so widespread that Congress will call out the Army and National Guard to patrol the streets both night and day. I foresee that certain foreign embassies will petition soon for protection against vandals and street robbers.

FORE-WARNED IS
FORE-ARMED
THE SACKING OF WASHINGTON!

The death convulsions for our capital city, as we know it, will come on a warm summer night during a large demonstration in Washington! A half-million people will travel to that city to protest the policies of the Government. The mob will suddenly become furious with national leaders. Ugliness will replace peaceful petition. This gigantic crowd will get out of control, looting, burning, sacking the city. The President and important Government officials will flee for their lives . . . a helicopter crash will kill the Secretary of Defense and his aides . . . the Library of Congress will be sacked and burned . . . FBI files will be destroyed . . . Congressional leaders will hide in basements, fearing for their lives . . . It will require several days for the Armed Forces to recapture our capital from this bloodthirsty mob, and thousands of lives will be the price! The time: near the end of this decade!

A NEW CAPITAL

Even before the sacking of Washington, there will be plans to create a new capital city in the Plains States. Washington will be abandoned in 1981, and the Government will be moved to the newly constructed city.

FLORIDA

MORE RACE RIOTS

There will be continued growth and prosperity in Florida during this decade, but the state's future will be marred by race riots. I foresee Cubans, Negroes, and White Supremists battling in Miami within four years. (By 1973)

THE HURRICANE OF 1977

Miami and Miami Beach will be declared disaster areas following the devastation left by a battering hurricane in 1977. This will be one of the largest, most forceful, storms ever recorded, and there will be a mighty loss of lives. The storm will uncover a sunken Spanish galleon buried in the sands of Miami Beach, and salvagers will reap an enormous treasure of gold, silver, and jewels.

DEATH IN HIGH PLACES

(DEATH OF ROBERT KING HIGH)
A prominent Florida politician will die in the very near future. His death will be a shock because he will be a young man.

GEORGIA

GROWTH AND BOOM

I am very optimistic about the future of the southeastern states during this decade of the Seventies, and Georgia will lead this growth. Atlanta will become one of the largest and most powerful cities in the world by the year 2000.

DR. KING'S MEMORIAL

I predict that the world's largest memorial will be constructed in Georgia to honor the memory of Dr. Martin

Luther King, Jr. This structure will be so immense that it will require twenty years to complete the construction. Funds from citizens of every race, creed, and color will erect a large museum on the memorial grounds, dedicated to the contributions of Afro-Americans to our nation and the world. A large Negro university will be established near the memorial, with the "Martin Luther King" library containing this great man's papers, and the world's largest collection of Negro literature. Plans for this memorial will start soon.

SILENT AIRCRAFT

A revolutionary new aircraft engine will be manufactured in Georgia in 1978; it will be absolutely silent in operation. This totally new engine will allow supersonic flight by giant airlines and eliminate the shattering sonic boom. Still later, the Georgia aircraft industry will flourish when a small, low-cost aircraft is built, powered by an anti-gravity engine. This will bring the cost of flying down to the average man. Instead of two cars, every family will have an automobile and an airplane. We will live to see the day when a mother and her children will easily fly 700 to 800 miles, in complete safety, to visit relatives or friends. Salesmen will be able to make calls on customers in several states—on the same day, returning home that evening for dinner!

HAWAII

WHERE THE BOOM IS . . .

There will be a good and a bad side to the prosperity of the Hawaiian Islands in the 1970s. On the one side, land prices will soar and fortunes will be made as values skyrocket. The influx of new people will help land values increase. On the other hand, I foresee the destruction of some of the world's most beautiful places by greedy

land developers and ruthless builders. Hawaii will prosper—but the price may be too great! By 1980, the Islands will have lost much of their natural beauty and the scenery will be replaced by a false, tinsel glare of developments, new buildings, and tourist traps.

SABOTAGE? FOREWARNED A MARINE DISASTER IS FORE- ARMED

When I placed my hands on a map of Hawaii for these predictions, I gained an immediate impression of a giant warship sinking beneath the waves. This disaster is centered near Pearl Harbor, and will be accompanied by a large loss of lives. A Naval Board of Inquiry will recommend drastic punishment for the ship's officers. The time? Because of the strength of this vision, I believe this tragedy will occur within the next five years. (By 1974)

IDAHO

TOWNS FOR "NEW PEOPLE"

There are vast stretches of virgin land throughout Idaho, and many of these broad areas have never been surveyed, or mapped. Idaho is truly the last bastion of wilderness in our nation; therefore, the state will attract a cult of "dropouts" from society in this changing decade. There will be thousands of young men and women who become disenchanted with the regimentation, technology and impersonal nature of society in the next ten years. They will seek a return to nature and, through hard work, will create scores of towns in the Idaho boondocks. Called "new people," and following no leaders, they will clear the forests, build their towns, and become self-supporting. Their towns will look like pioneer villages of a century ago. The quiet, simple life of these frontiersmen of the future will attract hundreds of people to each town—many middle-aged businessmen will "drop out" of the rat race and leave for the wilderness.

A NEW GOLD RUSH!

A new process for recovering gold and other precious ores will be announced by 1974. This new invention will be a very economical way of mining. Long-dead ghost towns in Idaho will roar with life as entrepreneurs, fortune-seekers, and prospectors dash into the state to "remine" old gold and silver claims. Fortunes will be made, and many new millionaires will be created—within a few weeks.

ILLINOIS

FIRE ON THE LAKE FRONT

I have a vision of fire and explosions on the Chicago lake front within the next three years. This is a very large building, and it appears to be of new construction.

THIS HAS HAPPENED.

PROBLEMS FOR MAYOR DALEY

For quite some time, I have seen a dark shadow connected with the fortunes of Mayor Richard Daley of Chicago. This man's ability to rule the city is rapidly dissipating; he has lost the backing of powerful interests. The turning point was the Chicago convention riots in 1968. Mayor Daley's enemies are now planning vengeance, and he may reap the seeds of the whirlwind he has sown.

RACIAL DISTURBANCES

I predict that the fires of discontent are stirring even now in the ghettos of Chicago and, unless many steps are taken, this dissatisfaction will ignite into the bloodiest of race riots. There are strong forces on both sides in Chicago who seek a confrontation of the races and, if they succeed, the carnage will be so great that martial law will be imposed for a considerable time over Chicago.

There is a bright ending to this deadly vision: If the riots occur, they will bring a realization that everyone must live in peace or perish in the fury of the mobs.

HEADLINES OF THE FUTURE

Headlines in the future for Chicago include:

AIRLINER CRASHES AT O'HARE FIELD

BOMBING OF LOOP BUILDINGS
TERRORIZES CHICAGO;
HUNT MAD BOMBING GANG

SCANDAL IN URBAN RENEWAL PROJECT
[Very soon]

PROBE SPENDING OF POVERTY FUNDS;
POOR PEOPLE RECEIVED NOTHING

TROUBLE IN CAIRO

Racial troubles will continue to plague Cairo, Illinois, and this community of 8,000 persons is a microscopic example of what racial tensions can do to a community. This town will literally die, losing population, business volume, and new growth, until the area becomes like a ghost city.

GANGSTER DIES

The top leader of the Chicago underworld will be assassinated within three years; his murder will trigger a bitter gangland war for control of the Chicago "syndicate," and dozens of hoodlums will be killed. As in the more-than-1,000 unsolved gangster murders committed

in the past, the Chicago police will be unlikely to apprehend these killers.

CURE FOR COMMON COLD

A marvelous chemical discovery will be announced by Northwestern University in 1977. A simple white pill will instantly cure the common cold.

INDIANA

DEMONSTRATORS HALT RACE

^{by 1974}
Within five years, a race at the Indianapolis Speedway will be canceled because of demonstrations on the track by dissident groups. Shortly before the race is to start, demonstrators will crowd down onto the track and into the pit areas. This demonstration will signal the beginning of a series of disruptions of sporting events by demonstrators. The Indianapolis 500 . . . the Kentucky Derby . . . the Rose Bowl game . . . college and professional football games will all be targets for disruptions. At Indianapolis, I also foresee the death of a well-known racing driver within the next two Memorial Day races.

ANCIENT INDIAN DISCOVERY

Within the next decade, a farmer in Indiana will discover an underground shaft leading down into a subterranean burial tomb for an ancient race. My psychic vibrations indicate this discovery will occur on a hilly farm near Terre Haute. The tomb will contain the artifacts, skeletons, and treasures of an ancient unknown race. Science will be baffled by this archeological find. There will be many controversial testaments issued and, finally, an announcement will be made that the "lost race" is Egyptian in character and culture.

IOWA

ACCLAIM FOR SENATOR HUGHES

Senator Harold Hughes of Iowa is destined to be one of the greatest leaders of this nation, an international statesman who will be acclaimed for his intelligence, leadership, and compassion. Senator Hughes will be one of the leading candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1972. This man is gifted with greatness!

LEGALIZED GAMBLING

Within this decade, the voters of Iowa will go to the polls and vote overwhelmingly to legalize gambling in their state. Cities along the borders of this state will be transformed into Midwest "Las Vegas" gambling towns, with sparkling new casinos, new airports, and dazzling hotels. Iowa will quickly become known as the center for good food, excellent entertainment, and gambling. The central location of Iowa will bring in thousands of tourists each day. Ultimately, gambling taxes will provide the best schools in the nation, and the lowest tax rate, for Iowans.

PROGRESS FOR CLINTON, IOWA

Within twenty years, the little-known community of Clinton, Iowa, will become the largest city in that state. Population of the city will be dramatically increased when a new U.S. Government installation is built nearby, on the Mississippi River. The town will leap from 40,000 to 250,000 residents within two years. Another impetus for growth will be the construction of a space-age jet-port near the city to serve all of eastern Iowa. There is also danger for this city; I see an industrial explosion in the near future with flames shooting high into the air. This explosion and fire will be one of the worst disasters in this decade for Iowa.

KANSAS

Headlines of the future for this state will include:

PRISON BREAK FROM LEAVENWORTH;
GUARDS KILLED IN ESCAPE

DUST BOWL RETURNS TO PLAINS;
LAND WITHERS UNDER DROUGHT

YOUNGSTERS FIND WORLD'S LARGEST
CAVE NEAR BELLEVILLE IN 1978!

UNEMPLOYMENT RISES IN WICHITA
[Near future]

SCANDAL IN THE STATE HOUSE
[also near future!]

KENTUCKY DERBY SCANDAL

Before half a decade has passed, the American sporting world will be shocked by sensational disclosures of a major scandal connected with the Kentucky Derby. The investigation will result in the banning of a well-known jockey and an equally notable racing stable.

CAYCE HONORED

The followers of Edgar Cayce, the Sleeping Prophet, will erect a statue to his memory in Hopkinsville, Kentucky, before 1977. The city fathers of Hopkinsville will also honor the prophet by establishing a summer seminar in that community. This seminar will attract psychics, scientists, and students from throughout the world.

LOUISIANA

POLITICAL SCANDAL VERY SOON

A political tempest is brewing now in Louisiana politics with certain elected officials fighting desperately to protect their reputations. These officials will be revealed as friends and, in one instance, business partners of gangsters. A politician with a well-known name will also be shown as the recipient of gifts from oil companies.

EARTHQUAKES IN NEW ORLEANS

The French Quarter will be demolished in the twinkling of an eye . . . large downtown buildings will crumble into dust and debris . . . citizens will be awakened by a loud rumbling in the earth as this unlikely disaster strikes New Orleans. Earthquake! A roar of tremors will devastate this famous city and spread out over Louisiana. The time: near the end of this decade.

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WORLD'S BIGGEST SEAPORT

Within 15 years, New Orleans will become the largest seaport in the world. The increased use of inland waterways will create the necessity for increased port facilities.

MAINE

BEER PILL INVENTED

The five-cent beer will return to American life when a young man in Maine invents, and markets, an "instant beer" pill. These tiny pills will create a hearty glass of premium beer when they are dropped into a glass of ordinary water. This amazing process will revolutionize the brewing industry. Costly production, transportation, and storage of bottled or canned beer will become a part

of the past. A beer fancier will be able to hold the equivalent of twenty cases of beer in his hand!

MARYLAND RIOTS IN BALTIMORE

Some of the worst race riots in history will erupt in Baltimore in the future.

“DOOMSDAY BUG” LOOSED

I predict that a terrible type of bacteria known as the “doomsday bug” will be developed at a secret Government germ warfare laboratory in Maryland in the near future. This horrible germ will destroy any form of life. The scientists will attempt to test this “bug” on laboratory animals. There will be an unexpected accident. A small, but deadly, amount of the germ will be unleashed on a nearby city. There will be a loss of lives, and the Government will attempt to censor all news of these deaths. Expect this frightening occurrence in 1977!

MASSACHUSETTS END OF KENNEDY REIGN

There will be new revelations forthcoming eventually on the drowning of Mary Jo Kopechne. When the complete story is known to the authorities and the public, there will be clouds over the reputations of certain friends and acquaintances of Senator Edward Kennedy. This will mark the end of power for the Kennedys in national politics.

E-M GRAVITY ENGINES

A laboratory near Boston is approaching a breakthrough on an electro-magnetic form of propulsion. This

top-secret device will enable vehicles to overcome gravity. The entire universe will be opened for exploration. However, it will be a number of years before E-M propulsion will be used. Eventually, we will see airliners powered by E-M engines. Cars and trucks will rocket along the highways, powered by this new scientific discovery.

LOSS OF INDUSTRY

I foresee the continued movement of manufacturing facilities from Massachusetts. Factories will flee high taxes and expensive labor in the Bay State; their resettlement will be in the Midwest and the South. This trend will increase unemployment in the state.

MICHIGAN U.S.-INSPECTED AUTOS

Just as the government inspects the quality of the meat and drugs we buy, so will a U.S. Federal Inspection System be established for new automobiles. This inspection system will guarantee that the buyer of a new car will receive a vehicle free of “bugs” and mechanical problems. The poor quality of automobiles produced over the past few years will create the demand for this service.

DETROIT'S NEGRO MAYOR

A Negro mayor will be elected in Detroit in the early years of this decade.

ORE STRIKE AT ESCANABA

The discovery of precious minerals near Escanaba, Michigan, will dramatically increase the population for this community. This ore strike will create boom times for the Upper Peninsula.

MINNESOTA

NEW COPYING MACHINE

A cheap, low-cost office copying machine will be marketed by a Minnesota corporation within two years. This machine will use ordinary paper to copy documents in either black and white or colors. The cost of this machine in office models will be less than \$200. A portable model will sell for \$99. Introduction of this machine will revolutionize the copying machine industry.

BENDING GLASS

A professor at the University of Minnesota will discover a unique form of low-cost glass which will bend, rather than break. This discovery will come within three years and will have many applications.

1973 or
1972

LAKE MONSTERS

Thousands of trigger-happy fishermen will pour into Minnesota in 1973 following reports of a man-eating lake monster in several lakes north of Minneapolis. Photographs will be shown of a "Loch Ness" type of creature. Frightened fishermen will not venture onto the water without shotguns, and the fishing season will be demoralized.

MISSISSIPPI

NEGROES ELECTED; WHITES MIGRATE

I predict that the white residents of Mississippi will migrate from this state in large numbers as Negroes are elected to many city and state offices. We will live to see a Negro governor in the Mississippi State House within this decade.

REBUILD HOLLY SPRINGS

A historical society will request the Federal Government to save the Civil War mansions in Holly Springs, Mississippi, from ruin or destruction. A Mississippi Senator will spearhead the drive to rebuild this famous old town, and the first building to be reconstructed will be a railway station.

MISSOURI

SCANDAL IN ST. LOUIS

In the very near future, a scandal will expose the links between certain labor unions, politicians, and organized criminals in St. Louis. It will be proved that the actions of this small group of men are detrimental to the national defense and security of our nation!

SAFE HOMES OF THE FUTURE

A new type of architecture will emerge from the suburban communities of St. Louis, Missouri. Thick, high walls will surround entire neighborhoods and safeguard homeowners from burglars, robbers, and hoodlums. These walled neighborhoods will be guarded by electronic detection units and patrolled by hired guards. As lawlessness increases in our nation, this form of living will become normal for many suburbanites.

MONTANA

MINERAL FIND IN BILLINGS

There will be the discovery of precious minerals in Billings, Montana, in the 1970s. An unusual ore will be discovered in a rimrock that overlooks the city.

HEADLINES OF THE NEAR FUTURE

The residents of Montana will read these headlines during the next five years:

FIRE AT STATE PRISON

TOURIST FAMILIES KILLED BY YELLOW-STONE BEARS

WORST BLIZZARD OF CENTURY
STRANDS TRAINS & MOTORISTS

NEW FACTS ON CUSTER'S LAST STAND
ARE FOUND

DEFOLIATE BORDER BETWEEN U.S.-CANADA;
HIGH FENCE TO BE BUILT ALONG BORDER

MAD RIFLEMAN MENACES TOURISTS

NEBRASKA

1973 UFOs OVER AIR BASE

Flying saucers, or UFOs, will appear in mighty numbers in the night skies over eastern Nebraska within three years. These UFOs will be so numerous that military air traffic will be stopped. The switchboards at police stations will be swamped with calls from frightened citizens, and a prominent citizen will claim to have been contacted by UFO occupants on the outskirts of Omaha. The military will promptly move into Nebraska to investigate the phenomena. They will provide no conclusion on the origin of UFOs.

NEW TAX PLAN BRINGS BOOM

A young man from Geneva, Nebraska, will be elected to the Nebraska legislature during this decade. He will introduce a new, experimental form of taxation for industry that will win widespread approval. This plan will be accepted quickly by industry, and scores of new factories will be constructed in the state.

NEVADA

"MONEY MAKES MONEY"

Multimillionaire Howard Hughes will again prove the old adage that "It takes money to make money." Hughes will monopolize the gold mining industry in Nevada. This will be followed by one of the largest gold strikes in the history of the world. Mining of gold will become the second largest industry in Nevada, and Las Vegas will triple in size within the next few years.

BEST-SELLING WOMAN WRITER

A young woman newspaper reporter in Reno with the initials of "C.C." will write one of the most sensational novels of the nineteen-seventies. This novel will cover her experiences as a newspaper reporter and will bring riches and acclaim to the young lady.

HEADLINES FOR THE FUTURE

Nevada headlines in the near future will include these items:

NEGROES PICKET GAMBLING CASINOS;
CLAIM JOB DISCRIMINATION

CONGRESS INVESTIGATES NEVADA
GAMBLING; MANY POLITICAL
CAREERS ENDANGERED

LINK SUPREME COURT JUSTICE ^{TO}
UNPAID CASINO GAMBLING DEBT

WM DOUGLAS

CITY WATER POISONED BY
SUBTERRANEAN POISON WELL

OPEN CASINO FOR TEEN-AGERS
[within this decade]

NEW HAMPSHIRE

THE HEALING CHILD

I predict that a child with an unexplained gift of healing will be born in Hinsdale, New Hampshire, in the late nineteen-seventies. This young child will practice the "laying on of the hands" while still an infant. There will be a swirling controversy among medical and religious authorities concerning the youngster's gift. Although the child's parents will not be agreeable, a chapel will be established by a group of ministers and, eventually, parental approval will allow the child to heal the thousands of afflicted people who come to the small town for healing.

NEW JERSEY

PROBLEMS FOR MISS AMERICA PAGEANT

The nineteen-seventies will be an era of disturbances, disruptions, and demonstrations at the annual Miss America pageant in Atlantic City. Millions of television viewers will be startled to see demonstrators creating

chaos in the pageant hall. During another pageant, several contestants will sign a petition condemning the pageant for not allowing Negro girls to participate. These activities will end when a beautiful young girl selected to be Miss America walks proudly to the microphone and spurns her crown.

POISON ON THE BEACHES

The seaboard cities of New Jersey will be imperiled during this decade by the release of poison gas from thousands of Army containers dumped offshore. These enormous numbers of containers are rusting even now; their contents are bubbling into the ocean. The gas will burn, blister, and irritate the flesh. Bathing along the Jersey beaches will be banned for a season!

NEW MEXICO - "Hippie Haven"

A LONG-HAIRED GOVERNOR

I predict that the first five years of the nineteen-seventies will see the rise of scores of "hippie" cities in this Western state. Numerous young people from all over the nation will flock to these communes for a new way of life. They will be so successful, and their acceptance by New Mexicans so widespread, that a long-haired governor will sit in the governor's chair before 1980. This young man will rule with truth and compassion, proving that the young are capable of wisdom.

MARIJUANA FARMS

With the nation passing laws to legalize the use and possession of marijuana, the mountainous areas of New Mexico will contain perfect soil for growing a potent form of marijuana plants. Land prices will soar as farmers and corporations bid for this precious soil.

NEW YORK

A LAW-AND-ORDER MAYOR

I predict that the next mayor of New York will enforce a rigid law-and-order policy against unsavory elements of the city. He will endeavor to "clean up" the Times Square-Broadway area by increasing the police protection available in these areas. He will be a rigid enforcer of the anti-obscenity laws, closing down book-stores, erotic movies, and nude plays.

50% OF RESIDENTS ON WELFARE

I also foresee that fully 50 percent of the population of New York will draw some form of welfare, or Government aid, within ten years. By 1975, 40 percent of the people living in New York will be on Government relief rolls.

GOVERNMENT TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Despite many valiant attempts by New York's mayors, and other governing bodies, New York will become virtually ungovernable. Before the end of this decade, we shall see the largest city in the world placed under the trusteeship of a Federal council.

WALL STREET MOVES

Plans will be formulated this decade to move the financial community of Wall Street to another state. I have had visions of this resettlement either in Chicago or in the "new capital city" to be established on the plains.

RIOTS IN HARLEM

I have had recurring and persistent vision of wide-spread riots in the Harlem section of New York City; I

have seen this section of the city in flames. This riot may occur during the current term of Mayor John Lindsay.

HEADLINES FOR NEW YORK:

BOMBINGS OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS
AS DISSIDENT GROUPS GROW BOLDER

HELICOPTER CRASHES INTO SKYSCRAPER

SUBWAYS FLOODED BY HEAVY STORM

ANOTHER N.Y.C. NEWSPAPER FOLDS

RARE ART STOLEN FROM MUSEUM

1970+1971

THE NEXT TWO YEARS: When I obtain a psychic impression of New York City, the image is accompanied by a dark cloud that hovers over the Manhattan skyscrapers. I can only interpret this as signifying that the residents of this great city must be prepared for great disasters and many problems. The shortage of telephones in the city will increase, and city-wide "power-outs" will be numerous. There is a real possibility for rationing electricity. I also foresee problems with the city's water supply, leading to rationing of water. There will be numerous scandals and cases of corruption connected with local and state government in New York; for all intents and purposes, we must remember that when large sums of money are involved, there will always be an element of dishonesty.

One of my strongest impressions concerns a maritime disaster in or near the Port of New York; this seems to involve a foreign vessel.

I am reluctant to put into print my prediction of the possible assassination of a nationally known individual

in New York within the next two years. Law enforcement officials involved with the protection of visiting dignitaries should exercise extreme caution in 1970 and 1971.

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPUTER-TV SCHOOLS

A new form of education will be established in North Carolina, and this will be hailed as an academic wonder. School buildings will be unnecessary; students will remain at home, tuning into lectures through closed-circuit television. Computers will be linked to the home telephone. Educators will be pleased with the new system. Parents will be slow to accept "computer-TV school" because their children will remain home throughout the year.

NORTH DAKOTA

I foresee serious weather conditions in this state within the next four years, particularly heavy floods. Rampaging rivers will overflow their banks and endanger many communities. Many people will be forced to leave their homes because of these floods.

Leisure time will become the new status symbol of the future, and a man from North Dakota will create new ways for Americans to spend their leisure moments.

OHIO

AN EXPLOSION AND FIRE

An industrial complex in Ohio will be devastated by an explosion and fire within two years. This disaster will take a large number of lives.

MISUSE OF UNION FUNDS

One of the most sensational news stories in 1972 will concern the misuse of Union funds in Ohio to elect certain political figures. This scandal will center in the capital city of Columbus.

OKLAHOMA

TULSA—A SEAPORT!

I predict that within this decade a man-made canal will link Tulsa, Oklahoma, with the ocean, and this plains city will become one of the world's busiest ports. There will be tremendous new industrial activity in Tulsa, and the area will ultimately become the Ruhr Valley of America.

OREGON

INDUSTRIAL UN-DEVELOPMENT

Within the near future, a group of conservation-minded Oregon citizens will band together into an "Industrial Un-Development Commission." The purpose of this unusual group will be to prevent pollution-type industry from settling in their state. Oregon will be the last state in the union to accept our modern technological society, with all of the many problems. The independence of the pioneers will continue to live in Oregon!

OREGON—MISSING LINK FOUND!

A strange half-man-half-ape will be captured alive in the Oregon forest in 1978, and science will label this creature a "missing link." When this live specimen wanders into a city, there will be hysteria among many citizens. Bands of hunters will prowl the forest to kill

these man-beasts. Oregon will be the first state in the nation to protect the Sasquatch, or America's Abominable Snowman, from harm.

OREGON EARTHQUAKES CHANGE COAST

A series of intense earthquakes will change the shape of the Oregon coastline in this decade. These enormous earthquakes will be followed by devastating winds, stormy seas, a large loss of property and lives. Large areas of the coast will plunge downward into the raging ocean; other areas will suddenly rise up from beneath the waves. Coastal towns will be destroyed in the twinkling of an eye, disappearing forever into earth crevices. Martial law will be declared throughout Oregon, and it will be months before the full extent of the damage is compiled.

*See California earthquakes
pages 49, 153, 138, 140*
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PENNSYLVANIA SIN CITIES

Pennsylvania will be the site of this nation's first "open city," and the community will be incorporated in the last moments of this decade. In Biblical times, the wise men declared that certain cities would be places of sanctuary for murderers, thieves, and law-breakers. These ancient cities will be the basis for establishing modern cities of sin.

A fugitive will be safe from capture so long as he remains within the walls of these new cities. "Anything goes" will be the motto in these communities, including sexual perversions, violence, and torture. Thousands of awed tourists will journey into the city each day, gaping at the weird activities of the fugitives. Sightseers will be the major source of income for the wretches within the walls.

The Pennsylvania "sin town" will be widely publicized, and similar cities will be set up in other regions. Even-

tually, these cities will serve as prisons for law offenders who are convicted of a felony.

RHODE ISLAND RIOTS BY SPECTATORS

I see a riot at a festival held each summer in this state. An unruly crowd of young people will crash the gate, mob an important entertainer, and run howling through the streets for loot and plunder. The number of dead and injured will be very great.

SOUTH CAROLINA ✓ DE-SALTING THE OCEAN - 1975

An extremely low-cost method of turning salt water into fresh water will be developed in South Carolina during the mid-Seventies. An old man will announce this discovery, and his chemical process will be marketed throughout the world. This invention will lead to the irrigation of millions of acres of arid, untillable land. A small investment in this corporation will transform many people into almost instant millionaires.

NEW GOVERNMENT MINT

A new Government mint will be established at Charleston, South Carolina, during this decade. This mint will not make coins as we know them; instead, Government scrip and plastic coins will be produced.

SOUTH DAKOTA ✓ DROUGHT AND DUST

Entire farms, ranches, and towns will be abandoned in South Dakota during this decade when a drought

threatens the plains. Water will become one of the most precious commodities during two deadly years without rain. Attempts to seed clouds with chemicals will fail; the Government will declare a large portion of the state an area of major disaster. Thousands of people will be re-settled in other states under a Federal Relief Program. A "Dakie" will be the future equivalent of a homeless "Okie."

TENNESSEE

DEATH OF A STAR

A popular country music star associated with the Grand Ol' Opry will meet an unexpected death in the near future.

SKYSCRAPER CEMETERIES

As I have predicted previously, a new 20-story skyscraper will be constructed in Nashville to become the world's first high-rise cemetery. The building will contain vaults for hundreds of burials, and it will become fashionable to hold rites in a ground-floor chapel, watching the casket ascend in an elevator to a lofty vault. As land becomes more scarce throughout the world, these lofty cemeteries will become very popular. Within twenty years, this new method of burial will make our present cemeteries obsolete.

MASS MURDER

I predict a series of murders in a Tennessee city within four years. The police will search for a thin man, described as vicious and brutal.

TEXAS

THREE STATES FROM ONE

Texas will be balkanized within this decade. Three new states will emerge from the partition. Texas, as we know it, will become a part of history.

BORDER CLASHES

I foresee numerous disturbances along the U.S.-Mexican border in the next ten years. There will be many misunderstandings between the two countries, and the border will be closed by the United States on several occasions. I have an impression that these border battles will be triggered by the movement of U.S. industry into Mexico. There will be hundreds of "runaway factories" built just across the border in Mexico. American companies who will build there are seeking cheap labor from the Mexicans. I predict that a wave of unionism will sweep northern Mexico as a systematic campaign of sabotage will be launched against these new firms.

HURRICANE DAMAGE

The coast of Texas will be severely lashed by a hurricane in 1977, and there will be the largest loss of lives and property in the state's history. (See Florida 1977 hurricane)

HUMAN HIBERNATION

I predict that the NASA Space Agency will develop hibernation for humans within five years. A chemical injection into the blood stream will bring about a self-induced hibernation; the human breathing rate will be lowered to one breath every five minutes, and the heart-beat will be an incredible single beat each minute!

This bizarre form of sleep will solve many of the prob-

lems of space flight into the distant parts of the universe. Hibernation will be an accepted routine for astronauts. Eventually, the substance will be sold in our drugstores. Sleeping pills will become old-fashioned as "hibernation hangover" becomes a new phrase in our language.

UTAH JELLY BELLY GAS

Within this decade, a secret Government germ warfare laboratory in Utah will develop one of the most frightening gases in history. The mixture will be created by mixing two ordinary chemicals. One whiff of this devil's gas will start a chain reaction in the body. There will be no antidote! The gas will quickly harden the arteries; human blood will clog, then turn to red dust. Finally, the interior of the stomach will dissolve into a jelly-like mass! A horrible death will happen within four minutes of sniffing the gas. This terrible concoction will become part of the national arsenal.

GROWTH FOR SALT LAKE CITY

I predict that Salt Lake City will become one of the nation's booming areas as thousands of new residents move to Utah to escape the problems of modern society. The metropolitan area around Salt Lake will be noted for the small amount of crime and street violence.

AUTOMATIC POST OFFICE

The nation's first totally automated post offices will be built in Provo, Utah, in 1978 with robot machines to sell stamps, sort, and handle the mail. The automatic post office will be very successful, and the Government will immediately replace many mailmen with robots.

VERMONT

FIRE ON THE EARTH!

An ancient Indian prophecy tells of a disaster to come in the mountainous regions of northern New England. I quote: "... the mountains to the north shall turn into boiling stone and rivers of fire will flow through the land." I predict this prophecy will come to pass in Vermont within twenty years, when dormant volcanoes suddenly appear and erupt with earth-shattering force. Natural volcanic explosions, fiery geysers spouting from new earth openings, and raging rivers of molten lava will transform portions of Vermont into a flaming inferno! The volcanoes will erupt with powerful explosions, and clouds of volcanic ash will darken the skies as far away as Richmond, Virginia. People in Chicago will gather on the lake front to watch the reddened skies tinted by the mighty flames a half-continent away. Much of Vermont will be abandoned to the disastrous forces of nature! This will occur in the early 1980s.

A NEW POLITICAL PARTY - VT. - 1976

I predict that a new political party will be established in Vermont, then nationwide, in the year 1976. The new party will be based on the patriotic philosophy of our forefathers and will grow rapidly into a powerful force in the national elections in 1978.

VIRGINIA

PLASTIC MONEY

I predict that a new method of currency will be tested by the Federal Government in Virginia during this decade. A series of experiments will be conducted to combat dwindling gold and silver stocks held by the Government. One test will seek public reaction to plastic coins; another

will be a Government credit card. By the end of this decade, in 1980, money as it is now used will be an antique. Our children will be amused at the idea of people actually carrying metal coins and paper currency.

UNITED UNIVERSE

I predict that we will contact several species of intelligent extraterrestrial life by the mid-1980s and, by 1995, a Convention of United Planets will occur in northern Virginia to draft the rules for space exploration and colonization. The President of the United States will welcome these visitors and delegates from outer space. There will be worldwide attention focused on the conclave as television cameras show aliens from the skies.

VA-MILADY'S YOUTH SALONS

I also predict that a fantastic chain of "Fountain of Youth" beauty salons will be headquartered in Richmond, Virginia, and be franchised throughout the world. With the end of this decade, new techniques of beautification will be available to every woman. A new, more youthful appearance will be created through breast lifts, plastic surgery, transplanting of natural hair, and a miracle pill to provide immediate weight control. Husbands of the next decade will be happy to pay to have their wives rejuvenated. A seven-day treatment will make a fifty-year-old woman look like a twenty-year-old girl!

POLITICIANS AND DRUGS

I have seen a vision of pandemonium in both the Democratic and Republican political parties within this decade. This crisis will be created by the arrest of several important Government officials on a narcotics charge. These arrests will be made in a community in northern

Virginia. The court trial will produce evidence that a large number of politicians and government VIPs have experimented with marijuana, LSD, and other hallucinatory drugs. These officials will belong to both parties, and their arrests will lead to a new code of ethics for Senators and Congressmen.

WASHINGTON

Research work in laboratories in this state will create special chemical agents and drugs to change the moods of man's mind. These new compounds will enable people to reinforce certain areas of their will and character, change their personality, and increase the powers of concentration and memory. This mental breakthrough will come much sooner than we expect. Within ten years, people will purchase pills to change their total outlook on life. Among these chemical substances will be an anti-aggression pill and a chemical substance that will erase memories of the past. These new compounds will enable the medical profession to banish insanity. It will also create a frightening weapon for the control of people.

WEST VIRGINIA

DIVORCEES' CONVENTION

I predict that in this decade the Chamber of Commerce of a large city in West Virginia will establish one of the most unusual conventions in history. Husbands and wives who have lost at marriage will seek new matrimonial partners in the world's first "divorce" fair. The one-week spectacular will bring an incredible 50,000 lonely people into the city. There will be computer mating services, free weddings, and dozens of awards for the first one hundred couples who get married. The state legislature will pass new laws for instant marriages during this "di-

voice" week. I also predict that the divorce convention will be very successful and will be repeated each year.

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GOVERNOR ROCKEFELLER

I predict that a Rockefeller will sit in the governor's chair in West Virginia within this decade.

WISCONSIN

CATTLE RUSTLERS

I predict that cattle rustlers will once again become a problem, and farmers will post armed guards over their dairy herds.

Carloads of beef-hungry poachers from the large cities will invade rural farms at night, capture an animal, and butcher the beast on the spot. Poaching of dairy cattle will become widespread as the cost of beef rises to unusual heights.

UFOs OVER WISCONSIN

There will soon be a flurry of UFO sightings near Stoughton, Wisconsin. Panic-stricken motorists will claim their cars are followed at night by glowing, floating UFOs. Many people will be too frightened to drive on rural roads around Stoughton during the night hours. Others will see formations of UFOs suspended over the lakes and rivers near the town. A young farmer will claim to have contacted the occupants of a UFO. His story will be widely publicized.

NEW CHEMICAL LAWS

There will be even stronger laws passed by the state legislature to restrict or ban the sale of certain farm chemicals and pesticides. Time will prove these legislators

were correct in stopping the unnecessary use of chemicals.

WYOMING
GOLD STRIKE

I predict that a rich vein of gold will be discovered in the Jackson Hole area of Wyoming. I have envisioned several enormous veins of almost pure gold in a terrain not ordinarily thought to be gold-bearing. This fabulous strike has been overlooked by prospectors and geologists on many occasions.

WHITE HOUSE DIVORCE

I predict that a President of the United States will be divorced before the end of this decade and his wife will marry the bachelor governor of Wyoming!

MURDERER'S MOTEL

I predict a national scandal when law enforcement officers raid a motel in Wyoming and find a cluster of cottages where husbands take their wives to have them murdered! Headlines will tell of a score of women buried in unmarked graves. A sheriff and county coroner will be implicated for accepting pay-offs to allow this murderers' motel to operate! Several prominent husbands will be indicted when their wives are identified.

HOMOSEXUAL MARRIAGES

I predict that as a method of raising tax funds for their state, it will be legal for ministers in Wyoming to perform marriages between homosexuals.

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