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Bride Breaks Long Sicilian Tradition

ALCAMO, Sicily (AP) — wide attention, and the time Franca Viola, a pretty 20-year-old girl who broke a thousand years of Sicilian tradition, was married at dawn today to keep her wedding from being mobbed.

Machine To Cheat Phone Firm Barred

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—An electronics expert whose machine enables the user to make free long distance telephone calls is under court order never to advertise the device or tell people about it again.

Superior Court Judge Harold W. Schweitzer issued a permanent injunction Tuesday against Donald D. Britton and his Los Angeles firm, Don Britton Enterprises.

Britton's attorneys consented to the injunction, which contained no admission of wrongdoing by their client.

The injunction resulted from a suit against Britton by the Pacific Telephone Co., which contended Britton sold plans from which the device could be built.

Known as a multifrequency signal generator, it was described by PTT as enabling the user to make calls which could not be recorded for billing through the telephone firm's equipment.

Britton's instructions for use of the device contained a warning that it could not be used legally without the telephone company's permission.

Pacific Telephone's suit contended a customer would have no reason to buy one of

Two years ago Franca refused to wed the rich man's son who kidnaped and raped her. Since the Middle Ages, kidnap and rape have been the sure road to the altar for a rejected Sicilian suitor. If the girl didn't say yes after that, she was dishonored and no one else would marry her.

Franca stunned the Sicilians and won approval throughout the rest of Italy when she told Filippo Melodia in court: "I do not love you. I will not marry you."

Melodia was sentenced to 11 years in prison. The charges would have been dropped if Franca had agreed to marry him.

Franca and her family were threatened with vengeance for her violation of the ancient code.

Britton's devices unless he intended to cheat the phone company on long distance calls.

The injunction is valid in the United States and Canada.

Britton also agreed to furnish the telephone company with a list of all persons to whom he has sold plans for the devices who have made inquiries about them.

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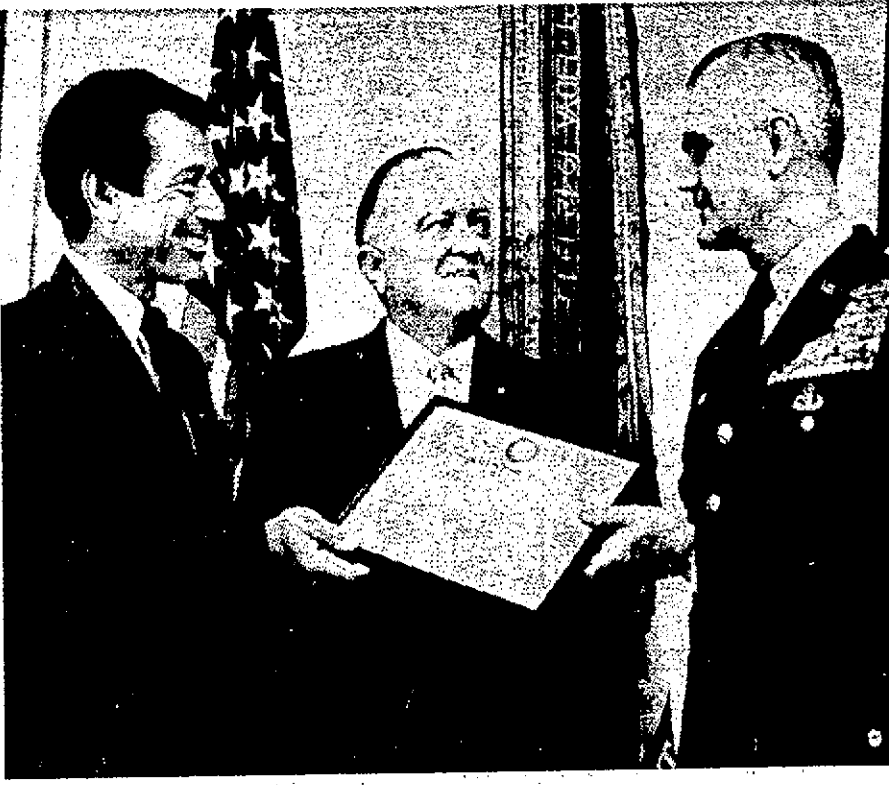
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(AP Wirephoto)

Favor Smaller Pay Increase for Profs

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Coordinating Council for Higher Education has recommended a 5.2-per cent pay hike for state college professors after rejecting higher figures proposed by members representing the colleges.

The state college trustees had earlier urged a 12.6-per cent increase and the council's staff proposed a 10.2-per cent boost. But some council members, complaining about recent campus disorders, led the full council to pare the proposed increases to 5.2 per cent Tuesday.

After the meeting Glenn S. Dumke, college system chancellor, said the colleges would appeal to the legislature and would ask for the original 12.6-per cent increase.

The public members appointed by Gov. Reagan to the council, the state's top education advisory board to the lawmakers, told newsmen they didn't favor larger pay increases because of the participation of some faculty members in recent campus disturbances.

"We must face facts," said Kenneth R. Rearwin. "The public voted against Prop. 3 (the \$250-million school construction bond plan on the Nov. 5 ballot) to register a complaint of what is going on at colleges involving both faculty and students. There is no use in ignoring the will of the public."

The council voted for the 5.2-per cent increase Monday, but because two members were absent, a new vote was taken Tuesday. A motion to restore the cuts was defeated by an 8-8 tie, with two abstentions.

The council also approved a 3.8-per cent increase in fringe benefits, bringing the total

Bare Facts Are Lacking For Charges

MADISON, Wis. (UPI)—Charges resulting from a performance by nude coeds in a college production of "Peter Pan" were withdrawn Tuesday because of a lack of witnesses who would testify about the bare facts.

Dane County Dist. Atty. James C. Boll said he had withdrawn obscenity charges against the student who produced the University of Wisconsin parody of James M. Barrie's children's classic and one of the coeds who danced nude in it.

The two, Stuart A. Gordon, 21, Chicago, and Carolyn Ann Purdy, Janesville, Wis., recently announced their engagement.

Boll said a witness who saw an outlaw performance of the play Oct. 1 withdrew his complaint "because of harassment which he said he received after signing the complaint."

AMA Is Given a Report On New Sex Values of Youth

MIAMI BEACH (UPI)—About half the women and three-fourths of the men in America have full sexual experiences before marriage, and one of every six brides is pregnant, a Purdue University professor told the American Medical Association today.

Dr. Harold T. Christensen, professor of sociology at Purdue, in a report prepared for delivery at the final day of the annual AMA convention, estimated that:

"Nearly one-fifth of unmarried college females and about one-half of unmarried college males have at one time or another experienced sexual relations."

"In the general population, approximately one-half of the females and three-fourths of the males have full sexual experience at sometime before marriage."

"In the neighborhood of one-sixth of all brides are pregnant at the time of the wedding."

Christensen's report of new sex values prevailing among the nation's youth was one of a number of papers presented today. They ranged from sex education for adolescents and preadolescents to a report on sex and the senior citizen.

Christensen told the doctors there is a "reasonable consensus among authorities that premarital coitus in this country is increasing, especially among females and most especially in relationships involving love and/or the promise of marriage."

The morning-long sex forum came as the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) rejected a move by the AMA to facilitate membership in the medical organization for the

nation's 13,000 osteopaths. The virtual invitation extended to osteopaths was one of several policy decisions taken Tuesday. Others included:

—Formally outlawing racial bars to AMA membership—a move expected to increase participation by Negro physicians.

—Slightly stiffening the AMA's position against cigarette smoking although refusing to issue a blanket condemnation of smoking.

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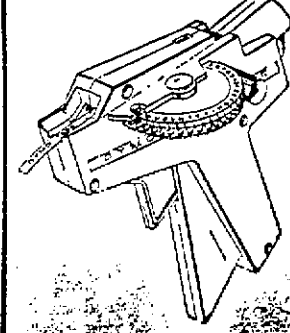
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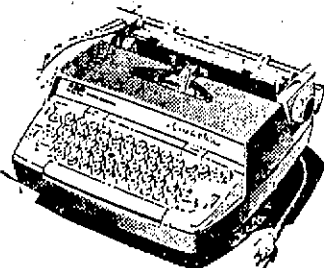
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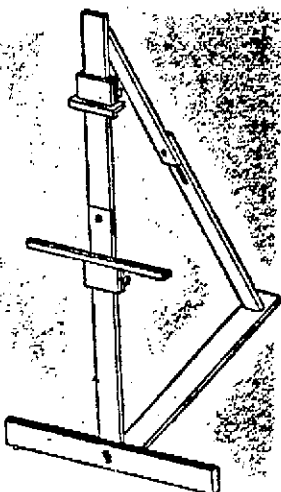
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