

Arts and Entertainment

Starship, Satellite to ignite Pershing

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Lincoln's Pershing Auditorium will rock tonight with two bands in concert. Billy Satellite rolls into town from Tulsa to open the show for West Coast-based Jefferson Starship.

The Satellite band, formed five years ago, has since been teething on the Bay Area circuit. Last year they landed a recording contract with Capitol Records and now are touring nationally.

The four-member band is billed as having been nurtured on old school blues and is reputed to give a high-energy show.

The main attraction is Jefferson Starship. With a history as extensive as theirs, some limitations must be put on what to play. So don't expect to hear timeless Airplane or older Starship songs. And don't expect to see Airplane co-founder Paul Kantner either — he is no longer a Starship

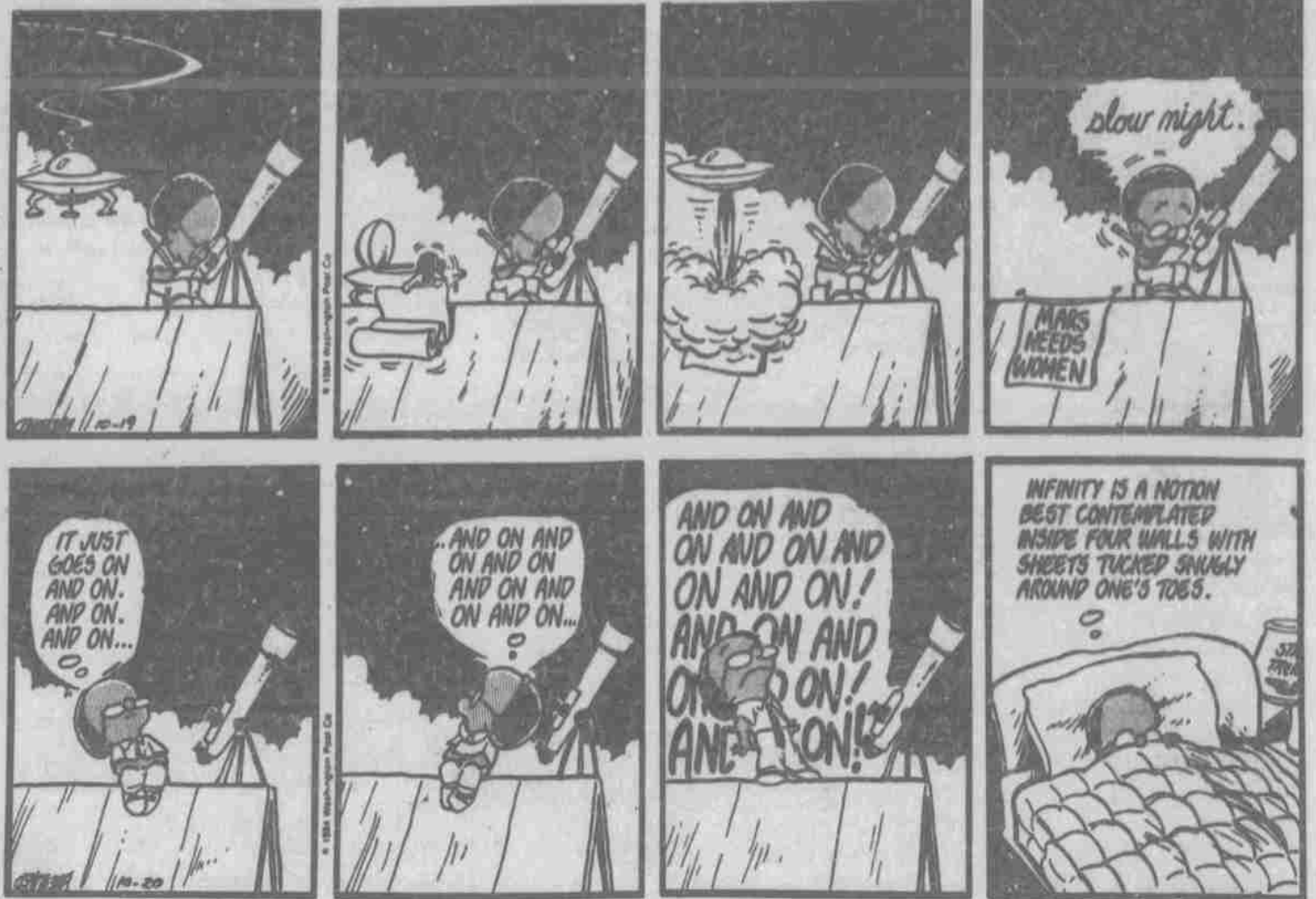
member. What you can expect is a heavy dose of music from the *Nuclear Furniture* album and an overview of songs dating back to the 1979 *Freedom at Point Zero* LP. That was the album on which singer Mickey Thomas, who is still with the band, made his Starship debut.

Grace Slick, a living legend and a driving force on *Nuclear Furniture*, also will perform. Her distinctive vocals and slick (no pun intended) timing add a sense of nostalgia to this Starship "family effort" record. If Slick is up to par, the audience should expect song styles ranging from Islamic-type chatter to soulful Native American tempos.

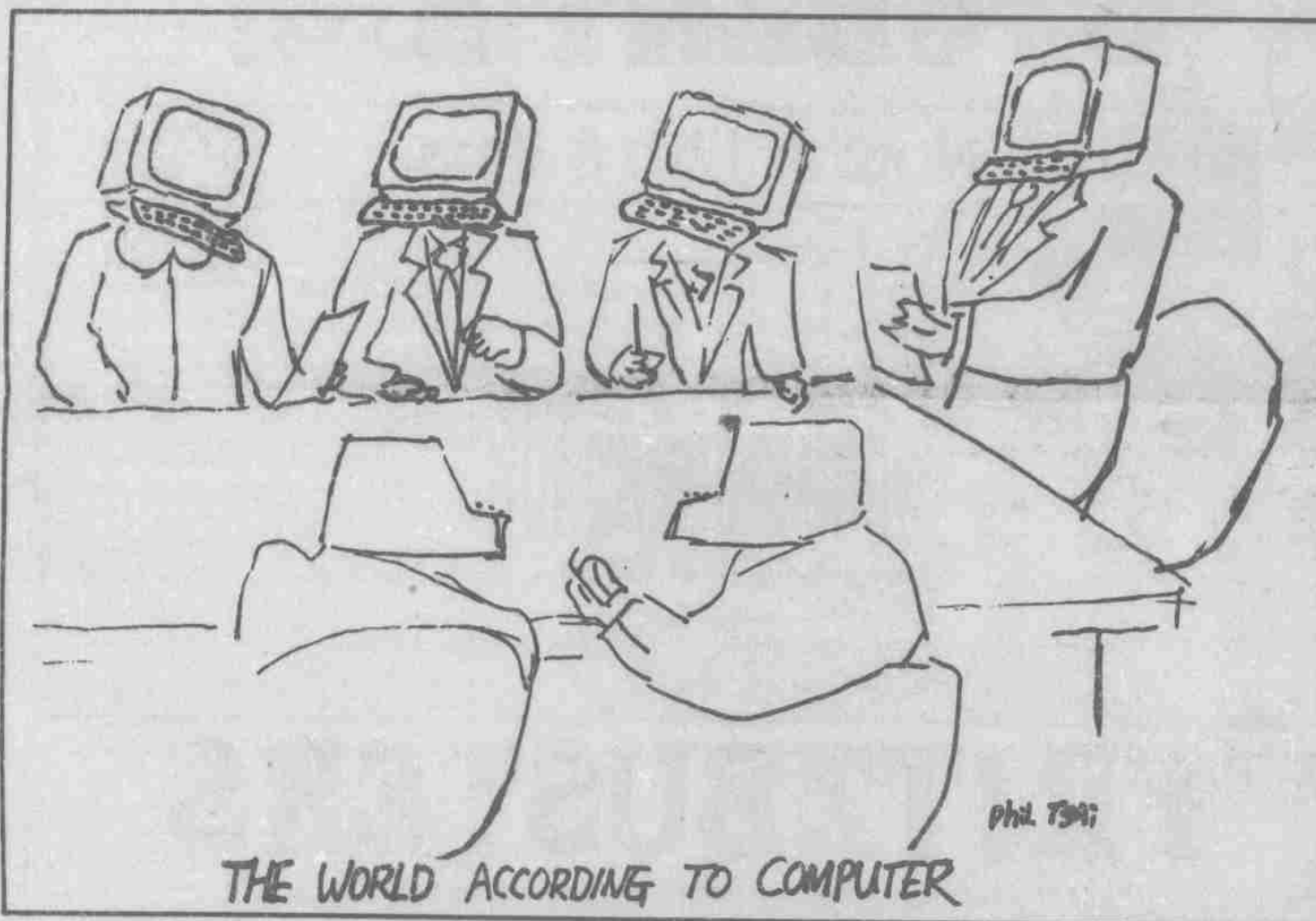
With a little effort, Starship's unique harmonies and directional transitions will weave a sequence of images and cerebral sensations for the Lincoln crowd. Fans only can hope the quality of Starship live is as tight and evenly balanced as their most recent

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release. Derek Andersen from Pershing said he does not expect a sell out. Tickets are \$13.50 today and available at the usual outlets. The show begins at 8 p.m.



Cards and Letters

The "art" pictures in the Nebraska Union Main Lounge completely show naked women, yet none of these pictures show a man standing beside his creative work. When will we stop seeing pictures of nude women as beautiful pets to brighten our walls with? Are we really proud to see such "art" in our union?

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Free seminar features art exhibit

The University of Nebraska State Museum will be the host of a free seminar on "The Scientist as Artist" Saturday at 9 a.m. Jon Nelson, curator of the Christlieb Collection of Western Art, said the \$15 fee announced earlier, which included a luncheon, will not be charged. The one-day seminar is co-sponsored by the museum and the Center for Great Plains Studies at UNL. It ties in with a major exhibition on artist/naturalist Francis Lee Jaques. The Jaques exhibit runs through Nov. 11 in Love Library 205. The seminar will include four speakers: Don Luce of the University of Minnesota, Joseph Porter of Omaha's Joslyn Art Museum, and Don Luce and John Janovy, both of the Nebraska State Museum.