Toddling Town Could Use a Toddy

The Windy City really lived up to its name when rain and high winds were followed in Illinois by unseasonal snow and sleet. This is — or

perhaps was — the corner of Michigan Avenue and Randolph Street in Chicago. All transportation was disrupted.

## Mexican Animals Treated Badly

"The pretection of animals forms an essential part of the morals and culture of civilized people." — Benito Juarez, president of Mexico, 1867-1872.

MEXICO CITY — A prominent member of the Mexican government was superesting his concern to frends re-cently about cruelty to animals in concern and about slaughterhouse condi-ions in particular. Someone asked him why he wasn't note vocal publicly. "Not all of our people have enough

#### **Nader Questions** Tax Ruling on ITT Stock Deal

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ralph Nader released a letter to the Internal Revenue Service yesterday challenging what he said was the tax/free status of exchanges of stock which led to the merger of international Telephone & Telegraph Cep, and Internet Pire Insurance Ca. Nader and two colleagues said.

using that the deal was to be tax free was of great importance to its success." The letter said ITT had made substantial purchases of Hartford stock for cash but that tax-free transactions are allowed only when the exchange solely for stock.
Nader questioned whether the requirement was one of the property of the said of the property of the said of the property of

### **Public Hearings** Affect Valley

YUCCA VALLEY — There are a number of public hearings and a press onference scheduled for the next few ays which are of special interest to

# Rome Clamping Down on Local Romeos

### Tiny Twins Flown to Incubators

### **Peace Pilgrim Not** Tired of Walking

## Costume Designer Has One Goal-Laughter

Travis, a bachelor in his 48s and a native of Detroit, drifted into theatrical designing after studying fashson design in Paris and finding costume work was more lucrative — and more fun.

"This is probably the most fun I've ever had designing clothes," says the dark haired mustachioed designer. "Everything is brighter and gayer than ordinary street clothes."

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Michael Travis Is the Designer of "Laugh-In" Costumes.