

# GAMES

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BEFORE YOU RUN OUT OF BREATH?

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AND HOLD IT IN. READY? GO!

You are now on your way down  
to the bottom of the sea

where you will find  
five treasure chests.

Each chest will lead you  
to a different page  
in the magazine.

Four of the pages  
have no treasure,  
but one contains  
a chance to win  
a home computer.

When you've found  
that page, return  
to the surface—  
by re-reading  
these lines,  
*bottom to top*—  
before you  
run out of air.

You have now  
reached  
solving  
level.

Proceed.





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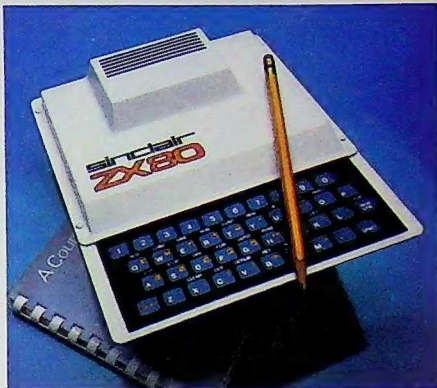
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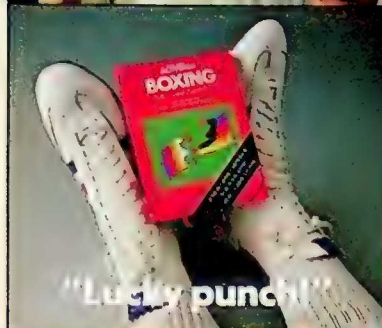


"Game is a Sob!"



"Kerple!"

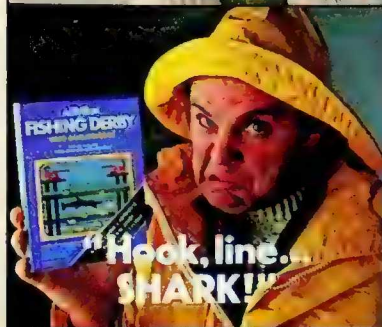
whoops!



"Lucky punch!"



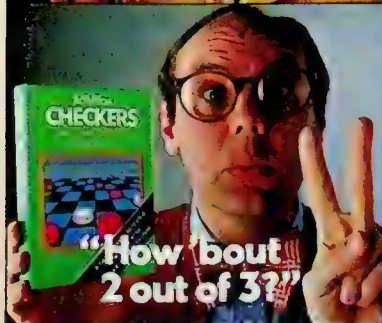
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