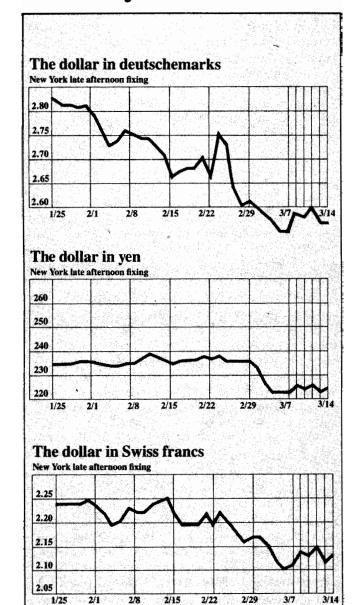
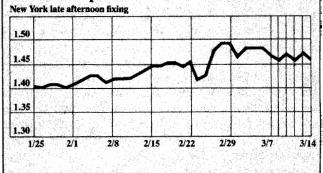
## **Currency Rates**



## The British pound in dollars





## The PROS and CONS of the GREAT DEBATE

by John McFalls

**PRO:** Our high interest rate policy SAVED the dollar. **CON:** Creating the worst DEPRESSION since the 1930's.

**PRO**: The dollar reflects the strength of the U.S.A. **CON**: Strength? What about the \$200 billion deficit?

**PRO**: "We are importing more goods than ever before."

CON: And exporting lessl Trade deficit: \$70 billion.

PRO: We've come back from the brink. The Dow's 12501

CON: Wall Street's cooking the books. I prefer gold.

**PRO:** Paul Volcker has smashed gold from \$850 to \$360. **CON:** Which leaves a GAIN of only 1,000% since 1970.

**PRO:** You can count on Volcker to solve our problems. **CON:** We've already paid him \$500 an ounce to do it.

**PRO:** The "official" price of gold is \$42.22 an ounce. **CON:** It's well over \$5,000 in Argentina and Brazil.

**PRO:** WE are the leading banker for the entire WORLD.

CON: "THE BIGGER THEY ARE, THE HARDER THEY FALL."

**PRO**: We will pay you 9% to hold U.S. Treasury bills. **CON**: And take it back in taxes and price inflation.

**PRO**: We're planning to come out with a new currency.

CON: "New lamps for old. New lamps for old. We'll give you paper for your tarnished gold."

**PRO**: Reagan inherited "a job that couldn't be done." **CON**: "And he couldn't do it" . . . all in one term. . .

**PRO:** Maybe Fritz Mondale can bail us out. TRUST US. **CON:** "It seems to me I've heard that song before."

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