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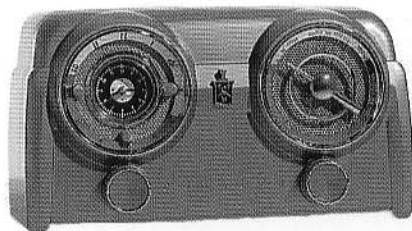
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Prozac Nation: Is the Party Over?

NANCY HUGO, A 57-YEAR-OLD HOUSEWIFE IN CORVALLIS, ORE., HAD recently been prescribed the antidepressant Zoloft by her internist when she found herself in the bathroom, looking at a Bic shaver and wondering if she could get the blade out of its plastic. In the living room she zeroed in on a pair of long scissors she had inherited from her grandmother. "I kept on wanting to pick them up and gouge my eye out," she recalls. Trying to occupy her mind at the computer, she fought the "urge to

BRIAN STAUFFER FOR FORBES

There are three stages in the life of a new mental health drug: euphoria, then medical doubts, then lawsuits.

BY RICHARD C. MORAIS