

## Dr. Seuss

“A person's a person, no matter how small", said author and illustrator Theodore Geisel, who was born on March 2, 1904. Geisel's first book for children, And to Think That I Saw It On Mulberry Street, was rejected by 27 publishers before it was printed. At a time when many children's books were dull, Geisel, who is also known as Dr. Seuss, published The Cat in the Hat. Since then, millions of Dr. Seuss books have been sold!

## Silly Putty

During the month of March in 1950, Peter Hodgson introduced a toy that become a surprise sensation. Six years earlier, Silly Putty was discovered by a engineer at General Electric. When no practical use could be found for the product, Hodgson began to cell the bouncing putty as a toy. Silly Putty flu off store shelves more then 300 million Silly Putty eggs have now been sold. Silly Putty even rocketed to the moon with the Apollo 8 Astronauts!