

NEWS AND NONSENSE IN THE P. E. SHOPS

Edited by Carleton B. Bell

Angelo Cerato at last admits that he has only been half a man. He has left for Scranton, Penn., to take unto himself a better half.

Tony Zamperini wishes to explain to his many curious friends that the condition of his right eye is due to a sty rather than to any family or neighborhood quarrels.

Mary Badrick reports that her mother is well on the way to recovery and was taken home from the Torrance Hospital on Monday of this week.

The eccentricities of Lady Luck toward fishermen were forcibly demonstrated a few days ago. "Frenchie" Viellenave and "Louis" Hankins were surf fishing at Hermosa Beach and had been for several hours with no success whatever. "Frenchie" at last gave up and moved a short distance down the beach. Charlie Botes immediately stepped in and hooked a 3 1/2 pound just as soon as he was able to get a baited hook into the water. Charlie called it a successful day and went home to eat his fish.

"Bud" Butler who was recently married has been absent on several occasions since. He also wishes to explain to his curious friends that the absence was due to it being necessary for him to appear in justice court to make boulevard stops and obey traffic signals.

Bert Hollister has always been a great booster for Torrance in general and Torrance water in particular. During Bert's visit to the camp last week the boys sent him a small bottle of Torrance water so that he would not have to drink the common water available at mountain resorts.

KEYSTONE NOTES

Richard Waller of Figueroa street has returned home from a two weeks' trip at Yosemite National Park. He reports a very interesting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nahmens and family of Casson street and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Constable and son Jamie of Lamanda Park motored to Cabrillo Beach and Point Pinos on Monday where they picnicked and enjoyed the surf.

Mrs. Lucy M. Doty who has successfully managed the Keystone Lunch at the corner of Main and Dixon streets for the past several months has sold the lunchroom to Mr. Clark Anthony of Compton. Mrs. J. Hensell also of Compton will manage the business for Mr. Anthony. An addition to this building will be built by Mr. Anthony to accommodate the large business that has been handled at this restaurant during Mrs. Doty's ownership.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alden will open the new service station that is being erected at the corner of 11th and Main streets.

Miss Genevieve French of Amador street has returned to her home in Compton following a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Looser on Amelia street.

Mrs. L. W. Brown of Main street has accepted a position as assistant manager of the cafeteria at the Compton Union High school, Compton, which will be of interest to her many friends in Keystone.

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BEG YOUR PARDON

The Herald wishes to correct an error in the American Legion clubhouse story published last week. It was stated that the war posters were given to the post by Mrs. J. J. Sidney Torrance, whereas it should have read that the posters

Captain Leonard of the baseball team has just received a written challenge from a newly organized Pacific Electric team at San Bernardino. Business manager, Bud Edwards, announces that every effort will be made to accept this challenge as he believes the San Bernardino boys are worth helping.

Robert Boyd has not been able to get back into his old time form since his vacation trip East. His eye became so accustomed to appreciating gladiolus while visiting the American Gladiolus Society Show at Springfield that it is difficult for him to get it adjusted to horse-shoes.

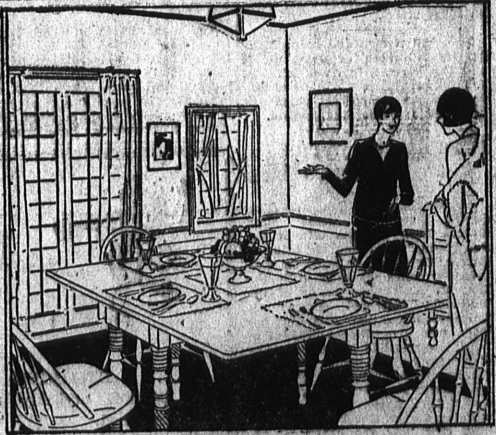
Roy Brucker had a very successful fishing trip on one of the barges off Hermosa Beach Monday. He brought back 2 funny sacks full of mackerel.

Charles Bjorklund and Mrs. Cameron of Redondo were married at a quiet wedding last Friday morning. They have left for a short honeymoon trip to San Diego.

Bill Eustachs and Hans Bernhard had great luck shooting doves the first day of the season. They had bagged almost the limit before a deputy sheriff came along and told them they must move on. Bill says he has no hard feelings against the deputy sheriff as he was already within 2 of the limit and will get those next time.

Edgar White is not sure whether he wants to be called a blacksmith or not. Whenever a collection is taken up in the blacksmith shop for flowers or wedding presents, it is the practice for the blacksmiths to contribute double the amount that their helpers contribute. Edgar says it seems to him the only time they call him a blacksmith is when they take up a collection.

were the gift of Mrs. Lewis Curtis Torrance. Mrs. L. C. Torrance is also acquiring the remaining war posters to make the collection complete. Mrs. J. S. Torrance gave the Post a cash gift.



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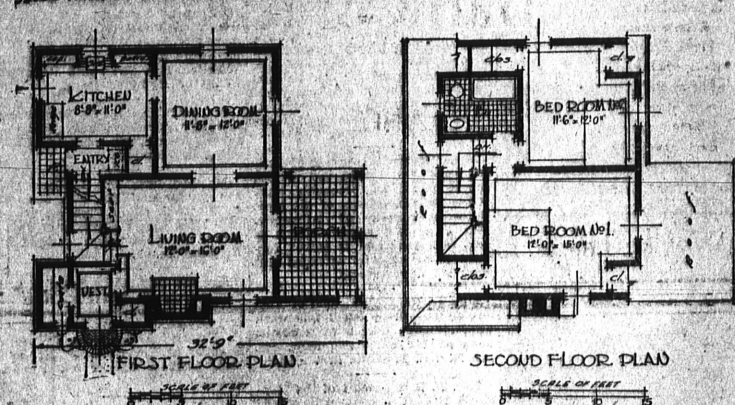
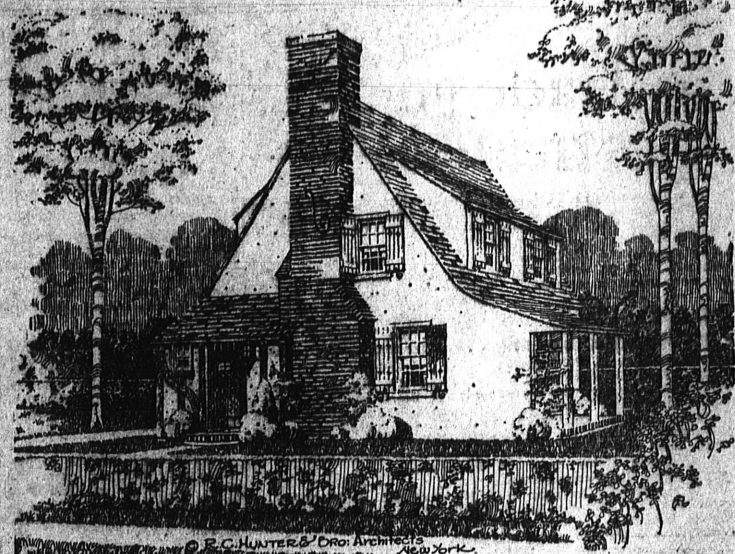
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