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## NEWS AND NONSENSE IN THE P. E. SHOPS

Edited by Carleton B. Bell

Office force variations are over—Christmas shopping is all over—the winter's earnings all gone. No other business. Better with a little, but some, with some news on the side.

The real event of the week was the wedding of Patricia Brice and Bob Black, department and Bob Black, an auto mechanic in R. H. Black's department. Many of the friends in the shops and store attended the ceremony which was held at 8:30 a. m. at St. Michael's in the Torrance Catholic church. The newlyweds paid a hurried visit to the shop grounds during the noon hour. Patricia is the daughter of a well-known drapery contractor and similar some modern. They left Torrance on a winter vacation trip to Atlantic City, where they have relatives.

The shop "bush" team, now captained by "Honey" Adams, is making a good record for itself. In their first game of the winter season three Saturdays ago they beat the strong Southern division team by a score of 10-0. They lost their next game, but they followed up by administering a terrible defeat to the "Oscar" team. Last Sunday they were to have played the Subway Terminal team at the Torrance grounds but were forced to postpone the game in favor of the managers. Here's hoping they get to play next Sunday. If they will only leave that San Bernardino team alone they may keep their record clear.

Imagine Mary Bakker's surprise when she saw Saturday afternoon some friend called her up about 2:30 P. M. and told her that the score for the second U.S.C. vs. Notre Dame game was 26 for U.S.C. nothing for N. D. Being a faithful S. C. fan all season and knowing her was good bets on their side she promptly assumed the word "game" to all the football fans she could reach. Evidently those who did not have the same abiding faith in the truthfulness of numbers that Mary has for they all laughed at her and finally someone of them took pity on her and explained that there was no score at all that day and that someone had been quoting her. I have not called Mary since.

George Butler and wife returned last week from a month's trip east. Most of the time was spent in Washington, D. C., with relatives. George reports having a wonderful time and missing most all the cold weather. They did not hit any snow until they reached the Rockies on the return trip.

Edgar Gordon Mont says it pays to advertise. On the windshield of his car in this city, "Auto Wanted, Auto Side Door." On the side door it reads "Four Hunting, etc., etc." Better read the rest from the Ford itself. It is a good ad, evidently, because Gordon was buying a pack of a wrist watch last Monday that was altogether too small for him to wear.

Pop Wharton has a new grade against the quality. He says he can hit any quality a-flying but when they "sawd" stick in the air it bothers him so he cannot find out where his shots go. Several of the boys have suggested nationality tests.

We wondered, the other day, who that new man with the dirty face and bit of a crooked nose in the 3000 block. We were surprised to find it was Dale Merritt who used to be in the starting room. Yes, Dale has gone to work but there is someone in his stead.

A recent visitor to the shops was Harold Martin, formerly apprentice under Mr. Gilis. Harold is now a machinist in the Little St. yards and is looking and feeling better than we have seen him for a long time.

The Blue-Boys made a trip to Santa Cruz and San Francisco over the holidays. Bill is still away but another is back on the job.

W. T. Thomas also was a New Year's visitor to San Francisco where he visited his son, Ralph.

Many of the employees are taking advantage of the kind offer of Mr. Black of the Torrance General Insurance Agency, to secure their

1930 auto license plates for them. Mr. Black takes the money and the 1929 white slip from the men at the shops and brings the 1930 slip back to them. The plates are delivered by the state by mail.

Wm. J. Hopkins, usually known as "Lottie" is reported to be the champion horse-shoe pitcher of the Torrance window team. His time as threatened by Joe Slavich's but as selling here long Lottie will remain king.

Heretofore getting seems to have died out in the blacksmith shop. Evidently Bob Boyd crashed all competition and they have given up. Anyway all the boys available there was about a broken piston in the big steam hammer. Then Leonard had a hole dug around the hammer about five feet deep but I could not see any piston down there. Maybe he intends to bury some of the San Bernardino baseball men there.

Charles Hordland is getting quite sporty. He has lately come out with a new Studebaker and a new girl.

We're still after Bud Butler for sleep. The only news so far is that he is going to buy the family a new home. The family consists of Mrs. Butler and Bud.

As usual, Arden Miller had a wonderful vacation. All that is really news about it is that as usual—she came back and worked very days and then had to lay off three more days to recuperate. Arden ought to study "back and sore" vacations.

## ORANGE SHOW FEB. 13 TO 23 THIS YEAR

San Bernardino Plans Greatest Show of Citrus Industry as 20th Anniversary

By CNPA Service

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 8.—The twentieth anniversary of the National Orange Show will be celebrated in this city during the period of February 13 to 23 inclusive and it will be the greatest exposition in honor of the citrus industry that has ever been held.

For many months the Orange Show executives have been planning an exposition that would merit twenty years of existence. Known for its decorative features, the Orange Show will exhibit all previous efforts in this line with the most gorgeous overhead decorations ever conceived. The theme is "The Land of Orange Blossoms" and it will be a wonderful show, an impressive display of scenery, general display of the citrus industry, the decorative plans, General Manager R. B. Mack and the committee desiring to make the decorations in the nature of a surprise.

Radical changes are made in the entertainment program. Instead of low entertainment, the entertainment will be directed fully in most instances, with the exception of the band of Kalamazoo which remains for the entire show. There will be continuous entertainment in which forty troupes participate. And the method of entertainment presentation is also radical, to help them better stages being reserved to offer the necessary features.

Although the show is five weeks off the stage, spectators for various feature exhibits, the establishment for the first time of a cooling school which will bring the most noted outdoor demonstrators in San Bernardino for special days during the show. Excursions are now being planned from several cities. Boys are being recruited for various organizations, among them the American Legion and its national apparatus of slugging arm and leg, and a dozen clubs will help with the entertainment program.

The family ticket sale is now on and the show expects to dispose of more than 100,000 admissions by February 15 when the twenty-first anniversary will be celebrated.

The Orange club will have their Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Alex MacPhail of West and Logan streets.

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This is the 27-inch white twill outing flannel that is known throughout the country for its soft fleecy finish, and splendid wearing quality. January White Week offers a splendid opportunity to fill your needs from fresh, new assortments.

### BATH TOWELS

Large size... heavy, firm quality... and so soft and absorbent! 25c

Splendid quality double-stamped terry cloth bath towels... size 22x24 inches... in plain white, solid colors, plaid and colored borders.

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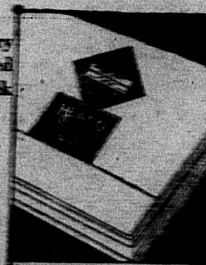
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### "PENCO" SHEETS IN NEW LENGTH

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Sheet 4 1/2 inches longer than usual... 81x94 1/2 inches (size before hemming)... snowy-white... linen-like finish... made of sturdy cotton thread woven so that lengthwise and crosswise threads are of equal strength, for only \$1.33!

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For the half year ending December 31, 1929, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four per cent per annum on Savings Deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1930. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1930.

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A. J. MOUNT, President.

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