Dr. George W. McCray, chiropractor, has temporarily closed his office at 1330 Engracia avenue, due to a serious illness. He is undergoing treatment at the home of his son, also a doctor, at Los Angeles.

Miss Anna Miller and Miss Carrie Miller of New Albany, Indiana, are guests this week at the home of **Mrs. Elizabeth Brod, Miss Hermine Oetken** and **Will Oetken** 1001 Sartori Avenue.

Home Again

Yeoman Ron F. Stack, of the U. S. Coast Guard cutter Northland, is shown above as the cutter docks in Seattle after its annual five-month patrol in Alaska. Stack is carrying official reports of the trip for relay to Washington, D. C.

Intercepted

Bennett of the University of Nevada provided a bright moment for Nevada rooters last weekend when he intercepted a St. Mary's pass while on a dead run. It helped Nevada little, however, as St. Mary's crushed them with power plays, 42 to 0.

Plasterer Urges Higher Licenses

Tom Watson, local plastering contractor, addressed the city council last night relative to certain changes he thought should be made in the city's building code and licensing laws. He urged that non-combustible lath and plaster be allowed in garages connected to homes instead of the more costly metal-lath and cement plaster. Watson also urged a higher license fee for plasterers "for protection to local men against outsiders."

No action was taken on his suggestions but City Engineer Frank R. Leonard was asked to investigate the garage plastering change and report to the council at the next meeting. The matter of license fees has been a "sore-spot" here for some time. Some local mechanics want higher "protective tariffs" while prospective builders in Torrance claim that the high licenses keep out legitimate competition.

Famous Necklet Sold

LONDON (U.P.)—A fine diamond necklet, formerly the property of the ill-fated Queen of France, Marie Antoinette, brought $45,000 at an auction sale here.

People and what they are doing

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilkes 2019 Gramercy Avenue, had as their house guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Horton of Huntington Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kaufmann and son Bobby of Los Angeles, were Sunday visitors at the **George Colburn** home 640 Sartori Avenue.

Mrs. Rachel Reed 1612 Post Avenue, was pleasantly surprised Tuesday, when her sisters, Miss Mary Evans, and Mrs. George Welcome with Master George Page Welcome III came from their home in Anaconda, Montana, to help celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean L. Sears and daughter, **Marlon** of El Prado were dinner guests Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy W. Cate in Los Angeles.

Mrs. H. R. Woodington 2013 Arlington Avenue, has as her house guest this week her mother, Mrs. H. Housinger of South Gate.

Mrs. Carrie Parks 1003 Portola Avenue, had as her luncheon guest Tuesday, Mrs. Anna Hammer of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whittlesey of Santa Ana, Miss Phyllis Neish and Albert Neish of Los Angeles, were guests at the home of **Carrie Parks** 1003 Portola Avenue, Sunday.

O. A. Kresse and **John Disario** were business visitors at Boulder Dam over the week-end and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Kerber 1724½ Cabrillo Avenue, had as their house guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lohr of Baldwin Park. Mr. and Mrs. Lohr are former residents of this city.

Mrs. Clara Regan of 1315 Arlington avenue returned home yesterday from Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital where she had been receiving medical treatment since Sept. 9. She is reported fully recovered from her serious illness.

Mrs. Estelle Graham, worthy matron of Torrance chapter Order of Eastern Star and **Glen Babcock,** worthy patron will serve as courtesy officers at Inglewood chapter Order of Eastern Star this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Norfleet of Lynwood, were dinner guests Sunday at the home of **Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Knelseler** 1008 Amapola Avenue.

Miss Edith Gremmels, of New York City, will be a guest of **Mrs. Florence Welch,** 1510 Engracia avenue, over the coming week-end. Miss Gremmels, daughter of an old-time friend of **Mrs. Welch,** has just come west to accept a position as head of the designing department for a large Los Angeles department store.

Mrs. D. A. Murphy 1423 Amapola Avenue, was a guest at a luncheon given by Miss Ellen Cunningham in the Victor Hugo in Los Angeles, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith 1614 Amapola Avenue, spent the week-end hunting near Sage.

T. J. Wilkes 2717 Carson Street, with Jess Fellerman of Long Beach were week-end visitors at San Diego.

Mrs. Mollie Meckley of San Francisco, is a visitor this week at the **O. A. Kresse** home 1443 El Prado.

Fred Ralston, who is employed on the Metropolitan Water project at Banning, visited over the week-end with his mother, **Mrs. Lon Ralston** 1667 Gramercy Avenue.

Mrs. Florence Welch, 1510 Engracia avenue, had as house guests last week Mrs. Mary Blanke and Miss Katherine Engle, of Los Angeles.

Postmaster Earl Conner served on the program committee for the annual picnic of postal employees of Southern California last Sunday at La Crescenta's Hindenburg Park. It is estimated that 4,000 attended the outing.

Exclusive Parking Request is Denied

Application by four firms located at 1418-20 Marcelina avenue for "exclusive curb parking" in front of their places of business was denied by the city council last night because such permission would "sound like special privilege." The firms signing the request were Torrance C. Welch, attorney; Holmes Collection Service, Howe Insurance Service and the Torrance Plumbing company.

Chamber Granted Fund for Quarter

A request for $1,800 to continue the organization's publicity and social service work during the present quarter was approved for the Chamber of Commerce last night at city council meeting. Secretary L. J. Gilmeister submitted a detailed report on the chamber's activities during July, August and September when $1,832 was spent.

Children Receive Souvenir Pencils at Furniture Mart

Sixty-eight children from Torrance and Lomita received souvenir Coronation pencils last weekend from Lew Allen, owner of the Home Furniture Mart at 1328 Sartori avenue who brought the gifts from England on his return from attending the great British pageant.

Allen and his family sailed aboard the Queen Mary on their return to the United States and met Rev. Anderson Jardine who married the Duke of Windsor and Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson at Chateau de Cande. Allen says that Rev. Jardine was very friendly and always willing to pose for snapshots aboard the great liner.

Cabbage Four-Headed

PAINESVILLE, O. (U.P.)—John Gahagan is displaying the season's rarest oddity from his garden—a four-headed cabbage.

San Pedro Patriots Select Torrance Man as Chairman

San Pedro patriots interested in the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution had to come to Torrance for a leader, it was learned this week as plans were made for continued activities in commemoration of that national event.

Albert Isen, Torrance attorney, was selected as chairman of the San Pedro Inter-Organization committee for the Constitution celebration. Altho he insisted that the group should obtain a San Pedro resident for this honor, his objections were over-ruled and he was continued in office.

The port city committee is composed of representatives of civic, social, faternal, service and patriotic organizations within the community.

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