

AW, GO ON AND SPOIL HER.

That's Christmas

And She'll Love You For
Life If She Wakes Up Christmas
Morn to Find a New 1938

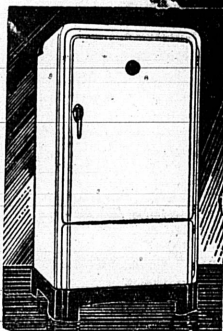
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SHOP TALK

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cleaner to sweep it off once a year."

(Signed) A Regular Reader of Your Column.

To A Anonymous "Regular Reader," Shop Talk is thankful she is one, deploring, however, the anonymity that weakens her complaint, "makes editors suspicious."

Nonetheless, and anonymous or not, Shop Talk, together with City Clerk A. H. Bartlett & Councilman Jim Hitchcock, toured the region complained of, found the complaint groundless as well as anonymous. For per trees, notoriously "dirty," shade the sidewalks, drop their berries & leaves constantly, would require a man full time to do nothing but sweep & clean. Further, the region in question was not found to be exceptionally "filthy," is but an

Fog Lights Objects of Thieves' Interest

Two pairs of fog lights were stolen from two cars here last Saturday night. F. J. Dempsey of Walnut Park had his auxiliary lights stripped from his car while it was parked on Cravens avenue and he was enjoying a dance at the Sam Levy hall. Alan Agrist of Inglewood had his lights removed while his car was parked in the National Supply lot.

ordinary street.

Mrs. "Regular Reader" will do well henceforth to address the city council directly where Torrance's most sincere council in years is eager to right all wrongs, clean all streets when and if. However, Shop Talk wants her to remember the dispatch with which this complaint was handled, wants her, too, to remain a "regular reader."

Masons Install Officers Dec. 28

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lain; Clifford E. Ruppel, senior deacon; Edmund A. Day, junior deacon; Willis M. Brooks, marshal; John B. Shaw, junior steward; and Harry C. Ainsworth, Sr., Tyler. Willis M. Brooks is the retiring master and he becomes marshal.

The new trustees, all past masters of the lodge, are Herbert G. Babcock, E. E. McMassters and Wallace W. West.

The installing officer will be Samuel E. Burke of Los Angeles, a past grand master, who has been honoring the local lodge by this service for the past 15 or 20 years. Charles A. Curtis will sing, accompanied by Raymond J. Casey. All Masons, their families and friends are cordially invited to attend the ceremonies.

Narbonne Seniors Play Yule Fetes

The Narbonne senior A's will be visited by old St. Nick next Monday night. His bag will be full of enticing gifts for the class and faculty. There will be games and other entertainment. The senior B's will hold their Yule-tide party during home-room period—Tuesday, Dec. 21.

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"Old King Cole was a merry old soul,
And a merry old soul was he,
He called for his pipe and he called for his bowl,
And he called for his fiddlers three."

—Old Rhyme.

QUESTIONS

Just who was old King Cole?

What is the earliest known kind of pie?

Christmas Day is just around the corner. How do you pronounce Christmas?

TODAY'S PROVERB

"The gown is hers who wears it, and the world is his who enjoys it."

A very good maxim, indeed, for happiness! If you are a millionaire, you know that happiness can't be purchased for any amount of money.

ANSWERS

According to the best British tradition, old King Cole reigned some time during the third century.

We call pie the great American dessert, but the first kind of pie seems to have been a meat or fish pie, popular in England in the 14th century.

Fruit pies came into general favor about two centuries later.

Do you pronounce Christmas as if it were spelled Kriss-mas? If you do, you are absolutely correct! The T is not sounded.

ADIOS

"At Christmas be merry and thankful withal,
And feast thy poor neighbors,
The great with the small.
Yea, all the year long, to the poor—let us give—
God's blessing to follow us,
While we do live."

—Thomas Tusser.

Scotland Has Luxury Court

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Portable Trestle Being Made Here

Co-inventor of a portable trestle for plasterers, carpenters, painters and other craftsmen and now the sole owner of the handy set-up, Frank Steinhaber, well-known Torrance business man, has opened a shop at 1879 Carson street where he is manufacturing the new product.

Steinhaber, who has leased his service station at Vermont and Carson to Heber King, young Torrance high school graduate, and is now devoting all his time to putting the portable trestle on the market. Equipped with metal jaws and made of wood, the Steinhaber product has won high praise from builders who have seen it.

Because it can be purchased for a nominal cost, the demand for the trestle is growing steadily, Steinhaber said this week. It is the only piece of equipment of this type on the market.

Phone Workers Listen-in On Conference

Seventeen points connected in a conference telephone hookup—such as the usual arrangement made by the Southern California Telephone Company to acquaint its employees with reduced long distance rates and illustrations of the uses of the service.

Orda V. Peitzke, manager of the telephone company here, said that thousands of telephone employees listened to the program from key centers throughout the southland and heard skits dramatizing the part which long distance service plays in the city's and country's social and business life.

Officials called attention to the fact that application of night rates to long distance calls all day Sunday is proving popular.

P. R. Costly, But Saves More

TOLEDO (U.P.)—It cost \$5,333 for extra help at the central station and \$1,302 for added election board staff to count the proportional returns for a new city council here.

Girls Want Careers

TAMPA, Fla. (U.P.)—Questionnaires distributed among 215 high school girls here revealed only four were considering matrimony.

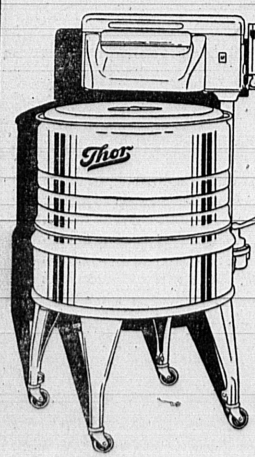
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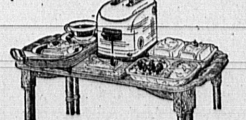
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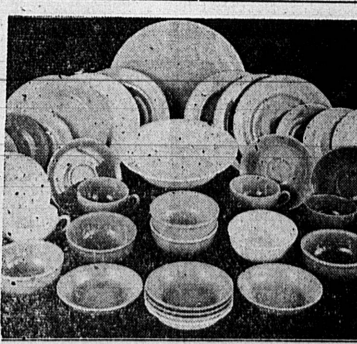
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