OBITUARY

ALLIE HARRISON . . . Altho she was suffering from acute appendicitis, Mrs. Allie Harrison of 444 Chestnut street, Long Beach, attended the funeral of her son-in-law, the late James W. West of this city, last Thursday afternoon. She collapsed shortly after the interment at Pacific Crest and was rushed to Torrance Memorial hospital where she passed away Monday morning following an emergency operation Friday. Mrs. Harrison was 65 years of age. She was born in Scammon, Kansas.

She had lived in the harbor district for the past 25 years and was survived by two sons, L. A. Clark of Long Beach and James B. Clark of Wilmington; four daughters, Mrs. Allie West of 1106 El Prado, Torrance; Mrs. Chris Wuethrich, Lomita; Mrs. O. W. Giese and Mrs. F. P. Landier, both of San Pedro; about 25 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Mrs. Harrison was a niece of President William H. Harrison.

The funeral service was conducted yesterday afternoon at Stone and Myers' chapel with Rev. Swift of the Wilmington Christian churen officiating. Interment at Pacific Crest.

Classified Highlights

You ought to buy your furniture where it's best for the money asked. See the want ads for quality furniture at 20% to 40% savings. Turn to class. 53c.

Class. 53 is full of all kinds of goods. The prices are very low. Turn now to the Want Ads.

What kind of service do you want? Let a want advertiser help you. See class. 44.

Get the best in real estate. See the want ads.

Borrow money easily. See class. 96.

Let's Talk It Over . . . "Inferiority Complex"

By Arthur Dean, Sc. D.

Dear Dr. Dean:

I am a young married woman—married to a professional man. He had college training and I graduated from an academy.

We both suffer from inferiority complexes. At first I thought I had acquired my self-consciousness in high school where I had flunked one subject, but I have since discovered that I inherited it from my mother. My husband has always blushed and doesn't seem to have inherited the condition.

You cannot imagine what a terrible affliction this is. It has affected me mentally and physically and has hindered both my husband and myself socially and will, I am sure, damage my husband's work. I have become such a nervous wreck that I do not accept invitations unless necessary.

We have a small daughter whom we want to prevent getting into our state of mind. Do you think this condition is inherited? How can we help her? How can we help ourselves?

MOTHER AND WIFE

ANSWER—It's so easy to slide into placing the blame for everything on heredity and then sit back and let things set. To be sure we cannot get tomatoes from pumpkin seeds or red roses from cabbages but we can and do get better tomatoes and roses than their heritage warrants by cultivation, breeding and brains. For you to say that your feeling of inferiority was inherited is plain nonsense. You were raised by a mother who had it and so quite naturally you acquired by contact, introspection, sensitiveness and a feeling that everybody was looking at you.

People who have this feeling of inferiority have quite unconsciously, a most elaborate notion of their importance. They think that everyone is watching them and that they are the object of all eyes.

You and your husband lack social experience. You are not sure of yourselves. Instead of hating to go out and refusing invitations you should accept all invitations and swing into line as fast as your practice lets you. You lose by retreating. Forward March!

EMOTIONAL BALANCE

It is a girl's letter that inspired me to write to you. I want to tell this girl that she will be happier if she does not join the "good times regardless" crowd. It does pay to be good. Stick to your high ideals and your ambitions; and, with pride, you will be telling your 'used-to-be' friends of your good times. They will say: "Oh, why did I weaken and follow the gang to Whoopee Land?"

Wholesome recreation has a far-reaching influence, especially marked in adolescence, in helping to form emotionally balanced personalities. But, in some communities the young people of today are often unable to find any wholesome recreation that is within their means. They are forced to depend on themselves for social life because they are deprived of the informal support of their community.

A Reader

COMMENT: I long for the day when churches and schools are open the year round for eight hours a day where adults can get what they didn't have when they were young and where youth can have what it is now not getting. We are doing so little to create mental and emotional balance. What a pity!

RESENTS AUTHORITY

My Mary, six years old, has a rebellious dislike for doing things when told. When I insist, she does the opposite thing.

Worried.

ANSWER: A child is a human creature and should be reared, not as a child, but as a potential adult-to-be. Mary is temporarily a little girl. For a much longer time she will be a woman. It is the woman in her that you are to train. You want her to have self-governing intelligence and the rich years of childhood should should be passed in the gradual and guarded exercise of this power. You do not want her mindless, will-less, or spineless. The mere "habit of obedience" will not develop judgment and will. Teach her to respect your good judgment, train her to see that following a well thought out plan for her development is for her own good and not merely for your own peace and comfort. Read my leaflet on "Contrariness."

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A CURE

Sufferers from inferiority complexes need greater social experience, says Dr. Dean in this article. He also has some interesting comments to make regarding the necessity for emotional balance and how a rebellious child should be handled.

LIGHT TURNS CORNERS in Lucite, a new material shown here by Frank A. Hansen, lighting forum speaker. This unusual device delivers light at the end of a transparent rod with little spillage of illumination through the sides.

The importance of proper illumination in modern life is the theme of a free four - weeks lighting forum which opens Monday night, Feb. 26, at 7:30 o'clock at the Edison Auditorium, 1324 Fifth street, Santa Monica. The meetings are sponsored by the Western Institute of Light and Vision, in cooperation with the Santa Monica public schools, physics department of the University of Southern California, Illuminating Engineering Society and Southern California Edison Company. No admission charge will be made, and the public is invited to attend. The chairman will be H. L. White.

Outstanding authorities will speak before the meetings. Consideration will be given first to general principles of illumination, then the audience will be given the newest information on modern lighting practices in specialized fields. Two speakers will appear at each meeting, and an open discussion period will provide an opportunity for those attending to ask questions. Attendance at each meeting will assure maximum benefit from the course, which is being held also in four other Southern California cities.

IN RACE . . . John T. Rawls, former Assemblyman from the 68th district, has formally announced his candidacy for re-election to his former seat in the State legislature. He will run on the Democratic ticket.

New H. C. Group to Make Debut In District Meet

Harbor City Improvement Association, the "baby" organization in the League of Los Angeles Suburban Districts will be formally presented Friday evening at the districts' dinner meeting to be held in the Ship Cafe in Venice. The L. A. Suburban Districts' league is comprised of a number of outlying areas within the city of Los Angeles. Its purpose is to secure more recognition and better improvements for those areas. Representing the Harbor City Improvement Association at tomorrow night's initiation will be: J. L. Price, Gordon LaManquais, R. Siegel, and Sam Barraclough.

Save 20 to 40% on furniture—new and used. Consult the want ads under class. 53c.

HUGE JOB OF ASSESSING PROPERTY BEGINS MARCH 4

On March 4th 425 deputy assessors will take the field to place assessments against all personal property in Los Angeles County. They are to complete their work by June 1 and expect to find more worldly possessions in Los Angeles county than ever before in its history.

Before the task is completed the deputies will have made in excess of 800,000 calls upon homes, business houses, oil refineries and manufacturing concerns of various types.

County Assessor John R. Quinn estimates that 45,000 additional homes have been erected within the county since the last canvass and in addition there have been many new business enterprises and manufacturing establishments.

Will Call at Homes

Homes will constitute by far the largest number of calls while business houses will furnish in stocks and fixtures the largest valuation in personal property, Quinn said. A considerable addition to assessed values of airplanes also is anticipated as this industry has been speeded materially since the last visit of the assessor.

Deputies will call at homes and place assessments against furniture. In the event householders are absent a blank will be left for the householder to fill out and return to the assessor. A second call will be made if this blank has not been returned at which time the assessor will place an estimate as to the value of household goods.

Because of the increased volume of work about 40 more deputies will take the field this year than last. There will be no change in assessing procedure as there has been no change in assessment laws in the past year, Quinn said.

Housing Project to Start March 1 Above Lomita

Construction work is expected to begin about March 1 on the Harbor Hills project of the Housing Authority of Los Angeles County, according to information from the office of Harvey A. Nichols, Los Angeles contractor who has been awarded the general contract on his bid of $806,220.

The site of this project is above Lomita and when work begins it will be the second housing project to get under way, the first being located north of Long Beach.

In addition to the general contract other contracts for the project are for water and gas, sewers, landscaping and overhead lighting systems.

METAL IN CARS

Four fifths of the weight of the modern automobile consists of metal products. At least 19 different metals enter into the chassis and power plant either directly or in alloys.