

Columnist Comes to Rescue of Stranger Who Read Her Articles

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I can understand why Mrs. A. L. Webber, a complete stranger, phoned me to ask me if I would purchase a bottle of cough syrup.

She said if I would deliver it to her, she would pay me for my trouble. It was no trouble, for my neighbor was going right near her home on the way to central Torrance. I picked up the cough syrup and delivered it promptly.

Being a stranger in our community, Ardyth Webber somehow locked herself inside her home, leaving the key on the outside of the front door. Her neighbors work nights so were all in bed and she couldn't attract anyone's attention.

Having read a copy of The Torrance HERALD which her husband had purchased, she happened to read my column. Checking on my phone number she immediately called me!

Since she is expecting her first child she couldn't quite make her way out of a window and after I got acquainted with her a wee bit we strolled to the homes of several neighbors.

At the third home we came to we discovered that the couple were from the Webbers' home town in Michigan and later on discovered that they had attended the same school.

Mrs. D. McKaye, 18545 Roslin Ave., has been quite a busy person lately. Right after entertaining friends Dorothy and Anthony Cicale from Michigan with a trip to Las Vegas, she immediately hosted a "come as you are-bingo party" for a group of her neighbors.

This also served as a sort of farewell to bingo parties for her. She is now working. Husband Don's working hours are scheduled so that they manage to breakfast together!

The Maurice Wisdom family along with the W. Brock family can really sit down and discuss flowers from A to Z with anyone. After their visit to the Descanso Botanical Gardens at the height of the Camellia Festival they also took in the 1957 California International Flower Show.

Get-well wishes are being extended to young Patty Herring whose illness has not yet been diagnosed. She would appreciate receiving a card from friends for it is very lonesome being isolated within four walls till your illness is diagnosed. Her address is 18312 Roslin Ave.

Peggy Mackin, Mildred Westmorland, Frances Hynes, Louise Chadwick, Enid Runsted, Audrey Herring, Sarah Hooker and Sally Wisdom appeared at a "come as you are game party" at my house and everyone present departed with a gift.

Peggy Mackin issued an invitation to everyone present to attend a neighbors' gathering at her 18244 Roslin Ave. home last Tuesday.

Happy birthday wishes are extended to Mrs. Lella Adams who celebrated dining and dancing with friends at the Moulin Rouge.

Edward Myers and his son celebrated their birthdays by dining at the Palms then viewing a movie and stopping for ice cream and cake before

SPOTS SEEN AS MEASLES HITS HERE

Torrance residents continued to see spots under their eyes during two weeks ending March 23, as measles continued as the leading disease in this area and the county at large.

During the two-week period Torrance reported 12 cases of the disease, while 22 were found in the Torrance health area. Measles were heavy throughout the county, claiming 5306 victims this year as compared with only 815 at this time in 1956.

Other leading diseases in the Torrance health area included: scarlet fever, 7; epilepsy, 5; gonorrhea, 4; tuberculosis and syphilis, each 2, and hepatitis, whooping cough and Q fever, each 1.

heading for home. Accompanying the two men were Mom Myers, Karen Myers and friend John Cole.

Whoever purchased a ticket for the Shipwreck dance is in for quite a bit of fun on Slave Day at North High School. I can't help but be a wee bit curious about it for my 15-year-old son quickly, quietly, and agreeably has done his chores for the past week which entitles him to a bonus which equals half of his regular allowance! The reason, naturally, that this method was started is because up till now my husband and I have never had to pay it! I'll have to find out more about this affair!

Get-well wishes are being extended to Claudine R. Blake of 16825 Thornburgh Ave. who has been suffering from a terrific case of laryngitis.

Her many friends and neighbors are all hoping that she recovers in time to accompany husband Glen and son Jerry on their vacation later on during the week.

Mrs. Delno Hart of 181st St. served angel food cake and ice cream surprise to Darlene Bender, S. R. Hooker, Enid Runsted, V. C. Wright, Pat Dohner, Alice MacKenzie and Therese Schuster at the March card party of the North Torrance Canasta Lasses.

First prize, salad bowl set, was won by V. C. Wright while a handmade mottled candy as booby prize was won by Therese Schuster.

It is no wonder that kindergarten Rosie Ashby of 18329 Regina Ave. likes the outdoors as much as she does.

Before entering school she was exposed to the chicken pox and was kept in, but well-meaning guests bringing their children caused her to turn up with mumps next, immediately followed by measles!

After weeks and weeks of being miserable the pretty little miss was allowed to enter school and is now cheerfully having herself a ball while her playmates are experiencing their childhood diseases!

Anniversary waltz records will be playing this week for Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Camps who will be celebrating their first wedding anniversary in Palm Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson Sr. are celebrating their 40th anniversary and have planned back to Ohio to visit with friends and relatives till after Easter.

Sophie Ellis held the first of the pre-Easter events which will take place within our community. Happily Ellen Smith, June Espinosa, Diane Edwards, Naomi Allen, Glorrya Huston, Arlene Adams and Albert Ellis enjoyed the shrimp wiggle luncheon, topped off with lemon meringue pie, and gaily played an afternoon of bridge.

Diane Edwards won the first prize, a lovely jewelry set, while Alberta Ellis took home booby prize of one dozen lemons! The lovely luncheon

centerpiece was a pastel work of art with jonquils tied with a royal blue and silver ribbon. Each guest was treated to a miniature sweet pea corsage which matched her outfit.

Best wishes are flying to the bedside of Mrs. Robert Stone (Jeanne) whose serious illness for the past year has made it necessary to spend a year in a rest home in Arizona.

Husband Tom, who is wisely not divulging her address so she can have peace and

quiet, was given an envelope. It contained snapshots of her neighbors taken in various humorous poses with added little notes from each one so she will not forget them. Best of all is the fact that they intend to do this very same thing every month till she returns!

The reason for the six dozen red roses received by Sally Ann Lee is that after 15 years husband Joe got a terrific raise in salary with many other fine benefits.

Firms, Unions, School to Receive Chest Fund Honor

Employees of five firms, numerous unions and one school in this area will be signally honored at the annual Awards Luncheon of the Los Angeles Community Chest in the Billmore Ballroom today, according to Walter W. Candy Jr., 1956-57 campaign chairman.

The award is given employee groups who together have contributed one-fourth of one percent of the firm's annual payroll to the Red-Feathered Causes, joined in Community Chest's annual appeal. Some

contribute through AID, others through In-Plant Chest campaigns.

Bronze plaque winners to be honored for the fifth consecutive year are employees of the Seaboard Coil Spring Division of Associated Spring Corp., 15001 S. Broadway, Gardena, and of the Southern Counties Gas Co., Harbor Division at 600 W. 8th St., San Pedro.

American Rock Wool Corp., 401 Arlington, Torrance; Pacific Smelting Co., 22219 S. Western Ave., Torrance, and Pipe Linings, Inc., 2414 E.

223rd St., Wilmington, are two year bronze plaque winners.

Personnel of the Meyler Street School in San Pedro are proud winners of the bronze plaque for the first time this year.

Unions in this area who gave generously to win the bronze plaque award are:

Lumber and Sawmill Workers Local 1407, International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Wilmington; Communications Workers of America, Long Beach Local 9571 and Santa Monica Local 9574; Redondo Beach Local 9580; Oil, Chemical and Atomic Local 519, Tor-

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