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## OUTLINES STEPS IN PAINTING STUCCO

How can I restore the beauty of my stucco house? Many home-owners in the Torrance area have asked themselves that question many times.

Until very recently, the only answer the experts could give was "Repaint frequently."

But now from Bill Harrold, manager of the Sherwin-Williams branch at 1623 Cabrillo Ave., comes another answer.



BILL HARROLD

According to the local businessman, an attractive and long-lived paint job on stucco, concrete and masonry buildings depends on two factors: proper preparation of the surface to be painted; and use of the right material for the job.

**Surface Needs Preparation**

Harrold explains it this way: "Not all stucco, concrete or masonry surfaces are the same. There are many individual differences. Even what went into making the construction material has much to do with how well the surface will hold paint."

"Some surfaces must be sand-plastered before painting. Still others can be properly prepared by wire brushing. Some few need only be dusted before the paint is applied."

Because no universal prescription for surface preparation can be written, Harrold makes this suggestion: "Ask for and follow the advice of somebody who knows—your painting contractor or your paint merchant."

Failure to take this initial step accounts for many of the unhappy results when stucco,

concrete or masonry is painted, he believes. Other disappointments stem from the paint itself.

**Develop Special Paints**

"From the paint manufacturer's point-of-view, many different ingredients can be used to make a good stucco, concrete and masonry paint," Harrold pointed out. "But there is no single ingredient that automatically guarantees a superior product."

This knowledge has led to the development of new and better paints for the purpose, he observed. As an example he cited "Kem-Krete," recently introduced here by Sherwin-Williams.

"It is made up of a variety of ingredients, each selected for known properties and combined in what the paint makers call a balanced formulation," he explained.

Harrold indicated that this "balancing act" has been found to be the key to developing these new, specialized paints.

"Couple such paints with proper surface preparation and you are certain to get the long-lived beauty you seek," he promised. (Adv.)

## Cesar Given Appointment

Appointment of Richard G. Cesar as manufacturing control supervisor of McCulloch Motors corporation is announced by Bob Moody, planning manager.

Cesar joined McCulloch Motors as a time study man in February, 1952. He was promoted to senior classification in January 1953, to industrial engineer, senior, in January 1954, and to planning engineer, senior, in July 1954.

A native of Milbank, South Dakota, Cesar was graduated from the UCLA School of Business Administration, where he majored in production management. He lives at 4302 West 176th street, Torrance, with his wife Jeanette and two children.

## DEAR EDITOR....

**Little League—**  
 Dear Sir:  
 I read your article on "Little League" with a good deal of interest. My purpose in writing you is not to argue the good or bad points of the League program.

Everyone is entitled to his opinion and the arguments pro and con could be endless. However, I have attended perhaps three or four hundred Little League games since its beginning in Torrance four years ago, and I have yet to see even one boy n "near hysteria." Almost all the boys react to the games very philosophically, a bit disappointed perhaps over losing, elated, for a while in winning. Beyond that nothing.

My real purpose in writing is to object to your implication, intentional or otherwise, that the program is financed with public funds. This, of course, is not true.

All of the money comes from private donations, and profits from sale of refreshments at the games, dances and other activities put on by the league for that purpose.

In your "Recommendations" you state public funds should be used for public recreation, I agree, but that has nothing to do with Little League.

The Little League costs the taxpayers of Torrance nothing and it provides a recreational program, not for 60 boys, as hundreds of other people, the families and friends of the boys who are interested in them and who enjoy the games. I believe it to be a very fine, worthwhile program.

Sincerely,  
 (s) T. S. Colemán  
 3222 Eldorado

P.S. I hope that you will either print this letter or publish a statement to the effect that Little League programs are not financed with public funds.

**Editor's note: You are right. Little League is financed by private funds. If you will check the article you will notice that we did not overlook this point but that it is clearly implied. Regarding public funds, some communities have been subjected to pressure whereby public money was spent for paving**

Little League parking lots, for instance, or where an attempt was made to monopolize public ball diamonds for Little League practice.

### For Little League

Editor Torrance Press:  
 What in the world is Torrance thinking of concerning the Little League?

It takes so many boys off of the street, and I mean the street, that is the only place our boys and girls have to play in South Torrance.

The recreation at our school doesn't start until July 2nd at 1 p.m. and last until 5 p.m. and is closed on week-ends.

Smaller towns than ours have little leagues, why shouldn't we?

If there isn't something for the children you certainly can't expect the delinquency rate to drop.

I can't see why either the Little League or the band is too expensive, after all our taxes aren't dropping. They are talking of raising them. Why can't some of it be spent on our children?

(s) Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Frislie  
 2810 Winlock Rd.

### It's Donne

Editor Torrance Press:  
 The poem Don Jennings was trying to identify last week is John Donne's "Sonnet on Death."

(Editor's Note: This information was phoned in by Mrs. John Kirby, of 4545 Cadison St., Torrance. Thank you.)

### 3rd Cooking School Held

The third in the series of cooking schools sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department, in cooperation with the Southern California Gas co., was held at the Civic Auditorium recently. Home economist, Margie Ewen, demonstrated a variety of menus for summer cookery.

# announcing

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