



WINNER FETED . . . Lina Pisel (right), owner of Her Majesties Hair Styling at 1104 Crenshaw Blvd., congratulates Mrs. Lanne LeVier, winner in a contest conducted by the shop, while Doreen Bracamonte completes a fashionable styling for her. Mrs. LeVier was named winner of the "Queen for a Month" contest being conducted by Her Majesties Hair Styling.

CALLS ON INCREASE

Tips Listed to Halt Obscene Phone Calls

Harassing telephone calls are becoming a problem to many customers of telephone companies throughout the United States. The number of calls by customers to the local General Telephone Co. business office who complain about callers using lewd and obscene language is increasing, according to Harold Elms, local division manager.

"This problem has by no means reached epidemic proportions, but it is increasing with an uncomfortable rate and we want to stop these calls whenever possible," Elms said.

"It is an unfortunate fact that a major percentage of the housewives in America will, at one time or another, receive a harassing call.

THE FIRST occurrence of this call probably can't be averted, but the second call, if there is to be one, can be avoided in most cases.

Through various studies we know that most harassing callers will not call a second time if a few simple procedures are followed the first time they make contact,"

Nelms said. These include:

- Hang up if a caller refuses to identify himself. Hang up with the first use of obscene language, or suggestive comment. Simply refuse to talk to or listen to anyone who uses that kind of language. The caller wants an audience; don't give him one.

- Never divulge any information about yourself or your family to anyone you don't know. Don't give your address, telephone number, or your name to anyone you can't identify as someone you can trust.

- Never tell anyone whether you are alone or whether your children are home or not. It's better to be overly cautious than to encourage another unwanted call.

- If more than one call is received, make a notation of the time and a description of the caller's pattern of talk and a description of the voice.

This will aid the police and the telephone company for any subsequent identification. IT IS recommended that you call your telephone company business office and

your local law enforcement agency.

"By using the above technique, not only will the harassing callers be discouraged from calling you again, but they will probably be discouraged from calling anyone else. If every woman would hang up when a caller refuses to identify himself, or at the sound of the first lewd remark, most harassing callers would give up," Nelms said.

Nelms concluded by reminding those that do make harassing or threatening calls that such actions are punishable under the laws of the state of California, and that federal statutes for such calls are also being enacted. The telephone company has pledged itself to assist the police department in assisting with investigations concerned with the misuse of the telephone.

Rabies Shots To Be Given At Clinics

Area dog owners will have three opportunities to have their pets vaccinated against rabies on a cost basis during July.

Rabies clinics will be held in Rolling Hills Tuesday, July 9, at Dapplegray School, 3011 Palos Verdes Drive North; in Gardena Thursday, July 25, at the Alpha Beta Market, 616 E. 190th St.; and in Wilmington on July 25 at Try-It Stores, 23033 Avalon Blvd.

Clinics will be open from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$1.50 per dog.

Servicemen released after Aug. 31, 1955, are eligible for current G.I. benefits.

Two Druggists Win Recorders In Sweepstakes

Portable tape recorders have been awarded to two area winners of the Foster Grant and McCall's Magazine Giveaway, a sweepstakes held exclusively for Los Angeles County druggists.

Chose by random drawing were Don Brammer, D and B Pharmacy, Torrance, and B. Irwin Sallus, Kovacs Frey Pharmacy, Redondo Beach.

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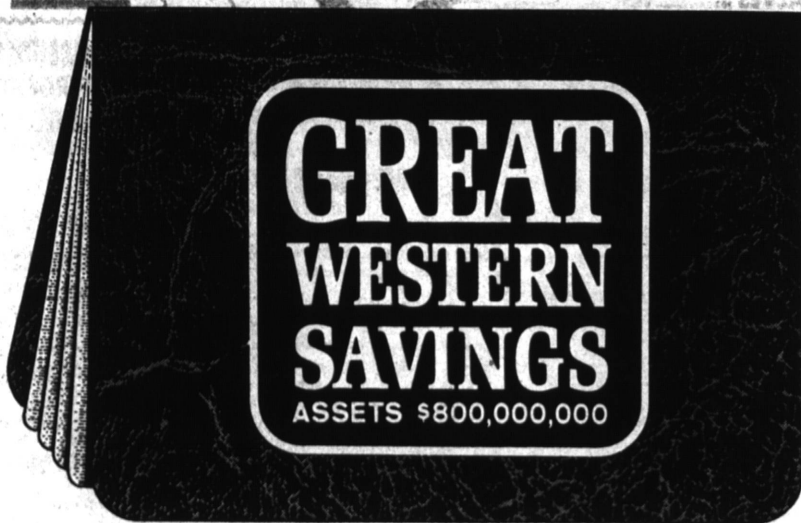
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