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I'm for keeping Torrance money at home, alright, for I know that dollars won't be spent in Torrance again very soon once they're spent elsewhere.

Yes, of course it's easy to THINK to tank up BEFORE I leave town—all I needed was to have my attention called to it.

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4 Torrance Boys Back From Camp; Enjoy Army Life

Four Torrance high school boys, Floyd Chandler, Homer Morgan, Turner McLean and Theodore Rathburn, have returned from the summer citizens' military training camp of the Ninth Corps Area, held from July 21 to Aug. 19 near Del Monte. The boys report having had a very interesting time, and express themselves as wishing to return to the camp again next year. The camp being primarily for military training, first attention was paid to that feature. During the first week those attending were drilled in the mornings; later, drill was extended to about five hours daily, and during the camp a sham battle was held. Physical training, in the form of the army's famous setting up exercises, occupied an hour each day, and sports, such as baseball, boxing, swimming and volleyball, occupied over an hour. The students were kept busy from "first call" at 5:30 each morning until "taps" at 9:30 each night. Plenty of good food was served, the tents and grounds were clean and sanitary to the last detail. A complete physical examination was given each student at entrance, and again at the middle of the camp, and on discharge a brief examination was given to enable the effects of the training to be observed. Each evening entertainment was furnished free to the students—movies, band concerts, and other features. Each Saturday afternoon and Sunday, and each evening after "retreat," the students were allowed to leave camp, but were permitted to go only in what was termed the "training area," embracing, roughly, Pacific Grove, Carmel, Monterey, and Del Monte, and were required to be in camp every night by 10. Thirteen hundred students were in the Del Monte camp. This camp was the only one in the country at which overcoats were issued to the attending students, they being required to wear some evenings. The war department is doing its utmost to make these camps appeal to the high class of young men whom it wishes to obtain as students, and it is evident from the reports of these Torrance participants that the camps are worth while.

TORRANCE NOTES

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Zeller and family spent two days this week in Oxnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paige are taking a vacation. Mr. Paige recently sold his grocery business to Dan Westergard. He has been in business in Torrance for eight years. After his vacation Mr. Paige expects to devote his attention to Orange Blossom Knitting Mills, of which company he is a director, and large stockholder.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fahn of Los Angeles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Inman of Arlington avenue.

Mrs. J. V. Murray and son Lewis are guests of Los Angeles friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wertz are moving from Torrance Park to Cabrillo avenue.

Miss Hazel Lindolf of Hollywood was a luncheon guest Saturday of Mrs. R. R. Howe of Anapola avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Baxter are enjoying a week's vacation at Huntington Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bodle of Los Angeles were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Malono of Engracia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bale of Los Angeles were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bale of Carson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gourdier of Gramercy avenue were weekend visitors at San Diego and Tia Juana.

Mrs. A. G. Wilson left Saturday for Louisville, Colo., where she will make her home.

Mrs. Norman A. Leake and son Raymond left Tuesday for a two-months visit with relatives in Salt Lake City. Mrs. M. F. Peer is in charge of the Leake home during Mrs. Leake's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hyde and family and Mrs. Luther Hyde were entertained Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Clough of Sierra Madre and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hyde of Highland Park.

Mrs. E. McKela has returned to her home in Santa Barbara, after a week's visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. W. Huddleston.

Mrs. Nelson Reynolds and daughter Mary Frances have returned to their home on Gramercy avenue, after a month's visit at the summer home of Mrs. Reynolds' parents, of Estes Park, Colo.

Miss Maxine Roberts will make her home in Los Angeles with her grandmother, while attending the Los Angeles High School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Higgins will spend the weekend and holiday at Ensenada, Mexico.

Charles Inman has purchased the Anash Clark residence on Arlington avenue.

Pat Pierson of Portland, Ore., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bale of Carson street.

AFFAIRS of the HEART

By Mrs. Thompson

An amused male brings in an unfavorable report on the girl of today, in the following letter, inspired by the letter from "Discouraged Lou," published in this column. He says: Dear Mrs. Thompson: Please permit me to butt into your column, which I read regularly, and express my complete sympathy and understanding toward "Discouraged Lou" in her doleful plight. Her aversion for the "petting lizard" is natural for a decent girl, and it is a pity more girls do not feel the same way. Such petty "sheiks" could be exterminated if more of the right kind of girls would ridicule instead of encouraging them—vanity being the male's sorest point! Vice versa, who is it that we have still so many dance crazy, boy crazy, pleasure loving Dumb Doras in our midst? They throng our cities with their ridiculous dresses and cosmetics, and their asinine cackle. Ye Gods! it seems almost an insult to American intelligence. In the near future I feel confident that divorces will be obtained on the meal ticket plan—bought by the dozen and each one scored off as used. Such at least is the tendency of a large percentage of young folks today. The story of "Discouraged Lou" came as a puff of cool wind in the desert of hot air, and compelled me to write an appreciation and voice an opinion or two, whether they be applause. L. H.

JUNIOR: Convention makes it much more difficult for girls to "break the ice" than young men. The only "nice, lady-like way" of meeting him is to get a mutual acquaintance to introduce you. Perhaps you know some matron who could arrange a meeting.

LONELY IN THE CITY Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am writing to you to ask your help. I live in a small town about 20 miles from here, but board and work in the city. I get very lonesome at times. I don't know many people. Most of the boys I get acquainted with ask me for dates for a few times, then they don't seem to care to come to see me any more. I try my best to entertain them, but I am very bashful, and find it hard to talk all the time when I am out with them. There is a boy who lives in the same town that I am from who I think a lot of. He always wants to go with me when I am home. I go home almost every week. But he never comes to the city to see me. Don't you think he could bring me back to the city, since he has a machine? They "kid" me about it at home. Please tell me if it is all right to go with him. BLUE EYES C.

YOUNG LOVER: My husband does not seem to care for her. He was married once before and has two boys by his first wife, who is dead. This is why I am writing you. I am keeping the youngest of the boys, who is six years old. I am trying to do all I can for his boy, but he does not seem to care. The boy does not mind me and if I tell his father he tells him I am always picking on his boy. They come and fight with me and I am almost a nervous wreck. My husband threatened to leave me last week because he said his boy did not have a home with me, and just because I corrected him. I am only trying to do for the boy what I think his mother would do. My husband curses me and calls me all kinds of names because his people are always telling him lies about me. My husband works nights and I do not go out except when he takes me, which is not often. We have a machine but he will not let me learn to drive it. I think he is trying to get me to leave. We were happy before the boy came. I do not blame the boy, however. MRS. J. J.

Naturally your husband would feel resentful toward you if he thought you were abusing his son. Try letting the boy have his way, and endeavor at the same time to win his confidence. Do not do this by bribing him, but by making him feel that you really like him and that in correcting him you are not abusing him. It may be that you use the wrong tone with the child. But, in any event, you should make it clear to your husband that responsibility towards you and your baby is as heavy, or heavier, as it is toward his first wife's children. Nothing is ever gained by fighting "in-laws." It's hard sometimes to take their intended insults and criticisms, but silence and a tolerant smile or two are always more effective than hot words.

The wife who wrote to this column the other day, bemoaning the fact that she had a husband who couldn't put anything away, but left everything for his wife to do, has lots of company, my mail indicates. I have received a number of letters on the subject, but none of them have anything concrete to offer in the way of a "cure," except, perhaps, Mrs. L. V. She says she finally left everything just where he left it or threw it, and things stayed there for a week. Then friend husband began putting away, and she has had no further trouble.

BIG BROWN EYES: It would hardly be proper for you to invite him, since you do not know him, but if he is acquainted with other girls you intend to invite, you might ask his brother to bring him.

BROKEN-HEARTED SISTER: Go to a respectable physician for an examination. If his report is unfavorable, you must tell your mother just what you have told me. And remember that you are not blameless in the matter.

CAN'T SUBDUDE AFFECTIONS Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young girl in my teens. For over a year I have been deeply in love with a boy about my own age. This love has made me very unhappy and sometimes even jealous. I do not see this boy very often and he has never done or said anything to convince me that he loves me. I have tried hard to subdue

wives, usually through children. Such is the case of the woman who writes: Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a married woman 20 years old. I have a baby 14 months old. She is a dear little girl with blue eyes and light hair and is very pretty. My husband does not seem to care for her. He was married once before and has two boys by his first wife, who is dead. This is why I am writing you. I am keeping the youngest of the boys, who is six years old. I am trying to do all I can for his boy, but he does not seem to care. The boy does not mind me and if I tell his father he tells him I am always picking on his boy. They come and fight with me and I am almost a nervous wreck. My husband threatened to leave me last week because he said his boy did not have a home with me, and just because I corrected him. I am only trying to do for the boy what I think his mother would do. My husband curses me and calls me all kinds of names because his people are always telling him lies about me. My husband works nights and I do not go out except when he takes me, which is not often. We have a machine but he will not let me learn to drive it. I think he is trying to get me to leave. We were happy before the boy came. I do not blame the boy, however. MRS. J. J.

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my affections for him but I am just as much in love as I was a year ago. He is the only boy I have ever loved. I am too young to be bothered with such things, and I want to continue my education. How can I overcome my love for him? I have been more unhappy about it every day, until now it is very serious. It is the thing uppermost in my mind. I don't want to love him. I would like to think of him only as a friend. Please advise me. AN UNHAPPY YOUNG LOVER.

You are surrendering to your thoughts too easily. Resolve that you aren't going to think about the young man, and then DON'T. Read serious books that will cause you to think of subjects unrelated to love, and cultivate other acquaintances. In time this infatuation will wear off, and then you will laugh at your present inability to think of anything else.

I says to Hudd

Was it Omar the Tent Maker or W. J. Bryan who said

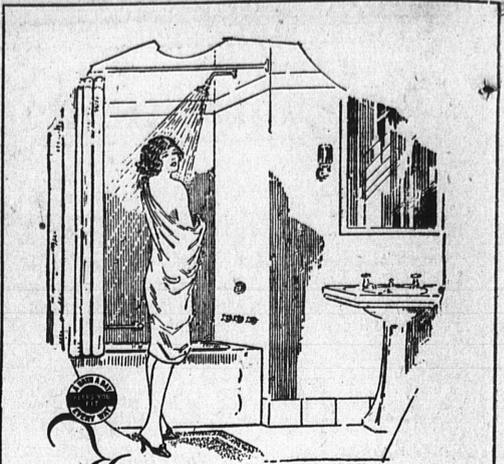
I had six honest serving men, They taught me all I knew; Their names were What and How and When and Why and Where and Who.

We certainly work those fellows at our place. We're always nosing around to see what's put into furniture and how its made and one thing and another.

And we always like to have folks come in and say what and how and why, because we try to keep the kind of furniture that will bear investigating.

And when there are questions we can't answer, we go and find out about it and then we have all learned something.

Kitty P. S. You will find Hudd and me at Huddleston's.



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Union Pacific advertisement for 'Chicago 86' excursions. Includes text: 'only a limited time left', 'last sale date Sept 15', 'for Summer excursions', 'On sale every day to September 15th. Only a few days left. Make Reservations Now.', 'RETURN LIMIT OCTOBER 31st', 'Visit Salt Lake City Enroute Through Pullman sleeping cars daily to Chicago, Omaha, St. Louis, Kansas City, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Denver, Butte and Salt Lake City.', 'J. V. CARROLL, D. F. & P. A. 101 West 7th St., San Pedro Tel 1073'.