

Dean Sears At Parley

Dean L. Sears, manager of Bank of America at Torrance, leaves Friday for a three-day conference with 600 other key executives of the bank at Asilomar, on the Monterey Peninsula. At the opening session on Saturday, Bank of America President L. M. Giannini will deliver a keynote address, followed by a free discussion forum. Remainder of the conference period will then be given over to departmental sessions devoted to the betterment of banking services throughout California.

"It's all in line with our institution's habit of leadership," Manager Sears said today. "We want to be prepared to go along with California's future."

The local banker expects to be back at his desk next Tuesday.

WELFARE COUNCIL TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Plans for the dinner meeting celebrating the fourth anniversary of First District Welfare Council next Tuesday are being completed with a large attendance indicated of community leaders from Torrance, Lomita, Gardena and Palos Verdes, it is announced by Dr. Don C. Moshos, council chairman.

The meeting will take place at 6:45 p.m. in First Methodist church, 1620 Manuel avenue, and dinner will be served under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Palmer and the ladies of the church. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested citizens to attend and learn further details of how community health, welfare, youth and veterans are handled at the District Welfare Center, 1339 Post avenue, headquarters for representatives of Community Chest for this district. Nominations for officers for next year will be conducted.

Tickets for the dinner are \$1.25 and can be obtained from the Welfare Center, Torrance 1336, or from Mrs. Edna Smith, Lomita, or A. L. Platly of Gardena.

Article By Milstein Used

"Expansion of the Instrumental Music Program in Our Schools" is the title of an article being published in the May issue of The Journal of Secondary Education, official publication of the California State Department of Education, Berkeley.

The article was written by Abe Milstein, director of music of the Torrance schools, and he has received advance information of its publication and commendation from the State Department of Education for its contents.

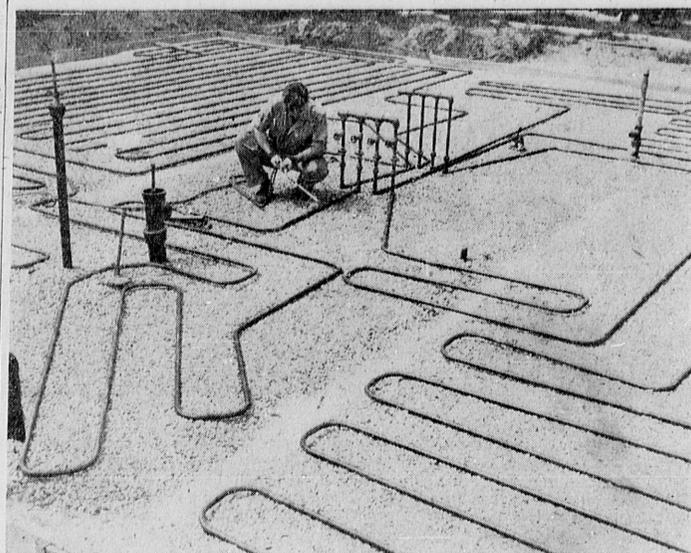
JEWISH GROUP OF SOUTH BAY TO HOLD BENEFIT

Seeking a 1948 goal of \$30,000, the South Bay Division of the United Jewish Welfare Fund will have its first campaign affair Thursday, April 15, with an advance gifts dinner.

Chairman I. H. Granecl announced that the dinner will be held at the Mermaid Cafe, 11 Pier avenue, Hermosa Beach, at 6:30 p.m.

AIR-TO-GROUND

In 1915 the Signal Corps of the United States Army accomplished the first successful radio message from an airplane to the ground.



EVEN HEATING . . . Is the boast of this newer type of home unit known as radiant heating being installed in the new two-story home of John Melville at 1512 El Prado. Dick Allison is the welder. (Staff photo).

VERMONT DRIVE-IN THEATRE

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<p>April 15-16-17 "The Virginian" Joel McCrea, Brian Donlevy</p> <p>"Two Guys From Milwaukee" Jack Carson, Dennis Morgan OWL SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT</p>	<p>April 18-19-20 "The Swordsman" Larry Parks, Ellen Drew</p> <p>Roy Rogers "Springtime In The Sierras"</p>
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When Will I Be Born?

No one will tell me my future name, so I won't tell when I'm going to be born. My dad, Marvin Howard, manager of the Ideal Ranch Market — and Mom — expect me sometime between April 19th and April 30th. Dad expects some fun for himself and you about when I'll be born. He is going to give away \$10.00 in groceries and produce to the person guessing closest to my arrival time. You don't have to buy anything . . . just write down your guess and drop it in a box at the store. P.S. I wonder if I'll look anything like the picture.

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Foreign Trade Zone For L.A. Harbor Asked

The City of Los Angeles has acted to set up a foreign trade zone for the Los Angeles Harbor, Mayor Fletcher Bowron announced.

When approval is received, Los Angeles will have moved a step forward in the development of its man-made harbor as one of the world's greatest ports.

Formal action was taken at the regular meeting of the Board of Harbor Commissioners to request authorization for the new facility from the Foreign Trade Zones board of the Department of Commerce in Washington, according to Clifton S. Sampson, president of the Board.

Purpose of the foreign trade zone, the mayor said, is to attract commerce and increase the importance of the harbor in world trade. Goods may come into the foreign trade zone duty free from processing and re-shipment. While in the zone, goods are free from pure food and drug, internal revenue and other governmental controls. If reshipped into the United States, duties must be paid and government standards met.

Mayor Bowron stated that Warehouse No. 1, which stands at the entrance of the San Pedro outer harbor, is suitably located to handle all types of imported goods which the zone will attract. It has excellent rail and truck facilities.

HOT WATER SYSTEM USED IN HEATING HOME

Clean, even-temperature, trouble-free heating is the three outstanding features of a new type of low pressure hot water system heating plant now being installed in the home of John Melville now under construction at 1512 El Prado.

The system is one of the first to be installed in a private home in Torrance according to John Patrick, building inspector.

The installation of the heating plant consists of three-quarter inch iron pipe, set in concrete for the lower floor and three-eighths inch copper tubing between the floor joists in the second story, through which hot water flows under 15 pounds per square inch from a separate and special hot water heater.

Installing the system for Melville is the Horace F. Allison Co. who claim that the normal house can be heated for one-third less than under heated-air type furnaces. Allison claimed that in a recent test in a church in which this system had been installed temperature readings taken at one foot from the floor and near the rafters showed only a one-degree variation. The heating engineers said that no moving air masses are in action with this system to carry dirt and grease onto walls and ceilings and that the cost of maintenance of interior walls is very low under this system.

The piping in Melville home will be tested at 75 pounds pressure before the concrete under the first floor is poured around the welded-joint piping. The installation is being supervised by Santa Fe Trail.

In 1831 Army Engineers finished the Cumberland Road, the only road originally built by the government. Stretching from Washington D. C. to Los Angeles it became the historic Santa Fe Trail.

'Nutrition' Is Subject

Nutrition will be the subject of discussion in the class for expectant mothers held in the Torrance Health Center, 2309 Carson street, Torrance, Thursday April 22 at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Mary Ulmer, public health nurse-instructor announced.

The technicolor film "Fun in Foods" and the Walt Disney technicolor film "Something You Didn't Eat" will be shown in conjunction with the lesson, Mrs. Ulmer said.

While this is the fourth in this series of classes, any prospective mother may register in the class as review sessions are held from time to time. The course runs for eight more weeks. There is no fee.

MUSIC FOR VETS

The Armed Forces Radio Services provides 4 Army, 6 Navy, and 84 Veteran Hospitals in the United States with at least 20 hours of transcribed radio programs each week.

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Classified Ads Close 6 p. m. Tues.