

CAR RADIATOR STOLEN
Dallas, Tex.—Unable to understand why his new car began to heat up, Bobby Storry pulled into a filling station and asked the attendant to see what was wrong. The man raised the hood to find that someone had stolen the radiator during the night and had re-locked the hood.

ICE WEIGHT
Dry ice weighs considerably less than natural ice.

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AT PENDLETON... Pfc. Thomas P. Cassidy, of 1518 Marcelina Ave., is undergoing four weeks of individual combat training at the Marine Corps base at Camp Pendleton. Cassidy had completed 10 weeks of intensive training at the San Diego Marine Corps Recruit Depot prior to his assignment.

KILLS OWL WITH SHOE... Mrs. Norman McMeekin discovered that a large timber owl had just killed thirty of her chickens. When the owl lunged at her, Mrs. McMeekin calmly removed one of her shoes and used it to kill the bird. The owl had a three-foot wing spread.

Harvey Group Solves Thorny Steel Problem

A problem that has caused industrialists to throw up their hands in despair for years was solved recently by Harvey Machine Co. of Torrance.

The problem involved the hot extrusion of alloy steel shapes, which was believed impossible until Harvey stepped into the picture. "The Harvey people found a way to do it."

Extrusion is a process of forcing metal into certain shapes through holes or dies, much as you would force toothpaste from a tube. Trouble in the past was that molten steel destroyed the dies.

Savings, both in labor and materials, are tremendous over such methods as machining and the use of hot roll steel.

Harvey says, for example, that a steel random attachment bracket made for Lockheed Aircraft Corp.'s Super Constellation costs \$8.90 each, compared with \$29.40 for the same part made by machining.

A flap track component made for Northrop Aircraft Co.'s F-89 Scorpion costs less than a third in materials alone than does machined bar stock.

The idea is best adapted to custom work, according to Harvey, since volume production might conceivably make other methods cheaper. A manufacturer could afford to order as little as 50 feet of

a special steel alloy shaped by the hot extrusion process because the die cost would only be \$200 to \$500, the company said. Cost of rolls for such a job would be upward of \$30,000.

Since molten steel flows freely under pressure, Harvey's presses squeeze out duplications of intricate die shapes up to 30 feet long in a matter of seconds.

Furthermore, there is no waste material, such as the chips left over from machining rod 7 bar. One firm estimates the process will save up to 90 per cent in time and material.

Harvey claims machining in some cases leaves two pounds of chips for every pound of finished product.

Specially designed extrusion dies and specially developed lubricants are the keys to the process, of course, but Harvey says these are closely guarded secrets.

LAW IN ACTION

WOMEN AND WILLS
Only recently could a married woman draw a will and dispose of property as she likes.

As we have changed our ideas about women, we have also changed them about her right to will property.

In California, we have an unusual type of law called "community" property. There are only a few states with this type of property.

Under the community property system, all property earned during a marriage by either man or wife belongs to them both. Gifts and inheritances, of course, are the "separate" property of the man or wife, as is the property each had before marriage.

A wife owns half of the community property, no matter what her husband writes into his will. If he does not write a will, she inherits all of the community property.

What happens to a man's separate property if he dies without leaving a will? We say, such a man dies "intestate."

California law says that when a man dies without a will, his family, in a given order of "suc-

cession"—widow, children, parents, and other relatives—shall inherit specified parts of his estate. For example, if he has a wife and child each would get half of his separate property.

But like all such laws, this "statute of succession" may not meet the needs of your family.



Suppose a man's child is handicapped and needs special care. Another child, whom the father loves just as much, may be more lucky and not need so much help.

Most men should take advantage of our law and make a will to dispose of property in a way best calculated to serve their family's needs. Many men, even when their wishes square with the provisions of the statute of succession, write a will to leave things in good order and to guard against disputes over their property.

NOTE: The State Bar of California offers this column for your information so that you may know more about how to act under our laws.

ACCIDENT TOLL
Auto accidents killed four persons an hour during 1952.

STEEL OUTPUT
Turkey will produce 165,000 tons of steel in 1953.

Postmaster Announces Special Hours, Stations for Christmas

For the convenience of patrons of the Torrance Post Office, Postmaster Clara A. Conner has announced special hours and the opening of special Christmas Stations to handle the influx of Christmas mail during the next few weeks. Dates and hours which the stations will be open are given:

Main Post Office, 1433 Marcelina Ave. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
December 10 to 23rd (Except Sundays) 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Sundays: December 13 and 20 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

REGULAR STATIONS
Station "A" 2343 S. Western Ave. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Carson Station, 2173 S. Avalon 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
El Camino College, Crenshaw and Redondo Beach Bldgs. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

CHRISTMAS STATIONS
1600 Border Ave. Dec. 10 to 24—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Manor Market, 17316 Crenshaw Blvd. Dec. 10 to 23—10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
C. Yeaman's 2518 Torrance Blvd. Dec. 10 to 23—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Seaside Rancho Market, 23254 Roberts Rd. Dec. 14 to 19—1 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Walteria Post Office, Newton at Hawthorne—8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Art Instructor Gives 499 Books Bequeathed Her to ECC Library

El Camino College's new library will be enriched by nearly 500 volumes donated by Art Instructor Mildred K. Walker, according to an announcement made yesterday by Dr. William H. Harless, director of instruction.

The books, including several valuable sets, were bequeathed to the college instructor by Dr. Kathryn M. Whitten, who was killed in a traffic fatality near

Elsinore two years ago. Miss Walker made her home with Dr. Whitten on coming to California to finish work on her master's degree at the University of Southern California in 1946. Before making their home together in Hollywood, Miss Walker and Dr. Whitten were neighbors in Indiana.

In addition to the library, when she left the El Camino instructor, Dr. Whitten bequeathed some \$200,000 to be administered in the form of scholarships.

Inasmuch as the will has just been closed, no specific provisions for the distribution of these funds has been made as yet, Miss Walker said.

Interested in education, Dr. Whitten visited the El Camino campus frequently. She was widely traveled, having made 12 trips to Europe in addition to trips to Africa, South America, and Mexico. Dr. Whitten was the author of one book, "Horses of the Sun," an autobiographical sketch, and had nearly completed a second manuscript at the time of her death.

On receipt of the Whitten library, Miss Walker offered the college its choice of the selection of some 1500 books. Those which could be put to use in the campus library were selected under the direction of Miss Helen Rodgers, head librarian, and are now in the process of cataloguing.

Included among the 499 titles is a leather-bound set of the complete works of Washington Irving. The set, copyrighted in 1850, consists of 15 volumes. Complete works included in the gift are those of Edgar Allan Poe, Robert Louis Stevenson, and Victor Hugo. The latter set had never been unpacked, Miss Rodgers stated.

Additional valuable books are a first edition of William Sterns Davis' "Life on a Medieval Barony," a complete 8-volume set of "Beacon Lights of History," now out of print; a rare set of Manu's "The Institutes of Law," an American printing of an old English edition of Sir Walter Scott's "Waverley Novels," including valuable wood cuts; and a specially printed limited edition of "Selected Writings of Albert Einstein," put out by the author's son in memory of his father, Hubbard was among those to go down on the "Lusitania."

Miss Rodgers indicated that many more books of unusual value may be discovered by the library staff during the process of cataloguing.

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Signed Oath
Chasson, Esterman said, signed the Levering Oath. "Chasson is sworn to support and defend the constitution of California," Esterman added, "and he will not repudiate that oath nor will he join the State Department of Education or anyone else in the violation of his solemn oath."

"If the State Department of Education has evidence that Chasson or any other teacher has signed the Levering Oath in violation of his solemn oath, the evidence to the District Attorney and prosecute," Esterman continued, "if they don't, they should leave the teachers alone."

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