

### Charley's Corner

Oh, Happy Day! Some time ago, a pretty young lady was sitting here at Daniels when suddenly she dropped her wedding band. It rolled down the counter and bounced on the floor behind her. We looked for the ring under the floor mats, under the counter, everywhere we could think of, but no ring. Several weeks later the plumber was here and sure enough, what do you suppose he found in the floor drain? That's right, the long lost ring. If this young woman will come in (I don't know her name) and describe the ring to one of the girls or to me, we will give it to her. It's now resting in the cash register at Charley's.

Maybe you haven't lost anything here at Daniels but you certainly will find lots of good things to eat here. Just think of the fun you will have in enjoying a fine meal with no fuss or muss - and no dishes to wash either!

I read a story yesterday about a man who was sentenced to jail for five years for burglary of a jewelry store. Eventually another burglar was apprehended and admitted that he had committed the crime. Now the authorities are taking steps to release the innocent victim.

Now here's something that happened here in Torrance a few months ago. A fellow stole \$5,000 worth of pipe and was selling it to another man for \$200.00 when he was caught with the goods. Eventually he went to trial and pleaded not guilty. The jury, after five or six deliberations, decided he was innocent. The arresting officer who attended the trial was somewhat surprised. If not baffled, by the verdict. He decided to do a little private investigation and call on some of the jurors at their homes. He knocked on the door of a certain person's home and explained that he was the arresting officer and would like to find out just why the jury thought this man innocent, as he thought he had had a pretty good case against the fellow. The lady answered in this manner: "Why, we all thought he was guilty, officer, but we didn't want to send him to jail because:

1. He had a wife and 6 kids and the state would certainly have to support them if they sent the man to jail.
2. The pipe had been returned to the lawful owner.
3. The fellow had promised to repay the buyer of the stolen goods.
4. One of the ladies had to get home by 6 o'clock to get dinner ready!" Dum-Dum-Dum!

If you find yourself being rushed in order to have dinner ready on time, don't bother bringing the family and eat with Charley. Do it tonight.

### OUR GUESTS THIS WEEK

- THURSDAY, JANUARY 14—  
Dr. and Mrs. C. R. House  
1425 Marcelina
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 15—  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Ebbinghouse  
401 Arlington Ave.
- SATURDAY, JANUARY 16—  
Jim and Rose M. Lynch  
1808 Santa Fe
- SUNDAY, JANUARY 17—  
Perley Homlin & Guest  
Mayfair Apts.
- MONDAY, JANUARY 18—  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pomer  
1728 Fern Ave.
- TUESDAY, JANUARY 19—  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Melvaine  
P.O. Box 177, Torrance
- WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20—  
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin King  
803 Beach St.

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EAT WITH CHARLEY  
TONIGHT AT  
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WE SERVE SMOOTH  
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## Hi-Lites of Seaside Rain Gets Welcome From Seaside Folk

Hello, dear readers. Gee, wasn't it swell to feel the breath of fresh air again after the showers? Truly, I think we needed some rain to clear away the awful dust and the germs that must be in that dust. Happy to know the Leonard boy and also the little Nix girl are up and around again after a short siege of chickenpox. Bed isn't so nice when you have to spend so much time in one, or so states Donna Burk after being shut-in with a light attack of scarlet fever. Alpha Renz is feeling a wee bit better after her long illness of flu and sinus trouble, but husband Frank Renz is down with the flu now. Anyway it is nice to see Alpha out among her lovely flowers which always seem to be blooming in her yard when everyone else has a bare yard. Wait Jr. and Steve Donald Ansley of Macafee Road are out-of-doors again after about three months of different illnesses, attacking one upon the other. Sorry to hear that Pat Patterson also of Macafee is down with a big case of mumps. Get well wishes to the Jewish children of Bindewald Road who are undergoing a case of chickenpox.

Seen driving around in a new Ford is Dorothy Johnson of Doris Way. Rubby brought the car all the way from Great Lakes, Ill., to Dorothy for a Christmas gift. What a lovely Christmas gift; or what a lovely gift anytime of the year for that matter. Also, sporting a new car in this locale is Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grierson of Zakon. Sure a beauty, too.

A surprise double-birthday party held Jan. 9 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland White of Zakon Rd. honored Margaret Gerckens and Ann Gerckens. The

latter being one year old we shall only mention the first as being over twenty. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Gerckens and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Roland White. Marty baked a beautiful cake full of banana and nuts in the shape of a star, to serve with several different flavors of ice cream. Marty reports that all had a wonderful time playing bridge.

Little Jay Patterson of Macafee Rd. celebrated his seventh birthday Jan. 10 at home with

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**BIG KIDDIE SHOW**  
EVERY SAT., 1 P.M.  
DONALD O'CONNOR  
JANET LEIGH  
"Walking My Baby  
Back Home"  
IN TECHNICOLOR  
AND  
EDWARD G. ROBINSON  
"The Glass Web"  
SUN.-MON.-TUE.  
SPENCER TRACY  
JEAN SIMMONS  
"The Actress"  
AND  
AUDIE MURPHY  
LORI NELSON  
"Tumbleweed"  
IN TECHNICOLOR

**TORRANCE**  
FRI.-SAT.-SUN.  
CLIFTON WEBB  
"Mr. Scoutmaster"  
AND  
HELENA CARTER  
"Invaders from  
Mars"  
IN COLOR  
**GARDENA**  
FRI.-SAT.-SUN.  
BIG KIDDIE SHOW  
EVERY SAT., 1 P.M.  
"Lone Star"  
AND  
"Prisoner of Zenda"  
BOTH IN COLOR

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FRI.-SAT.-SUN.  
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**RITA IN 3D!**  
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the family. His cake, decorated with prizes given for the winners of different games played during the party. Along with the cake, the kiddies enjoyed ice cream and punch.  
Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Burk of Zakon Rd. over the week-end was George Hilbert, school teacher and astronomer of Manhattan Beach.  
Don't forget the Mothers March on Polio on Feb. 2 from 7 to 9 p.m. Please leave your porch light on for this particular evening.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. John Zervantian of Reese Rd. is under the weather.  
Lloyd Jones, vice-principal of Seaside Elementary School, informs me that the enrollment at school has jumped from 830 to 918 students since the beginning of school last September. A new teacher who is now well into her third week at Seaside is Juanita Williams, who handles third and fourth grades.  
We see that Mr. and Mrs. Walt Ansley of Macafee Rd. enjoyed a week-end of terrific fun. Where

did they go? Why, to the Big Bear motorcycle races, of course.  
The Boy Scouts of Troop 726 held a Parents-Sons dinner at the El Retiro Park on Thursday night. Their treat came from the fact that the boys did a wonderful job on the Christmas tree sale. The dinner was the boys' idea and they paid for it all by themselves. I've heard so many favorable comments that I know the parents enjoyed themselves.

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