

# Twins . . .

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family did their best to untangle this web of confusion, pointing out that Mrs. Hupp was here to visit

her twin sister. Owens was not the only one who was shocked into caution by this experience for the rest of his natural life. Neighbors who used to shout unconcerned hellos at Mrs. Clark now peer cautiously at

whatever twin they seem to be confused about and utter a hesitant and terribly formal greeting. In the meantime the Hupps and the Clarks are getting a big laugh out of the commotion which they

have caused and even the neighbors are beginning to adjust gradually to the new state of affairs. "There are two people, however, who never mistook us from the very beginning—our husbands," stated Mrs. Clark (or was it Mrs. Hupp?).

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## Handicapped

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"is good business" for the community.

The worker with a physical limitation when properly selected and placed is as good a worker and often better than unimpaired employees, Diamond said. He asserted their disabilities do not count when they are placed in jobs for which they are fitted. Chairman Diamond said handicapped workers are careful, interested in their jobs and less inclined to "job hopping" and absenteeism. Diamond said that he had been informed by Mrs. Winona Ellis, manager of the local Department of Employment Office, that approximately 100 handicapped workers with varied skills and experience are ready for employment.

The Torrance office of the California Department of Employment, affiliated with the United States Employment Service, offers to employers the experience and techniques acquired over the past 20 years in matching the actual requirements of the job with the skills and capacities of the workers, Chairman Diamond said. "We should use the employment service and the other cooperating community agencies in demonstrating the widely accepted principle that it is good business to hire the handicapped," Diamond said.

## KNOW YOUR REALTY BOARD

By GRACE HINSHAW

Putting years of background experience to use in the light of today's competitive situations is the altruistic approach of the Realtor we are meeting this week. William T. Faulkner was born and schooled in Maine, a State owing much to its thrifty people and to its rich heritage of picturesque lands and waters. Waterfalls and swiftly flowing rivers make Maine rich in natural power



WILLIAM T. FAULKNER . . . varied life

and have attracted many factories. Chief among them is the ship building factories at Bath. This may account in part for the fact that Mr. Faulkner went into the shipbuilding business as a career, supervising the building of Merchant Marine and Navy ships, including the Aircraft Carrier USS Lexington.

Mr. Faulkner did not settle into a career of shipbuilding until he had sampled many other jobs, however. Before he finished his schooling at the University of Maine he was a staff reporter for the Lewiston, Main, Journal. Then he took a jaunt to California to see what Imperial Valley might have to offer. His journeys took him on up the coast to Seattle, Washington, working his way, all the while, at varied and sundried jobs. It was at this stage of his life that he decided to go back to Maine and complete his studies.

For several years Mr. Faulkner taught science and mathematics to young hopefuls and was even a high school principal for some 4 years. Later, he superintended the construction of submarines at New Haven, Connecticut, but California had made an impression that was hard to ignore.

During the war, Mr. Faulkner went to Seattle to take charge of developing and building ships. He and his workers sent 59 ships down those waterways during a three-year period!

Following the war, Mr. and Mrs. Faulkner returned to California with the idea of retiring. But after such an active and full life, "retiring" was too akin to "loafing" in Mr. Faulkner's lexicon, so he interested himself in real estate, obtained his Broker's License, and is now actively engaged in managing two very brisk offices of the Alter Realty and Insurance; one at 1963 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita, and the other at 3762 Pacific Coast Highway, Welteria.

Among his affiliations he includes membership in the national college fraternity Theta Chi, the Masons, Eastern Star, and Shriners.

Anyone with such a rich background usually has interesting hobbies and Mr. Faulkner is no exception. He has played semi-professional baseball, football and basketball, as well as refereeing all three of these popular sports. And in between, just to keep the thinking wheels good and sharp, he has interested himself in genealogy to the degree that he has accounted for some 2,600 Faulknors, starting from the first one. But this is now becoming a little complicated!

## Gang . . .

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selves were part of a group of 16 other girls. In trying to see the motive behind the attack, the girls mentioned that members of the gang kept saying that someone called them "chicken" and they were out to "get" whoever that was.

The girls stated that the attacks on isolated members took place either in the girls' gym, the restroom, or through forged release slips brought in to the teacher.

The group of parents expressed horror at what went on and declared the need for an immediate remedy of an otherwise dangerous situation. Some had kept their children out of school following the attacks.

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## Post Office

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master General. The letter dated Sept. 28, 1953, reads as follows: "The Postmaster General has asked me to reply to your letter of Sept. 17, 1953, submitting newspaper clippings in which it is alleged that unsatisfactory conditions exist in the Torrance post office.

"The Postmaster General is endeavoring to raise the standards of the postal service and your complaint against the service at Torrance will be given attention. "Your interest in the postal service is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,  
(signed) N. R. Abrams  
Assistant  
Postmaster General"

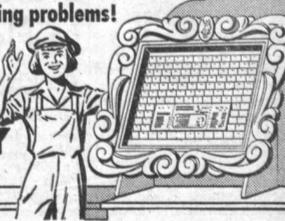
In the mean time complaints about the slow delivery of mail mounted joining or supporting the charges of inefficiency, mismanagement, use of government help for private tasks on the job, handling and lateness of the mail, asserted mishandling of the registry, failure to adjust routes, and other complaints leveled against the local post office.

## Trios Plan For Lodge

Trio Rebekah Lodge No. 240 set a high goal for themselves when they decided to see an Odd Fellows Lodge instituted in Lomita. Harley Brown, District Deputy Grand Master of IOOF, met with the members at their last meeting to discuss means of instituting the new Odd Fellows Lodge. Retta Nelson, Gertrude Kastrop and Ruth Jacobs were appointed as a committee to help the Deputy institute a Lodge.

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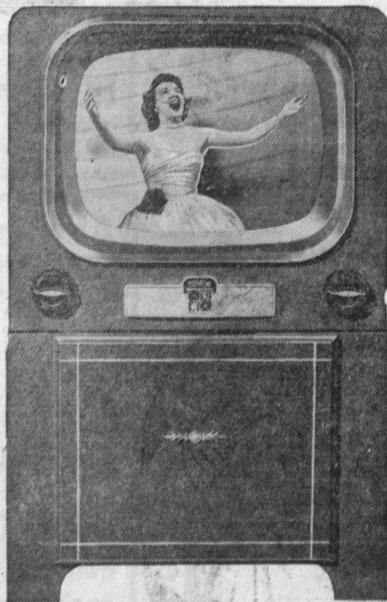
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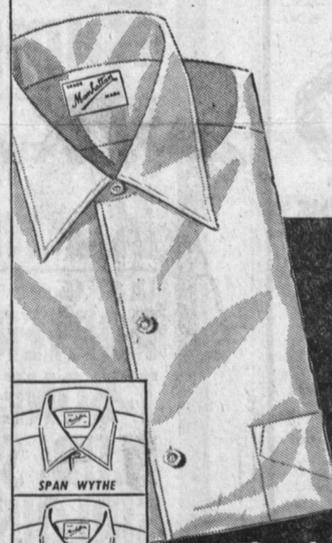
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