

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fether, of 104 Vista Del Mar, announce the birth of a daughter, CSarole Sue, weighing 7 pounds and 2 1/2 ounces.

**Only 17 of Its Kind  
EAGLE SCOUTS**



HIGHEST HONORS were awarded William Butcher, Jr. (left) and Bob Walker, Jr. recently upon receiving their Eagle Scout awards. Both boys are from Waleria Troop No. 240. Butcher lives at 2444 S. Winlock dr. Walker lives at 2920 Winlock rd.

**STRANGER IN PARADISE**

**HUBBY AND WIFE REUNITED  
AFTER YEAR'S SEPARATION**



NO PLACE LIKE HOME... Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Allen of 1522 Beech were reunited again this week after a year's separation. Because of a legal technicality, Mrs. Allen could not return to the United States from Canada except through the timely intervention of a special act of Congress. Also enjoying the homecoming is their Siamese cat, Ming Foy.

**LAST-MINUTE BILL  
PASSED BY CONGRESS**

"Being back in Torrance with my husband is like being back in Paradise. And when I see how everything has changed and how Torrance has grown, I feel like a stranger in Paradise."

These are the happy and grateful words of Mrs. Thomas R. Allen of 1522 Beech avenue after a special act of Congress reunited her and her husband last Thursday after a year's separation.

**3000 Miles Apart**  
The Allens had been separated by 3000 miles for the last year by a legal technicality. The Canadian-born Mrs. Allen originally entered the United States on a visitor's visa in 1938, moved to Torrance in 1943, married in 1946, and last year returned to Canada in order to make proper entry into this country. She was barred from re-entry by a legal technicality.

"If it hadn't been for our Congressman, Cecil R. King, I don't know what we would have done," the Allens said. King was instrumental in getting the machinery rolling for a special Congressional bill to let Mrs. Allen return to the United States. The bill was passed just before Congress adjourned.

**Longest Year Ever**  
"To be home is the most wonderful feeling in the world!" Mrs. Allen said with a depth of emotion. "No one knows how it feels to be home after one has been away under such conditions. This past year has been the longest time in my life."

Allen, a maintenance electrician at National Supply stated wistfully.

and McClellan. The local firm will have 30 employees. Building valuation has been placed at \$75,000.

Real estate broker for the firm was Bob Haggard.

The firm of Sheridan-Gray, Inc., headed by Landon R. Gray as general manager, was incorporated January 1, 1952, for the purpose of designing special machine tools for the aircraft industry. The firm now employs approximately thirty people.

Sheridan-Gray recently completed the design and supervised the fabrication and installation of the largest stretch-forming machine ever built. The capacities of their stretch-forming machines range from 10 tons to 750 tons.

**PIGEON WINNERS  
AT FAIR NAMED**

Listed among winning exhibitors in the pigeon division of Los Angeles County Fair, are Ray Peel of 2234 Main st., for best old antwerp, best archangel, and best old jackdew; and Thomas K. Jackley of 21109 Harvard blvd. for best young archangel, and best old homer.

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**Machine Tool Firm Starts Construction**  
Construction of the new home of Sheridan-Gray, Inc., has started at 24701 Crenshaw Boulevard in Torrance (Northeast corner of Torrance airport). The fit-up type building will cover approximately 10,000 square feet and include an engineering section, general offices, and manufacturing facilities for research and development work. Scheduled completion date of December 29 has been set by the architectural and building firm of Buttress

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