

UNCONSCIOUS AFTER FALL

Suffering cerebral contusion from what appeared like a freak fall off his bicycle which knocked him unconscious for 25 hours is John "Coby" Roberts 7, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Roberts of 27045 Strawberry Lane, Rolling Hills.

Presently in Saint Mary's hospital in Long Beach, the young boy was able to hear but not yet able to speak when he regained consciousness, it was reported.

Coby was discovered after the fall Saturday morning by a neighboring motorist who immediately informed the family after first placing a blanket over the boy.

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Youngsters are now signing up for the local yo-yo contest which gets under way starting Saturday, January 15 at the following playground areas: Evelyn Carr school, 10 a.m.; Torrance park (parking area), 10 a.m.; Walteria park, 2 p.m.; and El Retiro park, 10 a.m.

Playground directors may be contacted now for information on how to do the various yo-yo tricks, according to Les Breitenfeld, contest director.

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Scanty Clues Bring Arrest Of Man, Wife On Bum Check Charge

EDITORIAL

Jaycees — Community-Minded

By JC President FRED HANSEN, Guest Editor

This week Junior Chambers of Commerce all over the nation will celebrate their 35th birthday. Founded by Henry Geissenber in 1920 there are now more than 2,750 local clubs and 200,000 individual members in the nation.

On the local scene the Torrance Junior Chamber of Commerce was chartered in October 1949. From the time Governor Goodwin Knight, then Lt. Governor, installed the officers of this newly formed organization, it has progressed until it is now one of the most active organizations in the city, with 90 members.

Jaycees thrive on community projects. They are constantly on the alert to find new projects they can actively engage in to better the community. In its fourth year, for example, is the Christmas Window Decoration contest. This year over 100 merchants were asked to decorate their windows and participate.

City Clean Up, Get Out the Vote Campaigns, Safety Campaigns, and Civil Defense are only a few of the many projects undertaken by the Jaycees.

This past year, in co-operation with the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, the Community Fair was sponsored. Another successful venture was the Voice of Democracy contest in which our local High School students were asked to participate in a nationwide speaking contest. The Torrance winner, having won over eight other communities, is now competing for top honors in the state.

Mayor Nick Drale has proclaimed January 14-21 as "Junior Chamber of Commerce Week" in Torrance. Tonight at a banquet, the highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Distinguished Service Award Key to Torrance's outstanding young man who has contributed most to his community.

Membership is open to any young man between the ages of 21 and 35 who is interested in improving the community in which he lives, and developing within himself the qualities of personal leadership.

There is a concluding phrase in the Jaycee Creed that members are fond of quoting when asked why they work so hard to improve their community. "We believe, that service to humanity is the best work of life."

COUPLE CAUGHT IN CHINO, 5 CHILDREN

A series of coincidences and the barest clues this week led to the arrest of Johnny Burdine, 30, and his wife, Margaret, 25, on charges of passing \$400 worth of checks with insufficient funds.

The pair was arrested by Chino police at the request of Det. Sgt. Percy Bennett who tracked down the couple from Torrance all the way to their Chino, Calif. home.

Five Children Mrs. Burdine has been released on her own recognizance to take care of the couple's five children. The woman stated that she passed the checks unaware of the fact that there was no money in the bank to cover them.

Burdine, alias Johnny Donaldson, declared that he hoped to have enough money back in the bank to cover the checks before the law caught up with him, Det. Sgt. Bennett stated.

The Burdine's lived at 3933 Spencer st., Torrance and passed most of the checks in the Torrance area. Burdine used the money for expenses involving a girl friend in Inglewood, according to Sgt. Bennett.

Leads Bennett's first lead in the case was a car license number found on one of the checks. The car was traced to a 223rd st. address. There Bennett found out that Burdine had moved to San Pedro.

The landlady at the San Pedro address stated that the Burdines had moved again but were delinquent in their rent and were to appear in the small claims court.

Accident Because of an automobile accident, the Burdines had left word with the small claims court that they could not appear in court on the scheduled day.

A check with the State Highway Patrol led to a Norwalk garage where the car was in repair. The garage provided the Chino address, enabling Bennett to wire Chino police and ask them to arrest the couple.

Sgt. Bennett and Det. Capt. Ernie Ashton left for Chino last Friday and returned with the Burdines.

A preliminary hearing will be held in South Bay Municipal Court today.



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February Date Set For Local Elks' Charter

The BPO Elks of Torrance were recently notified by the Grand Exalted Ruler that a tentative date of February 26 could be set for the institution of the local lodge.

It was also announced that any prospective members would become charter members if they join before the date of the institution. Members may be enrolled at any of the meetings of the lodge, which are held in the Alan Richard Hall, 1951 Carson street, every Wednesday night at 8 p.m.

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