



NEW REALTY AIDE . . . Fred W. Mill (left), prominent Torrance industrial and civic leader for a quarter of a century, is congratulated by President Albert Z. England on his appointment as executive secretary of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors. Mill retired recently as division controller and assistant secretary of the National Supply Division of Arco Steel. (Press-Herald Photo)

Painting Tips Offered Homeowners by Manager

Handy tips to homeowners for Fall painting jobs were given this week by the Mary Carter Paint Store at 1801 Cabrillo Ave. Here are ideas for easier, better painting in the cooler autumn months from Manager Eugene R. Genest:

- Choose the right paint. Today's acrylic base paints are designed especially for do-it-yourselfers who desire a professional finish with ease of application and clean-up, quick drying time and durability. Now available in formulations for exterior gloss as well as flat finishes, the latex paints can be applied over wood, masonry, composition or previously painted surfaces, even if damp.

Interior latex paints for wall surfaces roll on easily, and brushes or rollers can be washed in water. More than 3,000 colors are available. For woodwork and bathroom or kitchen surfaces, many homeowners prefer an alkylid semi-gloss enamel for greater durability and washability, available in matching colors from Mary Carter dealers.

- Prepare the surface properly. New wood requires a primer-sealer for most finish coats. Previously painted surfaces should be cleaned, and scraped and sanded if loose or scaly. Previously painted glass surfaces should always be dulled by sanding or by applying a deglossing agent before new paint is applied.

Painting over darker colors usually calls for a coat of primer. The new acrylic primers are quick to apply and dry in 30 minutes. They save time and money for most jobs.

Series to Probe Far East, U.S.

Two lecture series exploring different concepts of two continents will be offered Southwest residents by the University of California Extension beginning Tuesday and Sept. 29.

"The American Experience," a series of six lectures will examine the central themes in American history which have special relevance today.

The first lecture Tuesday at North High School will be "Our Political Heritage: Majority Rule vs. Minority Rights." Frances M. Carney, associate professor of political science at the University of California at Irvine, will be the speaker.

Five subsequent lectures through Nov. 30 will explore the contemporary significance of religious, political and intellectual themes of the American nation. The six lectures may be combined with six class meetings to obtain two units of course credit.

The varied worlds of the oriental arts will be presented in a second lecture series, "The Arts of the Far East: China and Japan."

Jon Carter Covell will conduct the series which will be held at North High School beginning Sept. 29 at 7.30.

Winn Bros. Circus Due Here Soon

Winn Bros. High Wire Circus will be presented at the El Camino College stadium Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 2 and 3, for four performances. Sponsor of the event is the Fire Fighters Association of Torrance.

Two complete shows, running an average of two hours each, will be presented each day. Matinees are slated both Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m., with evening performances set for 8 Saturday and 6 Sunday.

Top feature of show is a series of high wire and aerial performances by the Winn Family, seven generations of world famous artists, at heights of up to 125 feet. No safety net is used during the high wire acts.

Animals, acrobats, and clowns are included in the family program. Many of the acts have enjoyed engagements throughout Europe and on television in the United States.

Admission tickets are priced at \$1 each and are available from members of the Fire Fighters Association, local merchants, and at the gate.



INTERIOR DESIGN . . . Attractively furnished model homes at Ray Watt's New Horizons community in Torrance may be viewed daily from 10 a.m. until dark. Sales Director Mildred Baily reports. New Horizons, an all-adult community, features one and two-

bedroom homes in a garden setting. A full range of recreational facilities, including a nine-hole golf course and a large town hall, make leisure time an integral part of life in New Horizons, Mrs. Baily says.

Family Aides Training Begins Here Wednesday

Training of family aides for the Southwest area will begin Wednesday afternoon, and continue through Sept. 29 at the Torrance Recreation Center. Class instruction will be tailored by the Red Cross to the needs of elderly, convalescent, or incapacitated persons, as well as to assist younger families in emergency situations.

Applications for enrollment in the course are still being accepted from mature men and women by the Torrance office of the California State Employment Service, 1016 Sartori St.

During training, students will receive instruction in nutrition and food management, learn to improvise equipment for use in the home, and become familiar with emer-

gency procedures to follow in case of accident. One of the six scheduled classes also will include a discussion of the physiological and emotional changes involved in the aging process.

On completion, the graduates will be certified for private employment in the community wherever the need exists for their specialized services. They will be referred to jobs by the Department of Employment, according to Mrs. June Roper, manager of the Torrance office.

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