

A Penny for your Thoughts

By HAL FISHER

Alexander Graham Bell contributed much to society with his invention, but there are probably many people who wish he had kept to teaching the deaf when they are called away from some activity to talk to a man who has a "fabulous free offer." The pitchmen have modernized in some cases by using tape recorded sales talks in their telephone canvassing. I recently asked some people in the area: "What are your feelings about telephone solicitors?"

Helen Horn, Harbor City: "Telephone solicitors were one reason that I obtained an unlisted number. If I want what they are selling I'll call them. If you give them even the slightest encouragement they will call again and again."

Grace De Rusha, Lomita: "My opinion of telephone salesmen is highly unfavorable. They always seem to call at an inopportune time. Usually when you are resting or just sitting down to dinner."

Rae Gray, Torrance: "The trouble with these people is that they won't take a straight 'No' for an answer. They always call at the wrong time and they repeat their calls."

P. K. Tucker, Harbor City: "If a company has to resort to that method to sell their product I don't even bother with them. If they have a product that is worth anything they don't have to use telephone solicitation."

Mary Jackson, Rolling Hills: "I wish they'd stop calling! I've discussed the subject with my friends and they feel the same way. The solicitors just defeat their purpose by annoying people in their homes."

Folk Dance Day Slated On Tuesday

Some 300 youngsters from Torrance, Wilmington, and Gardena will gather with their playground supervisors at Leapwood Elementary School Tuesday at 12:30 p.m. for a day of folk dancing.

In addition to Leapwood School students, youngsters from Del Amo, Bonita, Gulf, Dominguez, Catskill, Norment, Dolores, Lomita, Eshelman, Hawaiian, Harbor City, Wilmington Park, and Fries schools will participate.

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R. C. SEGEMAN
Store Manager

Woolworth Store Gets New Chief

R. C. Segeman has been named to manage the Woolworth Store in Del Amo Center. Segeman assumed his new duties here July 6.

The new store manager, who is 34, will move to Torrance from the East Los Angeles area. He served as manager of the East Los Angeles store prior to his appointment as manager of the Del Amo Center store.

Segeman joined the F. W. Woolworth Co. eight years ago. He managed stores in Washington and Oregon before coming to the Los Angeles area. He succeeds William LeFevre as manager of the Del Amo store. Segeman and his wife are parents of four children.

Obituaries

K. G. Wheaton

Funeral services for Kenneth George Wheaton, 1228 Arlington Ave., will be held tomorrow morning at 11 in the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel. Mr. Wheaton was 61.

Born in Michigan, Mr. Wheaton came to Torrance in 1905 and had lived here throughout his life.

He is survived by his widow, Georgetta; two sons, Gary and Gale, both of Hermosa Beach, and his mother, Mrs. Nellie Wheaton of Torrance. Also surviving are three sisters, Olive Whittenberg and Kay Loftus, both of Torrance, and Jean Wilder of North Hollywood; a brother, Donald of Hermosa Beach, and seven grandchildren.

Interment will be in Green Hills Memorial Park.

John H. Burns

Funeral services for John Henry Burns, 48, of 25334 Bani, Lomita, were held Friday afternoon at Grace Chapel in Inglewood with Halverson-Leavell Mortuary in charge. Burial followed in the Inglewood Park Cemetery.

Mr. Burns was born in Escondido, Calif., and came to this area as a child. He had lived in the area for 46 years. A member of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors, he also belonged to the Realtors Toastmasters Association. He was a past president of the Native Sons of the Golden West.

Surviving Mr. Burns are his widow, Daisy Elizabeth; three sons, Ronald Sickels, Randal Burns, and Jeffrey Burns, and a daughter, Judith. Also surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder of Torrance, and two brothers, Gerald Snyder, a Torrance Police officer, and William T. Burns of Inglewood.

Margaret Shoberg

Services will be held for Margaret Shell Shoberg, 60, Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church in San Gabriel. Interment will follow at Rose Hills Cemetery, Whittier.

Mrs. Shoberg was a resident of Torrance during the 20s and 30s; she was an office nurse for Dr. Norman Leake. Her home was in Arcadia at the time of her death.

She is survived by a son, the Rev. Lawrence A. Shoberg, Roswell, N. M.; a daughter, Norma Gail Smith, Denver; five grandchildren; a brother, Paul Shell of Compton; and sisters, Virgie McGee of Whittier and Edith Petley of Torrance.

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ADELINE DALEY

This Tour Will End All Tours

With the travel sections of today's newspapers filled with alluring advertisements to join group tours of Europe, the South Seas and the Orient, I just might organize a "grand tour" of my own. After all, I have a pretty fair head start, what with seven kids, my husband and myself already "booked."

You might call ours the "misery-loves-company tour," because it would consist of a personally conducted motorcade to the resort we stay at

each summer. "Simpering Pines," oft called the "last resort" but famous for its wide choice of fun-filled activities—at other nearby resorts. Care to join us? First Day—Motorcade gathers in front of our home for a get-acquainted party and also to help us get loaded. In the car, that is. Any extra luggage space you have, incidentally, will be appreciated.

First Stop—Numerous comfort stops have been ar-

ranged by your tour director, the first being at a gas station two blocks from our departing point. Those wishing to return to their homes to pick up some forgotten articles and also to check whether the gas is really off, may do so at this time. Arrival—After a scenic ride on the freeways in which we will bypass all of the quaint villages but will view a breathtaking vista of highway billboards, we will arrive at "Simpering Pines"

sometime in the late afternoon. How late, depends on how many comfort stops are made. We will be greeted by our host, the genial owner of the "Pines," who will ask for a week's rent in advance. Please pay. Second Day—To acquaint you with the resort's facilities, a tour has been arranged of the grounds. This should take about five minutes, thus leaving you with ample time to enjoy some of

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the advantages—pitching horseshoes or playing the pinball machines in the luxurious "Simpering Pines Lodge," which you may have noted also houses the grocery store, post office, feed store, sheriff's office and garage. Third Day—Your guide will call you this morning for a trip by motor to the charming village of Flatsville in which you will browse around in the many shops which vend such items as comic books, candy bars, ice cream and soda pop plus a supply of two-day-old newspapers for any man wanting

to keep up on the major leagues. Fourth Day—Today's itinerary consists of a trip to the closest laundromat, a very popular tour feature. Also a side trip to the supermarket to stock up on groceries. Fifth Day—A tour of other resorts has been planned to partake of their recreational activities, such as a swimming pool. However, secrecy must be observed in gaining admission. Pretend you are a guest at that resort and quietly drift into the background. Sixth Day—Hey, where did everybody go?



New Horizons—where people work at their leisure.

New Horizons-South Bay residents work at having fun—and they enjoy this kind of work every day of the year! Choose one you like, or choose 'em all—golfing, swimming, dancing, ceramics, woodworking, painting, sewing, bridge, billiards, drama, tennis or many other planned activities.

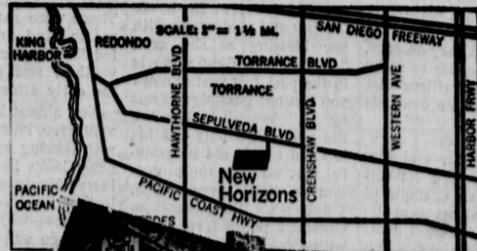
Residents of New Horizons have time to enjoy life in their country club atmosphere because most of the tedious chores usually associated with home ownership are done for them—lawn mowing, watering, weeding, landscaping and exterior painting. Why not see for yourself, TODAY?

To maintain the adult atmosphere of New Horizons, one spouse or single persons must be at least 35, and no children under 18 may become permanent residents.

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DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS: The Complete Adult Recreation and Garden Home Community is located on Sepulveda Boulevard between Crenshaw and Hawthorne Boulevards in Torrance. Sales office open 9 a.m. 'til dark daily. Telephone 325-6161.

