

Coffee Break

By Adeline Daley

I don't want to let the opportunity pass by not to tell you that I am suffering from "tennis elbow," a condition recognized at such posh places as Wimbledon and Forest Hills, if not by the A.M.A.

This is from someone whose comparable medical history is limited to "Washing Machine Whiplash," as a result of thrusting a 32-pound wet shag rug into the dryer too vigorously.

It isn't often that I can sustain such a "prestige ailment," which is equal to breaking a leg skiing or getting sunburned. That is, in the Right Places, both literally and objectively. Because who would want to admit getting sun-burned picking lettuce in Salinas at \$1.25 an hour?

Of course, the spoilsport doctor had to tell me that you can develop "tennis elbow" washing windows and walls too strenuously. But who wants to go around announcing that you have "charicoman's charleyhorse"?

But, you see, that's the lot of us housewives. Stuck with "housemaid's knee" and "detergent hands." Secretaries don't fare much better with the occupational hazard known as "stenographer's spread."

I'm starting a campaign to give run-of-the-mill infirmities a more glamorous "Town and Country" image. Let's see — a runny nose would be "sail-boat sinusitis" and poison oak "fox hunt itch."

And if you come down with a bad cold, why not infer that you caught it at the always-inclement Crosby golf tourney by calling it your cronic "Crosby Cough"?

I guess it's just not "in" to complain of a "bowler's thumb," any more than you'd want to say that your blood-shot eyes were caused by not wearing your green eye-shade the last time you shot pool.

As long as I'm being so helpful, I might as well confess that my "tennis elbow" was brought on by not participating in the sport on a more regular basis. Like 20 years. Although I'll have you know I did NOT show up at the courts last week in knee-length bloomers, middy blouse with my Suzanne Leglen-model tennis racquet.

But from now on I'm limiting my sports activities to a milder form. And be content with such simple afflictions as "Jump Rope Bursitis," which comes from twirling a jump rope for my younger children too long. Oh, by the way, "Hot Peppers, anyone?"

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Authentic Hawaiian Welcome

Torrance National Little League auxiliary promises a truly Hawaiian evening, including the traditional kiss and hanging of the lei, when they stage a benefit Luau Friday evening, June 23 from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. at the Retail Clerks Hall, 25959 Bellport, Harbor City. A preview of "what's to come," Mrs. Clay Gillette, concessions chairman, arrives with husband, who gets the "welcome" from Mmes. Andy Anderson, publicity chairman, and Bill Brown, dance chairman. Door prizes will be awarded. Proceeds will benefit the Little League. (Press-Herald Photo)

Mothers Arrive For Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Bert T. Hall, 3929 288th St., have as their houseguest Mr. Hall's mother, Mrs. Rufus Hall of Bunkle, Louisiana. Expected to arrive next week is Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. S. T. Traina of Jersey City, N.J. The mothers will be here for a month and during this time the foursome plan a trip to San Francisco.

At Lake Isabella

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Parks have returned from a three weeks camping trip at Lake Isabella.

Bridge Party

Mrs. H. J. Backlund entertained her club at a bridge luncheon at her Miraleste home last Friday.

At the conclusion of the afternoon of bridge, high score was held by Mrs. W. E. Grubb with Mrs. Dean Sears, second.

Mrs. Backlund's guests were Mmes. Robert Triplitt, Jack Brooks, Gerald Eastham, W. E. Grubb, Phillip Halloran, Walter Levy, Dean Sears, and W. C. Boswell. Mrs. Eastham will entertain the club at her Palos Verdes home on June 30.

Off To Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noone left by plane Tuesday for Europe for a three weeks vacation. They will land in Frankfurt, Germany and from there plan to visit Switzerland, Italy, France, England and Ireland. Mrs. Noone is a secretary at the Perry School.

Returns Home

Mrs. Clyde Bell, who has spent the past several months here with her daughter, Mrs. Parke Montague, left by plane Sunday for her home at Pasadena, Texas.

Torrance Will Host

Farewell for AFS Students

Torrance will play host to 43 American Field Service students, their families and chapter members on Sunday, June 25, when Bus 12 departs from this area to begin the three week bus tour of the United States. Approximately 400 people will be on hand to bid farewell to the AFS students who have been living in Torrance and the surrounding communities for a full school year.

Mayor Albert Isen will welcome the students and issue Honorary Citizen of Torrance Proclamations to each of the students. South High School's Band will play at the Departure Ceremony, which will take place at the Torrance Recreation Center. Students from this area who will be on Bus 12 are Miss Selda Ustertanali, Turkey; Miss Glenda Hey, New Zealand; and Miss Elizabeth McChery, Scotland. Also Mr. Leonardus de Bever of the Netherlands, and Mr. Daniel Darre of Argentina.

American Field Service

students who have been living in Lomita, Redondo, Palos Verdes, Manhattan Beach, San Pedro, El Segundo, Lawndale, Hawthorne, Inglewood, Westchester, Los Angeles and Long Beach will also be on Bus 12. Forty-three students from 27 countries will be represented. They will travel through the central route of the United States and then join with the other 76 buses carrying the 3,107 American Field Service students for a final meeting in New York prior to returning to their own countries.

Chairman for the Departure Ceremony is Mrs. Joseph Dock, district representative for the American Field Service. She is being assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Orrell, Torrance chapter president and members of the Torrance, South Bay, Centinela Valley and El Segundo chapters.

The City of Torrance will be the starting point for Bus 12 and from here, the students will have the opportunity to see communities and areas of the U.S. other than where they have lived. The stops will involve small farming communities, suburban communities and large industrial cities.

Fireworks Sale Opened By Dianas

The Redondo Beach Dianas will be sponsoring a fireworks sale at 701 N. Pacific Coast Highway. The fireworks booth will be open from June 28 through July 4 from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Proceeds will benefit the Dianas philanthropies which include Las Palmas School for Girls, North Redondo Toy Loan, Well Baby Clinic and Project Hope.

Mrs. Robert Dunn, second vice president, is chairman of the event. The Dianas are affiliated with the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Marina District, Junior Membership.

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