

School board offers to sell farm site to city

■ In a closed-door meeting, Newport-Mesa trustees agree to send letter to Costa Mesa offering land for sale at a discount.

By Julie Ross Cannon, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT-MESA — The Costa Mesa High School farm property didn't sit on the school district's back burner for long.

Two weeks ago, school board members postponed a decision to declare the 18-acre agricultural site surplus and offer it to other public agencies for sale.

After the Feb. 27 meeting, district administrators, who had recommended the sale, said the farm issue would take a back seat to more pressing board decisions on school overcrowding and next

year's budget.

But Tuesday, school board members met behind closed doors — with no public notice — to discuss the farm property. The trustees added the discussion to their agenda at the beginning of the 7 p.m. meeting.

Following the secret session, school board members voted to send a letter to Costa Mesa city officials stating the board is "desirous of declaring the Costa Mesa farm property surplus and offering it for sale to the city of Costa Mesa"

"I think what the board is interested in is seeing whether the city would be inter-

COSTA MESA HIGH SCHOOL FARM

- ♦ 18-acre agricultural site
- ♦ 1995 appraisal set value at \$8.8 million
- ♦ If offered by terms of Naylor Act, city could get 30% of the site at 25% of fair market value.
- ♦ Costa Mesa City Council will discuss the issue April 1. Even after that, school board must still declare site surplus.

ested in buying the property," Superintendent Mac Bernd said Wednesday. "All discussions (with the city) have centered

on the availability of (the farm) for recreational facilities and open space."

Costa Mesa City Manager Allan Roeder said council members will discuss their interest in the property at the April 1 meeting.

"It's well past our deadline for Monday's council meeting," Roeder said. "I told Mac we will likely put it on the first meeting in April for the council to discuss in open session."

The farm has been a source of contention between school and city officials, who have been in negotiations for a year to place a joint-venture sports complex on the site.

Three weeks ago school administrators abandoned that plan and recommended school board members sell the

farm, offering it first to public agencies for purchase and then selling it to the highest bidder. School board members postponed a decision after more than 200 community members packed the board meeting to protest.

At the time, Bernd said the district would seek an exemption to the state Education Code's Naylor Act when it offered the property to the city to purchase. The exemption would have allowed the district to receive full market value for part of the property if the city chose to buy it.

But in Wednesday's letter, Bernd offered the site to the city in accordance to the Naylor Act.

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SNAPSHOT



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Cal Stilley believes in service. "It's an old cliche, but you treat the customer how you would want to be treated," he says.

STAYING IN FOCUS

By Valerie Fugent, Daily Pilot

COSTA MESA — You could say Cal Stilley has "developed" his niche in town. With 50 years of photography know-how under his belt, the 72-year-old Stilley, along with wife, Helen, has owned and operated Cal's Cameras & Video in Costa Mesa for more than 30 years — while competitors have come and gone.

The secret to Stilley's long-term success?

"It's an old cliche, but you treat the customer how you would want to be treated," Stilley said.

And as he continues, his words conjure up images of a homespun commercial.

"Service. Customer service and knowledge.

Having the products in stock," Stilley said. "Over the years we've built up a reputation. If you want to find anything in the photographic world, we have it at Cal's and the knowledge to show you how to use it."

Stilley's office speaks volumes of the man's devo-

**Cal Stilley
outlasts
competitors
by keeping
his camera
store going
for more
than 30
years**

tions and knowledge. Golf and airplane photos decorate the walls. Bookcase shelves are lined with classic and antique cameras, family photos and books.

Stilley has been collecting old cameras for the better part of his career, a collection of which are on display at Cal's Camera.

That career in camera retail began after serving with the Second Air Command group in India and Burma during World War II. In 1946, he got out of the service and spent a year in Sacramento, before moving south to Santa Ana to run Stilley's Photo Supplies, his brother's business.

In 1962, he and Helen bought Mears Camera Exchange in Costa Mesa, formerly located where Grant's Guns is now.

When the Stileys took over, the camera shop was also a hobby shop with model airplanes and the like. Stilley phased out the hobby portion of the business since it wasn't among his area of expertise.

In 1962, the business had three employees;

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Ferguson asks authorities to probe Johnson's residency

■ Senator calls request 'Hail Mary pass' to boost campaign.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

BALBOA ISLAND — Not only is he accusing incumbent state Sen. Ross Johnson of being a carpet-bagger, former Assemblyman Gil Ferguson believes Johnson may be legally prohibited from running for a full senate term.

In separate letters to Orange County District Attorney Michael Capizzi, state Attorney General Dan Lungren and Secretary of

State Bill Jones, Ferguson asks authorities to investigate whether Johnson can legally run for office in the 35th Senate District.

Ferguson, who is challenging Johnson in the March 26 GOP primary, says Johnson and his family are full-time residents of Sacramento. The senator only owns a home in Irvine to qualify for office, Ferguson maintains.

"People don't take on a sitting

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WEATHER

We're on a carousel ride of cold rain and warm sunshine, with more wet than warm from this Pacific storm system. It should ride off into the sunset tonight.

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**Sand
blast ...**

Lee Trevino shoots out of a bunker on the 12th hole Wednesday during Pro-Am action at the Toshiba Senior Classic in Newport Beach. See stories in Sports, Page B1.

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BEST BUYS

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for that eclectic buy

Stix and Stones (646-7233) is the new kid on the block – it's another home accessories consignment shop on East 17th Street in Costa Mesa.

Marietta Vise says her store was located in Tustin for three years, and she's loving her new location.

It's closer to home. Vise says she appreciates her consignment neighbors, and depending on what customers are looking for "we can refer customers back and forth."

Stix and Stones has a very eclectic mix of merchandise and it changes all the time. Items include furniture, lamps, mirrors, antique jewelry, and Vise has added decorator pieces including chandeliers and sterling. It's located at 333 E. 17th St. Suite B in Costa Mesa, behind the International House of Pancakes.

Bow Danglers also located on East 17th Street in Costa Mesa has recently added a new children's clothing line to its store called Flaxseeds by Angelhearts. The clothing is made from machine washable linen in a variety of colors. Dresses are priced at \$34 to \$36.

Bow Danglers also carries the largest selection of Flax for adults. Dresses are priced at \$36. **Bow Danglers** is located at 369 E. 17th St., Suite 9 in Costa Mesa.

The best carpet cleaner around, **Knightsbridge** has recently introduced a new premium service for owners of white and pastel shades of carpet. Owner **Mike Dunkley** says the new four-step process takes away the worry of premature soiling after cleaning and ensures that carpets stay cleaner and brighter long after normal cleaning procedures.

"Using specially formulated cleaners to remove even the most stubborn stains the cleaning process is then completed with an active fiber rinse to ensure the removal of soil attracting residue," says Dunkley. "This final step together with a free application of stain resist treatment ensures brighter fresher carpets, even on heavy traffic areas."

The price for the "premium service" is marginally more than the \$95 special Knightsbridge normally runs and comes with the Knightsbridge warranty.

For a free estimate please call **Mike Dunkley** at (673-7561).

If you wear petite sizes **Neiman Marcus** is showing its designer petite fashions in the Sport Shop today. The spring petite collections of Emanuel/Emanuel Ungaro, DKNY, Anne Klein II, Linda Allard for Ellen Tracy, and Dana Buchman will be featured.

Neiman Marcus (759-1900) is located at Fashion Island in Newport Beach.

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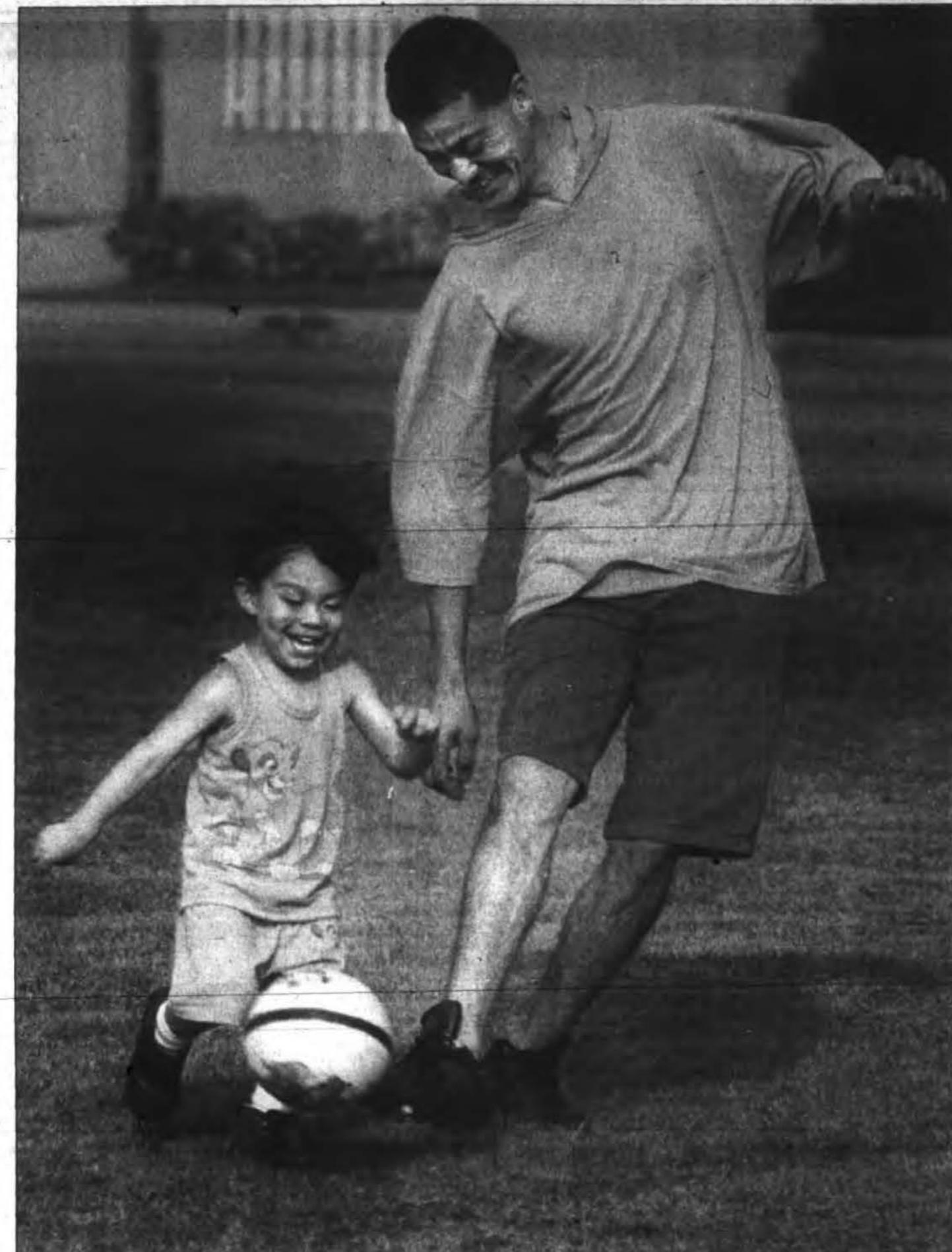
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LEG WORK



LEAH HOGSTEN / DAILY PILOT

With enough energy to run circles around the competition, Harve Platez, 2, and dad, Nelson Platez, enjoy an afternoon of kickball at the Rea Community Center fields.

FUNNEL VISION

■ Authorities were scratching their heads Wednesday as they chased down strange reports of water spouts and ground shakings.

By Carolyn Miller, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH – The recent storm bruised the clouds purple and gray Wednesday morning and within their depths created a phenomenal funnel, which, as these things go, was difficult to explain.

"We had a funnel cloud sighting – it's a small version of a tornado," said Newport Beach police Lt. Tim Newman, who was among a few officers who ventured out to gaze up at the weird weather wonder.

The police regional air helicopter first spotted the funnel hovering over Irvine's Turtle Rock area near Newport

Beach at 11:10 a.m., Newman said. Warnings went out to the Harbor Patrol, California Highway Patrol, Newport Beach lifeguards and the Coast Guard, in case the funnel spiraled toward the city and the beach areas.

"We put out a security warning to boaters to tell them to use caution," said one Coast Guard petty officer who called it a "water spout," rarely seen except during wicked weather.

One of his colleagues, Coast Guard Petty Officer Maurice Frazier, groped for the words to explain the phenomenon.

"It was a wind twister – kind of like a water thing. You know, a baby tornado," Frazier said. "We made a broadcast but no boaters called us back, so I guess no one saw it."

The funnel never made it to the city so the worry was for naught. But this wasn't the end of the weather wackiness.

"One of our dispatchers got a call from a woman in Tustin whose mind may have been controlled by a lunar pull," Newman joked.

"She said, 'I just wanted to let you know my house was shaking for two minutes – What's going on?'" Newman said.

Police advised the woman to call her own police department in Tustin, which was in a better position geographically to help her.

"Even at high tide, Tustin is not near our city," Newman said.

Despite an advisory from the county to beware of bacteria, refuse and sewage which may be floating in the ocean following any storms, nothing suspicious was cited bobbing in the water, according to Newport Beach lifeguards.

In fact, the beach was deserted, save for surfers who were out riding the 4- to 6-foot waves in 56-degree water.

"The waves are out of the southwest and making a lot of surfers happy," Newport Beach lifeguard Lt. Mitch White said. "There's nothing unusual except for someone in Irvine reported seeing a funnel thing ... ?"

Redwitz leaves as Irvine Co. vice president

■ Highly visible development figure takes job with Taylor Woodrow Homes and will oversee Upper Castaways construction.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH – Tom Redwitz, one of The Irvine Co.'s most visible ambassadors both at city hall and within the community, will leave the company effective March 20.

Redwitz has accepted an administrative position with Taylor Woodrow Homes, a move which will place him in charge of at least one development project – the Upper Castaways homes – on Irvine Co. land.

"This is a job that takes me back to my professional roots in terms of home building, project management and developing neighborhoods," said Redwitz, a nine-year employee with The Irvine Co.

"Taylor Woodrow is an excellent company which has demonstrated its commitment to the quality of its architecture. With my background as an architect, this is a perfect fit."

Redwitz, who was a development entitlement vice president for The Irvine Co., will hold the title of senior development manager for Taylor Woodrow. His duties will include participating in land acquisition, managing the design team and overseeing construction.

He will be based in Laguna Hills although projects will frequently bring him back to the Newport Beach area.

"So I'll get to see the Castaways project all the way through to the end," said Redwitz who declined to discuss salaries.

In a prepared statement, Gary Hunt, the company's executive vice president, said Redwitz will be missed.

"Tom has been a very successful, loyal and able member of our team," Hunt said. "Given his understanding and appreciation for our company's goals and commitment to quality, I'm pleased that he'll be associated with continued community development activity on our land."

"I'll get to see the Castaways project all the way through to the end ..."

- TOM REDWITZ

briefly in the news

Lifeguards will hold tryouts Sunday

The Newport Beach Fire and Marine Department will hold open tryouts for the position of seasonal lifeguard on Sunday. The department is looking for as many as 50 individuals to qualify for training class to be held later this spring.

Applications may be picked up at lifeguard headquarters, at the base of Newport Pier between 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. or at City Hall, Human Resources.

Interested persons may call Reenie Boyer, marine training coordinator, at 644-3105 for more information.

Applications should be returned to City Hall, human resources or the marine and fire administration by 4 p.m. on Friday. Late applications are due by 7:45 a.m. Sunday at lifeguard headquarters.

Tryouts include a 1,000 meter competitive swim, 200 meter competitive run-swim-run, and a first aid exam. Be ready to swim at 8:45 a.m. sharp.

Top finishers will be invited to a 65-hour training class to be held on weekends. The city of Newport Beach will hire the top ranking candidates as needed during the 1996 summer season. Starting pay is \$10.76 per hour.

Top teachers to receive grants

The Newport-Mesa Schools Foundation will announce its spring teacher grants April 29. With the assistance of The Irvine Co., the foundation will honor one innovative teacher at each Newport-Mesa school with a \$500 grant.

The money may be used for proposal needs, such as materials, equipment, field trip transportation and stipends for guest speakers.

Teachers are encouraged to submit their ideas for incorporating creative environmental programs into their class's curricula.

POLICE FILES

COSTA MESA

• **1800 block of Newport Boulevard:** For two nights in a row, a local tavern has been targeted by thieves who climbed over the fence and stole a bunch of empty beer kegs from a fenced area. In the latest incident the thieves stole 15 empty kegs for domestic, not specialty beers, worth \$180. The manager of the bar, City Councilman Gary Monahan said he alerted several beer distributors in the area to the keg thefts.

• **100 block of E. 17th Street:** Three men ordered food and beverages at a popular 24-hour restaurant, then dined and dashed. The trio ate the food then placed a second order, but when the waiter left the dining room, they ran out without paying for their \$23.88 meal. The waiter followed them outside and saw them hop into a late-1970s red Ford parked across the street, and speed away.

• **2700 block of Mesa Verde East:** A woman put wet sheets in a dryer in a laundry room, but when she came back half an hour later, the \$150 sheets had vanished.

• **180 block of E. 17th Street:** A thief went to a supermarket with more groceries on his mind. Twelve shopping carts worth \$900 were stolen by a man who loaded the carts into a pick-up truck then drove away. The man is suspected to be part of a shopping cart retrieval service.

NEWPORT BEACH

• **Pacific Coast Highway and Marguerite:** Five men, all Garden Grove residents, were arrested on suspicion of possessing sawed off shotguns. Bail set for each man was \$10,000.

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BOATING
Check for small craft advisories in inner waters for winds northwest 15 knots with three foot wind waves and 9 foot northwest swell.

WIND
Northwest winds will moderate to 10

SWELL
Knots tonight with two foot wind waves and 7 foot west swells.

SCATTERED SHOWERS THROUGH THE DAY AND EVENING.

TIDES
TODAY
First high
4:26 a.m. 4.9
First low
11:51 a.m. -0.3
Second high
6:26 p.m. 3.8
Second low
11:37 p.m. 1.7

FRIDAY
First high
5:41 a.m. 5.3
First low
12:38 a.m. -0.6
Second high
7:03 p.m. 4.3
Second low
after midnight

WAVE
TEMPERATURE: 57

SURF

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No joy for surfers early this week, with small waves through Friday. The weekend looks promising, with a new west-northwest swell

rolling in 3- to 5-foot

surf late Friday until early Sunday. The waves will regroup with a northwest swell late Monday.

10- to 20-mph west winds

winds can make

sloppy surf until late

in the week. For daily

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CORRECTIONS
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IRWD shouldn't sink new idea to divert treated sewage water

Leave us not yet chill the champagne. Stow the confetti and the funny hats, keep the shrimp in their shells, postpone the hair appointment and the tux rental.

It is not yet time to party in celebration of the Irvine Ranch Water District realizing that there is, indeed, a better way to offload its excess treated sewage.

This new idea, floated at Monday night's meeting of the Newport Beach City Council by Jean Watt, calls for IRWD to link up with an Orange County Water District pipeline.

The water district will then take the 5 million gallons a day of IRWD's winter-months surplus, use some of it for its own needs, and sell the rest. (Amazing: there is actually a large and lucrative market for well-treated sewage.)

"It certainly makes more sense to sell reclaimed water than dump it in the bay," says Phil Arst, a Corona del Mar resident who has been working quietly behind the scenes in the fight to keep IRWD's effluent out of Newport Bay.

What we have here is a triumvirate of public utilities, each with differing needs, but with the common element of highly treated sewage - reclaimed water, if you prefer.

The Orange County Water District needs between 3 million and 5 million gallons a day - sometimes more - of such liquid

ON THE COAST



**fred
martin**

to sell to customers for a variety of uses.

These include agriculture, golf course maintenance and the like. It also sells to the County Sanitation District, which needs millions of gallons a day of reclaimed water to cool its generators. OCWD also has a customer in Santa Ana that needs 600,000 to 1 million gallons a day to dye carpets.

So, over here are these utilities with extreme need for treated sewage water. Over there is another utility, IRWD, with a need to dispose of 5 million gallons of the stuff each day between October and April.

Don't you think it makes sense for these three taxpayer-supported utilities to get together and work it out?

Doesn't it make sense for IRWD to truly reclaim its efflu-

ent and sell it for re-use, rather than dump it in the bay?

Unfortunately, it is not really that simple. As Jean Watt says, "Even the complexities are complex."

And tracing the concept back to its source is one of the complexities.

Nancy and Jack Skinner were involved, also Phil Arst and Jean Watt. Plus Bud Quist, a Newport resident who sits on the board of OCWD. In a conversation three or four weeks ago with Newport's Councilwoman Jan Debay, he told her that OCWD would be very interested in exploring a pipeline link with IRWD.

Trouble is, IRWD seems barely curious about such a plan. It has a ton of money invested in the dumping program, and certainly there is face to save. IRWD might be interested, if it wants to dump more than 5 million gallons a day - which they no doubt will. After all, IRWD wants to expand its treatment plant from its present capacity.

But Peer Swan, on whose watch as president of IRWD the battle has raged, says he doubts OCWD could use all of IRWD's surplus.

"I imagine we'll end up doing both projects," he told the Daily Pilot's Evan Henerson Tuesday, "but there's no short-term deal. We want to get our project done."

Jean Watt confirms this: "They are not backing off at all."

In other words, damn the vast majority of Newport Beach residents, full speed ahead. And damn even the citizens of Irvine who support IRWD.

Arst, who is a business and economic consultant to major corporations, said "IRWD could save \$1 million a year for 24 years," by jumping in with the county water and sanitation districts.

The resolution Jean Watt introduced Monday night, and which was unanimously approved by the council, notes that a linkup between IRWD and OCWD will: "Provide a truly beneficial use of IRWD reclaimed water during the winter and early spring, eliminate the need to discharge into San Diego Creek and avoid any potential impacts of the proposed discharge on flora and fauna in Upper and Lower Newport Bay."

"It would be a win-win situation," Jack Skinner told the council Monday night. It strikes me that Jack, as usual, was a bit conservative in his comment. I'd add at least three more wins.

It is almost impossible to imagine that three taxpayer-supported utilities could fail to try their hardest to pull together and make this work. But I will believe it when I see it.

• **FRED MARTIN**'s column runs every Thursday and Saturday.

ON DECK

■ The Newport Harbor Nautical Museum opens its second phase of exhibits - featuring boat models and paintings - on Friday.

By Evan Henerson, Daily Pilot

F.Y.I.

♦ **NEWPORT HARBOR NAUTICAL MUSEUM**

♦ 151 E. Coast Highway, Newport Beach

♦ **HOURS:** 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday

♦ **ADMISSION:** A donation is requested.

♦ **THE MUSEUM'S** second deck - featuring boat models - opens Friday with a four-month exhibit of William Alexander Coulter's oil paintings and memorabilia.

Steele. The exhibits will include the 14-foot-long, 900-pound "Willochra" model, as well as a recently acquired 4-foot-high model of a triple expansion engine.

"We're very excited about the addition," Smith said. "It won't have its base yet, but it is out of its crate and it's very excellent workmanship."

In addition to displaying the artist's oil paintings, the Coulter exhibit will include memorabilia from the Coulter family. Art patrons know of the artist's reputation as a painter, but the nautical museum's exhibit will focus on "Coulter the man," Smith said.

"This is probably the first time Coulter's life has been told this way," Smith said. "We're taking an entirely different tact."

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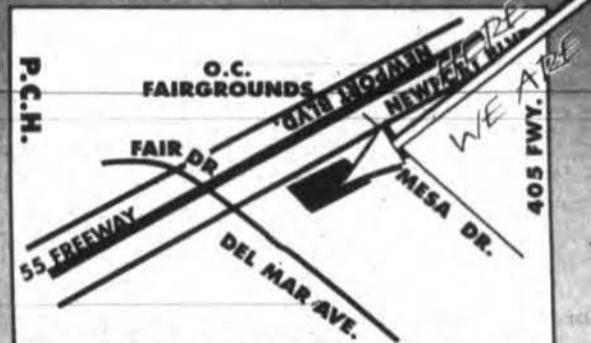
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ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION OF ORANGE COUNTY

The Alzheimer's Association of Orange County needs volunteers for its Visiting Volunteer Program; support group leaders for patients and care givers; and for the volunteer helpline. Interested volunteers can call 283-1111.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Orange County Region of the American Cancer Society is seeking additional volunteers. Also, volunteers are being sought to answer calls for the unit's Helpline InfoCenter. For information on these and other volunteer opportunities, call Sally Carson at 261-9446.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

American Cancer Society's Relay for Life is held in June and involves a team of runners/walkers competing against each other to raise money. Relay lasts for 18 hours for four simultaneous events running across Orange County. Volunteers needed for a number of tasks including logistics, team captains, soliciting corporate sponsorship, and team participation. For more information, contact Sally Carson at 261-9446.

AMERICANS FOR FREE CHOICE IN MEDICINE

Americans for Free Choice in Medicine, a non-profit educational organization founded on the idea of individual liberty and free enterprise, is seeking office volunteers. For more information, call 645-2622.

AMERICAN HOME HEALTH HOSPICE PROGRAM

The American Home Health Hospice

Program needs volunteers to give emotional support to terminally ill patients and their families in the greater Orange County area. Training is provided. For information, call 550-0800 or (800) 540-2545.

AMERICAN RED CROSS, ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER

The Orange County Chapter of the American Red Cross needs volunteers to address community groups about Red Cross services and to act as liaisons with the media in disaster and emergency situations. For information, call Judy Iannaccone, 835-5381, or Joan Miller, 835-5381, Ext. 422.

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ASSOCIATION RENAISSANCE CREATORS

ARC is a non-profit group in Costa Mesa that sponsors and supports multi-outreach community service programs, such as the homeless sanctuary. Volunteers are needed. For information, call Dr. Renee Namaste, 540-5803.

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The Ballet Pacifica Guild, a volunteer support group for Ballet Pacifica, needs volunteers for a variety of tasks. For information, call Molly Lynch at 851-9930.

BIG BROTHERS, BIG SISTERS

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CENTENNIAL FARM TOURS

Volunteer docents are needed at the Centennial Farm at the Orange County Fairgrounds in Costa Mesa. Call Ginny Smith, 708-1517.

CENTER FOR CREATIVE ALTERNATIVES

The Center for Creative Alternatives, a non-profit charitable organization that works through the United Way, needs volunteers, graduate level interns or trainees. For information, call Karen, 642-0377.

CITIZENS FOR A SEWAGE FREE BAY

Your help is needed to stop the Irvine Ranch District from dumping five million gallons of treated sewage per day into Newport Harbor. Volunteers, group leaders, organizers needed. Call 722-1710.

COLLEGE HOSPITAL

The College Hospital Costa Mesa Auxiliary is seeking volunteers to perform clerical, reception desk, gift shop and other duties at the hospital. For information, call 642-2734 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

COMMUNITY HOSPICE CARE

Community Hospice Care, which provides medical and emotional support to terminally ill patients and their families in Orange County, needs volunteers in Costa Mesa and Newport Beach. For information or to register, call Cindy Laird, 978-7447.

CONSUMERS FOR LEGAL REFORM

Consumers for Legal Reform has an ongoing need for volunteers to monitor civil court judges. A computer and donations are also needed. For more information, call Barbara at 854-0881.

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briefly in the news

Four youths arrested for grand theft auto

Four Costa Mesa teens - including one youth who was only 14 - were arrested Tuesday on suspicion of grand theft auto after they were spotted cruising around their hometown in the stolen car, police said.

The juveniles, accused of stealing an Anaheim man's car, were stopped by police who thought they looked too young to drive.

At 3:45 p.m. at Miner and West Wilson streets, a Costa Mesa police detective spotted four "very young looking" boys driving a car, Costa Mesa police Capt. Tom Lazar said.

The officer pulled them over and ran the license plate number through the computer which indicated the car was reported stolen in Garden Grove, police said.

The four suspects, two 15-year-olds, a 14-year-old and a 17-year-old, were taken into custody on suspicion of grand auto theft, police said. Because of their ages, police withheld their names.

The vehicle was impounded by police and will eventually be returned to its owner.

- By Carolyn Miller

Body found at shopping center

A 26-year-old La Habra man was found dead, possibly from a drug overdose, in his car parked

in Harbor Center in Costa Mesa on Tuesday night, police said.

Darin David Schuepbach, 26, may have died from a heroin overdose, according to police and coroner's reports. Police had no other information on Schuepbach.

A patron in the shopping center at 2300 Harbor Blvd. saw a man sitting in his car, a beige model Honda, prior to 5 p.m. and later noticed the person hadn't moved, according to police.

The witness became concerned and tried for about five minutes to rouse the man, but to no avail, Costa Mesa police Capt. Tom Lazar said.

The patron called police at 7:26 p.m. Foul play is not suspected, Lazar said.

- By Carolyn Miller

Mesa offers low flush toilet purchase program

Mesa Consolidated Water District is currently offering customers ultra low flush toilets for \$40 through May 31, or while supplies last.

Ultra low flush toilets can conserve up to five gallons per flush when replacing some older standard models.

Customers are offered two options:

The co-payment option allows customers to obtain a name-brand low flush toilet for \$40 plus a refundable \$15 deposit. The deposit is refunded when the

old toilet is returned. For information, call (800) 424-8538.

The rebate option allows customers to receive a \$50 rebate toward the cost of a program-approved ultra low flush toilet. Customers who purchased ultra low flush toilets after May 1, 1995 may be eligible. To participate in the rebate option, call Honeywell DMC Services at (800) 563-5874 for an application and a list of approved toilets.

The Ultra Low Flush Toilet Program is offered in conjunction with the Municipal Water District of Orange County and other Orange County water agencies.

YWCA luncheon will fete women

The YWCA will recognize and honor its Humanitarian of the Year and present the Betty L. Hutton Williams Award during a "Tribute to Women" luncheon on March 28 at the Sutton Place Hotel in Newport Beach.

YWCA President Fran Williams and Vice President Shirley Ralston will announce the kick-off of the Capital Campaign in the amount of \$500,000, which will complete the funding needed to begin the addition of 58 low-cost studio apartments to the existing YWCA traditional housing facility, to be called Sycamore Place.

Call the YWCA event office at 542-3577 for more information.

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Corporate

Newport Beach-based InterCommunications Inc., a full-service marketing communications firm, was selected from more than 650 entries to receive two gold and three silver awards at the 1996 National Sales and Marketing Awards that were held in Houston recently.

Toni Alexander, president; Jim Flynn, regional vice president; and Andy Skiver, vice president client services were on hand to receive the accolades.

Costa Mesa-based Pacific Building Industries has been selected as general contractor for the build out of tenant improvements for Xerox Corporation's new 30,000 square foot offices located in Town Center, Santa Fe Springs, California.

PBI provides general contracting services for office, health-care, industrial and shopping center tenant improvements as well as industrial shell construction.

Corona del Mar resident Neil Perlman has been promoted to president and chief operating officer of the newly renamed Entrepreneur Media Inc., formerly Entrepreneur Magazine Group.

Perlman has been vice president/general manager of Entrepreneur Magazine Group since 1993. Under his direction, "Entrepreneur" has shown consistent growth with increases in rate-base, circulation and readership.

Sears Costa Mesa presented Orange County's United Way with a corporate contribution check of \$8,252 towards the 1995-



Andy Skiver, left, Jim Flynn, Toni Alexander of InterCommunications Inc.

96 United Way community campaign. Total contributions from the Costa Mesa store, representing corporate and employee gifts, will be more than \$42,000.

Education

Orange Coast College has named Kevin Ballinger dean of the college's Division of Consumer and Health Sciences.

Professor of neurodiagnostic technology for the past 11 years, Ballinger is now in charge of 25 different programs and departments that enroll nearly 2,500 students.

Brian Wallace, of Costa Mesa, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at University of Northern Colorado for the 1994-95 school year.

Courtney D. Berlinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steven A.

Berlinger of Newport Beach, was named to the Dean's List at Emory College in Atlanta for the 1995 fall semester.

Costa Mesa resident and student at Mater Dei High School, Drew Burkhalter has had his art work accepted into the Color It

Orange Exhibit at the Art Institute of Southern California in Laguna Beach. The exhibit will be on display through March 22.

The following students have been named to the Dean's List at Orange Coast College for the fall 1995 semester:

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TODAY

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The Costa Mesa Chamber of Commerce's monthly networking breakfast is at 7:15 a.m. at the Costa Mesa Country Club, 1701 Golf Course Drive. Author of 'Meetings in an hour or less,' Steve Kaye, will speak on how to cut waste by holding fewer, shorter and more productive meetings. The cost is \$10 or \$15 at the door. For more information, call 574-8780.



Robert Bluestone

Classical Guitarist
Robert Bluestone will perform at Orange Coast College's Robert B. Moore Theatre on Saturday. For more information, call 432-5880.

FREE TAX ASSISTANCE

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LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Attorney Bruce Hilsmeyer is offering a free half hour of legal advice from 9 a.m. to noon at the Oasis Senior Center, 800 Marguerite, Corona del Mar. Hilsmeyer specializes in wills, trusts and general business contracts. For an appointment, call 644-3244.

CUT YOUR FEDERAL/STATE TAXES

Finance 500 sponsors a free

one-hour workshop on "How to cut your federal and state taxes with a conscience" at 1 p.m. or 6 p.m. at the University Athletic Club, 1701 Quail St., Newport Beach. For more information or reservations contact Gary Squibb at 251-0270.

CONSUMER BUSINESS NETWORK

The Consumer Business Network sponsors "Alternatives to Employment," learn the ABC's of owning a business, at 7 a.m. in the Tea Room, 3100 Irvine Ave. The cost is \$25 and breakfast is included. For more information or reservations, call 550-4718.

SECRETS TO SUCCESS

Russell Reynolds, of Russell Reynolds and Associates will be the keynote speaker on "Secrets

to Business Success" at the Association for Corporate Growth and Forum for Corporate Directors meeting at 5:30 p.m. at the Pacific Club, 4110 MacArthur Blvd., Newport Beach. The cost is \$20 and includes hors d'oeuvres. For more information, call 436-7633.

OCC'S SUMMER IN SPAIN

Spanish professor, Patricia Scarfone will preview a four-week language program she'll lead to Spain this summer at 7:30 p.m. in OCC's

Faculty House. Admission is free. For more information, call 432-5963.

FRIDAY

RUMMAGE SALE

The United Methodist Women's Organization will sponsor a rummage sale with bargains galore today from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon at First United Methodist Church of Costa Mesa, 420 W. 19th Street. Proceeds will aid the organization's Missions Projects. For more information, call 548-7727.

AMISH CRAFT SHOW

The Amish Quilt and Craft Show is today and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Building 14 of the Orange County Fairgrounds, Fair Drive, Costa Mesa. Admission is free. For more information, call 352-8305.

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GOT FIGHTING KIDS?

Parents and care givers can learn to discourage young children from bickering and fighting at a two-hour workshop from 9 to 11 a.m. in Room 201 of Orange Coast College's Lewis Applied Science Building. Registration fee is \$30 or \$50 for two. A \$5 material fee is payable in class. For more information, call 432-5880.

SUNDAY**WOMEN IN HISTORY**

The third annual celebration of "Write Women Back Into History" is from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Mariners Park in Newport Beach. The event begins with a choice of either a three-mile walk or a ten-mile bicycle ride followed by exhibits, refreshments and songs. Jenny Richards will perform songs of the Women's Suffrage and Labor movements. For more information or reservations, call 645-3956.

HIV/AIDS DISCUSSION

St. Mark Presbyterian presents "Health Matters: AIDS Is Not A Gay Disease, Symptoms, Treatment,

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Poncho Sanchez, one of the premier conga players and percussionists in the United States, will perform with his Latin Jazz Band on Saturday, March 23, at 8 p.m. at Orange Coast College. For more information, call 432-5880.

Costs" as part of its HIV/AIDS series at 11 a.m. Sunday at 2100 Mar Vista, Newport Beach. For more information, call 644-1341.

AMERICAN CETACEAN SOCIETY

The American Cetacean Society sponsors an All Day Around Catalina Island fund-raiser from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. aboard the Catalina Flyer. The cost is \$40 for adults and \$15 for children. ACS members pay \$35. For more information, call 534-5177.

MONDAY**SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS**

Orange Coast College offers "Small Business Ownership: Your Blueprint for Success" from 6:30

to 10 p.m. today and Wednesday in Room 114 of OCC's Lewis Applied Science Building. Practical tips to survive in small business will be provided. Registration fee is \$49. For more information, call 432-5880.

YOGA/MEDITATION WORKSHOP

Attendees will learn a balanced program of exercise, breathing, deep relaxation and imagery techniques at Orange Coast College's yoga/meditation workshops from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Mondays through April 29. Registration fee is \$45. For more information, call 432-5880.

FOREIGN POLICY DISCUSSION

Weekly foreign policy discussions continue from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at St. Mark Presbyterian Church, 2100 Mar Vista, Newport Beach. Tonight's topic is "Africa: Should the US Care?"

TUESDAY**SPANISH FOR KIDS**

Orange Coast College's "College for Kids" program offers "Easy Spanish for English Speakers," a four-week class for children age 8 to 14, at Adams School, Room 17, 2850 Clubhouse Road, Costa Mesa on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. Registration fee is \$29. For more information, call 432-5880.

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a first come first serve basis through April 3 from 5 to 8:30 p.m. in the community room of the library, 1855 Park Avenue. Taxpayers should bring all forms and pertinent records. For more information, call 646-8845.

MEASURES T & S LUNCHEON

The Corona del Mar Chamber of Commerce's business luncheon is at 11:30 a.m. at the Five Crowns in Corona del Mar. The program will have Bruce Sumner and John Moorlach on Measure T and George Argyros and Pat Bates on Measure S. Reservations are requested. For more information, call 673-4050.

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS LUNCHEON

The Orange County Regional Chapter of Community Associations Institute will hold a luncheon at noon at the Sheraton-Newport Beach. The topic of the luncheon is "Updating Your CC&Rs," discussing the legal requirements for reviewing and updating governing documents of homeowners' associations. The cost is \$38. For more information, call 380-7360.

COLLECTING ART

The Newport Beach Friends of the Library will present Michelle

T. Carter in an informative talk, "Collecting Art: Where To Begin," at 12:30 p.m. at the Sherman Library and Gardens, 2647 E. Coast Highway, Corona del Mar. Admission is free. For more information, call 673-2261.

YOUTHNET NIGHTS

The Newport Beach Central Library will have a series of seminars to familiarize junior and senior high school students with the online catalog and other library resources. The first free event is tonight from 7 to 8:30 p.m. with subsequent seminars on April 18 and April 23. Preregistration is required. For more information, call 717-3801.

PARENTS WHO CARE

Parents Who Care will present a program on "Teen Sex in the '90s" from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Little Theater, Corona del Mar High School, Newport Beach. Dr. Allyson M. Brooks offers a reality check on teenage sexuality and Linda Leser teaches how to talk to teens about sex and prepare them to make responsible choices. Finally, a panel of teenage mothers will share their personal experiences. The program is open to the public. For more information, call 640-8917.

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Society snippets

What has been, is and will be happening on the Orange Coast

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The Navigators, a group of about 50 dedicated dads of students attending Newport Harbor High, held their themed benefit, "Beach Bash '96."

The ballroom of the Four Seasons Hotel, Newport, was filled with 275 locals, raising \$30,000 to be used solely for upgrading the technology of the school computers.

The second annual event attracted midwinter beach lovers in Hawaiian shirts and sun visors, dancing to the local band, "Nomads." The Navigators was formed in 1990 by a group of dads with children attending Ensign Intermediate School, preparing for their years at Newport Harbor.

Co-chairs Karin Lekas and Carol Littschwager were the hosts of Carnevale, the Italian ver-

sion of Mardi Gras, at Prego Ristorante to commemorate and benefit the 10th anniversary of Human Options. Prego Carnevale was a stylish romp replete with actors in wild costume and masks, strolling jugglers and puppets charming the crowd dining on the exquisite cuisine of Prego. Human Options assists women and children escaping domestic violence.

The second annual Kent Waldrup National Paralysis Foundation Comedy Dinner and Golf Tournament was a smashing success, benefiting the Reeve-Irvine Center at UCI. Chair Peggy Goldwater Clay helped rally the crowd for a sold out laugh-a-thon at The Four Seasons Hotel, attracting major donor Joan Irvine Smith and members of her family in support of her dedication to spinal cord injury rehabilitation. In the crowd: the gorgeous Phyllis Lund,

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Joan Fernbacher in from Bel Air along with Terry Stanford and Ben Jacobson, Lido's Sharon and Brian McKinnon, Candace and Roger Schnapp, Gloria and Ray Osbrink, and actor-athlete Ed Marinaro.

Pelican Hill was the site for golf on Monday. Players included Jack Lemmon and his son Chris, Barney Miller himself, Hal Linden with his wife, Fran, who took home first place honors in the shotgun style tourney, John Castellanos of "Young and Restless" daytime TV fame, Jack

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March 26: "Girls Light Out," a night of cigars for the ladies, will take over the mega-popular Twin Palms, Newport Beach. The local cigar craze, in part started by empressario Henry Schlelein (who recently celebrated cigar night with the gents - and a few gals like Mamie Van Doren, Ellen Appel and Beverly Ray - at The Balboa Bay Club in support of The March of Dimes), has become a national thing to do. Everyone is supposed to be anti-smoke, but when it comes to cigars, the territory is wide open. Chef Michael Roberts has created a four course menu for the cigar-puffing females.

March 30: "A Taste of The Good Life," sponsored by the Susan B. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, takes over South Coast Plaza. Proceeds will go to the "Komen kids," an organization that offers support to children who have a parent with cancer. Twenty-three restaurants are set to participate in what is being billed as a lavish 23-course "taste of the good life." For ticket information, call 224-0290.

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memorabilia from the life of maritime artist William Alexander Coulter, which runs through July 15. 673-7863.

6 INTERIOR LIGHT: Painted photographs of an abandoned mill in Northwestern Massachusetts are featured in Ann Marie Rousseau's exhibit at OCC, which runs through March 28 in the college's Art Gallery. Hours: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday evenings. Free. Information: 432-5039.**7 EVERYBODY CHA CHA:** Students will learn to dance merengue, cha cha, salsa, cumbia and others in an eight-week Latin dance workshop from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Thursday evenings beginning tonight and continuing through May 9 at OCC. Fee: \$45. Information: 432-5880.**8 BIG BAND DANCE:** Friends of Scouting will sponsor a Big Band Dance with the 18 piece band, The Yachtmen, from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday at the Red Lion Hotel's Club Max, 3050 Bristol St., Costa Mesa. Donation is \$10.**9 JEWELRY MAKING:** Timbuktu Folk and Tribal Art presents "Jewelry-making with Ethnic Beads" at 11 a.m. Saturday. Seating is limited and a \$2 donation is requested. Information: 650-7473.**10 WOMEN IN HISTORY:** The third annual celebration of "Write Women Back Into History" is 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Sunday at Mariners Park in Newport Beach. The event begins with a choice of either a three-mile walk or a ten-mile bicycle ride followed by exhibits, refreshments and songs. Information: 645-3956.**AMACHI**
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'Interior Light' features painted photos

By George Tapley, Daily Pilot

When you were a child, did you ever sneak into an abandoned building?

Do you recall how it felt to interrupt the stillness of dust-covered rooms, to disturb the ghostly traces of forgotten lives?

Did you think about the people who once lived here and where they might be now?

And if remembering all this seems like melancholy experience, maybe Ann Marie Rousseau's exhibition at Orange Coast College will change your mind.

Ann Marie Rousseau's art blends industrial ruins with a redemptive faith in the human spirit. Moved by the sight of an abandoned New England factory (currently being readied for use as an art center), Rousseau devoted two summers to photographing its interior spaces. Less interested in strict documentation than in poetry, Rousseau has added her own twist to a familiar theme. Using friends and other artists as models she has populated the sunlit facto-



Ann Marie Rousseau's "The Moon Under her Feet," is featured in her exhibit at OCC.

ry rooms with ghostly figures.

Leaping, twisting, or just glowing softly with an "interior light," these figures become a sign for the resuscitating power of art. (Art, says Rousseau, is "the one spark of hope from what had been abandoned and

MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT
Orange Coast College student Todd McIlwain goes over notes for his Contemporary Art History class as he reviews the "Interior Light" exhibit Monday in the campus art gallery.**F.Y.I.**♦ **WHAT:** "Interior Light"♦ **WHEN:** 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday.♦ **WHERE:** Orange Coast College's Art Gallery, in the Art Center Building.♦ **HOW MUCH:** Free♦ **PHONE:** 432-5039

the gallery installation also includes old vent covers, electric coils, cable spools and other relics of the machine age. Moreover, even the gallery's signage, pale stenciled letters on a worn window frame, evokes a bygone era.

In a final gesture, one which acknowledges (or maybe mocks) the forces of time, Rousseau displays a proof sheet of her own exhibition catalog in a plexiglass case, perhaps suggesting that both her art, and what she says about it, will soon become documents - part of the past for others to explore and perhaps resuscitate at some future date.

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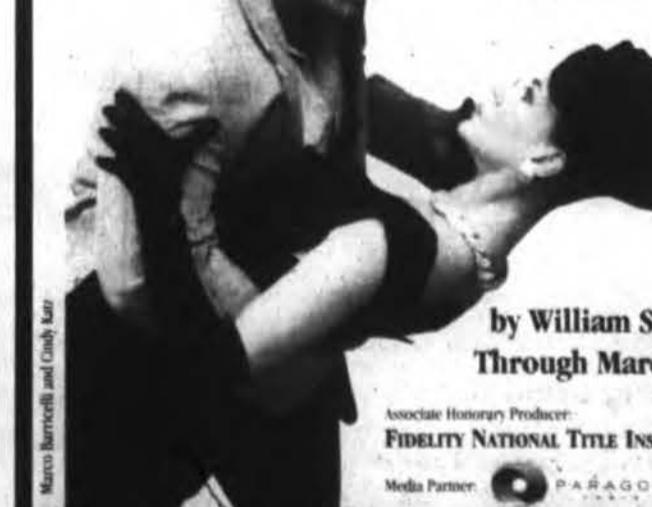
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Dimwits meet the demons in 'Hellraiser'

By Uncle Don, Daily Pilot

Starring a bunch of never-wuzzies, notgonnabees, and usedtobees, "Hellraiser Bloodline," clocking in under the requisite 90 minutes, will soon be disappearing from a theater near you.

Sat there I did, in a darkened theater, surrounded by an audience numbering in the fractions of dozens.

It's the year 2127 and we're on the Space Station Minos, created by a genius, manned by morons, and conquered by cretins.

The cretins in this case, are Pinhead, the sole returnee from prior "Hellraiser" flicks, and some babe, appearance-impaired, named Angelique with a Robert DeNiro mole and a Taxi Driver attitude.

It's the battle for the salvation of earth and mankind as the dimwits meet the demons amongst the cheesiest space sets this side of "Lost In Space," where random pieces of machinery and vagrant parts of tubing hide effectively due to the miracles of low light and high-speed film.

With a music score a porno film would be embarrassed to use, with acting more wooden than the General Sherman tree, what should be a really bad student film is masquerading as a legitimate theatrical release.

The original "Hellraiser," like the originals of "Night of the Living Dead," "The Texas Chain-saw Massacre," "The Evil Dead," "Friday the Thirteenth," "A Nightmare on Elm Street," "The Return of the Living Dead," was a classic.

This sequel (No. 4 in the

series), is designed simply to suck in green from knuckle-dragging, slack-jawed droolers like yourselves who really need to get a life.

The key to "Hellraiser" is this puzzle box, a kind of Rubik's Cube that opens the lower circles of hell. Open the box and you either let the cretins and cretinettes into the real world or send them back to where they belong, a place of eternal suffering. (Probably the editing room of this flick).

Created by a toymaker hundreds of years ago for a marginal magician in a funny little European country where the French speak in English accents, the genes to make more of these boxes are passed through succeeding generations, inadvertently proving the ability of a species to devolve.

Unfortunately, there's little gratuitous nudity, and the pathetic little monsters who populate the celluloid have this obnoxious habit of littering the floor with extraneous body parts from their victims.

"Hellraiser Bloodline" is full of dark alleys and dumbdumb, pseudo "Alien" sets with lotsa stuff draped in cello and dripping in blood, and most repetitively, these chains with hooks which snag innumerable low-brows and pull them apart in ways Stretch Armstrong could only dream about.

Pinhead claims that "suffering is the coin of the realm." Your Favorite Uncle dropped a whole lotta cash during his 90 minutes Friday night.

After nearly a year of self-imposed exile, Orange Coast cultural phenomenon **UNCLE DON** has emerged to raise some hell in his periodic columns. You've been warned.

A perfect balance of comedy and tragedy

By Tom Titus, Daily Pilot

The specter of death hangs over Bessie's home, patiently awaiting her father, who slips in and out of consciousness, and beckoning his bony finger toward Bessie herself, who's just been diagnosed with leukemia.

Despite this grim premise, Scott McPherson's gripping play, "Marvin's Room," now in its county premiere at Orange Coast College, finds a sense of humor in the macabre. Some of its dialogue and character situations are outrageously funny while advancing an all-too-serious plot.

By blending black comedy with impending tragedy, director John Ferzaccia has fashioned a full-bodied production dotted with superb individual performances in an outstanding ensemble. It's a perfect balance of thought-provoking and laugh-inducing theater.

The central character of Bessie, a saintly spinster beautifully interpreted by Catherine Rowe, is the motor which powers the play, but the often-volatile fuel mixture - Bessie's neurotic sister, demented nephew and doddering old aunt provide the ignition. Quite simply, it's the family circle from hell.

Rowe exudes a weary exasperation which often collides with her natural warmth and understanding as the family care giver who soon will need caring for herself. Possibly dependent on bone marrow from one of her relatives, she maintains her dignity admirably when faced with a probable refusal.

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- ♦ HOW MUCH: \$6 Thursday and Sunday; \$7 Friday and Saturday.
- ♦ PHONE: 432-5880

Rita Renee is terrific as her frazzled sister, pushed to the brink by the unpredictable attitude of her grown son, who's been committed to a mental hospital for burning down their home. She is particularly effective in her sibling squabbles with Rowe, culminating in a slapping match in a hospital-waiting room.

As her son, who may or may not be crazy, Greg Harris delivers an electrifying performance. A coiled spring waiting to snap, Harris gradually sheds his hostility under the influence of his ailing aunt and leaves the promise of



better times ahead.

Leslie Holland is touching and sincere as the absent-minded aunt whose days are filled with soap opera viewing as she recovers from a heart condition. Megan Rank is refreshingly natural as Harris' younger sister.

Those on the fringes of the story are painted with cartoonist's ink. Todd Veneman tries the patience as a doctor with too much on his mind, while Jan Henrotin blandly interprets a hospital psychiatrist. Jeff Marx depicts a bubbleheaded lumox as Veneman's assistant and Shannon Slattery is a smarmy nursing home administrator.

Marvin himself, seen only as a shadowy figure, is nicely rendered by Peter Flahiff, one of a multi-faceted ensemble which includes Laura Sternbach, Melissa Petro, Patricia Nelson, Joan Meisnerburg, Sue Bolton and Brandon Green.

David Scaglione's multi-layered setting works well for the efficiency of the show, as does Rick Golson's lighting effects.

"Marvin's Room" is first-rate theater on all counts, meticulously directed and showcasing some impressive performance values. The show closes this weekend, and should definitely be seen.

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Simple menu also surprises at Newport Rib Company

By Marla Bird, Daily Pilot

Approach these luscious barbecued ribs with caution. Tender as a cloud, the barbecued baby back meat might fall off its slim bones and float into your lap instead of your mouth. They are "Mmm, Mmm, good!"

Co-owner Fran Ursini has orchestrated his marinating methods and secret sauce recipe to achieve that extra tenderness and flavor in ribs and chicken at **Newport Rib Company**.

All kinds of "To Go" specials await, including a bucket of ribs with cornbread, enough for four people (\$19.95), and just three dollars more (\$22.95) adds coleslaw and barbecued beans for all of you. On the other hand, forget about take-out and sit down in a comfortable booth with a plate of ribs or chicken — with everything.

Newport Rib looks like a sturdy fort, planted there on the corner of 20th Street and Newport Boulevard in Costa Mesa. The building is owned by co-owner Richard Penjoyan, whose produce market is right next door, the source of all fresh vegetables and a long-term friendship with the Ursini family.

At night, the bar is open, the

green leather banquette glow under chandeliers and the wood floors are carpeted. Gleaming brass accents the lighting and it's just a very comfortable dining room with pleasant seating and spacing. No one will be in your face. I liked the waiters too, polite, fast and efficient.

Ursini's menu is simple enough: appetizers include a deep-fried "onion flower," crisp with golden fried buttermilk batter, fried Mozzarella cheese with marinara; deep-fried zucchini sticks and a party tables' delight — a brick of habit-forming, killer-fried onions strings (\$4.75; or half, \$3.75).

Irresistible! The Ursinii decided to give us a break from fried foods and introduced a plump, grilled artichoke. The choice of having it plain, with melted butter or hollandaise sauce is up to your conscience and cholesterol count.

Caesar salad is the favorite of the five green salads, sporting hot grilled chicken instead of the usual cold bird used in so many cafes and restaurants these days. The four sandwiches caught my eye, especially the barbecued brisket (\$5.95). Each is served with fries or onion straws.

Every entree is served with fresh, crisp coleslaw, hot cornbread, fresh vegetables and fruit

AND a choice of baked beans, steak fries, baked potato or onion straws. A house dinner salad will cost \$1.50 extra. The buy of the week has to be the Senior Citizen's dish of one-quarter of chicken with all of the above for \$6.50 and the barbecued baby back ribs for \$7.50. And here's the best part — you don't have to be a Senior to order them.

Besides the scrumptious beef and pork ribs, Chef Jose Rivas uses USDA choice meat for top sirloin steaks (\$11.95), Porterhouse (\$15.95), and prime rib (\$13.95). According to a rib frequent flyer, "The prime rib is mouth-watering, generous and enough."

All kinds of little surprises pop up here and there on the ribs menu: fresh grilled swordfish (\$14.95) and shrimp kabob basted with barbecue sauce. Louisiana hot sausages, honey stirred into butter; caramel-onion steak sauce, party packs to go and potato skins with a myriad of toppings.

My guess is the special barbecue sauce has a mixture of molasses, hickory smoke flavoring, diced onions, vinegar, chili pepper, red pepper, Worcestershire sauce, lemon, mustard and tomato paste cooked long and slow, and reduced to a smoky/sweet, hot/sour seductive

F.Y.I.
♦ **WHAT:** Newport Rib Company
♦ **WHEN:** 2000 Newport Boulevard, Costa Mesa.
♦ **WHERE:** Open daily at 4 p.m., 2 p.m. on Sunday.
♦ **HOW MUCH:** Moderate
♦ **PHONE:** 631-2110; Fax: 631-8656

sauce which is neither sticky nor greasy. The ribs and chicken destined for barbecue are marinated overnight, so the meat and the flavor become one, and then they are baked. The last step is more sauce and onto the flames.

I liked them without the last sauce bath — there seems to be enough residue to permeate the meat to a savory, non-sticky finish. Either way, they satisfy some deep, primordial longing for food cooked over fire.

Newport Rib has a serviceable wine list from Napa and Sonoma, (bottles from \$10.50 to \$20), plus Taittinger Châmpagne for \$38.50 a bottle. The big seller here is beer — by the mug (\$2.25) or pitcher (\$6.25) — and there is a nice list of imported and micro-brewed beers. A glass of Kendall Jackson Chardonnay is \$4.75.

On the Newport Boulevard side, the smoke-colored windows and shutter blinds in front are closed until 4 p.m., when things open up and the building looks like a fort.

Newport Rib isn't exactly closed during lunch hours; there is a window in the parking lot, open for daytime take-out, and you can drive in there for a few



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Newport Rib Company co-owners, Rich Penjoyan (left) and Fran Ursini (seated) with general manager, John Ursini.

minutes and pick up your order (which presumably you have been clever enough to phone or fax ahead). It's OK to simply drop by, the wait isn't long. At sunset, it's a cinch to swing in and order take-out for the whole family on your way home from work.

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readers respond

Stacking kindergartners not the best answer

Am I missing something here? The school board's looking at stacking kindergarten classes, providing only the minimal amount of instructional time and also backing out of the sports complex.

This is all going on at the same time they're trying to approve a \$2.1 million dollar construction bid for new administrative offices. Are they kidding?

If our children are to be stacked and housed in schools which are desperately in need of maintenance, how can they possibly be worrying about their new offices?

One solution – how about moving their office into the now-vacant animal stalls of the Costa Mesa High School farm?

Thereby freeing up funds for the real education of our children.

EILEEN TRUXTON
Costa Mesa

The Newport-Mesa Unified School District and the Board of Education are still at it. Misleading the public. The \$2.9 million being spent for the district's new administration building certainly can be used for general fund expenditures.

Mac Bernd stated earlier in the Daily Pilot and I quote, "the monies can be used to subsidize other general fund expenses but it is a long and complicated process." For God's sake, I don't know anyone that would not be willing to wait for \$2.9 million. Get started on this process at once.

My fellow community members think about these things: stacking, kindergarten classes, selling school sites, overcrowding. Has anyone ever heard of the "big yellow school bus?"

It transports children to school sites so there won't be overcrowding.

Another thought, kindergarten is not

California state mandated. Release these kindergarten classrooms for overcrowding situations and child care centers. People speak up and be heard.

MARY K. HACKER
Costa Mesa

Get the community to pay the school district's tab

Thank you for your voice in bringing community affairs to the public's attention before they're history and in time to make a difference. Thank you very much. You're just doing a fabulous job on this.

I specifically am talking the \$15 million Newport-Mesa Unified School District renovation needs.

My thought is you're doing such a great job on getting this out in front of the public, what if you challenged

the community to contribute to the schools?

How much would this be per capita or how much per household? Maybe if people got the idea that they could chip in just a little bit, the \$15 million is not out of sight.

Maybe challenge local businesses or ask for any contributions they could make. No matter how small, it all makes a difference.

I believe the district was acting because they thought they had no other options to get this money. What if we can show them they have the best of all options, the support of the community.

I just know with all of your ability you'll be able to put this together and it'll be another done deal.

Thanks again and keep up all the good work. We really appreciate it.

CECILE PICKENS
Costa Mesa

School should just make do

About this money for the school repairs. I'm just really tired of them always saying there's never enough money.

I mean we're in the process of building \$2 million new offices. I think the adults can learn to make do. These kids need certain things.

My kids have been to those schools for years. Anyway, they've never had soap to wash their hands on or toilet seat covers. I bet all the adults have those.

And they talk about the spread of germs and things at the school. Get things in perspective. If we don't have the budget then quit building on the new center for the school district and take the special counsel and rebudget the money and get it in to the schools.

CHERRIE DOLLOFF
Costa Mesa

letters

Save John Moorlach, scrap Measure T

How delightful! John Moorlach, newest county treasurer, refuses to sit still for Judge Bruce Sumner's assault on democracy ("Moorlach: He'll quit if Measure T is passed," March 7).

Sumner is trying to sell Measure T, an unimaginably dangerous reshaping of county government. Explaining his conviction that the public can't be trusted to vote for a county treasurer, Sumner says this: the public unwisely voted for now-disgraced treasurer Robert Citron, whose illegal acts put the county into bankruptcy, but the supervisors were wise enough to appoint Moorlach as his successor ("Pros and cons of county charter measure debated," March 2).

What Sumner doesn't mention is that Citron was originally appointed as treasurer, not elected.

After that, his campaigns were generously funded by the same power brokers who prop up the rest of the county political machine. Despite packed supervisors meetings at which the public demanded Moorlach's appointment, the supervisors stubbornly resisted making him treasurer until desperation time, when nothing they were doing about the bankruptcy was working.

Now Moorlach says he'll quit if Measure T goes through. Of course. As an independent thinker surrounded by a swollen bureaucracy that needs cleaning up, he isn't willing to have his hands tied.



County Treasurer John Moorlach sits at the center of the controversy surrounding Measure T.

MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT

Here's what's bad about Measure T: Masquerading as reform, it asks us to junk democratic procedures we need more than ever.

Checks and balances disappear wholesale. The county's major decisions would shift from five elected supervisors to one non-elected, but enormously powerful, CEO.

This officer would be entrusted with hiring and firing all but a few administrators, and would decide who receives county contracts and under

what terms. We couldn't stop this CEO from holding closed-door meetings with lobbyists and assorted other special interests (which elected officials can't do legally).

He would never have to face the public in elections, and we couldn't recall him.

We would also lose our ability to vote for – or recall – either treasurer or auditor, destroying the independence of those offices. Treasurer and auditor would be added to those hired, fired and supervised by the

CEO. No checks, no balances. A closed system, dominated by what would be essentially a county boss.

Measure T is a formula for corruption, stripping the public of leverage in County decisions and supplying a shortcut to those who already have too much influence. It was drawn up by cronies, and would further entrench the cronyism that plagues county government now.

JANET REMINGTON
Costa Mesa

correspondence

Museum merger would be a travesty

My husband and I have been members of the Laguna Art Museum and the Newport Harbor Art Museum for more than years. I am a docent at the Newport Harbor and we have made provisions in our will for the Laguna Art Museum. I love both museums.

For museums such as these to do well requires much work and effort. This is typical for non-profit organizations. The current trustees of the Laguna Art Museum have indicated that a merger is a magic solution that would make things easy.

You should not accept this as fact or even as a reasonable assumption.

A combined Orange County Museum of Art with the goal of putting Orange County on the art world map with a world class cutting edge museum would be a constant struggle. As you know there is a constant struggle to cover the operating costs of the Performing Arts Center in Costa Mesa, this after raising more than \$40 million.

If it was easy to be a world-class, cutting-edge art museum, then Newport Harbor would already be that. My husband and I along with others made a significant financial contribution for

the new administration building.

It is time to stop the constant

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today, there are 30 to 35 employees. As the business grew, Cal's Camera moved three times, all within the 1700 block of Newport Boulevard.

"Orange County has been very good to Helen and me," Stilley said.

Stilley can remember when the Red Car trolley traveled the center of Newport Boulevard bringing Santa Ana residents to the beach. The boulevard was made up of small businesses and restaurants. A large two-story metal barn, belonging to Wright's Hardware, stood where Cal's warehouse and offices now are.

Things have changed over the years but not Stilley's dedication to his professional camera center.

"As camera stores go, it's a big operation," Stilley said. "We have virtually every camera made in the world, mostly in stock or available to us."

Other departments include film and photo finishing, professional rental, repair, lighting and frames and albums, each with its own area and displays.

The day-to-day operation of Cal's Camera is a family affair. Twin sons, Mark and Kurt Stilley; daughter Patricia Hegwood; son-in-law John Sagud;

and granddaughter Kimberly Stilley all work at the camera store.

"I always have enjoyed retail and somehow I have passed that on to my children who are running the business now."

When one of the neighboring buildings became vacant about five years ago, the avid golfer Stilley decided a golf store would work well there and — voila — Cal's Caddyshack was born.

Caddyshack is now run by Jim Pooler, who met and married another longtime Cal employee, Karen, when they both worked at Cal's Camera.

"She's like family," Stilley said. "I feel that way about all my employees. They're part of the family. That's the feeling the whole store has and I think we pass it on to the customer as they come in the front."

Cal and his wife are currently semi-retired, spending much of their time on the golf links and traveling in their motor home across the United States. Cal has golfed with such notables as Fuzzy Zoeller, Orville Moody and Paul Azinger.

"I never will retire totally because I love what I'm doing," Stilley said. "I couldn't have chosen a better era. We are so lucky — my generation — to see all the technology developments. When I first got started, I couldn't even fathom the digital technology we have now."

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politician unless there's a really important issue," said Ferguson, who lost to Johnson in a special election primary a year ago.

"We've been trying to report these charges for years, but now the D.A. finally recognizes that he may have some jurisdiction over the matter."

Johnson, who has long disputed Ferguson's charges, called the allegations "the political equivalent of a Hail Mary pass, a desperate attempt by a candidate who's losing and who knows he is losing."

Johnson claims he returns home to his Irvine condominium every weekend and that his

phone number is listed in the phone book. In fact, he says, he has lived in Orange County longer than Ferguson.

"Mr. Ferguson filed for this office in November," Johnson said. "If he's known about this for so long, why is he raising this issue now, less than two weeks before the election?"

"Since being sworn in, I have spent more time in the 35th Senate District than I have in Sacramento. I am there and I am active in the community."

Ferguson said he only recently asked for the investigation after learning the county district attorney's office took an interest in the residency of former Mesa Consolidated Water District board member Tom Nelson. Community

activists said Nelson actually lived in Seal Beach although Nelson kept an office in Costa Mesa.

Ferguson does not believe Lungren or Jones will "lift a finger" to investigate the allegations since both, he alleges, want to be governor. Capizzi on the other hand, might take an interest, Ferguson believes.

"I didn't think asking would do any good before, but when I heard the assistant say he understood the problem (of residency questions), that gave me courage to go ahead with the hope that somebody would listen."

Neither Ferguson nor Johnson said they have been contacted by Capizzi on this matter.

The district attorney could not be reached for comment Wednesday.

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for business purposes but for area residents.

Members said they were thrilled with the show of community support at the Tuesday night mixer at Avila's El Rancho restaurant on Placentia Avenue, where more than 60 community leaders and West Side merchants mingled.

"The key people in the community are all coming together to see how we can help this area," said Maria Elena Avila, one of the group's founders. "It was like a vision come true."

"We're trying to support the mayor and efforts of the city in cleanups and having a better city," said Javier Herrero, owner of Pro Tax Plus on West 19th Street.

At the end of the month, the LLC will distribute its first issue of a bilingual newsletter to local merchants, schools and other groups. Organizers hope to print an initial 2,000 copies, with the number increasing as advertising revenue and participation permit.

Some merchants say they finally feel more comfortable about getting involved.

"Before, you just had your business here without knowing anything about what the city's thinking, or concerns," said Herrero.

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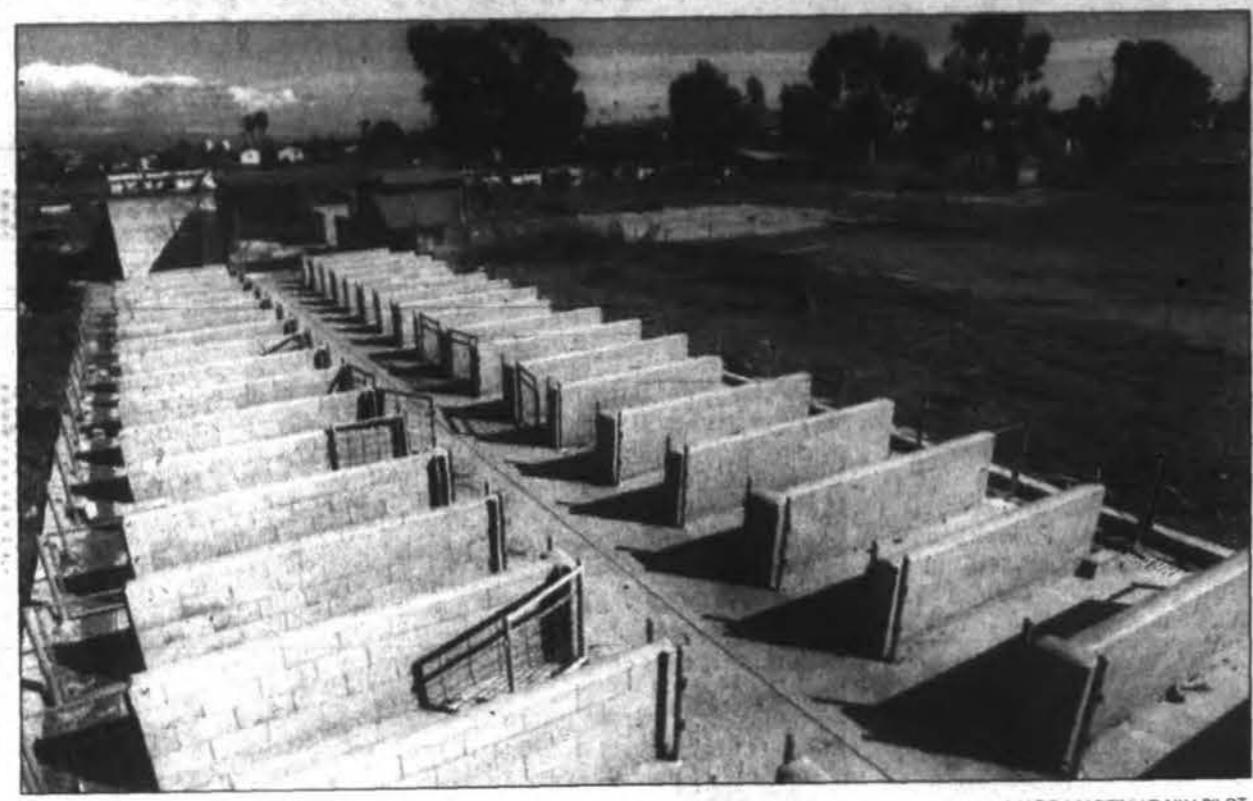
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Newport-Mesa trustees have offered to sell the Costa Mesa farm property to the city.

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Costa Mesa Mayor Joe Erickson said Wednesday he is pleased with the switch.

"I'm pleased the school board did vote unanimously to honor what the Naylor Act says," said Erickson, who has repeatedly voiced opposition to the exemption.

"I promise a prompt response. We aren't going to dilly-dally around. There's going to be a vote April 1, and I hope to give a clear decision to the school district."

Some school officials have pointed to the city's \$16.5 million budget surplus as a means to pay for the farm site. The dis-

trict is hoping to garner money for much-needed school maintenance and additional classrooms.

But Roeder said city council members already have allocated those funds for special capital projects.

"The \$16 million was not set aside to pay for the district's deferred maintenance," Roeder said. "It assumes the city has no other needs of its own."

The district does have about \$6 million set aside for park space acquisition, Roeder said.

According to the Naylor Act, the city could purchase 30% of the property at 25% of its fair market value. The other 70% would be purchased at fair market value.

The farm was appraised last year at \$8.8 million, Bernd said. But both Bernd and Erickson said they would get updated appraisals separately if the city decides to purchase the property.

"I've heard the superintendent mention various figures, but I think this needs to be looked at as commercial real estate negotiations and we should both get appraisals if we decide to go forward," Erickson said.

If the city decides at its April 1 meeting to purchase the farm, the sale won't be a done deal, Bernd said. School board members would have to declare the site surplus and vote to offer it for sale to other public agencies.

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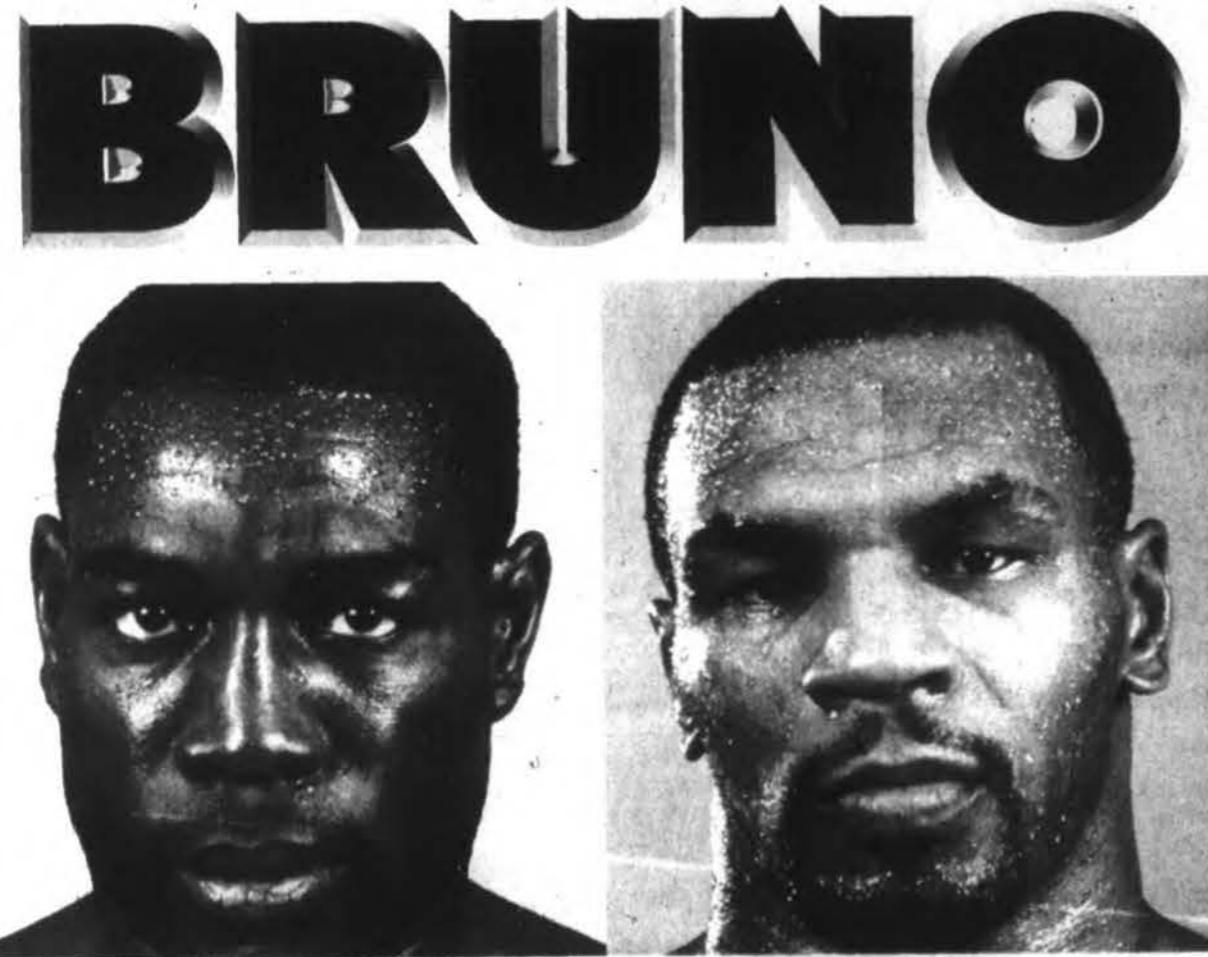


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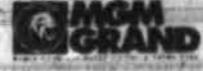
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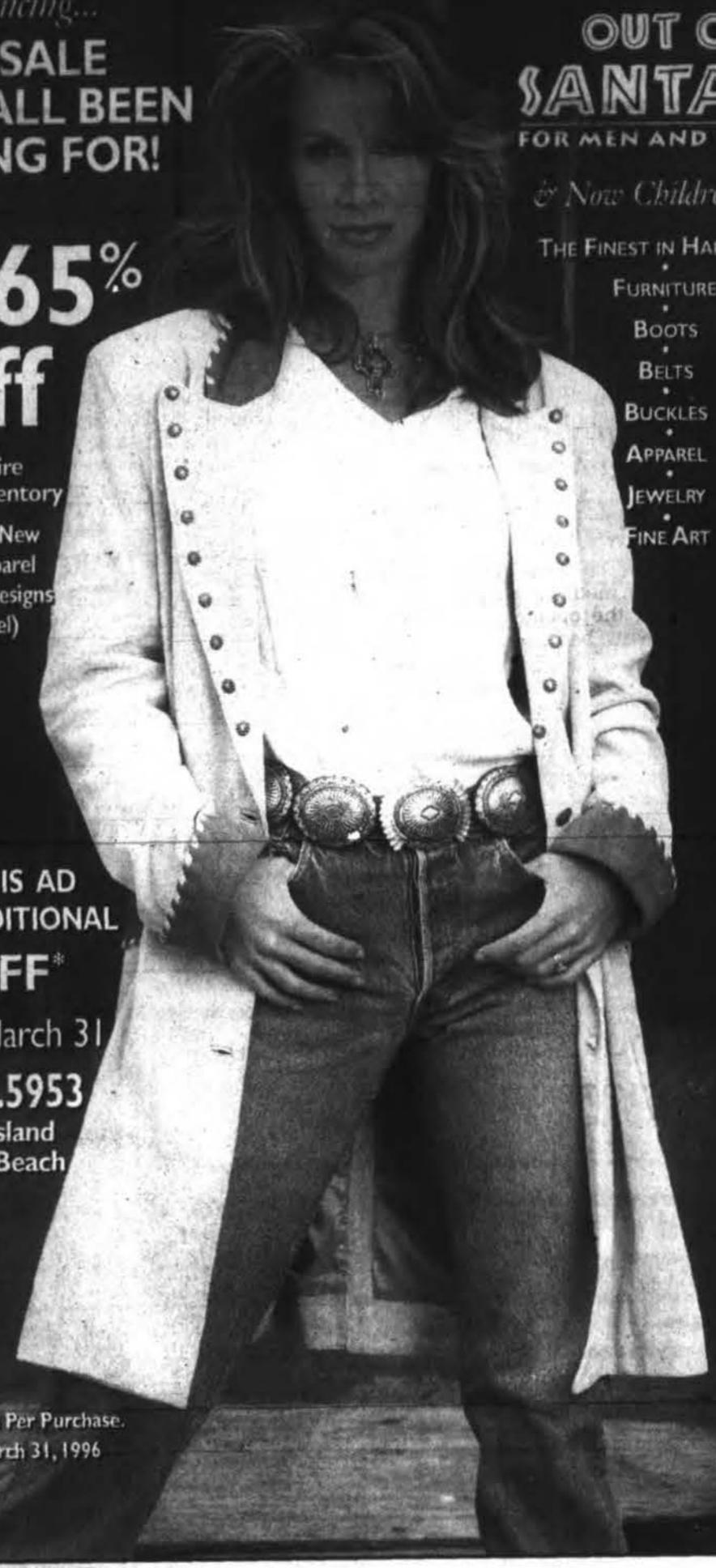
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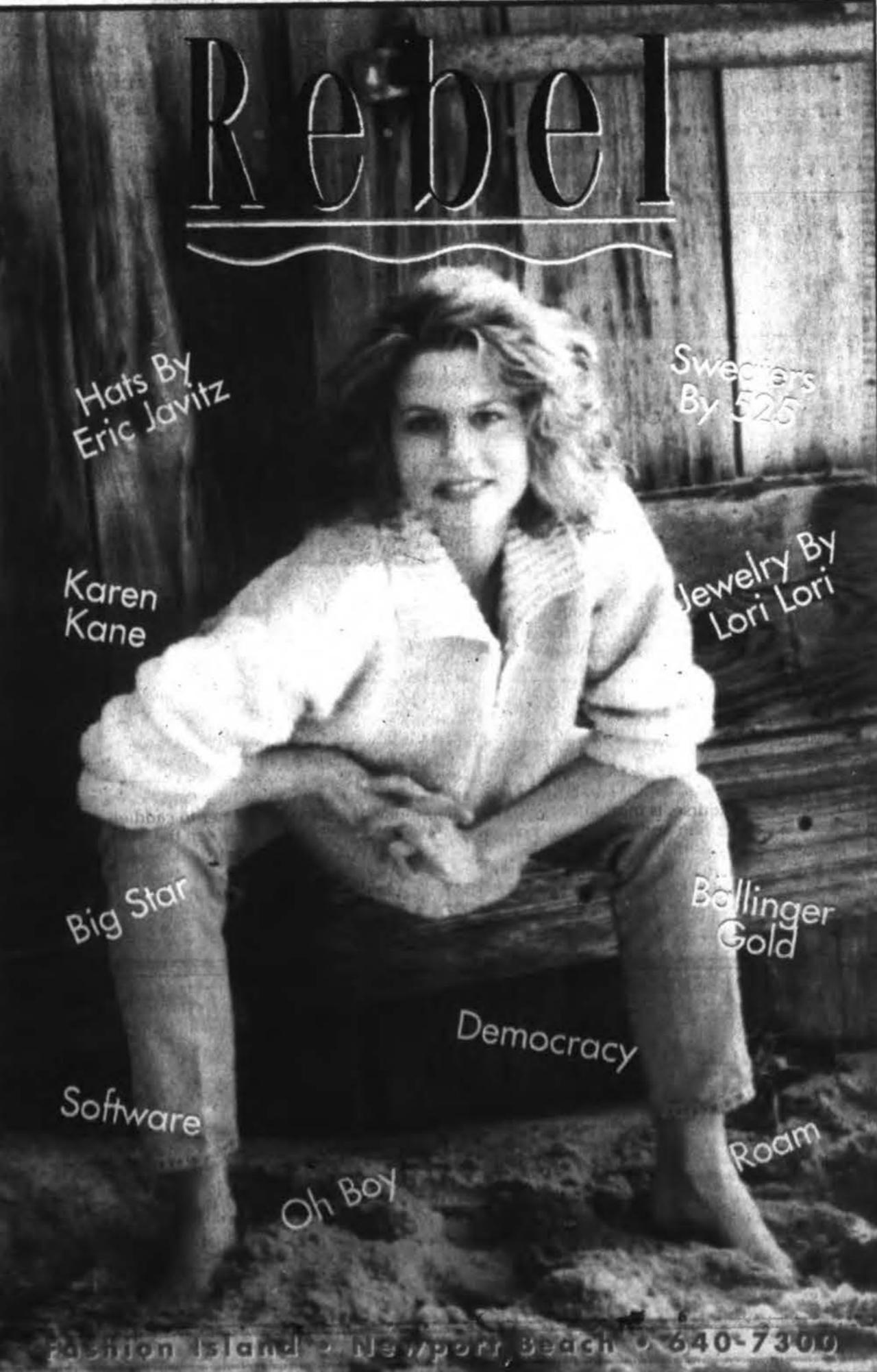
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toshiba senior classic

Murphy omen: Sunday is St. Pat's

■ Bob Murphy is the Tour's hottest, and he has been doing it with a go-for-it attitude right from the start.

By Richard Dunn, Daily Pilot

NEWPORT BEACH - Bob Murphy's severe arthritis is treated with medication, but his ailing play on Fridays, the opening rounds of Senior PGA Tour events, had no cure.

So Murphy did something about it last year: Approach the opening round with the same gusto as Sundays.

Murphy, who was coaxed out of the ESPN broadcast booth by Lee Trevino to play the Senior Tour on a full-time basis, enjoyed a career-best season last year, winning four titles and tying Jim Colbert for the most victories, while finishing as one of the circuit's five millionaires.

This year, Murphy is off to the best start of his career, leading the tour in money earnings (\$302,467) after his victory in the Royal Caribbean Classic at Key Biscayne, Fla., along with second, third and eighth place finishes.

So watch out for Murphy this week, especially considering the Toshiba Senior Classic at Newport Beach Country Club Friday

through Sunday will end on St. Patrick's Day. "And I will be green," Murphy said. "You can bet you butt on that."

Murphy, who opened last year's tournament with the first tee shot, began to focus more on the opening rounds last year. "It blew me away," he said of his success. "So I had to get it back this year, and I've played about as good as you can play the first four weeks."

"I've been trying to shoot better rounds on Fridays, because I discovered that my track record was poor on Fridays. I would shoot way too many 71s, 72s and 73s on Friday, and that's

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MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT

Walter Morgan watches the flight of his drive in Pro-Am play.

Hustler's dream comes true with tour as a senior

■ Walter Morgan grew up scratching for a living, and the lessons he learned have helped him become one of the tour's major hitters.

Walter Morgan made money hustling fellow soldiers on military golf courses in the U.S. Army, but it's nothing like the gold mine he has discovered on the Senior PGA Tour.

"I was an E-5 when I started playing golf, so I couldn't afford to lose \$2," said Morgan, who served two tours of duty in Vietnam, retiring from the military as a sergeant first class in 1980 at age 39.

Morgan, one of the hottest golfers on the Senior Tour, and the cousin of Baseball Hall of Famer Joe Morgan, was never pampered in a country club growing up. In fact, he didn't pick up the game until age 25.

He was a baseball standout, an outfielder who could hit the long ball. For 11 seasons, Morgan conquered the military leagues, claiming to have hit 26 home runs one year in a 25-game season.

"There were several games when I hit three or four home runs," said Morgan, who had offers to play professionally, but couldn't get out of the army.

Morgan was too old for professional baseball by the time he left the military. But certainly not too old for golf.

He would sneak onto golf courses as a kid. "It would be late in the evening, and that was the only way to get on," he said.

"Ever get caught? No, I was too fast," Morgan replied.

When Morgan was stationed in Hawaii, a golf course was

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directly behind the baseball diamond. One day, he borrowed a 7-iron and gave it a whirl, shooting a 79 in his maiden round. Six months later, he was hooked.

"I had hit balls before, but I never thought about playing golf," said Morgan, who will compete in the Toshiba Senior Classic Friday through Sunday at Newport Beach Country Club, a total purse of \$1 million, of which the winner receives \$150,000.

Perhaps more than any of his peers, for a guy who witnessed the most gruesome of moments in the Southeast Asian combat trenches 30 years ago, golf has been very, very good to Walter Morgan.

"The Senior Tour has changed my life ... I can fly first class now and sleep in nice hotels ..."

— WALTER MORGAN

"The Senior Tour has changed my life," said Morgan, who beat Gary Player in a playoff to win at the Tour's Ojai stop earlier this month, launching Morgan to fifth place on this year's money list (\$163,548).

"It was tough when I first came out here, because the military competition and here is much different. I can fly first class now and sleep in nice hotels."

Morgan, whose trademark

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CADDYSHACK

It's nothing short of a cutthroat business in a country club world.

By Richard Dunn, Daily Pilot

Those golf bags with fancy labels and player sponsorships carry more than woods and irons, but someone's livelihood.

For the professional caddie, especially one without a bag, life isn't easy hustling around a golf course before a tournament, like this week's Toshiba Senior Classic at the Newport Beach Country Club.

"It is hustling," said Sandy Jones, one of the few women in the business, who came up short this week in her quest to find a bag.

Jones, 28, quit her job as an assistant pro in Minneapolis last year to become a caddie. She's not completely out of work this weekend, though. She will assume scoreboard duty in the media tent.

"You just do your job and hope it's not one of those guys who freak out over everything ..."

— BIG RED

Hartkop is the caddie this week for Tom Shaw, for whom he has worked, on and off, for the last five years.

"Keeping a bag is the key," Hartkop said. "You just do your job and hope it's not one of those guys who freak out over everything. You know, being a caddie is like a manager in baseball; if you don't like the ballclub, you don't fire the whole team. You get hired and fired a lot. It's just the nature of the game. A lot of players just want something to blame it on."

J.C. Snead, a PGA veteran considered by many a tough customer to deal with off the links, has simple, yet candid requirements for a good caddie.

"Be on time, stay sober and get the yardage right," Snead said. "That's it."

Caddying, of course, is more than carrying a golfer's bag and finding his ball.

"We wear a lot of different hats," said Beth Kaufman, Gary Player's caddie for the fourth consecutive week. "You're part psychologist and part friend. You're there



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Sampson Marshall has been lugging around golf clubs for the pros for 35 years.

for whatever they need. I'm there for the player so he can focus on his game, and hopefully elevate the thoughts of their mind. There's a whole psychological end to it. It's just like a partnership."

Kaufman, 40, has been on the tour for four years. She's delighted that someone as legendary as Player — one of only four golfers in history to win all four major championships — has hired her to caddie.

"Gary doesn't ask anything on the greens, but I give him the yardage," she added. "It's hard to get work, because there's a lot of competition. A lot of people are looking for work."

Several caddies this week, including Herman Mitchell, the longtime bag-carrier for Lee Trevino, refused to be interviewed for this story, largely because of a fear of saying something controversial and being fired by their golfer, a Senior PGA Tour official explained.

"You're getting paid to talk to people, so I ain't talking unless you pay me," Mitchell said.

"You never know," said Carlos Brown, a caddie searching diligently for an open bag this week. "You can get fired on the spot."

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HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

Tars get a scare at Laguna

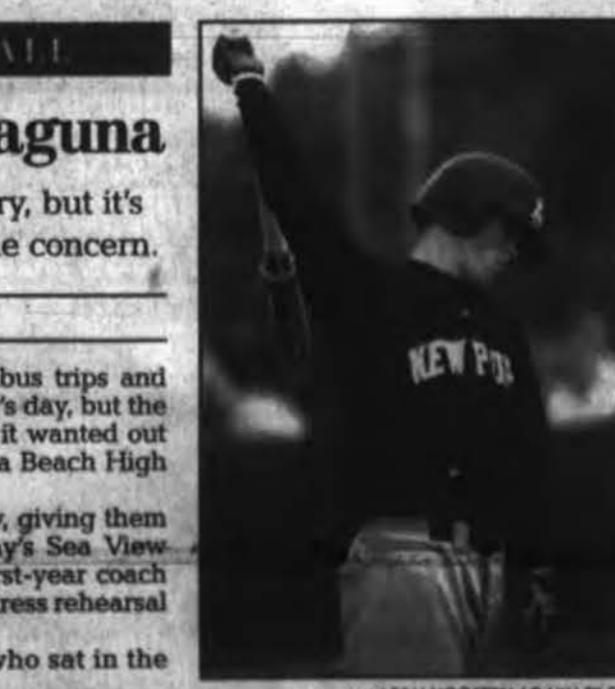
■ Sailors rally for 8-4 nonleague victory, but it's an injury to Chad Coluccio which is the concern.

By Barry Faulkner, Daily Pilot

LAGUNA BEACH - It took 27 hours, two bus trips and enough mud stains to make any kindergartener's day, but the Newport Harbor High baseball team got what it wanted out of Wednesday's nonleague road date at Laguna Beach High — with one scary exception.

Oh sure, the Sailors rallied for an 8-4 victory, giving them four wins in five decisions heading into Friday's Sea View League opener at El Toro. But, according to first-year coach Jim Kiefer, that wasn't as important as another dress rehearsal before stepping in with the big boys.

"This game was necessary," said Kiefer, who sat in the



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Newport Harbor's Garrett Nuzum

Garrett Nuzum finds life on the west side to his liking.

By Barry Faulkner, Daily Pilot

Garrett Nuzum already had the fastball and the curve. In order to pursue the kind of success he'd become accustomed to on the mound, however, the junior left-hander decided to go with a "change" following his sophomore season on the Corona del Mar High Varsity baseball team.

So, last summer, Nuzum took his pinpoint control — as well as his rapidly developing off-speed pitch

— and transferred across the Back Bay to Newport Harbor.

"It was a whole bunch of things," Nuzum said of the reasons behind the move, which has paid immediate dividends for first-year Sailors Coach Jim Kiefer.

The Daily Pilot Athlete of the Week led his former arch-rival Tars to the championship of the Costa Mesa Tournament Saturday, striking out 12 in a complete-game, 2-1 victory over Bolsa Grande in the title game. He also drove in both Harbor

runs with a fifth-inning single.

In three tournament games last week, the former Sea King drove in five runs and fanned 13 in eight innings.

Heading into Friday's starting assignment at El Toro in the Sea View League opener, Nuzum has 24 Ks in 15 innings. He has allowed just 11 hits, walked two and yielded two earned runs (0.93 ERA). At the plate, he is hitting .357 (5 for 14) with two

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HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL



Newport Harbor High center fielder Chad Coluccio (above, right) did not walk away from this play after tangling with teammate Nick Lewis in a collision in the outfield as the two went for the ball. Coluccio was treated for a mild concussion and a separated right shoulder. The severity of the shoulder injury is not expected to be determined until today.

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TARS

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Laguna Beach dugout with his team in a downpour Tuesday, before relenting to the rain gods and opting for a return visit Wednesday. "It was another chance to tune up for Friday and it gave us a chance to get another look against live competition."

"And, pitching wise, it gave our sophomore left-hander (Grant Miller who started and got the win), as well as get Joe (Urban, who notched the save) another chance to throw."

It was not without its price, however, as senior center fielder and cleanup hitter Chad Coluccio sustained a mild concussion and a separated right shoulder, when colliding with left fielder Nick Lewis trying to flag down Aaron Whiffel's first-inning double.

Coluccio, who along with Lewis dived into one another on the play, made it to his feet, hold-



ing his head, but quickly went to a seated position. Coluccio was later taken on a stretcher by paramedics to South Coast Medical Center after being treated for 20 minutes on the field.

Coluccio, reached at home Wednesday night, said he would know more about the duration of his absence after a visit to the orthopedist today.

Miller survived a rocky first inning to even his record at 1-1, allowing two earned runs, four hits, and retiring five of the last six hitters he faced.

Miller also jacked a two-run, second-inning home run to keep the Tars close, and senior Gavin Tomalas muscled a three-run blast over the left field fence in the third to put the Tars ahead for good, 5-4.

Singles by Lewis, Paul Jones



Miller

and Garrett Nuzum, the latter driving in a run, as well as a Jason Szolomayer double and an Artist error, led to three runs in the sixth.

Urban, who fanned a career-high 11 in a complete-game five-hitter against Laguna Beach last week, fanned five in three hitless innings to close it out, before the umpire concluded the game one inning early due to darkness.

Donner Walters added a double to the Tars' eight-hit attack and Urban walked twice and scored a pair of runs.

"We had some timely hitting," said Kiefer, who is pleased about the 4-1 start, but still concerned about what he termed "struggling with the details," including four errors.

NONLEAGUE
Newport Harbor 8, Laguna Beach 4
Newport Harbor 023, 003 - 8 8 4
Laguna Beach 310, 000 - 4 4 2
Miller, Urban and Jones; McKibban, Howe (4), Grant (6), O'Keefe (6) and Weenig, Moore (5); W-Miller, 1-1; L-McKibban, Su-Urban (1); 2B-Walters (NH); Whitfield (LB); Szolomayer (NH); HR-Miller (NH), Amador (LB), Tomalas (NH).

Miller also jacked a two-run, second-inning home run to keep the Tars close, and senior Gavin Tomalas muscled a three-run blast over the left field fence in the third to put the Tars ahead for good, 5-4.

Singles by Lewis, Paul Jones

Grand slammer tops Corona del Mar, 8-4

CORONA DEL MAR

Junior Royal McMackin belted his second home run of the season, a two-run blast to give the Sea Kings a 4-1 lead over visiting Trabuco Hills after five innings of their nonleague contest Wednesday.

But the Mustangs tied it in the sixth, then went home victorious, by virtue of catcher Josh Gause's no-out opposite-field



McMackin

grand slam on an 0-2 pitch in the seventh.

The Sea Kings (3-2) brought the tying run to the plate in the seventh, but a flyout ended the contest, improving Trabuco Hills to 4-1.

McMackin went 2 for 4 to lead the Sea Kings' five-hit attack, which appeared good enough to back starter Chris Wills, who fanned five and walked just one in six innings

of work.

Senior catcher Bryan Bear and senior outfielder Reuben Guldridge drove in the other CdM runs in the Sea Kings' final tuneup for Friday's Sea View League opener against visiting Woodbridge.

NONLEAGUE
Trabuco Hills 8, Corona del Mar 4
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Corona del Mar 100 120 0 - 4 5 1
Poe, Patterson (4), Ruppe (6) and Gause, Poe (6); Wills, MacMillan (7) and Bear, W-Puppe, L-MacMillan, 0-1; 2B-Thatcher (TH), Johnson (CdM), HR-Gause (TH), McMackin (CdM).

CdM's Coleman, Klinke named to first team on coaches' All-Sea View boys basketball team

Corona del Mar High senior forwards Brian Coleman and Adam Klinke, who led the Sea Kings to third place in the Sea View League, were named to first-team all-league by the circuit's coaches.

CdM senior Darren MacDonald and Newport Harbor junior Peter Cunningham were named to the second team, while Woodbridge High's 6-foot-11 junior blue-chip center Chris Burgess was tabbed Most Valuable Player.

BOYS BASKETBALL HONORS

Coaches' All-Sea View League boys basketball - 1996

Most Valuable Player

Player, school	ht.	yr.	avg.
Chris Burgess, Woodbridge	6-10	Jr.	26.9
First Team			
Allen Krist, Santa Margarita	6-8	Sr.	19.0
Dennis Keane, Santa Margarita	6-4	Sr.	18.0
Brian Coleman, Corona del Mar	6-4	Sr.	14.2
Travis Senik, El Toro	6-3	Sr.	15.3
Amir Rahimi, Irvine	6-2	Sr.	15.0
Adam Klinke, Corona del Mar	6-4	Sr.	13.3
William Stovall, Woodbridge	6-1	Jr.	11.3
Second Team			
Fabrizio Mendiola, El Toro	6-0	Jr.	10.3
Peter Cunningham, Newport Harbor	6-2	Jr.	9.8
Brandon Beeson, Woodbridge	6-5	Jr.	6.5
Darren MacDonald, Corona del Mar	6-4	Sr.	6.0
Bryan Krill, Irvine	6-3	Sr.	5.9
Matt Nickels, Santa Margarita	6-2	Sr.	3.4
Matt Pohlson, Santa Margarita	5-10	Sr.	1.8

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Unbeaten Newport Elementary No. 1 caps it, 20-4

NEWPORT BEACH - Newport Elementary No. 1, which sewed up the C Division title last week, finished the regular season with a 20-4 win over Heights in City of Newport Beach Youth Basketball League play.

Tommy Holbrook led the way with eight points while Tyler Cormwell scored six, Josh White had four and Dillon Griffin added two as Newport capped an undefeated 8-0 season.

Heights got two points from Michael Kuzara and one point each from Nolan Hooper and Michael King.

Newport Elementary joins Harbor View (4-0), the B Division winner, and Lincoln (3-1), the winner in the A Division, in representing the city in the Orange

County Municipal Athletic Association Youth Basketball Tournament in Cypress, starting March 22.

In other C Division games:

Harbor View (No. 1) 43, Lincoln (No. 1) 12

Harbor View No. 1 finished the regular season with a 43-12 win over Lincoln No. 1.

Harbor View (7-1) got 21 points from Marcus Hoffman to post a 32-point win. Jon Steinberg was also in double figures with 10 points. Other scorers: Scott Caput, 6; Eric Aakhus, 4; and Kristine Keene, 2.

Philip Okura led Lincoln with six points while Kate Heeschens had four and Sara Stern put in two.

Harbor View (No. 3) 20,

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Red Sox, Cardinals win Pony openers

NEWPORT BEACH - The Newport East Pony League Opening Day doubleheader Saturday provided some offensive fireworks with the Red Sox defeating the A's, 13-12, and the Cardinals beating the Yankees, 14-10.

The A's jumped out to a 3-0 lead after one which the Red Sox cut to 3-2 through two. The A's then exploded for seven runs in the third only to see the Red Sox come back with eight runs in the sixth to tie the game, 10-10.

The A's went ahead once more, scoring two more runs in the top of the seventh to retake the lead, but the Red Sox came back with three of their own for the win.

Wyatt Stratemann scored the game-winner on a close play at the plate.

Mike Coopersmith caught all seven innings for the Red Sox and added a key double.

The Red Sox are managed by Steve Bottom while Tom Voge is the head man for the A's.

The second game was called after 5 1/2 innings due to the mercy rule.

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NEWPORT EAST

innings, striking out four and not allowing an earned run. He also went 2 for 3 with doubles and scored three runs.

The other half of the Cardinals battery, catcher Carlo Perea, went for 4 for 4 and scored three runs.

Centerfielder David Mittman was 2 for 2 with two walks while shortstop Jonathan Schrank was 2 for 3 with a walk and two runs scored.

The Cardinals scored three runs in the first, two in the third and three in the fourth to take an 8-1 lead.

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cigar rarely leaves his mouth on the course, was twice an All-Service golf champion. When he left the army, he tried for his PGA card, but missed the cut at Qualifying School by one stroke. He never tried again. "I knew I was too old to compete with those kids," he said. "And I knew what the next best thing was, so I took a club job."

"I don't regret not having played earlier in life. If I had taken it up, I may have been burned out by now, or maybe I wouldn't have liked it as much. When I was about 48, I saw how much money those (Senior Tour) guys were making out here, and I said, 'wow.' I had no doubts, I knew I could play. If you don't think you can play, stay home. Why waste the money?"

Skins were always on the table when Morgan played in the army. "You played on good golf courses, too, for \$6," he said. "And, oh, sure, players would hustle each other. You had to make that money; you never played golf in the military without money (on the line)."

Wages, of course, are much higher now. And there was no ESPN coverage on those military courses.

CADDYSHACK

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you don't show up, or if you got drunk the night before." Caddies take care of every detail. They stand behind golfers on the driving range, feed balls on the practice green, study breaks on the greens.

"When a player turns around, he must see you," Brown added. "It's not for you to see him, necessarily, but for him to see you. Of your responsibilities, 90% of it is giving a second opinion. Two heads are always better than one."

Brown, who caddied in John Daly's group at Riviera before Daly won the British Open last year, is still trying to find an open bag this week.

"People are hustling, but it's not hustling, it's a job," he said. "It's like applying for a job, but only you're hoping the guy will tell you to start working tomorrow."

According to Jones, a \$500 travel allowance is generally given to caddies, who then receive about 6% of the players' winnings for the week.

"It makes it a lot easier when you're with a player for a long time, instead of hustling," she said. "If you're persistent, you can usually get a bag. I can't see going back to my old job, working 70 hours a week. I've liked it so far; it's nice to be outside."

Hartkop, 44, who carried a bag for JoAnne Carner on the LPGA Tour for 15 years, said that 20% of the caddies earn 80% of the money. In a good year, caddies can make up to \$50,000.

"But I spent \$28,000 last year, just on my expenses," said Hartkop, who refuses to answer to any name other than 'Big Red.' "Now there are guys making some money, but most of us are just trying hard to hold onto our jobs."

Many caddies hang out together, like fraternity brothers, when they're off duty, waiting for their player to arrive, or hustling for a bag. It's nothing short of a cutthroat business in a country club world.

NUZUM

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doubles and a team-leading six RBI.

"We talk to the kids all the time about having people step up and be a leader and he's definitely been one to shine so far," Kiefer said. "I knew about his pitching talent, but I didn't expect him to be a force offensively."

And while Nuzum's statistical contribution is indeed immense, Kiefer said his attitude may be equally important the Tars' 4-1 start.

TOSHIBA SENIOR CLASSIC

But when you've taken Morgan's route to the Senior Tour, pressure is the other guy's problem.

"I've very fortunate (to be alive), that's why you see me smiling all the time," he said. "I could be on the other side; I've seen more than I care to talk about."

Sinking a birdie putt on an Ojai playoff hole against the legendary Player is much less pressuring than evading bullets and bombs aimed toward your troop.

"I was thrilled to beat a legend," said Morgan, who also got the proverbial monkey off his back in winning his second career Senior Tour title, following his victory at the Seattle stop of the Tour last September.

"(Player) told me he really wanted to win, but if he was going to lose to anybody, he was glad it was me, and he congratulated me."

Morgan had 17 birdies for the week. "It gave me a lot more confidence," he said of the Ojai win. "Now I've got the feeling that I can win again. It took that burden off my shoulders, and proved to everyone that (winning in Seattle) wasn't a fluke."

In his life of survival, Walter Morgan has never been a fluke.

• RICHARD DUNN is a Daily Pilot Sportswriter whose club golf column appears every Thursday.

CLASSIC

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not a way to start a tournament. The thrill of the fight was not in me until Sunday. "Mentally, I was playing mind games with myself. Imagine that, an Irishman playing mind games."

Now, when it's Saturday or Sunday, Murphy finds himself teeing off late, usually with players like Trevino, Colbert and Dave Stockton. Starting strong has its advantages.

"It worked last year," Murphy said. "Before then, I finished second six times, and I was wondering why that kept happening ... one shot, six times."

"In two other tournaments, I was one shot away from the playoffs. When there's just one shot, that tells me I could've saved a shot somewhere, probably in a Friday round."

Murphy was right. Now he plays Friday rounds like a true fighting Irishman.

Murphy missed Tuesday's practice round because of a media conference in Charlotte, N.C., where he won last year's PaineWebber Invita-



MARC MARTIN / DAILY PILOT

Deane Beman has his eye on the ball in Wednesday's Pro-Am competition. He went 1-under with a 70 to share first place money with five others.

Toshiba Senior Classic: Pro-Am First Day Individual winners Deane Beman (70) \$333 Charlie Coody (70) \$333 Gary Player (70) \$333 Bobby Stroble (70) \$333 Dale Douglass (70) \$333 Jim Colbert (70) \$333 John Jacobs (71) \$125 Walter Morgan (71) \$125 Dick Hendrickson (71) \$125 DeWitt Weaver (71) \$125

First Day Team winners DeWitt Weaver (Baldwin, Boykins, Neely and Simpkins) (54) \$450

Steve Spray (Crigler, C. Leyton, M. Leyton and Wolf) (54) \$450

John Paul Cain (Amen, Equils, Hoover and Yates) (55) \$275

Bob Eastwood (Compton, Dukes, Godwin and Nonaka) (55) \$275

Lee Elder (Deveroux, Fong, McGinn and Prevot) (55) \$275

Lee Trevino (Bentley, Iwama, Nakayama and Rea) (55) \$275

Deane Beman (Gunti, Hadley, Reilly and Smoker) (56) \$155

Mike Hill (Fujita, Kato, Park and Sato) (57) \$115

Ben Smith (Churchevera, Keller, Couvaris and Liebert) (57) \$115

Gary Player (Monteleone, Mulchay, Slempe and Zarate) (57) \$115

briefs

Sailors fall in four

NEWPORT BEACH - The Newport Harbor High boys volleyball team took one game from Mira Costa, the top-rated team in CIF, but fell in four Wednesday, 8-15, 15-12, 2-15, 12-15.

The Sailors (0-2), who missed 20 serves, were led by Wes Badorek with nine kills. Scott Archbold had eight and Brian Fox added seven against Mira Costa (3-0).

Newport will be back in action Friday at Marine High for the Orange County Championships featuring 12 Division I schools.

CdM drops match to Barons

FOUNTAIN VALLEY - VOLLEYBALL

The Corona del Mar High boys volleyball team lost a four-game match to Fountain Valley Wednesday, 15-12, 14-16, 15-5, 15-3.

Brian Coleman was the kill leader with 26 for CdM (2-1).

Eagles lead Newport by four

GOLF

COSTA MESA - In close first-round action, the boys golf team from Estancia High finished four strokes ahead of Newport-Mesa District rival Newport Harbor Tuesday, 200-204.

Newport's Bill Callopy took medalist honors, shooting 37 over the nine-hole, par-36 Mesa Verde Country Club course.

Justin Shapiro, of Newport, along with Estancia's Jeff Perry, Ross Necessary and Alex Lassen, were all one shot back at 38.

Other Sailor scorers were: Chris Hentira, 40; Brian Bower, 44; and Omar Hussein, 45.

Estancia's Mike Perry and Andy Thomson shot 43s.

The second half of the double match will be played on Newport Harbor's home turf.

Barnett (73) ignites Orange Coast

GOLF

COSTA MESA - Eric Barnett, formerly of Estancia High, shot the low

round of the day for the Orange Coast College men's golf team Wednesday, but the Pirates still fell in a nonconference match to Citrus, 315-378.

Barnett shot a 73 over the par 70 Mesa Linda course. Other scorers for OCC (8-5) included: Keith Achman, 74; Alex Yi, 76; Larry Echels, 77; and Dan Orris, 78.

CdM's Aley spins three-hit gem

SOFTBALL

LAGUNA BEACH - Hayden Aley, who started the season with a rough outing, came back Wednesday to pitch a gem, shutting out Laguna Beach, 3-0.

Aley (1-1) struck out eight batters while holding the Artists to three hits.

The Sea Kings (4-2) scored all three of their runs in the fourth inning, the big play a two-run single by Erica Greene. Erica Zoelle, who had walked to load the bases for Greene, came home with the third run on a fielder's choice.

Corona del Mar 3, Laguna Beach 0

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Aley and Wills; Jen. Roche, Jes. Roche (5) and Goodman. W-Aley (1-1). L-Jes. Roche.

Vanguards lose to Fairfield, 7-2

TENNIS

COSTA MESA - The Southern California College women's tennis team was beaten Wednesday, 7-2, by Fairfield.

Quynh Le won her singles match, 6-1, 6-1, and then teamed with Wendy Andel to win in doubles, 6-2, 6-2, for SCC's only two victories of the match. The Vanguards are now 6-5.

Fairfield 7, SoCal College 2

Singles: Le (SCC) def. Hanson, 6-1, 6-1; Canuso (F) def. Connolly, 7-5, 6-1; Fitzpatrick (F) def. George, 6-0, 6-1; Tindall (F) def. Andel, 6-2, 6-2; Srubar (F) def. Binnquist, 6-1, 6-4; Miner (F) def. Tate, 6-1, 6-1.

Doubles: Le-Andel (SCC) def. Hanson-Canuso, 6-2, 6-2; Fitzpatrick-Srubar (F) def. George-Binnquist, 6-0, 6-3; Tindall-Miner (F) def. Connolly-Tate, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3.

DEEP SEA

Newport Landing schedule for Thursday

Halfday trip: 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (\$23 adults, \$15 juniors 12-and-under). Whale watching: 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. (\$12 adults, \$6 juniors 12-and-under).

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STATEMENT OF

ABANDONMENT OF

USE OF FICTITIOUS

BUSINESS NAME

The following persons

have abandoned the use of

the Fictitious Business

Name: Precision Consulting,

417 W. Nobel, #D,

Santa Ana, CA 92707

The Fictitious Business

Name referred to above

was filed in Orange County

on 3-21-95. File

No. F640704

Joel Aaron Richman, 417

W. Nobel, #D, Santa Ana,

CA 92707

This business was con-

ducted by an individual

This statement was filed

with the County Clerk of

Orange County on 2-6-96

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Ste. 350, Newport

Beach, CA 92660

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MUNICIPAL COURT

PLAINTIFF: HARBOR

RIDGE ASSOCIATION

DEFENDANT: R.D.

PONATH AND J.J.

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PARCEL 2:

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NOTICE OF

MARSHAL'S SALE

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600, NEWPORT
BEACH, CA 92680
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NORTH ORANGE
COUNTY MUNICIPAL
SCHOOL

PLAINTIFF: BOSE
CORPORATION
DEFENDANT: AMO-
BOSO

NOTICE OF
MARSHAL'S SALE

HNOCB30133-A

By virtue of a writ issued on SEPTEMBER 5, 1995, in the above designated Court, upon a judgment entered 1-20-89, in favor of judgment creditor(s), BOSE CORPORATION and against judgment debtor(s), JACK E AMOROSO JR. IN AND DBA FIRST SERVICE INSURANCE, REPLACEMENT COMPANY showing a net balance of \$6677.48 actually due on said judgment on the date of the issuance of said writ, I have levied upon all right, title and interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the property in the County of Orange, State of California, described as follows:

THIS PROPERTY IS A DWELLING COMMONLY KNOWN AS 2687 ORANGE AVE #D, COSTA MESA, CA

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
ALL THAT CERTAIN LAND SITUATED IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE, CITY OF COSTA MESA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

A CONDOMINIUM, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 2687 ORANGE AVENUE #D, COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA, COMPRISING OF AN UNDIVIDED ONE-HALF INTEREST IN AND TO THE FOLLOWING:

PARCEL A: AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH (1/5TH) INTEREST IN LOT 1 OF TRACT NO. 11960, AS PER MAP RECORDED IN BOOK 523, PAGES 43 AND 44 OF MISCELLANEOUS MAPS, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM, UNITS 1 THROUGH 5 INCLUSIVE, AS SHOWN AND DEFINED ON THE CONDOMINIUM PLAN RECORDED NOVEMBER 20, 1984, AS INSTRUMENT NO. 84-48966 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS OF SAID ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

PARCEL B: UNIT 4, AS SHOWN AND DEFINED ON THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CONDOMINIUM PLAN.

*THIS PROPERTY IS A DWELLING, THE ADDRESS OF CO-OWNER, MARY WOODMANSEE, IS 24221 BRIONES, LAGUNA NIGUEL, CALIFORNIA 92656

If the subject of this sale has no street address, other common designation, direction to its location may be obtained from the Marshal's Office upon request.

Potential bidders should refer to Sections 701.510 to 701.680, inclusive, of the Code of Civil Procedure for provisions governing the terms, conditions, and effect of the sale and the liability of defaulting bidders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on APRIL 3, 1996, at 2:00 o'clock P.M. at 4601 JAMBORNEE BLVD, RM 108, CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH, County of Orange, State of California I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States, all the right, title and interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the above described property, so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution, with accrued interest and costs.

APPROXIMATE MINIMUM BID \$10,000
Dated 3-5, 1996

1 Division: HARBOR
MICHAEL S. CORONA,
Marshall, Orange
County

By: B. BYERS, Deputy
*NOTE: Do not take down or deface a posted notice before the sale or satisfaction of judgment. Penal Code Section 616 (misdemeanor).

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BSC 4871
NOTICE OF
PETITION TO
ADMINISTER
ESTATE OF:
ARTHUR BENTON
WEST aka
ARTHUR B. WEST
aka ARTHUR WEST
aka ART WEST

CASE NO. A181665
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: ARTHUR BENTON WEST aka ARTHUR B. WEST aka ARTHUR WEST aka ART WEST

A PETITION has been filed by CYNTHIA JEAN WEST ELY in the Superior Court of California, County of ORANGE.

THE PETITION requests that CYNTHIA JEAN WEST ELY be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an inter-

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NOTICE TO
CREDITORS OF
BULK SALE
AND OF INTENTION
TO TRANSFER
ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGE LICENSE
(U.C.C. 6101
et. seq. and
B&P 24073 et. seq.)

Encro No. 10770-MC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on

04/01/96 at 11:30 a.m. at

ALLSPACE, 8564 HAMIL-

TON AVE., HUNTINGTON

CA 92626

The business is known as: ALTA DENA DRIVE-IN DAIRY

The names, Social Secu-

riety or Federal Tax Num-

bers, and addresses of the

Seller/Transferee are: PAO

SHANG LU, 1085 BAKER

STREET, COSTA MESA, CA

92626

The assets to be sold are

described in general as:

furniture, fixtures, equip-

ment and stock in trade of

a DRIVE-IN DAIRY and are

located at: 1085 BAKER

STREET, COSTA MESA, CA

92626

The kind of license to be

transferred is: OFF-SELL

BEER AND WINE LICENSE

NO: 20-27164 now issued

for the premises located

1085 BAKER STREET,

COSTA MESA, CA 92626

The bulk sale is subject to

California Uniform Com-

mercial Code Section

512-250.

The anticipated date of

the sale/transf er is: April 4,

1996 at the office of Op-

portunity Escrow, 1025 E

Chapman Ave., Orange

CA 92666

The amount of the pur-

chase price or considera-

tion in connection with the

transfer of the license is

\$65,000.00 which includes

the estimated inven-

ture of \$25,000.00, pay-

able as follows:

DESCRIPTION AMOUNT

1 cash \$ 1,000.00

1 demand note to be re-

placed in cash \$ 3,000.00

1 note \$ 61,000.00

It has been agreed be-

tween the Seller/Licensee

and the intended Buyer/

Transferee, as required by

Sec. 24073 of the Business

and Professions Code, that

the consideration for the

transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has

been approved by the De-

partment of Alcoholic Bev-

erage Control.

DATED: December 18,

1995

SELLER: PAO SHANG LU

BUYER: DUNG VIET

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO
CREDITORS OF
BULK SALE
AND OF INTENTION
TO TRANSFER
ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGE LICENSE
(U.C.C. 6101
et. seq. and
B&P 24073 et. seq.)

Encro No. 10770-MC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at

Public Auction on

04/01/96 at 11:30 a.m. at

ALLSPACE, 8564 HAMIL-

TON AVE., HUNTINGTON

CA 92626

The business is known as:

ALTA DENA DRIVE-IN

DAIRY

The names, Social Secu-

riety or Federal Tax Num-

bers, and addresses of the

Seller/Transferee are: PAO

SHANG LU, 1085 BAKER

STREET, COSTA MESA, CA

92626

The assets to be sold are

described in general as:

furniture, fixtures, equip-

ment and stock in trade of

a DRIVE-IN DAIRY and are

located at: 1085 BAKER

STREET, COSTA MESA, CA

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The kind of license to be

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NO: 20-27164 now issued

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The bulk sale is subject to

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The anticipated date of

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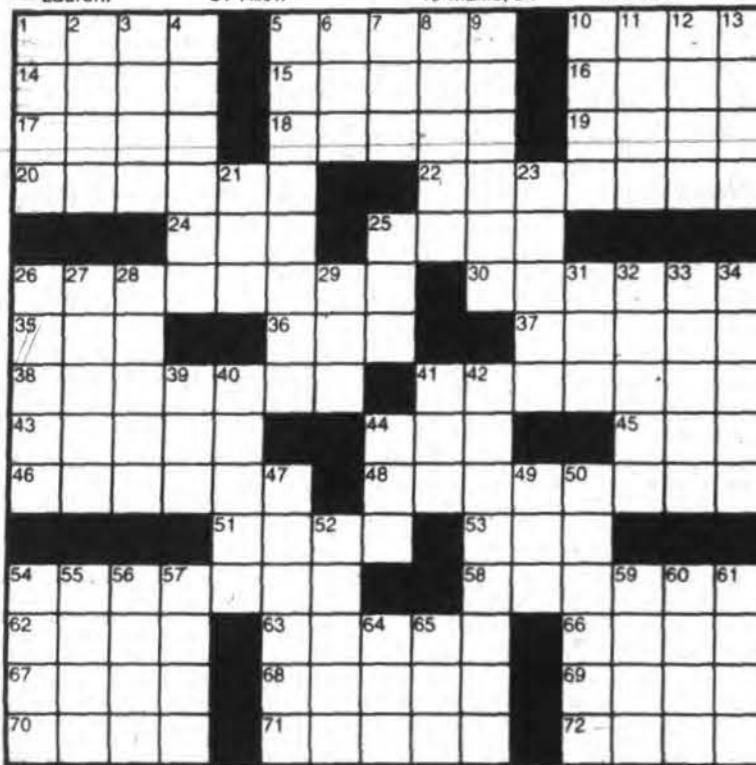
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TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- 66 Frolic
- 67 Type of tide
- 68 Sand as payment
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- 70 Great multitude
- 71 Sordid
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- 77 Yukon footwear
- 78 — of Capri
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- 80 Deli meat
- 81 Owned
- 82 Sounds of hesitation
- 83 Style of a room
- 84 Oval
- 85 Trace
- 86 All
- 87 Prohibit
- 88 Convent resident
- 89 Rides a bike
- 90 Remove knots
- 91 — When I Laugh
- 92 Climbing vine
- 93 Early show
- 94 Leisurely walk
- 95 Fashion
- 96 designer St. Laurent



PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

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Bridge

By CHARLES GOREN
with OMAR SHARIF
and TANNAH HIRSCH

Note to Editors: This column is being retransmitted because an error was made in the labeling of the East hand.

PLAN CAREFULLY

Both vulnerable. North deals.

making the track team for this year's Olympics.

NORTH		EAST		SOUTH	
♦ Q3	♦ K4	♦ A7	♦ Q 10 3 2	♦ A K 8 5 4 2	♦ A J 7
♦ Q J 10 6 5 3	♦ A 10 7	♦ Q 9 8 5	♦ Q 9 8	♦ A 10 6 3 2	♦ A J 7
♦ A 9 6	♦ K 9 8 6 5 4	♦ K 9 8 6 5 4	♦ K 9 8 6 5 4	♦ K 9 8 6 5 4	♦ K 9 8 6 5 4
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The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
INT	Pass	3A	Pass
3NT	Pass	40	Pass
4A	Pass	5A	Pass
5D	Pass	5A	Pass
6A	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Queen of ♦

When you have more than one line available, be sure you test them in the right order to give yourself the best chance.

Consider this hand.

You reach six spades after an intelligent cue-bidding sequence. North judged well that the queen of spades would be a key card.

There are several ways to tackle the hand. One is to discard two clubs on the hearts, hope trumps are 3-2 and then play for West to have specifically K Q x in diamonds. That has about as much chance of succeeding as we have of

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