

Psychic 'sees' . . .

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well-founded information, not something based on claimed feelings or vibrations."

Klein said any trips to Mexico that publicize the situation can only help. Police will follow any lead developed by such methods, he said.

Ordinarily, Lydecker said, she does not get involved with crime cases or with humans. Her main field is animal psychology. She said she communicates nonverbally with animals and can feel what they feel.

A veterinarian, Dr. Marvin Caine of Cincinnati, Ohio, said by telephone Tuesday that he has repeatedly checked Lydecker's communications during the past three years and he believes her. He said he has X-rayed and diagnosed uncommon illnesses in animals and then Lydecker has given him the same diagnosis after only a few minutes.

Lydecker said she doesn't need to be with an animal or person to communicate with them. Thoughts or feelings are not limited like speech, she said.

Another person attesting to Lydecker's abilities was Dorothy Vissar, also of Cincinnati. Her husband, Leonard, died last July because doctors refused to accept Lydecker's diagnosis, she said by telephone Tuesday.

One of the other few instances where Lydecker has been involved with people was during the kidnapping of a schoolbus full of children in Chowchilla last year. She called the San Fernando Valley News before the children were found and described to reporter Julie Jacobs the terrain and underground prison where the children would be found.

"She was really pretty good, although she doesn't claim to be 100 per cent perfect," Jacobs said. "Her information about Chowchilla was right on."

Lydecker said she is led by God in her work, but said she doesn't possess a special divine gift. She just uses a power most people don't tap.

While the family checks Lydecker's leads, police will continue their more orthodox investigation.

Sgt. Klein said pictures of the children released to the news media have resulted in only about 25 calls of vague sightings, fewer than he expected.

A detective will travel to Utah today to talk with Mrs. Wise's ex-husband, Roy Summers, a second time. He was first questioned soon after the kidnap-murder. Summers will be asked to take a lie detector test, Klein said, but it does not mean he is a suspect.