

UPMINSTER WINDMILL

THIS MILL, built in 1803, has been described as the finest in Southern England, and was featured by London Transport on a poster in 1967, coinciding with the first opening to the public. The Hornechurch and District Historical Society open the mill on behalf of the London Borough of Havering on selected weekends in the summer.

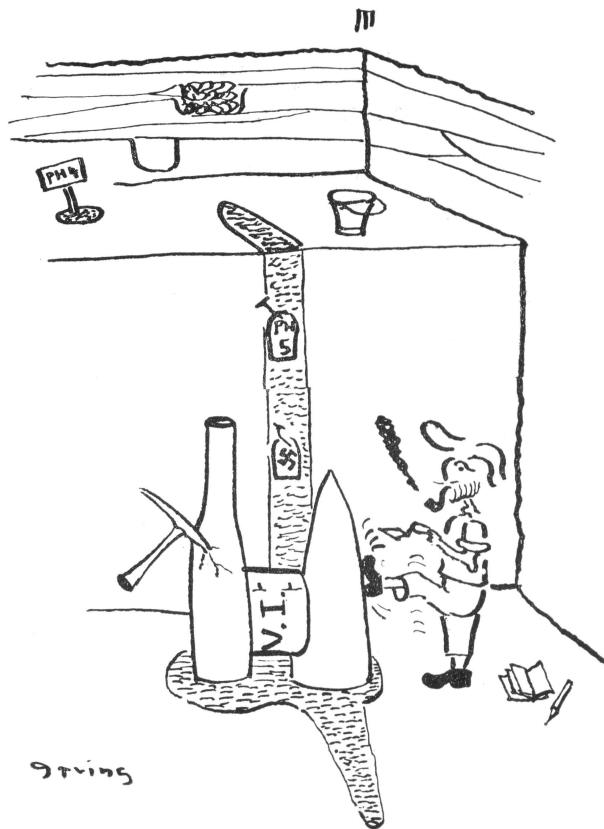
The mill is in good condition, but is beginning to need a considerable sum of money spent to com-



bat woodworm beetles and old age. An admission fee is not charged, but a small donation for maintenance is always appreciated.

The opening dates for 1970 are: 27-28 June, 25-26 July, 5-6 September, 2 p.m. until 5.30 p.m. on each occasion. The society prefer to conduct groups from other societies on weekdays by private arrangement. Application should be made to Mrs. F. Caldwell, Publicity Officer, 90 Stanley Road, Hornchurch, Essex.

IN A HOLE



"I thought it was a funny shape for a post-hole!"

Current Excavations

Mucking, by the Ministry of Public Building and Works. Ranges from a ditch of the late Bronze Age to Saxon huts (see *the London Archaeologist* No. 1). Excavation takes place seven days a week. Inquiries to Excavation Supervisor for M.P.B.W., Mucking Excavations, Stanford-le-Hope, Essex.

Northolt, by Northolt Archaeological and Historical Research Group. The site is the medieval Manor but there is also an important early Saxon phase. Work continues on Saturday afternoons throughout the year. Inquiries to C. H. Keene, 21 Islip Gardens, Northolt, Middlesex.

Putney by Wandsworth Historical Society. Trial trenches on the site in Sefton Street have produced decorated Neolithic pottery and flints. Excavation takes place on Sundays under the direction of S. E. Warren, to whom inquiries should be addressed at 10 Dunganven Avenue, S.W.15. (PRO 3596).