

### Four Square Gospel Church

Evangelist Wesley Norgaard  
**Unique Illustrated Message**  
**Barriers! Barriers!**  
 SEE IT HEAR IT  
**Sunday, April 24**  
**7:30 P. M.**  
 1605 Gramercy Ave.  
**WELCOME**

### Firemen Inspect All Buildings In City; People Co-operate

Members of the Torrance Volunteer Fire Department who last week completed a thorough inspection of all buildings in Torrance reported this week that fire hazards have been reduced to a minimum in Torrance as a result of the survey.

Almost 1500 inspections were made and hundreds of recommendations made for the removal of fire hazards, the firemen assert. A. W. Malone, A. D. Stevenson and Leslie Faxton, who made the inspections, report that their suggestions to the property-owners were received in

a spirit of co-operation. In many cases copper cents were found doing duty as fuses. When the danger of this practice was made plain the householders readily substituted real fuses, the firemen state.

In all cases where rubbish piles were hazards residents were gratified at the suggestion that they be removed.

Oil companies with wells in Torrance also co-operated with the firemen.

Inspections will be made every three months in the business district and every six months in the residence district.



Torrance scouts will conduct their April rally tomorrow evening in the auditorium of the elementary school. Six major contests will be conducted, and the program will include the presentation of a number of badges and awards earned since the last rally. One of the contests will be in the number of parents present, and all parents and interested friends are most cordially

invited, the program starting at 7:30 p. m. The feature number will be the signaling contest, for which there has been considerable practice and the keenest kind of competition.

Troop No. 4 is planning to entertain a group of Redondo scouts at the troop meeting on Thursday evening, May 5, 1927, as a kind of neighborly interest in the scouts of a nearby town outside the harbor district.

A number of Torrance scouts were present at the Easter vacation camp conducted by the district at the Portuguese camp in the week preceding Easter. The camp was thoroughly enjoyed by the 72 district scouts present during the period in which the camp was open.

The Torrance scout swimming team won the intercity swimming contest at the recent scout swimming contest night held at the Anderson plunge in San Pedro. Swimming is featured in district activities, opportunities being offered every scout to learn to swim if he is not able to do so, or to perfect his stroke if he is already a swimmer, the instruction being without charge.

The Playground Commission of the city of Los Angeles made an inspection a few days ago of the Scout plant on Carson street, and were so pleased with the facilities offered local scouts that they assured the district commissioner like opportunities would be offered Wilmington scouts when the Banning Park plan is an accomplished fact, as it will be next summer.

### TOWNE ALKE

**"Just for Fun"**  
 By RAS BERRY

I was setting right at W. Post's the banker's desk and a big Swede named Nelson he come in and says he is holding his hogs for a higher market and he says he needs some money and thought maybe the bank would carry him along to the extent of about a thousand dollars until he could sell his hogs at a higher mkt. and I says well you can't bring home no bacon from this bank.

And then he kind of pleads about the things he has got to have the jack for and so I gives him the banker's stall and says I will refer it to the bd. of directors.

And just then in come W. Post and he sees me at his desk and he says you get out of there you'll be loaning Grover Whyte some money.

Not me, says I.

My pa he strained his back sawing wood and he was all bent over and I met him on the st. and says where are you going Dad and he says I am going down and put my back in escrow.

They is all giving me the razz because I didn't put it in the paper that they is a new son in our family but I didn't think it was necessary because I told three women about it.

This here new boy we get is awful impatient and the other day the nurse was a few minutes late in giving him his bath and when she went into the nursery at the hospital to give him his bath he was standing up in the tub and trying to turn on the water.

Doc Hoag he has got two boys and Jim Leech he has got three and Doc Shidler he has got four and all of us has been propositioned by Sam Levy to trade one of his girls for a boy but he has been turned down on all sides and not because the papas of the boys don't want a girl but because they think Sam should ought to have a boy of his own.

Mrs. Dan McCarthy, who has been visiting in Southern California for the past two months, left on Saturday evening via Vancouver for her home in Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada.

### Police Relief Body Does Good For Local Men

**Welfare of Officers and Co-operation Promoted by Organization**

Organized last August, the Torrance Policemen's Relief Association has proved a marked success. The purpose of the body, as set forth in the by-laws, is "to bind the membership together in a closer bond of fraternity for mutual protection and aid each other in sickness, distress and death; and to promote and improve social intercourse and welfare between the members."

All active and retired policemen are entitled to membership. The initiation fee is \$10 and the dues are 50 cents a month.

Members incapacitated for duty will receive \$5 a week for 13 weeks. A committee has been appointed to visit sick members.

Chief Calder, president of the association, declares that the organization has done much to promote fellowship and co-operation on the force.

Sergeant John Stroh is treasurer of the organization, and J. B. Ed-

### Comedy Features Bill at Orpheum Starting Sunday

Comedy with a generous smattering of song, dance and music will be the highlights on the new bill which comes to the Orpheum Sunday matinee, April 24. Gus Edwards with his outstanding review, "Ritz Carlton Nights," will remain as a feature for one more week, presenting the youthful and talented stars who have created so much comment since they opened at the Orpheum last week. Among these young people are the pretty Lane sisters, Ray (Rubberlegs) Bolger, Jerry Dryden, the Reynolds sisters, Virginia Martin, and Jean Holly. The new bill will also be notable in that it serves as a return to vaudeville of that well known stage favorite, Jack Benny, who will not only offer his hilarious humor but will act as master of ceremonies as well. Other interesting and unusual offerings on the new bill will include "Memories of the Opera," a lavishly staged review of operatic numbers presented by a well selected group of voices, and Miss Bobby Adams, pretty and entertaining songstress. Joyner and Foster, another unusual comedy offering, will complete this more than out-of-the-ordinary bill.

wards is secretary. Meetings are held regularly.

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### Novel Dance Music System Installed By Torrance Man

Gene DeBra has just completed the installation of an electrical pickup system in the big dance hall at Silverado Canyon. The system sends dance music from an orthophonic Victrola to all parts of the building, magnifying the sound so that one on the outside would be certain that a large orchestra was playing inside.

### CARS CRASH HEAD-ON

Cars driven by C. Robinson, 837 Sartori avenue, and Tony Faria, 911 Portola avenue, crashed head-on Monday evening at the intersection of Redondo boulevard and Sartori avenue. Robinson's leg was cut. Both machines were badly smashed.

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