

Take Your Pick at Levy's

Straws-Genuine Panamas-Leghorns-Swiss Yeddos

Many with Interchangeable Silk Hat Bands Change the Color to Harmonize with Your Suits Tomorrow, May 13—Is Straw Hat Day!



New and Greater Department Store 1311-1313 Sartori Avenue, Torrance

OBSERVATIONS

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to Paris when Capt. Nungesser and Capt. Coli hopped off from Paris. Yet not an American but hoped for success to the Frenchman. Nungesser, ace of aces in the world war, has spat in the teeth of death so many times that the dangers of the flight seemed nothing. A brave man, he deserved victory.

TWO ballots sufficed to convict both Mrs. Ruth Snyder and her lover, Henry Judd Gray, of the murder of Mrs. Snyder's husband. That is also good news. It has become almost tradition in America that women murderesses be acquitted. The result has been an epidemic of killings by women. A few more hasty convictions, followed by early death in the chair or on the gallows—and the wave will be checked.

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TY COBB, baseball genius, now with Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics, is playing the best brand of baseball he has displayed in years. The reasons are obvious. As manager of the Detroit Tigers Cobb slipped some. Fans attributed it to his age. The wise ones know that managerial worries affected his batting eye and his speed. Now that he is just playing bail without the responsibility of a big league team, he is doing such exciting stunts as stealing home and making unassisted double plays. Not to mention the fact the he is batting better than .400.

As a manager Cobb insisted that every player be as good as Cobb. That was impossible. Insisting on perfection in all his players, the Georgia Peach hurt the team rather than helped it. Genius is not always the best teacher. The ability to do a thing well does not necessarily carry with it the ability to teach some one else to do it well.

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ONE by one leaders of the Republican party announce that they will not be candidates for the Presidential nomination next year. Herbert Hoover is the latest to make such an announcement. He says he will support President Coolidge. That the President will be a candidate again seems certain. His man Friday—Mr. Butler—has just completed a tour of the west. You may be sure that it was not just a sight-seeing trip. He wanted to find out at first hand how things line up for Coolidge in the west.

Democratic candidates are many. Chief among them are Al Smith and Jim Reed of Missouri. Both are wets. William Gibbs Maddoo recently declared that he will not be a candidate. He is supporting Reed.

Amazing Offer to Radio Users!

PHILCO Radio "A" and "B" Socket Power

Runs Any Radio From Your Electric Current

Yes, you can now have radio power for your radio

set as dependable and as constant as your electric current. It makes no difference what kind or what make of radio set you have, Philco Socket Powers will give you both A and B Radio Power from your electric light current, no matter what kind of electric current you have.

Think of it! Here is your opportunity to do away with dry-cell battery troubles, "B" batteries, and the "A" storage battery. No more recharging to do; no more dry cells to replace; no hum; no dis-

Reasonable Allowance on Your

Old Storage Battery

It's a fact. It makes no difference what make of "A" storage battery you have; it makes no difference how old or worn out it may be; we will make you a reasonable allowance for it on the purchase of a brand new, guaranteed Philco AB Socket Power.

Installation on your Radio Set FREE

It's a fact. It makes no difference what make of

Former Local Woman Killed In Auto Crash

Mrs. Cathryn Cox was killed and her husband, W. J. Cox, badly in-jured in an auto crash on the

jured in an auto crass on the highway near Bakersfield Sunday.
Mrs. Ann DeGrasse and son, with Mr. and Mrs. Cox in the car, were badly bruised and shaken.
Mr. and Mrs. Cox, whose home is at Huntington Park, formerly lived on Cota avenue, Torrance, and both were former employes of the Union Tool Company.

Torrance Quiz

on Front Page

3—At Daley's and Piggly Wiggly.
4—The M. J. Fix Company.
5—Fred Palmer, Tire Merchant.
6—Ed Schwartz.

7—The Torrance Toggery on Sar-tori avenue.

tori avenue. 8-Eby's Dry Goods Store. 9-Dr. O. E. Fossum, Dr. R. A. Hoag, and Dr. W. J. Neelands. 10-Perry G. Briney, J. R. Jensen, and Charles T. Rippy.

Bazaar Will Be Greatest Ever

Put On in City Women's Club Event Will Be Held at Clubhouse

on May 20 The most elaborate bazaar that has ever been put on in Torrance will be held by the Women's Club inring the afternoon and evening of May 20.

and sandwiches and coffee will be sold.

A "white elephant" sale will be conducted, and one may law will be conducted, and one may law in the reporter has omitted anything, "excuse it, please." There were at least twenty women at the committee meeting Wednesday, and they all talked at once.)

There'll be plenty of amusement for the children, who are especially invited to come in the afternoon. In the evening there'll be dancing at 5 cents a dance, to music turnished by the Packard Eight orchestra.

It'll cost you nothing to go in—how much it'll cost you to get out will depend on your ability to re-

Mullins Stage Big Tire Sale At Big Station

Arthur and Bill Mullin, father and son, of Mullin and Son, are celebrating the opening of their super-service station this week with a special tire sale, embracing every size from the smallest light car tires to the heaviest eight-cylinder models.

Starting a little over a year ago with a modest gasoline filling station at the junction of Redondo boulevard and Border and Western avenues, Mullin and Son have rapidly enlarged their business until it now includes practically every service the motorist requires.

A garage building 50 by 60 feet has just been completed, which houses a modern-equipped tire repair and sales room, a battery department under the management of White and Cook, an automobile repair department under the management of White and Cook, an automobile repair department under the direction of Arthur Mullin, as well as ample space for the storage of cars by the day or hour.

Mullin & Son are particularly proud of the tire repair department, which is equipped with the best and latest machinery for the examination and repair of tires and tubes. Among the new equipment are: a Kehawki spreader with an electric flexible buffer, a Weaver tire changer, complete vulcanizing plant for the repair of all types of casings, including balloons, and a new type tube vulcanizer. A new greasing and oiling rack has been constructed, and the most up-to-date Alemite greasing guns have been provided.

Mullin & Son have also been appointed an official headlight testing station.

They are inviting the public to come this weekend and inspect their new plant, whether they wish to take advantage of the tire sale or not.

7-Year-Old Girl Pens Mother Poem

The following poem was written 7-year-old Dorothy Leake to r mother for Mothers' Day. It entitled "Mother";

How can we show our mothers
That we love them truly, pray?
Do we have to wait the whole year through
Till it comes to Mothers' Day?

s there only one way, with a flower, to say That we love them passing well? Alust we wait and stay until Moth-ers' Day Our honor and love to tell?

No, no, a thousand times no again!
We can show it in many a way,
By the things we do, if we'te kind
and true,
We can tell our love each day.

COOKED FOOD SALE Another chance to save cooking! The Royal Neighbors will hold cooked food sale at the Safeway larket Saturday, May 14, at

The main course of your Satur-day and Sunday meals will be pro-vided for, as well as the desserts Go early—it won't last long.

Waker Smith

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Electric Light

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it OFF and your radio is silent.

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Seek to Prevent Youths From Auto Ride Soliciting

An order was issued Saturday,
May 7, by the chief of police of
Los Angeles that will probably be
followed by like action on the part
of county officials.

This order directs that all boys
or girls soliciting rides from motorists, in violation of Section 10
of the city traffic ordinaine, shall
be taken by the police officer who
finds them doing such soliciting to
the principal of the school, to whom
the officer shall report each case.
Pupils so reported will be severely
dealt with by the principals of the
Los Angeles city schools.
The issuance of the order followed a conference recently between Mrs. W. W. Hopps, president,
of the Tenth District P.-T.A.;
Judge Archibald; City Attorney
Jacks; Frank A. Bonnelle, Board
of Education; E. B. Tefferts and
Mr. Rathbone, Southern California,
Auto Club; and Chief of Police
Davis.

New Realty Firm **Delighted With Conditions Here**

H. L. Pittenger and Bert S. Alken, of William F. Howe and Company, new real estate and Insurance agency of Torrance, are delighted with the cordial reception they have received in Torrance, are to the from the public and from other real estate men.

The two men have found business excellent in Torrance. They located here only after—thorough investigation of conditions.

The, William F. Howe organization has been operating in Inglewood for five years. This company put on the well known Fairview Heights development.

Mr. Pittenger, manager of the Torrance office, has lived in Santa Monica since he was 10 years old. He has been in the real estate business for several years.

Mr. Alken came to California recently from the Hawaiian Islands, where he was engaged in the real estate business.

The organization here is located in the old Dominguez Land Company office, opposite the Chamber of Commerce, and is specializing in real estate, loans, and insurance.

TORRANCE HOSPITAL

Born, Tuesday, May 10, to Mr. nd Mrs. J. M. Wilcox of Western ity, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Vern Max

Mrs. E. C. Nelson of Post avenue, Mrs. E. E. McMaster of Cota avenue, and Mrs. A. P. Stevenson of Post avenue are all in favorable condition, following major operations

Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Leake were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Hall Derry of Inglewood. Later they attended the performance of "The Vagabond King" at the Bilt-more.

Thrift is good, but to know how to spend your money is far better. School Teachers, Doctors, and Workingmen should read the "Indicator." Free copy. Send name and address to 11 Stewart St., San Francisco.—Adv.

Eby To Put On Big Sale Here; Starts Friday

1513 Cabrillo Ave.

'Hit of the Year' Even Store's Biggest Bargain Offering

Eby's Dry Goods Store was closed all day today in preparation for their "Hit of the Year Sale," which opens at 9 c'clock Friday morning, May 13. The sale is the outstanding bargain event of the store since it opened its doors in Torrance. Practically every article in the store has been sharply reduced, according to Faul Eby, proprietor. "Our store has never had the perpetual sale habit," said Mr. Eby, "and we want to emphasize the fact that we are selling only our own merchandise at these reduced prices. Nothing has been moved in for sale purposes. Customers are urged to read the fullpage sale bills which are being

distributed today and also the full-page advertisement which will ap-pear in the special 'Columbia Steel Mill Opening' edition to be issued by The Torrance Herald on Tues-day, May 17, for further details of this extraordinary sale."

SCHOOL NEWS

ELEMENTARY

Nature Study Trip, Mrs. Sweet in charge.—Over 100 children and five teachers left early Wednesday morning in a special car for a trip to Mt. Wilson, under the nature study department. The purpose of the trip was to study plant and animal life in the mountains. They went to the mountains back of Sierra Madre. A few parents also accompanied the expedition.

District Track Meet. District Track Meet.— Eleven schools, Torrance Elementary included, will participate in a district track meet Thursday, May 18, at Narbonne School at Lomita. One hundred boys are leaving at 9:80 on the school bus to take part in the posture parade and different

Hans Christian Anderson Festival.—Held every year in Elysian Park, Los Angeles. Date for this year, May 14. Four children chosen from each room above the third grade are to go on the bus, Mr. Gerharz charging only 10c for the round trip. Some parents are planning to go and take other children. The cars will leave the elementary school at 9:30 Saturday morning, in time to arrive for atory-telling at 11 o'clock. The children will take their lunches and eat in the park. At 1:30 there will be a concert by the Boy Scouts' Band, and at 2 o'clock a procession of all children who at tend in costume, followed by folk dances. The program will be over at 3:30. Miss Thomas is in charge of our delegation.









(a) Black Patent Leather with Basquette Stripping and Heel Cover; Black and White French Cording, 2%-inch Spike Heels.

Black Bottom

(b) Parchment Calf, with Brown and White Basquette Trimmings.

