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Supervisor Leland M. Ford Is Endorsed By Over 50,000 People

Organizations with a combined membership of more than 50,000 persons have endorsed the candidacy of Supervisor Leland M. Ford, Fourth District.

Supervisor Ford was unanimously endorsed by the Southern California Business Men's Association, the Citizens Non-Partisan Progressive League, the Manufacturing and Industries Club, the Los Angeles Tax Payers Association, the All American Women's Organization, the 18th Congressional District board of the Townsend executive board, the Los Angeles County Council of the United Veterans of the Republic, and the Theodore Roosevelt Post No. 9 Spanish American War Veterans.

Added to this list of organization endorsements are more than half a score city officials in the communities included in the Fourth Supervisorial district. With this impressive list of supporters working wholeheartedly for his election, friends of Supervisor Ford have coined the phrase, "50,000 people can't be wrong!"

Supervisor Ford has lived in



Supervisor Leland M. Ford

the Fourth Supervisorial district since 1919 and has been one of the most outstanding supporters in the county for all successful movements in the past 17 years tending toward a reduction in taxes on real estate.

He is considered one of the foremost authorities in the state of California on real estate values and was principally responsible for the downward revaluation of real estate in Los Angeles county in 1932.

State Barbers Back Lee Geyer

Receipt of the endorsement by the California State Master Barbers Association of the candidacy for Congress of Lee E. Geyer was announced yesterday by Geyer-for-Congress Campaign committee. The Geyer campaign committee consider this endorsement very important. David Shrader, secretary, declared, because the association based its recommendation upon Mr. Geyer's legislative record, and secondly, because the barbers are a group that contact thousands of voters daily.

In the letter of endorsement of Lee E. Geyer's candidacy the California State Master Barbers association said: "You may rest assured that every effort will be made to prove to you that we don't forget our proven friends."

FAMOUS EVENTS General Merritt took Manila, August 13, 1898.

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Do You Own Property In L. A. Strip?

Owners of property in the Los Angeles shoeing district, east of Torrance, should heed this call if they desire relief from the almost confiscatory assessments under the Mattoon Act. Petitions asking that the county take over a large share of the tax burden are now being signed by goodly numbers of these property owners, but before the petition may be acted upon by the board of supervisors it must be signed by owners of at least 62 percent of the property in the district. If you have not already signed a petition, you are advised to do so at once, said J. C. Smith of the Torrance Investment Company, who is leading the movement for reduction of the assessments.

Petitions may be signed at the office of the Torrance Investment Company, the Chamber of Commerce, or the law offices of C. T. Rippey at the Torrance Mutual Building & Loan Association.

Pioneer Resident Passes Away

James H. Worthington, 70, who has been ill for the past six months from the effects of a stroke, passed away at his home, 2829 238th street, South Torrance, Monday night, Aug. 10. He was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., where for many years he was a member of the Pittsburgh fire department.

Worthington came to Lomita 24 years ago, where he was well known as one of the pioneers of this section. He leaves two sons, James P. Worthington, of South Torrance, member of the firm of Sidwell & Worthington of the S. & W. Market in Lomita, and Leonard P. Worthington, of Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held at 1 o'clock this afternoon, from Niland's Funeral Home in Redondo Beach, Rev. Father Donahue of St. James Catholic church officiating. Interment was made at Calvary, Los Angeles.

In respect to the memory of the deceased, the S. & W. Market will close at 1 o'clock this afternoon for the remainder of the day.

Batting Averages City Short Ball League

	AB	H	Pct.
E. Smith	34	21	.618
Moon	25	12	.480
Watson	40	17	.425
L. Elder	29	12	.414
Reynolds	30	12	.400
Rowe	23	9	.391
Amman	26	10	.385
S. Johnson	34	13	.382
Tidland	38	14	.368
Chambers	38	14	.368
Dawson	21	7	.333
Garbe	25	8	.320
Zuver	22	7	.318
Trezie	35	11	.314
Coast	35	11	.314
Atwood	29	9	.310
Mollnar	26	8	.308
B. Elder	30	11	.306
Quigley	27	8	.296
Coleman	21	6	.286
Rowe	32	9	.281
Van Pelt	25	7	.280
P. Smith	33	9	.273
Rulk	22	6	.273
Ausmus	30	8	.266
Parker	31	8	.258
McCune	31	8	.258
Welch	29	7	.241
Leech	21	5	.238
Sleeth	34	8	.235
Widner	41	9	.219
Eckersley	15	4	.207
C. Smith	39	8	.205
Mearing	25	6	.204

ENDORSED



JUDGE GEORGE A. DOCKWEILER, who received the Los Angeles Bar Association endorsement by more than twice the number of votes given his nearest competitor, is aggressively campaigning for Superior Court, Office No. 9, under the sponsorship of an active directing committee of 500 representative attorneys. And the judge is insisting that the main issue involved is purely that of the respective official records of the candidates.

"A judicial office is solely concerned with the administration of justice according to the law," Judge Dockweiler has told his committee, "so that the only platform of my campaign will be my official record and the fact that I have very seldom been reversed in my judicial decisions."

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Aurella Davis, 930 So. Elena, Redondo Beach, underwent an operation August 8.

Mrs. Edith Meusel, 424 So. Elena, entered August 8 for observation and treatment.

Mrs. Eilan Nicolay, 104 So. Guadalupe, Redondo Beach, entered August 9 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Hilda Powell, 26000 Eshelman, Lomita, elementary school teacher, underwent an operation, August 9.

Mrs. Emma Gentry, 1005 Sartori, underwent an operation Aug. 11.

Shirley Mitchell, 3580 California avenue, Long Beach, entered Aug. 11 to be treated for an infected finger.

Mrs. Vera Stowell, 3006 239th street, South Torrance, underwent an operation, Aug. 11.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Busch, 1114 Maple street, a boy, August 5.

To Mr. and Mrs. Neil F. Blane, 26007 Lucile street, Lomita, a boy, August 5.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Held, 2032 Andrea, a boy, August 6.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Gossett, 2305 Torrance boulevard, a girl, Aug. 12.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Toller, 140 So. Helberta, Redondo Beach, a boy, Aug. 12.

Breakwater To Be Finished

Work is expected to be started by August 15 on the construction of the remaining gap of nearly a mile in the Long Beach Los Angeles breakwater, according to Major Theodore Wyman, Jr., U. S. district engineer. The contract has been awarded to the Rohl-Conolly Company, who constructed the 6200 feet just completed under two previous contracts. The Rohl-Conolly company was the lone bidder on the last link, which is 4887 feet long.

Total cost of the last link will be approximately \$2,273,000 it was computed, the company being paid so much per cubic yard for the rock placed in the breakwater.

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Maritime Group Endorses Reaves For Re-election

At the last meeting of the San Pedro branch of the Maritime Federation of the Pacific, Assemblyman Fred Reaves received the unanimous endorsement of that body for his re-election as a member of the state legislature from this district. With the exception of three small unions, this endorsement gives Mr. Reaves the backing of a large portion of the labor organizations in the San Pedro area.

The Maritime Federation, San Pedro branch, district No. 4, comprises the Longshoremen's Union; Sailors' Union; Marine Cooks and Stewards; Firemen, Oilers and Water Tenders; Marine Engineers; Shipyard Workers; Masters, Mates and Pilots; and the Ferry Boatsmen's Union.

Mr. Christofinson of the sailors' union in addressing the federation pointed out that Assemblyman Reaves had been a member of organized labor for 30 years, had been a voluntary organizer for the American Federation of Labor and that Mr. Reaves had understood the labor movement from the inside out, with a 100 percent labor record in the last session of the legislature.

Labor unions in this district, stated Christofinson, could not afford to send someone to the legislature that had not been tried. We cannot afford to experiment. Assemblyman Reaves' efforts in the interest of commercial fishermen and the fishing industry are well known and all organizations connected with this great industry are behind his candidacy for re-election to the assembly from this district, Christofinson said.

In response to the endorsement, Mr. Reaves stated, "If I am returned to the assembly from this district, I shall pursue the same policies as in the past, representing all the people in matters pertaining to the district as a whole and against the special interests whose representatives infest the halls of the capitol seeking advantages for their particular group."

Old Ties Remembered
A N A H E I M, Calif. (U.P.)—Fred J. Fisher and Mrs. Dora Bain, of Los Angeles, son and daughter of Anaheim's first postmaster in 1861, attended the dedication of the city's new post office.



REMEMBER!
JUDGE
DOCKWEILER
SUPERIOR COURT OFFICE NO. 9

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Revised Notice

TO SOUTH TORRANCE
Property Owners, Regarding
3-Year Tax Refunds

Taxpayers in South Torrance who paid street lighting assessments to the County Lighting District at Lomita and also to the City of Torrance for the three years, 1931-1934, will be refunded the amount of street lighting taxes paid to the City of Torrance for these three years.

Claims for refunds should be filed immediately at the City Clerk's office at the Torrance City Hall.

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