

Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Tolson and son Billy, 2103 Arlington avenue, with Master Bernard Smith of the Mayfair Apartments spent Monday in the mountains near Bakersfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ralston of Indio, and Lon Ralston of Pittsburg, visited over the holidays with Mrs. Lon Ralston and her father, Sam Richardson, at 1097 Gramercy avenue.

## "My Frens"

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT  
ISN'T THE ONLY ONE  
WHO HAS "FRENS"—

We Have "Frens,"  
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And To These "Frens" and customers for their loyalty and patronage throughout the past year . . . as well as the Christmas Season . . .

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and a  
Happy New Year!

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## New Year's Greetings:

"For many years now I have lived and worked in Torrance and each year . . . as the old year draws to a close and the new year approaches . . . I have wished my associates and my customers and my friends and my acquaintances and all the people I know a Happy New Year with the feeling of one who is sincerely appreciative.

"So again this year I repeat my old and greeting . . . Happy New Year!"

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**"Good Will"** . . . IS THE DISPOSITION OF THE CUSTOMER TO RETURN TO THE PLACE WHERE HE HAS BEEN WELL-TREATED"—  
United States Supreme Court

At this time . . . with the new year approaching . . . it is fitting that we express our gratification at the whole-hearted way in which you have approved of and patronized our store. True, it is only a small store, and, by comparison with metropolitan stores, doing a small business. But we like it and we do our best to have you like it. And small or large, we have earnestly attempted to build GOOD WILL, to build a reputation for Quality and Service and Satisfaction . . . In short, we have sincerely tried to create in the mind of every customer "the disposition to return to the place where he has been well-treated."

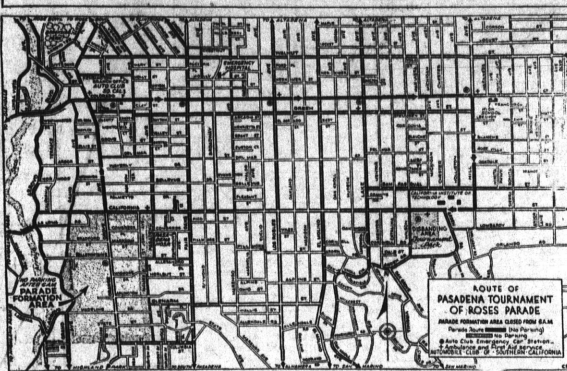
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## Tournament of Roses Five Mile Parade Route



Here's an opportunity to pick out a favorable location to witness the 50th annual Tournament of Roses parade in Pasadena, January 2. This will be the greatest floral parade in history to honor the Golden Anniversary of "California's New Year's greeting" to the world. The parade starts at the California street and Orange Groves avenue. The route extends north to Colorado street, then east to Hill avenue, south to California street, to disbanding area in Tournament Park. Floats will be on display in the park for 24 hours, night and day. The parade starts at 9:30 a.m. and will feature 100 floats decorated with 5,000,000 flowers.

## Council Actions Are Reported

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to attend the Jan. 14 session of the Southern California Fire Chiefs' convention in Riverside.

**EXTRA EQUIPMENT** . . . Appropriation of \$250 was made for the purchase of extra equipment and replacements in the municipal kitchen attached to the Civic Auditorium and Chamber of Commerce building.

**ASK FOR BIDS** . . . Specifications were approved for the painting of the high pressure water tower off Torrance boulevard and Cedar avenue. Bids are being advertised today for the work.

**FREE PERMIT** . . . William (Bill) Kellam, 2041 West 174th, was given a free permit to solicit stenciling of house numbers on curbs. He said he was out of work and did not want to "go on county relief." Kellam will have his nephew, Earl Sims, assisting him. He plans to charge 10 cents for a number stenciling job.

## Jitterbugs Amaze Herald Writer

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and infectious. It is boisterous, rhythmic and entirely lacking in grace. It is loud, nerve-racking, and has a thousand variations. It is altogether crazy, studied and geared to meet modern youth's demand for action and plenty of it.

I like "swingeroos." The next time the boys and girls start a day with one, come down to the Auditorium and see them hit it up!

## JOINT CLUB MEET

Members of the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs will hold a joint dinner meeting Thursday night, Jan. 5, at the American Legion clubhouse. The Kiwanians are joining the Rotarians on this date because their usual meeting date is Monday—a holiday, Jan. 2.

## Wooldridge Herald Circulation Mgr. Writes

Here's to a future All-American who brings glory to Torrance and of whom Torrance is proud—Gerald Grubb.

## Masons Install Officers Friday

A large number of local residents will attend the open installation ceremonies of Torrance Masonic lodge, No. 447 F. & A. M., tomorrow (Friday) night at the Masonic hall starting at 8 o'clock. Samuel E. Burke of Los Angeles, past grand master, will officiate and induct Jess M. Hedington as worshipful master, succeeding Dr. C. L. Ingold, who will become marshal.

Keith Schlaegel of Gardena, inspector of the 99th Masonic district, will serve as master-of-ceremonies. The other officers to be inducted are: Lee George Nelson, senior warden; Clifford Ruppel, junior warden; John H. Pess, P. M. treasurer; and Jesse H. Sprout, P. M., secretary.

The new appointive officers are Edmund A. Day, senior deacon; William H. Bremmer, junior deacon; William E. Ruppel, chaplain; Homer B. Morgan, senior steward; Carl G. Holmes, junior steward; and Harry C. Ainsworth, Jr., tyler.

**PABON BEANS LOMITA LODGE**  
Ray M. Pardon was installed as master of the Lomita Masonic lodge, succeeding Daniel P. Naulty, at ceremonies performed late last week by O. W. Thistle, J. Roy Winters and District Inspector Keith M. Schlaegel in the Oak Fellows hall.

Taking office with Pardon were S. C. Lidsey and LeRoy Draper, senior and junior wardens; Henry Bailey, treasurer; Thistle, secretary; Naulty, chaplain; P. G. Reed and Walter Martinelli, senior and junior deacons; John Sanders, marshal; H. Miller, senior stewards; and Charles L. Morris, tyler.

## Torrance Library Adds Equipment

More efficient service than ever before will be rendered at the Torrance public library in 1939, according to Mrs. Dorothy Jamieson, librarian. Several items of new equipment have been installed by the city library board to provide this improved service.

Additional desks, shades, another telephone and some repairs have been installed or completed. Scott Ludlow heads the library board. The city provides the physical equipment while the county library equips the building with books and personnel under contract.

## Olson's Inauguration Jan. 2 Gala Event

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a year before California was admitted to the Union. Newton Booth delighted his 1871 friends with a momentous banquet featuring oysters on the halfshell, a rare delicacy in those days. Hiram Johnson, United States senator since 1916, ranks as California's least pretentious chief executive. He scorned such frills as inaugural balls, banquets, brass bands, parades and the usual pomp and splendor for his 1910 inauguration in fact, when it came time for him to go to the capitol for the ceremonies, he even refused to ride in a carriage and walked with his sons.

Despite the barbecue and the glittering ball, Olson's actual inauguration will be traditionally impressive and solemn. He will be led into the joint session of the legislature in the assembly chamber by a committee of assemblymen and senators, be sworn in by Chief Supreme Court Justice William W. Van Fleet and then deliver his inaugural address. The induction of Lieutenant Governor Ellis Patterson will follow, also including an address, and the 19-gun salute on the capitol lawn will complete the rites.

The visitors' gallery will be reserved for the public but there will be no outside or other public ceremonies.

## Pedestrian Killed at Highway 101

An hour after he was struck by a car assertedly driven by Gordon Wood, 16-year-old Lomita student, at Highway 101 near Eshelman, R. D. Dales, 47, of South Gate, died last Friday night at Torrance Memorial hospital. At the inquest conducted yesterday morning at Stone and Myers' chapel, a coroner's jury held that the fatality was caused by an unavoidable accident and absolved young Wood of all blame.

Mr. Dales, who was survived by his wife, was crossing the highway and ran directly in front of Wood's car, it was testified. The funeral will be held in South Gate.

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