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As the month drew to a close

uilding permits issued from the ty engineer's office during the ast week totaled \$25,335, it was past week totaled \$25,335, it was learned today. Construction is now in progress on the following projects:

projects:
Ralph's Cut Rate Liquor store,
1601 Cabrillo, install a Neon
sign, \$125; Coline Gasoline Coprect a cooling tower extension
1 2420 227th, \$2,000; John W.

nt 2420 227th, \$2,000; John W. Nady, five-room frame stucco house and double garage at 710 Madrid, \$2,700; Ray Whitney of Hermosa Beach, eight-room frame stucco house and garage at 309 Via Linda Vista, Hollywood Rivera, \$6,000.

era, \$6,000.

H.R.H. Petroleum corporation.
two oil storage tanks at 1906
237th, \$1,720; Greenspun System,
oil storage tanks at 1932 238th,
\$1,720; Frank Frani, poultry
house at 2378 238th, \$200; C. E.

nouse at 2378 238th, \$2000 C. E. Dilley, seven-room frame residence and garage at 1404 Beech, \$4,500; Dominguez Water Corporation of Long Beach, galvanized iron pump house at reservoir, \$500

People and Spots in the Late News



NATION'S BUS-IEST? . . . Mrs. Grace Keefe of Chicago could



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'Stand by, America! Rally in Hollywood **Bowl Monday Night**

All residents of Torrance interested in keeping this nation free of subversive influences are urged by Commander Lyle Doan of the local American Legion post to attend the "Stand by, American Bowl next Monday night, May 1. Rey Martin Dies has definitely promised to fly here to be the principal speaker and there will be other talks and patriotic deminstrations. The rally, expected to be a monster gathering, will start at 7:30. All residents of Torrance inter-

Graduates 1st as Firemen Graduates 1st as Firemen
BERKELEY (U.P.)—The advantages of a university education in getting employmen have
been demonstrated here. Out of
three vacancies on the fire-dethree dethree det

Mr. and Mrr. George S. Wheaton, 1228 Arlington avenue, recently returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Harmer E. Davis and family at

what they're doing

People

Willfam Earl Studdard, forme William Earl Studdard, former-ly of Lansing, Mich., has accept-ed a position at the Torranee Bank of America. He is living at 1447 Post avenue and is a recent graduate of a business college in Chillicothe, Mo.

Mrs. Evelyn Rupple, 938 Ar-lington avenue, is spending the week at the home of Miss Wini-fred Guay in Banning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miles, 2303 Andreo avenue, had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Winn and daughters Jo Ellen and Joyce of San Marino.

Mrs. Marie Benson had as her house guest last Friday, Miss Helen Will of Los Angeles,

J. W. McDowell of Beverly Hills was in Torrance Tuesday on business. McDowell was for-merly engaged in the real estate business here and took an active part in the early develop-ment of Torrance. He still re-tains extensive property holdings here.

House Is Leaky So Kentuckian Moves to Cave

DAWSON SPRINGS, Ky. (U.P.)—Because his house roof leaked, James Dawson Fox, 78, moved out all his belongings and set up his home in a cave near here.

here.

The cave he chose in this hilly, sandstone country, which is filled with various sized caverns, was one that is 40 feet long, 20 feet deep and has a 16-foot celling.

feet deep and has a 16-foot ceiling.

He set up his stove, his bed, his lamp and other belongings and was comfortable until is rained. Then he decided he'd have to board up the one open side of the cave. That cut off the light but kept the cave dark and warm.

warm.
For running water, Fox utilizes a cold, bubbling spring less than 20 feet away from his door. For a bathtub he plunges into the Tradewater river.
He tired of his cave a short time ago, decided to live again in a house. The roof of the house to which he moved also leaked. Disgusted, Fox carted his possessions back to his cave.
"I ain't a-gonna move again," he said.

he said.



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here.

Beverly Jean Hopkins, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Torrance Rotary elub left this Mrs. Sidney Hopkins of Armapola avenue suffered a bad leg conference of the 107th District cut Tuesday when a window from the door of the family reddence in the door of the family reddence in the control of the family reddence in the control of the family reddence in the control of the family reddence in the door of the family reddence in the fami

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