

## Power Company Releasing Scrap

Steel and iron that helped build one of the west's largest hydro-electric projects is coming out of the remote regions of the High Sierra mountains of Central California this spring to go to war. Barred now behind the deep snows that block the Sierra passes to all but travelers on skis and snowshoes, many tons of war material await the coming thaws to be moved into new service.

The Southern California Edison Company, Ltd., has released to the War Production Board 612,000 pounds of metals in rails, flat cars and tunnel dump cars which the company used during the construction of the Florence Lake-Mono-Bear section of the Big Creek electric power system.

## No Rations for City's Horses

One appropriation was made by the city council Tuesday night and it was typical of these days of gasoline rationing.

Councilman James Hitchcock moved the appropriation of \$84.83 "plus tax" for two and one-quarter tons of barley hay. Asked what the fodder was for, Hitchcock quipped: "For those new automobiles we're trying to buy to transport the O. C. D. fire equipment—not for coffee."

At least the city of Torrance's two horses are not going on any rations—yet.

**APPOINTED FIREMAN**  
Fred Bever was given a temporary appointment on the Fire department as of Dec. 1.

## P.T.A. Group Attends District Gathering

A number of Lomita P. T. A. workers were guests at the Tenth District meeting at the John Muir high school in Los Angeles last Thursday morning. Those attending from this section included Mrs. J. J. Millard of Torrance, Lomita-San Pedro council president; Mrs. Joseph Marriott, Orange Street P. T. A., council goals chairman; Mrs. Kenneth Schwartz, president of Orange Street, who acted as reception hostess at the meeting; and Mrs. G. E. Foutz, welfare chairman of Lomita P. T. A., who went as the representative of Mrs. J. E. Dresser, Lomita president.

The greatest falls of the Essequibo river, in British Guiana, are 2,000 feet from top to bottom.

## What NOT to Do Until the Doctor Comes . . .

### First Aid Instructions Approved by Red Cross

(This is the second of a series of "What Not to Do Until the Doctor Comes." Approved by the American Red Cross, we are printing them in the belief that untrained aid can be terribly dangerous. For standard courses in first aid apply to your Red Cross chapter.)

#### About Bandaging

Don't waste bandages, tape, medlines or any similar supplies. Don't even use them unless you know you are using them correctly. An unbandaged wound—unless it's bleeding—can wait until the doctor arrives.

Don't apply adhesive tape, cotton, fingers, ordinary cloth or even gauze bandage directly to the wound. First place a sterile compress over the wound, then hold it in place with tape or a bandage. Don't bandage too loosely or everything will slip. Don't bandage too tightly—or the swelling will produce severe pain. Examine each bandage frequently to make sure.

Don't use a tourniquet unless absolutely necessary, and then don't make a tourniquet out of wire, string or rope. Use a bandage, a necktie, or any other material at least two inches wide. Loosen the tourniquet every 15 minutes.

#### How To Use Iodine

Iodine can be highly valuable—and equally dangerous if used improperly. Don't pour iodine on a wound. Always dab it on with a glass applicator or some cotton wadded on a match. Don't apply iodine near the mouth, nose, eyes or any other body opening. Don't apply it twice to the same wound. Don't use it on burns. Don't put on a bandage until the iodine is dry. Don't use an old bottle of iodine. Evaporation of alcohol has probably made it too strong. Instead, use "iodine tincture of iodine." Don't try to scrub the wound first with soap and water. That's a doctor's job. Don't try to treat an infected wound. That, too, is for the doctor.

If in doubt, don't apply any antiseptic—don't put on any antiseptic merely because it's red and stings. Many doctors recommend use of no antiseptic at all. Let your doctor decide.

**Treating Burns**  
Serious burns, like bleeding and stopped breathing, cannot wait till the doctor comes. Don't let the burning continue. If the victim's clothes are on fire, don't let him run. Put out the flames with water or by wrapping him in a rug, a coat, or by rolling him on the ground.

If the burn is being produced by a chemical—an industrial chemical in a factory or a war gas like mustard gas—wash off the chemical immediately. Use water, and use it by the gallon. A hose is excellent. Since the chemical is probably soaked in the clothes, get them off at once.

Don't, however, remove clothes that stick to the burn. Cut around them. Don't pull off



**DON'T**  
Be heroic with bandages!



**DON'T**  
Slobber iodine!



**DON'T**  
Delay if the victim has been burned!

pieces of burning materials—chemicals or pieces of exploding incendiary bombs—that stick, but use water. Don't apply oils or greasy ointments to a burn. Don't ever apply iodine to a burn. Don't put cotton on a burn.

The best and most common First Aid care for burns is the application of a solution of bak-

## Car Registration Renewals May Be Delayed

The Department of Motor Vehicles plans to submit to the 1943 legislature emergency legislation proposing that the formal opening and closing dates for registration renewal—Jan. 2 and Feb. 4—be advanced far enough into the future to permit delivery of plates.

The dates will be determined by the guarantees established in the formal contract with the successful bidder for the plates, the Norris Stamping and Manufacturing Company.

Under the accepted bid, approximately 450,000 plates can be delivered in January, a million more during February and the balance during March.

Should the legislature accede to the Department's request, it would be able to proceed with the renewal in normal fashion except that the opening and closing dates would have been advanced sufficiently to relieve the public of hardship and inconvenience.

Should the legislature fail to act on the proposal, the Department said it would be forced to require that all renewal applications be filed on or before midnight Feb. 4. It would then issue receipts in lieu of plates until the bidder was able to make deliveries.

#### ORDER SHADES

Proper shades to dim-out the Walteria branch library are to be installed by City Engineer Glenn Jain. The city council authorized the work Tuesday night.

ing soda and water. Keep compress or dressing moist. Use of greasy medicines only delays the doctor.

## Large Calibre Guns Firing at Manhattan

Heavy seacoast firing of large calibre rifles will be practiced in the Manhattan Beach area during daylight hours starting today and continuing through Monday, Dec. 14, Army authorities at Fort MacArthur announced this week.

Exact calibre, number and location of the guns on the heights

The blood contains about 11,000 white corpuscles per cubic millimetre.

One nice thing about this group riding business is that a lot of us are finding out that grouchy neighbor next door isn't such a bad guy after all.

are military secrets, but it will be the second time within the last year the large calibre guns have been fired from the Manhattan Beach area.

Doctors

John W. Beeman

and

Clifford E. Easley

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Howard A. Wood M.D.

In Their General Practice

Offices . . . . .

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Torrance National Bank Bldg.

TELEPHONE: Torrance 14

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All that Christmas means to us is in peril today and may be lost to us unless we dedicate ourselves wholly to the task of winning the war.

We must preserve our Christmas spirit, so it will shine out for all the world to see. This Christmas, of all we have ever known, must be a good Christmas.

Gifts Every Man Needs!

To Please HIM!

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Excellent Quality!  
Handsome Patterns!

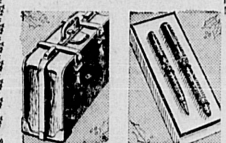
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Steel frame . . . with 2 pockets and shirtfold. Neat fabric lining, leather straps and handle. Steel locks, catches. Size 14" x 8" x 13" 79c

Phinger-type fountain pen with visible ink gauge. 14 kt. gold plated point and trim. 3.98

Men's Classic Handkerchiefs 49c

Men's Marathon Fine Felts 3.98

Smart snap-brim style with stitched crown. 1.19

Basque, tailored or princess style. Sizes 3 to 6. 1.19

Boys' Fine Gift! PAJAMAS 1.19

Neat stripes in fine wave patterns! Middy style with drawstring! 1.29

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She drinks her bottle, wets her diapers, delights in a bath, and even sleeps soundly!

What good care she will take of dollie with this grand kit, which includes everything from a cup to a stethoscope to a sponge and pan.

For the Holidays! GIRLS' DRESSES 1.19

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The Prettiest Gift! Rayon Satin Housecoats

Wrap-around style with fitted waist and graceful skirt. Embroidery trim. 3.98

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## Order Your Christmas Wines & Liquors NOW!

TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT SPECIAL PRICES ON CASE LOTS

### NEW STORE HOURS

To Conform With Military Regulations

10 A.M. to 8 P.M.

DAILY, INCLUDING SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS

## SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

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GLENMORE SILVER LABEL, KENTUCKY, 4-YEAR-OLD STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY Pint . . \$1.57 Quart . . \$3.08

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Quart . . 35c 1/2 Gallon . . 67c Gallon . . \$1.28

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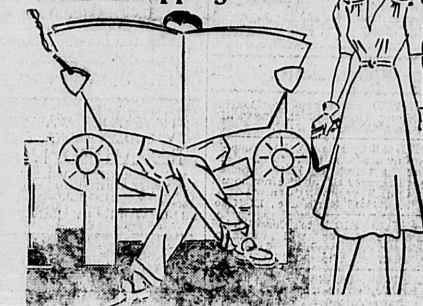
REMEMBER, WE ARE OPEN DAILY, 10 A.M. TO 8 P.M.

## STOP



We Give S.H. Green Stamps

## Read Our Christmas Ad Before Starting Out On Your Shopping Tour



## LaMode Furniture Store

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Hassocks . . . \$1.45 up	Linoleum Rugs . . . \$3.75 up	Child's Dinette Set . . . \$12.95
Coffee Tables . . \$5.95	Bed Pillows, pair . . \$3.75 up	Book Case, walnut or maple . . \$13.95
Magazine End Table . . \$9.95	Dining Set, 7-piece . . \$58.75	Cricket Chairs . . \$9.75 up
Highchairs . . \$5.95	9x12 Rugs . . \$15.75 up	Bedsprings \$5.95 up
Floor Lamp, 7-way . . \$10.75 up	Platform Rockers . . \$28.75 up	3-piece Maple Bedroom . . \$68.75
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Commode . . \$11.95	Heaters, Radiant . . \$14.75	Davenport and Chair . . \$64.50
3-way Tables . . \$9.95	Felted Cotton Mattresses . . \$14.95	Bed Davenport . . \$44.75
Desk & Chair . . \$8.95	Crib Mattresses . . \$5.75	Lge. Bed Pads \$3.45
Table Lamps . . \$5.95 up	Barrel Back Chairs . . \$19.75 up	72x84 Blanket \$4.95
Bissell Sweeper . . \$5.45	Tier and Drop-Leaf Tables . . \$12.95	Card Table and Chairs . . \$15.95
Foot Stools . . \$3.75	Large Boudoir Chairs . . \$14.95 up	Rug Cleaner, per can . . \$1.00
Throw Rugs . . \$2.95 up	Sampson Card Tables . . \$2.50 up	Nite Table . . \$3.95
Clothes Hampers . . \$4.50 up	Comb. Dining Table . . \$19.95	Card Tables . . \$1.95 up
End Tables . . \$4.95	Fancy Glass Dishes . . \$1.75	5-piece Dinette Set . . \$27.50
Mirrors . . \$3.45 up	Royal Vacuum Sweeper . . \$51.95	Pictures . . 75c up
Baby Cribs . . \$10.75 up		9x12 Rug Pads \$8.95
Chenille Rugs . . \$3.75		Bunk Beds, Walnut . . \$32.50
Roos Cedar Chest . . \$24.50		
Doo Tee Trainer . . \$1.50 up		