

Abalone Crossing Contract Approved

An agreement with the Pacific Electric regarding installation of a grade crossing and culvert at Abalone st. and Plaza del Amo was signed by Mayor Tom McGuire Tuesday night on recommendation of City Attorney John E. McCall. The crossing will open Abalone through to Plaza del Amo.

SOLDIER GUESTS

Recent weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Mort were Gilbert Morgan and Patrick Dolan both technicians 5/c, family friends of long standing who are now stationed near Indio.

Nursing Careers Essay Contest Topic

As part of the observance of National Hospital day on the birthday of Florence Nightingale, May 12, high school girls have been invited to participate in nationwide essay writing contest on the subject: "War Work With a Future—Nursing." Prizes of War Bonds are to be announced in the press on National Hospital day. Radio broadcasts and other features are being arranged for the observance.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Charles Montague and son, Jimmy, of El Centro were weekend visitors at the F. L. Parks home here.

Dr. Robert Stock Visiting Parents

Dr. Robert P. Stock is spending a vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Stock of 22430 Meyler st., and his sister, Mrs. Helen Putnam of Gardena before entering May 1 on his internship at Cedars of Lebanon hospital, Los Angeles.

Graduating with honors in 1934 from Narbonne high school, he entered Loyola University at Los Angeles where he graduated with the highest grades ever made there. He completed his medical course in the school of medicine at Loyola University, Chicago, where April 10 he graduated cum laude, receiving the gold key in medicine.

Mrs. Stock attended her son's graduation since then the two have been visiting friends in the middle west, returning in time to spend Easter at home.

Kiwanians Mark 'Goodwill Week'

In observance of "United States and Canada Goodwill Week," members of the Torrance Kiwanis club heard an address by A. R. Wood, past state commander of the Canadian Legion Monday night on "Trade Between the U.S. and Canada." Wood is a member of the Foreign Trade club of Los Angeles.

Feuding Schoolboys Bring Curfew Threat

Overly-ardent fans could work up a feud in football season," Police Chief Stroh said, "especially if both schools had exceptionally good teams and were close competitors in Marine League standings. But such was not the case either in the football or basketball season. And track has just gotten under way. "It looks as though a few of the Torrance and Gardena boys are trying a little 'commando' stuff. They'd better save their energy for when they are old enough to join the armed forces. Right now, those participating in the vandal raids are proving very poor citizens. "The boys involved should get next to themselves. They are sabotaging the schools' war effort and if we find any more traces of this Torrance-Gardena feud the police of both cities will enforce the curfew to the limit," Stroh declared.

VACATION AT RANCHO

Freddy Bartlett and James Luter spent Easter vacation at Rancho San Carlos in Santa Barbara at the home of Freddy's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gray.

ARRANGE DANCE

Friends of the Army and Navy will enjoy a dancing party tomorrow (Friday) evening at Torrance Women's clubhouse.

National Supply Workers Win Army-Navy 'E'

Glad to be pitching on the production line and we are doing everything we can to meet the quotas and turn out perfect products which will help the boys on the firing line all over the world. "I think special credit should be given to our women workers," Hetzel continued. "They are doing a fine job. All are willing and anxious to learn all they can and do what they're supposed to do. This Army-Navy 'E' is due every worker."

The letter of notification sent to "The Men and Women of the National Supply Co." by Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson stated: "This is to inform you that the Army and Navy are conferring upon you the Army-Navy Production Award for your fine record in the production of war equipment. The award consists of a flag to be flown above your plant and a lapel pin which every man and woman in your plant may wear as a symbol of high contribution to American freedom."

More than 200 children participated in the annual Easter egg hunt conducted by the Torrance Recreation Department last Saturday at Torrance city park. According to Mrs. Cora Bohrer, who was in charge of the event, this was the largest number ever attracted to the gala search.

In addition to the eggs, candy and prizes were awarded to successful finders of specially decorated eggs and the participants in an amateur vaudeville show. John E. Johnson, who assisted as one of the volunteer helpers, contributed eight large white rabbits for prizes.

Others who helped conduct the program were Mrs. Florence Hall, Mrs. John Grub, three high school girls—Dolores DeLay, Dorothy Moore and Jessamine Guffy—and several others whose names were not obtained by Mrs. Bohrer.

Keefers Wins Distinguished Flying Cross

Over her each man received a bag with books, cigarettes, sewing kits and so forth. A mobile canteen stops on the line and gives the boys coffee and doughnuts when they return from a flight. It really helps blowing down your back. Then, after a mission, while we are being interrogated as to the success of our mission, they serve more hot coffee, doughnuts, candy and cigarettes."

Easter Egg Hunt Enjoyed by 200 Children in Park

Archbishop John J. Cantwell invoked divine blessing and Mayor Bowron of Los Angeles told Murray the city "is proud to welcome you." Other talks were given by Sate C.I.O. President Philip M. Connelly, Rabbi Edgar Maginn and David J. MacDonald, secretary of the Steel Workers Union. Murray was introduced by California C.I.O. Director Harry Bridges. Bishop W. Bertrand Stevens of the Episcopal church closed the meeting with a benediction.

Beight Aides Meeting

Early this week, Murray made a tour of the Harbor District. He was invited to visit Torrance and inspect this city's war plants but was unable to do so. Kenneth Beight of the United Steel Workers local 144 of Torrance and president of the Los Angeles C.I.O. Council, took an active part in arranging the meeting honoring President Murray.

Blackout Signals Delayed But C.D. Forces Act Quickly

Three men out of 11 who composed the 37th draft contingent sent from Selective Service Board No. 280 were accepted for Army service April 19 following final physical examinations in Los Angeles, according to announcement by Mrs. Doris Watson, clerk of the board, said today. They were: Daniel H. MacLean, Moneta; Antonio A. Corona, Los Angeles; and Marwood W. Kolyiski, Gardena.

Next Draft Call Set for May 10

The next induction is scheduled for May 10 and the call is for 90 selectees, Mrs. Watson reported.

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Recent weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wells, 22528 Vermont ave., were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones, all of San Gabriel.

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RETURNED HOME

Caroline Wilkes Hedrick returned recently from Denver where she has been visiting her husband, Private William E. Hedrick, stationed at Buckley Field.

VISIT HERE

Mrs. R. G. Tompkin and son, Ernest, of Palm Springs, have been recent houseguests at the Richhart-Tompkin home here.

Many From Here Attend Murray Meeting in L.A.

A large number of Torrance residents, members of the C.I.O., city officials and civic leaders attended the program in the Olympic Auditorium last Saturday night in honor of Philip Murray, national C.I.O. president. Murray assailed the recent wage and job freeze directive of National Economic Stabilizer James F. Byrnes, pointing out that labor wants food and living costs in the United States pushed back to the level of September, 1942, or it wants wages raised to offset living cost increases since then.

He appealed for "equality of sacrifice" in the war effort, and criticized the huge war profits of industry, and high salaries of industrial executives.

Motorists whose gasoline ration cards permit them to drive more than 240 miles a month will become eligible May 1 for the best grade of tires.

This was disclosed in an Office of Price Administration order, coincident with news that manufacture of lower-quality "victory tires" made from reclaimed rubber has been halted.

Three More Local Men Join Navy

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IN EL CENTRO

Mrs. F. L. Parks and Mrs. Fred Knudson were recent houseguests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Montague in El Centro.

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Lomitan Thrilled by News About Brother's Rescue

Mrs. Margaret Bass of 2475 250th st., woke up this morning to get the thrill of her lifetime. She found her brother's name on the front page of a Los Angeles newspaper in a story about nine airmen who were lost in the Pacific for 66 days. One of the men, Robert Turnbull was her brother. The report how the crew of a Flying Fortress leaving Guadalcanal on a routine flight was attacked and crippled by Japanese Zeros. The crew managed to shoot down four of the enemy planes and Mrs. Bass thrilled with pride when she read of her brother's accuracy with his gun in knocking the Jap ship out of the sky.

After driving off the enemy craft, the fortress settled on the sea and the crew took to rubber rafts. In time the two rafts landed on a tiny island and the starved men found some half-starved natives who fed them. In time the men were picked up by a Navy flying boat and returned to Guadalcanal. A week or so ago, Mrs. Bass who knew her brother had been missing since Feb. 9, was informed by her sister in San Antonio that he was safe and had been made a sergeant. The news report was her first chance to learn the story of what really happened.

Yesterday was Bob's birthday, too," she said. "I sure wish I could offer him a piece of cake. But he'll be back some of these days and boy! will I be glad to see him!"

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(4) LIBBY'S VEAL LOAF 7-oz. CAN 17c	(3) RED LABEL FANCY TUNA No. 1/2 CAN 32c	(5) SWIFT'S JEWEL SHORTENING LB. 19c	(7) DEL MONTE RED SOCKEYE SALMON 1-LB. CAN 39c	(5) BROADCAST LUNCHEON REDI-MEAT CAN 39c	(5) SWIFT'S ALL SWEET OLEOMARGARINE 1-LB. CAN 24c
(8) SWIFT'S First Grade BUTTER lb. 55c	(7) PETER PAN SALMON 1-lb. can 22c	(5) MAZOLA SALAD OIL pt. 31c	(3) DUNBAR SHRIMP 6-oz. can 33c	(7) WESPAC MACKEREL 1-lb. can 13c	(7) VAN CAMP'S PILCHARDS 1-lb. can 12c
(7) DREFT Lge. Pkg. 23c	(3) GULF KIST SHRIMP 7-oz. can 33c	(7) OXYDOL Lge. Pkg. 23c	(7) VAN CAMP'S PILCHARDS 1-lb. can 12c	(5) TASTY SPAM or TREET can 37c	(3) LIBBY'S LUNCH TONGUE 6-oz. can 22c
LAVA SOAP 2 Large Bars 19c	(7) CRISCO 1-lb. 26c 3-lbs. 72c	DASH Large 26c Giant 55c	IT FLOATS 99% PURE Large Bar 10c	FRESH FRUITS and Vegetables EXTRA FANCY CARROTS bunch 6c MEDIUM LARGE CELERY bunch 10c NEW WHITE ROSE POTATOES 5 lbs. 25c	IVORY SOAP Guest Ivory 5c

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