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Parish Council Meeting Is Called

The parish council of St. Andrew's mission will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Moore Wheeler, 1230 Acacia ave. on Tuesday, Aug. 24 at 7 o'clock for dinner. The meeting is called to make arrangements for the consecration of St. Andrew's church and the installation of the mission as a parish on Oct. 25. All members of the council are requested to attend.

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Townsend Club No 1

By BETH PAIGE

Several members of our club were "decorated" last Friday evening by the arrival of the highly valued Townsend Legion pins which were distributed by our secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Alberta Bouldin. Mrs. Peggy Brown, president of Redondo No. 2, attended with a large group from her club which included Mrs. Cheney who favored us again with songs, accompanied by Mrs. Sellers who also accompanied her husband in baritone solos. Mrs. Hight also sang, playing her own accompaniment. There was a very fine attendance of out-of-town clubs and the watermelon feast was greatly appreciated.

Tomorrow evening we hope to have a business meeting when an article will be read which should bring a definite response from our members. This will precede the usual games, dancing and refreshments, to which the public is cordially invited.

BUILDING PERMITS

Only two building permits were issued during the past week at the city engineer's office. One, for \$7000, was issued to Katz & Pine, Park Knolls contractors, for a frame and stucco house at 2218 Cabrilave. The other, for \$120, was issued to Walter C. Bradford, 1226 Acacia for termite treatment.

Funeral Services For Airman Killed In Plane Crash

Military funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Whittier for Lieut. Frank R. Bras, U.S. Army Air Corps, who died in a plane crash in the Gulf of Mexico near Lake Charles, La., last week. Bras' body was recovered from the sunken plane and shipped west with military escort. He is a nephew of Frank G. Hodges, 1447 Prado, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Bras of Puente. His father and brother, Phillip, had planned to leave last weekend for Shreveport to spend a few days with Frank before he was shipped overseas. His sudden death was a severe shock. Lieut. Bras is also survived by two sisters, one of whom Miss Helen Bras is a specialist in the WAVES, stationed at San Diego.

Woman Pays Fine For Drunk Driving

Mrs. Mary Evelyn Anderson of Redondo Beach, arrested by Torrance police recently on a charge of drunk driving, was given a fine of \$100, or 25 days in the county jail when she appeared before Judge Otto B. Willett Saturday morning. Mrs. Anderson paid the fine.

Estimated Income Tax Returns Must be Filed by September 15 Regardless of Pay Deductions

More than 600,000 residents of the ten southern counties of California will be required to file income tax returns by Sept. 15 to report their estimated 1943 income taxes, according to figures released today by Harry C. Westover, collector of internal revenue.

"Nearly 1,800,000 Southern Californians filed 1942 tax returns last March," Westover said, "and we expect at least one-third of them to file the new estimate as required under 'pay-as-you-go.'"

"We are still awaiting our supply of forms and instruction sheets from Washington. The moment we receive them we will start mailing copies to every person who filed last March. We hope to have forms in the mail within the next ten days. The new tax return will be known as Form 1040ES."

"The current income tax payroll deduction of 20 per cent will take care of the tax of approximately two-thirds of the people in this district," Westover added, "and the balance will have some additional tax to pay."

"Single persons whose paychecks are being subjected to the 20 per cent deduction will file if they will earn more than \$2700 this year, or if they actually earned more than that amount last year. Married persons under the same conditions will file if either this year's or last year's earnings exceed \$3,500. In addition, every person who had outside income, such as dividends or interest or rents in excess of \$100 in either year will file a return regardless of the amount of his salary or wages."

"There is a large class of people, business men, farmers, professional men, and domestics, who have no income tax deductions from their paychecks or profits. These people," Westover stated, "will be required to file estimated tax returns by September 15 in order to make themselves current along with the rest. Single persons in this class will file if their income this year will exceed \$500 or actually did exceed that figure last year. A married person will file if his income this year will be \$624 or more, even though married couples will be allowed a \$1200 exemption. This is necessary in order to calculate their Victory tax for the year."

"Filing Mandatory. One very important requirement makes it mandatory that everybody must file an estimated return within the next 30 days, who was liable for a 1942 return if his 1942 income can reasonably be expected to exceed his 1943 income. This is true whether or not payroll deductions are being made from his wages. The reason behind this requirement lies in the 75 per cent forgiveness clause of the new revenue act. The law forgives 75 per cent of the tax of either the 1942 or 1943 incomes, whichever is the smaller. In order to determine the smaller tax, persons who had to file last year and who made more money last year than this will have to file this year."

"Luncheon Guests. Mrs. John R. Garner, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Clarence Easter of Glendale, Mrs. Paul E. Calkins and Dixie of Eagle Rock, were luncheon guests Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. P. Calkins at Redondo Beach.

"Visitor. Mrs. Robert Siler of Los Angeles was a houseguest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wright, 1420 Beech ave.

"Hosts at Dinner. Mr. and Mrs. John King of 2267 Carson st., entertained at dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Paige, Arline and Kenneth, Jr., Mrs. Beth Paige and Claudia and Laurella King.

"At Big Bear. Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Smith are vacationing this week at Big Bear City near Peter Pan Woodland club.

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Extend Valid Time Bicycle Certificates

Southlanders with ration board certificates authorizing the purchase of new bicycles were given a new lease of life today. In common with other areas, the rapidly diminishing supplies have resulted in many certificate holders failing to get delivery within the 30 days of the nominal life of such permits. The Office of Price Administration today announced that local war and rationing boards may extend the period of validity on their certificates for as long as they deem necessary.

O.P.A. further advised that it will check the national supplies of bicycles to further clarify the picture. All dealers and distributors will be required to report their holdings of new bicycles on the close of business for August 22, 1943. At the present time virtually all of the new cycles in the nation are in the hands of these two dealer groups.

Council Authorizes Re-Zoning Lancaster Home for Apartments

(Continued from Page 1-A) critical condition is allowed to exist.

"Your government, using both the resources of private enterprise and public funds, is carrying out a great war housing program. But enough new housing simply cannot be built to meet our needs, for construction takes the same materials needed for ships, planes, tanks and guns.

"For this reason we must depend to a greater extent on the use of existing structures to supply additional living accommodations. Permanent residents of the community must voluntarily reduce their living space to make room for these new thousands of immigrant war worker families.

"Many war workers simply cannot find decent places to live. While certain normal conditions cannot be expected or obtained in this time of war, every effort must be made to provide such immigrant war workers and families with living accommodations that meet minimum standards.

"This can be accomplished through the full support of local property owners and tenants willing to open their existing properties to receive these war guests. Only in this way will we be able to meet war production schedules.

"Increased use of existing structures to provide living quarters for the production soldiers of our home front will increase the output of actual implements of war.

"In order to comply with and support our government's program of providing additional housing in critical areas with the use of the least possible amount of materials needed in combat, many cities throughout the United States are meeting the challenge by a modification of zoning laws to the end that a greater utilization of existing structures can be directed most definitely toward the over-all effort to win this war.

"In view of these conditions, may I respectfully request that your honorable body make every possible allowance in favor of the project known as the Lancaster conversion, thereby placing the city of Torrance among the cities which in recognition of the present crisis, is ready and willing to do everything possible in furtherance of the over-all war effort."

"WEEK AT CRESTLINE. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Short and Misses, H. E. Carr, Andrew Cochrane and K. R. Russell and children recently enjoyed a week's vacation at Crestline.

Surplus Funds Of War Workers Go for Clothing

War workers are apparently spending their surplus funds at apparel stores, a survey by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census, indicates.

Apparel stores lead all durable goods trades in the four-state survey with sales gains for June, 1943 over July 1942, as follows: shoe stores, 40 per cent; women's ready-to-wear stores, 40 per cent; men's clothing and furnishings stores, 30 per cent; and family clothing stores, 42 per cent. Substantial increases were also shown in the sales of dry goods and general merchandise stores.

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Correct Methods of Preserving Non-acid VEGETABLES

(All vegetables except tomatoes)

The following two methods of home preserving non-acid vegetables are safe and the only methods approved by the University of California Agricultural Extension Division:

1. Pressure Canning
2. Drying—"Dehydration" or oven-sterilization

CAUTION: In home-canning non-acid vegetables, DON'T use the Open-Kettle method, the Open Kettle or Boiling-Water Bath methods.

Correct Methods of Preserving FRUITS and TOMATOES

The following methods are recommended for canning fruits, tomatoes and rhubarb:

1. Pressure Canning
2. Boiling-Water Bath

If you haven't a pressure canner or a kettle deep enough for Boiling-Water Bath canning—the Open Kettle method is feasible, although not quite as satisfactory. Home Drying methods, too, can be used.

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SPRY 3 LBS.	74c	1 LB. 26c

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