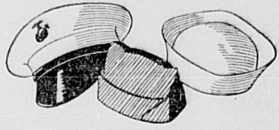


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Former Torrance Man Wins Fame As Flying Courier for United States Forces In Solomons Area

Harry Thorington, 21, formerly of Torrance, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thorington and nephew of Mrs. L. R. Bidwell and M. S. Thorington, also of this city has won considerable fame in the Solomons. He is a Navy flyer and among his tasks is that of carrying U.S. mail through enemy infested skies to various Army and Navy camps on the islands down under. He has had many daring escapes and so far has come out unscathed.

William Hipple, an Associated Press correspondent, writing from Guadalcanal, describes Thorington as a slim young fellow with a bright red beard and pegs him as the "flying mail man of the Solomons." Thorington, in recent years, has been located at Grand Coulee, Wash.

According to Hipple, Thorington is one of the most popular men in the Solomons area where mail is miraculous medicine. He started out several months ago with an old Wildcat fighter plane he begged from the Marines. Since then he was graduated to the new T.B.P. torpedo-bomber and he flies the mail, maps and messages regularly

from Guadalcanal to most of the advanced air fields.

Thorington has carried a variety of freight, including 2000 pounds of sugar he once ferried from Guadalcanal to a nearby island. In addition to his regular cargo of mail sacks he carries cigarettes, candy, plane parts, medicine, and an occasional passenger.

He joined the Navy three years ago in Spokane, leaving his wife and his parents at Grand Coulee. He qualified for flight training, graduated from Pensacola and joined a patrol squadron at Kaneoche Naval base, Hawaii. He was transferred to Canton Island and then there was an assignment to a carrier aircraft service unit when he was ordered to Guadalcanal. It was there he offered his services to the strike command and he was accepted right away.

Now he has become a recognized figure in the Solomons operations.

ENTERTAIN ON WEEKEND
Mr. and Mrs. Gil J. Derouin entertained as their weekend guests Mrs. Lois Hammond and her daughter, Mrs. Glory Thurman of San Diego.

Rites Held for Lt. Luedke in Torrance Church

The service star in the window of the Robert Luedke home at 1811 254th st., has been replaced with one of gold, for again the grim war god has struck down one of Lomita's most popular youngsters. Lieut. William L. Luedke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luedke, was killed in the crash of an Army airplane, near Winnet, Mont., on Aug. 24, according to official word received by the Luedkes last Thursday from the commanding officer of the air base at Great Falls, where young Luedke had been stationed for just a few weeks.

Ten other air force officers and men were killed in the crash. Lieut. Luedke's father is the past commander of Harbor City Post No. 382 of the American Legion, and young Bill had been a Post captain of the Sons of the Legion unit connected with Harbor City Post.

Funeral services under direction of the A. M. Gamby mortuary were held at 2 o'clock yesterday at the First Lutheran



LT. WM. L. LUEDKE . . . popular Lomita young man, dies in Army plane crash.

church of Torrance, of which Lieut. Luedke was a member, with Rev. Frank D. Meebing officiating. Interment with military honors was made at Inglewood Park cemetery. Lieut. Brown of Bakersfield, Luedke's co-pilot, escorted the remains from Great Falls.

Revised Method of Handling Out-of-Town Calls Explained

Wartime telephone calls are being placed in such volume through many of the switchboards handling out-of-town service that a special "call back" practice is now often necessary, Fred W. Smith, manager of the Southern California Telephone Co., announced today. The "call back" practice was described by the telephone manager as strictly a wartime expedient, necessary to keep the long distance switchboards sufficiently clear to enable the operators to handle all vital var calls promptly and to give all other calls service in the order in which the requests are received, Smith said.

Manager Smith's explanation of the new practice follows: "Telephone users placing out-of-town calls, even to nearby towns, may be told by the operator that they will be called back. When this system is used, the operator who receives the request for the call makes a record of the request on a ticket and then passes the ticket on to other operators who do the detailed work of putting the connection through. This method is employed only when such a tremendous volume of calls is being received that it is impossible to handle the calls in the normal manner. We are trying our very best by this and every other means at our disposal to keep the switchboards clear so that our subscribers will all receive fair treatment and their calls get equal attention.

"For many years we have taken pride in completing calls to out-of-town points, near and far, almost as rapidly as local calls. The war has doubled our long distance load, however, and at the same time has prevented our expanding the telephone system accordingly. The "call back" practice enables the operator who answers the calls from subscribers to keep their boards more nearly clear, thus bettering the service, even though the connections may not be completed with the old-time dispatch.

"Subscribers can assist the operators and themselves by calling by number whenever possible and making station-to-station calls in preference to person-to-person calls.

Seeks Cooperation
"During our year and a half of war we have found it necessary to explain several difficult telephone situations to the public, and without exception we have received wholehearted public cooperation. We have endeavored to make these telephone problems that directly affect the customer as clear as possible. The public in return has been wonderfully understanding and cooperative. We have every confidence that this new practice, even though it appears to slow up completion of the call and in many cases will do so, will be accepted by the public as a wartime necessity because it gives all users fair and equal treatment. It also enables the company to meet its wartime obligation of speeding essential war messages. Our operators are doing a splendid, essential war job. They deserve the assistance which telephone users have given them so wholeheartedly."

Penney's Plan Another Display of Photographs

Do you have a photograph of some man or woman in the military service? If so, you're invited to bring it to the J. C. Penney Co. store in Torrance for display in the store window as a feature of the Third War Bond sales campaign which begins Sept. 9.

Several weeks ago, the Penney Co. made a similar display which filled half of the store's entire window space and "we're hoping that we can make the display even larger," said Hillman E. Lee, store manager. A careful record will be kept of all photographs loaned and they will be returned in good condition, Lee states.

Those having photographs are requested to bring them to the Penney Co. store, 1281 Sartori ave., as soon as possible in order that an attractive display may be arranged within the next few days.

Wartime Programs Stress Mathematics In Secondary Schools

Wartime programs in California secondary schools will begin with the fundamental arithmetic processes, proceed to algebra and the use of formulas, next emphasize plane and solid geometry and conclude with trigonometry and its numerical aspects.

W. M. Whyburn, chairman of the mathematics department of the University of California at Los Angeles, suggested that wartime demands are symptomatic of needs in the fields of mathematics but could not be considered the sole basis for change in curriculum since the same fundamentals in that subject are required for both boys and girls in peace time. Dr. Whyburn concluded that implications can be drawn from problems in industry, aviation and other military fields and the home front should enrich usual courses of algebra, geometry and trigonometry.

Edward R. Deems Meets Death In Mine Accident

Edward R. Deems, 43, brother of Virgil E. Deems, of 1307 Ampola ave., died Thursday morning at Carmichaels, Pa., following an accident at a mine where he was crushed between two men.

He leaves his wife and one daughter. Private Harold J. Deems, stationed at Fredricksburg, Va., and a Torrance resident, attended his uncle's funeral held last Sunday. St. Peter's, in Vatican City, is the world's largest church.

Late "Town Character" Revealed Noblieman

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Birth certificates, and other papers in their possession establish strong evidence of their relationship to Alfred Lambert-Maberly. Old photographs, one published above and another of later date taken four years before he disappeared from Calgary, showing Maberly with a full beard and long flowing locks, are mute witnesses to the strong resemblance between them and the photograph taken by The Torrance Herald three years ago.

Whether or not divorce proceedings had ever been instituted by Maberly during the years between the date of his disappearance from Calgary and his arrival in Torrance with a wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Shirley Maberly, not the wife of his South African days, is unknown. According to his daughter, Mrs. Gordon, no notice of such proceedings had ever been received by the wife in Canada. Subsequent publication of items concerning the Maberlys of Torrance, Mrs. Maberly's obituary in 1936, and his later life history are silent upon the matter of the date of their marriage.

Few Possessions
Maberly, at the time of his death in March, left no will. He had been a beneficiary of the will of Mrs. Elizabeth Maberly, by which he was left a life interest in her estate, which was stipulated to go to the founding of a home for retired teachers and aged women upon his death. His own possessions were not extensive, consisting of two

or three scattered items of real estate. His estate is being administered by the public administrator, who will judge the validity of the claims now being proffered by the wife in Canada and the remaining nine children.

Maberly, during his life in Torrance, especially in later years, was looked upon as a mild eccentric, respected but with few close friends or intimates. He was of a jovial nature, fond of engaging in casual conversation but reticent to his past, except for his stay in South Africa, or boyhood in England, well conspicuous by their absence.



A War Message about PICKLES AND RELISHES

"APPETITE APPEAL" never means more than it does today when we are having to eat properly for wartime health—under wartime food restrictions. Repeated dishes or otherwise dull foods somehow must be kept interesting. So all power to such noble palate-ticklers as pickles and relishes! And, besides, they save man vegetables and fruits that might go to waste. So why not take this war message to heart: put up pickles and relishes while you can!

Try these GAS KITCHEN RECIPES

- 1. Pickled Beets**
1 qt. tiny beets, or 1 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
1 qt. sliced beets, 1 stick cinnamon
1/4 c. vinegar 1/2 tsp. ginger
1/4 c. water 1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 c. sugar Dash cayenne
2 bay leaves 1 tsp. whole clove

Mix all ingredients except beets, and bring to boil on top of your gas range. Pour over beets; boil 3 minutes. If liquid does not cover beets, add equal portion of vinegar and water. Place in sterilized jars and process in boiling water bath for thirty minutes.

2. Corn Relish

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| 1 Tbsp. salt | 1/4 c. water |
| 1/4 c. sugar | 6 ears corn (2 cup) |
| 1 Tbsp. mustard | 1 c. cabbage |
| 1/2 tsp. pepper | 1/2 medium-size onion |
| 1/2 tsp. tomato powder | 1 green pepper |
| Dash cayenne | 1 sweet red pepper |
| 1 c. vinegar (strong) | 1/4 c. celery |

Mix seasonings, vinegar and water and pour over chopped vegetables. Simmer 30 minutes, or bake in oven in closed kettle 40 minutes at 350°, after bringing to boiling point on surface burner. Put in sterilized jars and process in boiling water bath for 30 minutes.

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War Chest Campaign Plans Debated Here

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wishes to combine its community chest fund raising campaign with the Los Angeles area drive. The goal of the nation-wide effort will be \$250,000,000, which amount is needed for services to our fighting men.

United Nations relief organizations, the home front health and welfare organizations, according to President Fisher of the California War Chest.

"This great cause maintains the morale of men on the fighting front, bolsters the morale of our allies, and keeps the home fires burning," Fisher said. "United Nations relief agencies included in the budget approved by the directors of the National War Fund are Russian War Relief, Inc., United China Relief, Inc., British War Relief Society, Inc., Greek War Relief Association, Inc., Polish War Relief, Inc., French Relief Fund, Inc., United Yugoslav Relief Fund, Belgian Relief Society, United Czechoslovak Relief Fund, Queen Wilhelmina Fund, Norwegian Relief Fund, Friends of Luxembourg, Inc., Refugee Relief Trustees, Inc., and the U.S. Committee for Care of European Children.

The planets shine in the sky because they reflect the light of the sun.

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Many of childhood's infectious diseases can be prevented. No child needs to suffer with diphtheria, smallpox, typhoid, or whooping cough. It is much easier to prevent these diseases than to cure them. Your doctor knows just exactly the thing to do. Don't wait for an epidemic before you protect your child against disease. See your doctor this week . . . today . . . now. We carry all recognized immunizing agents subject to his orders.

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