



THIS IS "BOOGIE" . . . Boogie is a beloved family pet and he has been missing from his Torrance home since March 16.

Most everyone has read that classic eulogy of the dog by Senator Vest. In newspaper circles, stories about dogs and children are "must" copy, for editors generations ago learned that there is invariably a strong human emotional appeal in such stories.

Well, here's one: "Boogie" is a black and white terrier. He was raised from the time, nine years ago, when he was six weeks old by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Morrison of 1675 Gramercy ave. The Morrissions love Boogie dearly and it doesn't necessarily require a lover of dogs to understand that attachment.

Boogie had another companion, also a fox terrier, owned by the Morrissions, and he plainly is heartbroken at Boogie's disappearance March 16.

Morrison has advertised for information of Boogie and all his friends are on the lookout for the dog. Even if Boogie is dead, the Morrissions would like to know of it, though that would be bitterly sad news to them.

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**Rolling Mill of Geneva Steel Co. In Operation**

Less than two years after ground was broken on 1,600 acres of farmland, the plate mill of the government's new \$180,000,000 Geneva steel plant near Provo, Utah, went into operation recently when the first trial rolling of plates was made. Geneva works, largest integrated steel plant west of the Mississippi river, is being operated by Geneva Steel Company, United States Steel Corporation subsidiary, under contract with the Defense Plant Corporation for the war period.

First rolling of plates for the Pacific Coast shipbuilding industry culminates a series of operating steps over the past few months which began with the charging of the first battery of coke ovens on Dec. 13, 1943. Two of four batteries of by-products coke ovens, two of three blast furnaces, three of nine open hearth furnaces, the slabbing mill and auxiliary facilities are now in regular production.

**Site Cleared in 1942**

In April, 1942, U. S. Steel's west coast subsidiary Columbia Steel Company, began clearing the plant site of small farmsteads which dotted the area. Today an entirely new and complete source of steel production, with an annual output capacity of 1,280,000 tons has been created in the broad valley flanked by towering mountain ranges and mirrored in Utah Lake.

In August, 1943, a newly organized U. S. Steel subsidiary, Geneva Steel Company, contracted to operate the plant for Defense Plant Corporation, an R.P.C. subsidiary. No operating fee or other compensation is paid to Geneva Steel Company or U. S. Steel for their services in directing the wartime operation of this large plant.

Thousands of men and women from all sections of the country contributed their efforts to moving 3,000,000 cubic yards of dirt, pouring 550,000 cubic yards of concrete, erecting 85,000 tons of structural steel, laying 70 miles of railroad track, and 15 miles of roadway to build western America's largest integrated steel mill.

**Sources of Supply**

To supply coal for the new mill, the new Geneva mine was developed in historic Horse Canyon, 130 miles southeast of the plant. In full operation it will produce 8,500 tons daily. Iron ore is furnished from the open pit mine of Columbia Iron Mining Company, a subsidiary of Columbia Steel Company, located in southwestern Utah, approximately 250 miles from the Geneva steel plant. The iron mining operation has been greatly expanded to take care of Geneva's needs. Twenty-five miles from the plant, near Puyson, Utah, limestone and dolomite are secured from the newly developed Kogley quarry.

**Fred A. Simons Funeral Held**

Funeral services for Fred A. Simons, 72, who died suddenly in his real estate office at 1827 Pacific Coast highway, Lomita, were held in San Pedro today, with the Rev. Fred H. Ross officiating and past masters of Point Firmin Masonic lodge conducting Masonic rites. Burial will be at Seattle, Wash. Seventeen years ago Simons built a home at 2339 W. 241st st., Lomita. He was a past master of Point Firmin lodge. He leaves the widow, Etta Simons, Lomita; three sons, David Harold Simons, New York; Howard Simons, Seattle, Wash.; and Charles Phelps, Bakersfield; and three daughters, Mrs. Ella Mae Timmerman, Seattle; Mrs. Max Cox, San Diego, and Mrs. Rose Brooks, Lomita. A grandson, Cpl. Richard Cox, died last year in a Japanese prison camp in the Philippines.



READY FOR ACTION . . . Pfc. William Henry Martin, husband of Mrs. Florence Martin of Torrance, has been graduated from the Army Air Forces flexible gunnery school at Laredo, Tex. He is awaiting assignment to a bomber combat crew.

Pfc. William Henry Martin, husband of Mrs. Florence Martin of 2431 Gramercy ave., Torrance, was graduated last week from the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School, Laredo Army Air Field, Laredo, Texas, a member of the AAF Training Command. He is now qualified to take his place as a member of a bomber combat crew.

Along with his diploma, he received a pair of aerial gunner's silver wings and a promotion in grade at brief graduation exercises held there.

He was prepared for his place in America's stepped-up air offensive by a comprehensive six weeks course in every phase of aerial gunnery warfare. Besides learning to fire every type weapon from camera turrets to the deadly caliber .50 Brownings, he studied turret manipulation, aircraft identification, stripping and reassembling of machine guns while blindfolded. He clinaxed the course by air firing on towed targets.

**Housing Units Available Far Below Demand**

During the month ending March 20, the five war housing centers in Area No. 3, under the management of Pat MacDonnell with headquarters in Torrance, received 3,337 applications for housing. Of this number 553 were accommodated and 449 of them were in-migrant war workers, according to MacDonnell. "It may be interesting to note," said MacDonnell, "that the 3,337 applicants wanted houses in these classifications: 1,493 said they could get along with one-bedroom structures, 1,707 said they required two bedrooms; 513 three bedrooms, and 24 asserted their families were of the size where more than three bedrooms would be necessary."

**Torrance Applicants**

MacDonnell reported that in the Torrance office 478 applications were received and 105 families were accommodated. These applications were broken down as follows: 202 for one-bedroom houses, 244 wanted two bedrooms and 32 said they required three. Of the 105 families qualifying, 98 were in-migrant workers in local war plants.

In Area No. 3, which comprises Torrance, Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach, Culver City, Santa Monica, Gardena and Wilmington, the average placement in housing has averaged better than 450 per month so far this year.

The local housing center has been advised that of the 13,000 housing units now under construction in the area completions are being made at the rate of about 300 monthly. Vacancies occurring in existing structures amounts to less than one-tenth of 1 percent, MacDonnell asserted.

**Coast Guardsman Praises Work of Red Cross Units**

Seaman First Class Woods of the U. S. Coast Guard was the speaker on a Junior Red Cross program presented in the Torrance High school auditorium recently.

Seaman Woods outlined his experiences in three engagements in the South Pacific, emphasizing the role the Red Cross played and is playing in the South Pacific area. The aid and comfort personally afforded the speaker by the Red Cross prompted his appearance at Torrance High in hope that the splendid effort and moral boosting of the Red Cross and the Junior Red Cross may be perpetuated through necessary home support. Augmenting Sea-

man Woods' refreshing message was a film on Red Cross activities abroad.

Answering the speaker's appeal for aid to the current Junior Red Cross campaign, conducted in Los Angeles city schools recently, were student and faculty members at Torrance, who contributed more than \$404 to the service fund aimed at providing accessories of comfort for convalescing servicemen in local hospitals. Students furnished over \$100, with the senior class bolstering the drive with \$28 in contributions. Faculty and custodian departments provided the remainder of the sum.

Compared to last season's promotion of funds at Torrance High, a marked rise in interest and contributions to the Junior Red Cross has occurred. Total assets derived from last year's campaign were only \$273 in comparison.



Sister Elizabeth Kenn is aiding P.K.O. officials with the story of her work in combating infantile paralysis. Rosalind Russell will play the role of the noted Australian nurse which will be filmed not later than Nov. 1.

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**OBITUARY**

**YSOBEL GARCIA, JR.**  
Funeral services were conducted at the Pueblo Catholic church yesterday at 10 a.m. for Ysobel Garcia, Jr., 10, victim of a cave-in of a tunnel he had dug while at play near his home, Madrona and Torrance blvd., last Sunday. Stone & Myers had charge of the funeral. Interment was made in Pacific Crest cemetery. Two brothers and six sisters survive, in addition to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ysobel Garcia.

Business, professional or personal cards are readily obtainable at the Torrance Herald office. Phone Torrance 444, 443