

Plane Crashes Tent but Local Sailor Lives

Wounded when a plane crashed into a tent in which he was lying, William E. Buckley, SK-2/c, U. S. Navy, of Torrance, is alive to tell the tale, and in a letter to his wife he said "it's the nearest I ever came to saying 'so long' to this old world, and I don't want it to happen again."

The sailor, who has had four ships shot out from under him at sea, and who once was in the water for 18 hours before rescue, was on his stomach and received a bad, deep cut and fractured pelvis when the plane crashed into the tent. All his belongings were torn or mangled beyond use. One of his buddies was wounded and another killed in the freak accident. "If I had been on my back, it would have been just too bad," Buckley said.

The accident, which happened in late July, put the sailor in a hospital at one of the Pacific navy bases.

The pilot of the plane, a Los Angeles boy, lived.

Buckley gives his present address as NLFEED, Navy 145, care Fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Servicemen's stationery? Call Torrance 444 or 443.

California State Guard Units Launch Big Recruiting Windup

Backed by appeals from Governor Warren, Brig. Gen. Ray W. Hays, the Adjutant General of California, Major Gen. David McCoach, Jr., commanding general of the Ninth Service Command, and Lt. Col. John C. French, U.S.A. (Ret.), commanding officer of the Ninth Tactical Command of the California State Guard, troops of the 2nd Battalion, 39th Regiment, of the Guard next week launch upon a final windup of a recruiting campaign to bring the battalion to full strength.

Under direction of Major A. Milton Fish, battalion commander, the commanding officers of the nine companies in the battalion area each will put into the field in a house-to-house, store-to-store canvass, ten teams of two men each in the big windup. This system of recruiting has been used for several weeks with success, taking right into the home the message of the need for the maintenance of a full-strength State Guard, Major Fish declared.

The three-day final drive will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and it will be supported by newspaper advertising, radio flashes on KFOX, Long Beach, and distribution of printed matter which contain the appeals of Governor Warren and United States Army leaders for the building of a full-strength Guard in California.

The various companies will have medical officers and clerical staffs on duty at the various armories to enlist the recruits as they signify their willingness to serve in the protection of their homes, communities, state and nation by donning the United States Army uniform which is worn by the State Guard troops.

The companies, commanders and location of armories are: Co. A, Capt. Charles C. Church, 854 E. 7th St., Long Beach.

Co. C, Capt. Maurice Miller, 854 E. 7th St., Long Beach.

Co. D, Capt. S. C. Sault, Fries Avenue School, Fries at M St., Wilmington.

Co. E, Capt. Otis D. Clayton, 855 Oak St., Bellflower.

Co. F, Capt. Charles L. Johnson, Clark Stadium, Hermosa Beach.

Co. G, 1st Lt. Leon G. Gamaunt, 801 13th St., San Pedro.

Co. H, Capt. Robert L. Lewellen, Torrance Municipal park, Torrance.

Co. I, Capt. Robert F. Genter, Compton Junior College stadium, Compton.

Service Co., Capt. Clarence L. Johnson, 854 E. 7th St., Long Beach.

In urging enlistments in the State Guard, Governor Warren in an appeal to cities and counties recently wrote: "You need not be told that we have a grave responsibility. California is nearer to the battle lines and more important to the conduct of the war by reason of our vital natural resources and war industries than almost any other state. It is our job not only to protect this arsenal of war, but also to protect our own homes."



Sidney Hillman (above), labor leader, has been accused by Radio Commentator Fulton Lewis Jr. of leading the strikes for higher wages while the men at the front are fighting for \$50 a month in foxholes, and wants the government made to order for his purposes.

Townsend Club No. 1

Torrance Townsend Club No. 1 will hold its semi-monthly business meeting in the Men's Bible Class Hall on Cravens ave. on Aug. 25. The business sessions are short, after which the remainder of the evening are given over to games, refreshments and dancing. The public always is cordially invited. The social evening on Aug. 18 was exceptionally well attended. There were visitors from Hawthorne and Torrance Club No. 2. After the usual opening exercises, buncos was played, with cash prizes for highest scores. Refreshments of delicious meat loaf sandwiches and coffee were served. There was an auction of an apple pie donated by a club member. Dancing filled the remainder of the evening.

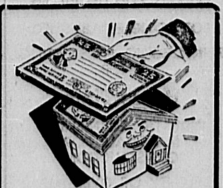
Nelson R. Imel Gets Discharge From U.S. Army

Nelson R. Imel, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Imel, 24302 Lomita drive, received a medical discharge from the Army on July 11 at Walla Walla, Wash., and is now at home.

Nelson was a private first class in the First Cavalry as a lineman, and has been in New Guinea and the Admiralties for the past eight months, where he sustained injuries in the line of duty. He was initiated into the Lomita V.F.W. Post 1922 at the regular meeting held Sunday evening, Aug. 20.

Nelson is a union carpenter and plans to resume work with his father.

CUB PACK 228 MEETS
All parents, boys and friends of Cub Scout unit 228 are urged to attend pack meeting Friday night at 7:30 at the Methodist church. Movies will be shown by Joseph Calhoun. In addition, the following new boys will be welcomed: Jack Brown, Norman Rose, Robert Turgeon and Jean Labesque.



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Retail Merchants Will Buy Hot Dogs For Boy Scouts

Retail merchants division of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce has taken over the job of furnishing the hot dogs, buns, mustard, pie and punch for the big Boy Scout Circus and Jamboree which will be held Saturday, Oct. 14, in Torrance Municipal park. The Scouts will roast the wieners in the evening.

The affair will be known as the First Annual Torrance Invitational Boy Scout Circus and Jamboree. It has been decided, and it is being sponsored by the retail merchants division.

Several hundred Boy Scouts and leaders from all Los Angeles county will attend the affair and the merchants are preparing to post awards for five competitive events to be held during the jamboree. Every Scout will be eligible to participate in the contests, but no Scout may enter more than one event.

The camping and activities committee of the Los Angeles Area Council, harbor district, is assisting in the preparations for the affair, which will be one of the big Scouting events of the year for Los Angeles County Boy Scouts.

The day will start at 9:30 a.m. and close with rites at 10 p.m. Scouts are expected to bring their noon lunch, and transportation problems are being worked out.

DELAY CASUALTY NOTICES

Failure of emergency addressees to inform the War Department of address changes cause unnecessary delay in delivery of approximately 10 percent of all casualty notifications to next of kin, it was reported at Ninth Service Command Headquarters, Fort Douglas, Utah.

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Townsend Club No. 2 By MRS. M. E. ATTEBERY

Torrance Townsend club No. 2 will hold its monthly potluck dinner tonight, Thursday, at 6:30 o'clock. Proceeds will go to the campaign fund. Games and old-time dancing will follow. On Aug. 31, Townsend No. 2 will hold a birthday party honoring all birthdays in July, August and September.

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Helen Daggett, well known throughout Southern California labor circles, today was named as special labor representative for the Southern California Office of Price Administration.

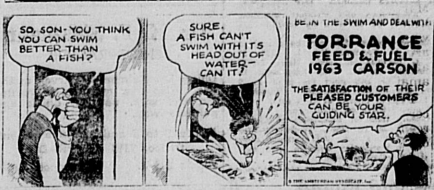
Mrs. Daggett took office immediately and will act as a liaison person between the OPA and all labor organizations. Her

LARGEST IN NATION

The geographic limits of the Ninth Service Command, the largest in area of Army Service Forces Commands in the United States, embraces eight western states — Washington, Oregon, California, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and Arizona.

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