

Walteria War Memorial Mass Meeting Called

A mass meeting is to be held in Walteria Wednesday, Sept. 6, at 7:45 p.m. at Civic building for the purpose of making final arrangements for the Walteria War Memorial (World War 2).

More than \$200 has been received to date as reported by Mrs. Birdine Tuttle, treasurer, at a meeting last Saturday held at the home of Gen. P. Thatcher, attended by Roy Palmer, president of the Walteria Civic Organization, sponsors of the memorial, Mrs. Helen Connors, Mrs. Tuttle and Stanley Cox. Mr. Cox was appointed finance chairman.

Friends and relatives of service men previously were requested not to select book titles but this policy has been changed and now title selections are requested. It is urged that these book titles be turned in to the committee at the earliest possible convenience as a list is now being made up and it is hoped that a completed list will be ready to submit to the Los Angeles County Library the latter part of September for approval, Thatcher said.

A sample of the type plaque for the names of service men and women has been selected and is on display at the Walteria postoffice for public approval.

Miss Betty Young, Walteria's first woman to enter the armed services, is joining the Waves and expects to leave between now and Oct. 1.

TORRANCE TO SHARE IN WAR CHEST DRIVE TO RAISE FUND OF \$7,613,579 FOR RELIEF

Citizens of Torrance, who are associated with those of 17 other cities and nearly 100 towns and communities in the Los Angeles Area War Chest, have been given a total goal of \$7,613,579.00 to provide the services of 133 war relief and home front causes "for our boys, our homes and our Allies" during the coming year. It is announced by Harvey S. Mudd, War Chest president.

The quota for Torrance will be announced shortly, according to Hillman Lee, chairman here. The drive will be conducted late in September.

The goal set this year is nearly \$800,000 more than that of the First War Chest appeal which took place in this community last fall. The campaign in the Los Angeles area was outstanding throughout the nation, with 605,000 subscribers exceeding the goal of \$6,865,059. Expressing high confidence in the leadership in the present campaign, P. G. Winnett, general chairman, declared "this is a record we fully expect to repeat."

The increased goal has been made necessary by additional agencies being taken into the War Chest and the necessity of higher budgets for others. New local youth agencies are community centers in Hollywood, Bunker Hill district and Wilmington. Also receiving allotments will be Veterans' Services Center for returning veterans, and Los Angeles Officers Club. Five new war relief organizations will receive funds. These are American Denmark Relief, American Field (ambulance)

Service, Philippine War Relief, United Lithuanian Relief, and American Relief for Italy for liberated areas.

Increased budgets for numerous agencies are caused by "another year of war," Winnett emphasized. Calls for "more services will be particularly felt here," he declared, "as the full force of combat shifts to the Pacific and this entire area becomes a fighting port."

"Budgets for many agencies had to be larger," Mr. Winnett asserted. "Our boys have been away from home a year longer and need our backing that much more." There are twice as many prisoners of war as at this time last year. Strains on the home front are increasing each day," He continued:

"Opening of occupied Allied countries by triumphant United Nations troops now gives American generosity full chance to help feed, clothe and send medicines to millions of adults and children who have suffered five, six and seven years of terror that we have been spared. We must help bridge the gap between the end of hostilities in liberated areas and the time when Allied peoples can again establish themselves."

Here is how the \$7,613,579 goal will be distributed, based upon the recommendations of the budget and review committee of volunteers representative of the entire community and headed by John O'Melveny. The group made close study of needs and services.

For services to our fighting forces through such agencies as U.S.O., United Seamen's Services and War Prisoners Aid of the Y.M.C.A., \$1,720,331.

Local war activities on behalf of men and women in the armed forces, including Navy Aid Auxiliary, Women's Ambulance and Defense Corps, War Services Council, Citizens Committee for Army and Navy, Lawndale Hostess Club, Los Angeles Officers Club, Hollywood Victory Committee, a special fund for Veterans Service Center and contingencies, amounts to \$284,200.

Food, clothing, medical supplies and other aid to Allied countries through war relief societies for Belgium, Britain, China, Russia, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, France, Greece, Italy, Lithuania, Philippines, Norway, Poland, Yugoslavia, Luxembourg, Holland, for refugees and care of European children, field ambulance services, \$1,089,632.

Los Angeles' share of a national emergency fund for unforeseen developments affecting the 22 war related causes in the National War Fund was set at \$156,637. American War Community Services will receive \$25,000 and the Salvation Army Global War Services \$10,000.

Special war time services growing out of war needs, such as the Youth Project, a delinquency prevention work, \$249,000; extension of local agency services to nine additional communities which have joined the War Chest this year, \$96,413; Motion Picture Relief Fund, \$50,000.

Thirty-five home front, all-time health and service agencies in the Community Chest, and special war services to meet war-bred needs which have been established by Community Chest agencies, will receive \$3,237,720.

Fund-raising and collection, year around administration and publicity costs, as well as a reasonable reserve for pledges uncollectible because of deaths, removals, termination of employment, were carefully determined by the War Chest finance committee, headed by Harry Bauer and approved by the executive committee headed by Paul K. Yost. Administration and collection costs are two-thirds of one per cent of the goal, or \$51,500. Campaign and publicity costs approximate four and a half percent, or \$349,310; and reserve for collection losses were placed at \$203,832.00.

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Before entering the Air Forces, he was employed as a sheet mill worker by Columbia Steel Co. in Torrance. He attended Torrance High school.

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This fact was disclosed by M. Penn Phillips, vice chairman of the Treasury War Finance Committee for Southern California, following receipt of official figures from Washington on sales and redemptions of bonds since inception of the program.

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