

## Local Church Group Prepares Juvenile Inquiry

The Young Churchman's League of the St. Andrew's Episcopal church held a Halloween party in the St. Andrew's church parish hall Sunday, Oct. 29, at 7:30 p.m. The proceeds from the party will be utilized to restore the church cross.

Assignment following Halloween will be a panel discussion on "Recreation for Young People in Our Community." They will invite one or more persons from social agencies to take part, as well as members of their own group. They will discuss some of the following questions:

Just what is juvenile delinquency? Is juvenile delinquency confined in our community to the section "across the tracks"? Why does it crop out there, if true?

One of our largest eastern cities has laws which crowd 20 per cent of its population into two per cent of the houses. Do we think that crowding means congestion; that congestion makes for crime? To what extent does environment matter?

Is a sound recreation program the greatest need of those in areas of teen-age trouble? Is religion? Is the home?

To what extent has the present war increased juvenile delinquency or teen-age trouble in our community? What are the chief causes? What is our parish doing about this? What might we do?

What are the areas where we can work constructively where other agencies cannot?

**VIRGINIA D. SMITH**... has been advanced to parachute rigger, 2/c, at her San Diego base. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith of 1407 Cota ave.

**NEPHEW VISITS**... Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Gallimore entertained last Sunday for their nephew, Pvt. George Fuser, who is stationed at Camp Muir.

**TO VISIT MOTHER**... Miss Wilma Rockholm recently flew to Omaha, Neb., to visit her mother, Mrs. Fred Rockholm.

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## KURUSU BLUNTLY WARNED NATION READY FOR BATTLE

**Leaders Call Troops Back In Singapore**  
Singapore, Nov. 2.—(AP)—General K. S. Thirumala, commander of the Indian National Army, today called back to Singapore the troops of the Indian National Army which had been sent to the Malay Peninsula.

While the story of Pearl Harbor has never been officially told this reproduction will bring readers a dynamic story direct from the South Pacific which is most timely.

Originally published in the Christian Science Monitor, copyright release was granted in order that we might publish it for the edification of readers.

We of the western section of these United States have a lot at stake in this story, particularly when we consider that the war was almost brought to our front doors and still we or our readers have not been told how close it really was.

**Will Santa Fit The Plane?**  
Santa Claus is expected to arrive in the United States by airplane on Christmas Eve, according to the United States Customs Service.

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**Humulu Taken Over By Army**  
The Humulu Islands, in the Pacific, have been taken over by the United States Army.

**Nazis Clamp Curfew Over Montmartre**  
Paris, Nov. 2.—(AP)—The Nazis today clamped a curfew over Montmartre, the Parisian district of Paris.

**Foreign Affairs Expert Attacks Tokio Madness**  
Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—A leading foreign affairs expert today attacked the "madness" of the Japanese government.

**British Reveal Naval Help To Reds In Arctic**  
London, Nov. 2.—(AP)—The British government today revealed that it had sent naval forces to the Arctic to help the Red Army.

**Merchant Marine Age Limit Now 17 to 50 Years**  
Selective Service restrictions, which have reserved men in the 18 to 26 age group for the armed forces, have been lifted and thus enlistment in the Merchant Marine is now opened to men from 17 to 50, it was announced today by Ensign F. S. Haynes, Los Angeles Enrolling Officer for the United States Maritime Service.

**Junior Red Cross Enrollment Starts Nov. 1**  
With the "initiation fees" amounting only to the students' desire to render service, the annual drive for enrollment in American Junior Red Cross started in elementary and junior and senior schools of this vicinity on Nov. 1.

**Family Care**  
Children from the families of our fighting men are being cared for in increasing numbers.

**Secret Service Conducting 'Know Endorser' Campaign**  
Millions of Treasury checks are issued monthly to dependents of men in the armed forces. More millions are sent to Social Security beneficiaries, to pensioners, to government employees and others. When one of these checks is stolen and fraudulently negotiated, the person who is entitled to that check may have to go without some of the necessities of life, and may wait months before another check can be issued to replace the stolen one. This type of crime is particularly despicable, because it means that families of men serving their country in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps may be deprived of money which they count upon heavily for support. The Office of Dependency Benefits of the War Department has characterized the crook who pilfers allotment and allowance checks from mailboxes "the meanest man in the world at war."

**RATION FACTS**  
MEATS, CHEESES, CANNED MILK, BUTTER, CANNED FISH—Book 4 red stamps, 10 points, A8 through Z8 and A5 through P5, valid indefinitely.  
PROCESSED FOODS—Book 4 blue stamps, 10 points, A8 through Z8 and A5 through W5, valid indefinitely.  
NOTE—New red and blue stamps will become valid on or about the first of each month.  
SUGAR—Book 4 stamps 30, 31, 32 and 33 valid indefinitely for five pounds each, stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.  
Obtain application for additional rationing sugar at local OPA boards. Application, when filled out, must be accompanied by spare stamp 37. Applicants may request up to 20 pounds per ration book. Second period applications may be filed to Oct. 20.  
SHOES—Book 3 airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely. NOTE: Take book along to make purchase.  
GASOLINE—A13 coupons good for four gallons to Dec. 21. B3 and C3 coupons good for five gallons.  
All coupons must be endorsed on face with car license number and state of registration.  
PRICES—For all information regarding prices contact the Price Clerk of your local board.

**New Shoe Stamp Good on Nov. 1**  
Airplane Stamp 3 in War Ration Book 3 may be used for buying one pair of rationed shoes.  
The new stamp, like Airplane Stamps 1 and 2 now in use, will be valid indefinitely.  
Announcement was made Sept. 28 (OPA-4803) that another shoe ration stamp would become valid on Nov. 1, but the number of the stamp was not made known.  
As explained previously, validation of the new shoe stamp Nov. 1 continues the rationing rate established a year ago when Airplane Stamp 1 came into use. Since Nov. 1, 1943, shoe stamps have been validated at six-month intervals.

## New Red and Blue Stamps Valid Soon

Validation dates for five more blue stamps for processed foods and four more red stamps for meats-fats have been announced by the Office of Price Administration today.

Each of the stamps will be worth ten points.

On Sunday, Oct. 29, red stamps L3, M5, N6 and P5 were valid for meats-fats, a total of 40 points. Consumers are reminded that the four red stamps will have to last them for a five-week period. It is expected that the next red stamps will not be validated until Dec. 3, 1944.

On Wednesday, Nov. 1, blue stamps S5, T5, U5, V5 and W5 became valid for processed foods, a total of 50 points. These stamps will have to last a month. Under the present system, five blue stamps are validated on the first of each calendar month.

All stamps to be validated will be good indefinitely.

**ANGELENO NAMED**  
Ben Goldman of Tire Salvage Co., Los Angeles, has been named as a member of a seven-man scrap rubber materials industry advisory committee to meet with OPA officials in Washington, D. C., it was announced today. The committee will meet Oct. 31 to discuss proposed dollars-and-cents ceiling prices on tire boots, patches and reliners made from scrap rubber.

**PERSONNEL CENTER**  
Designation of Fort Douglas, Utah, as one of the Ninth Service Command personnel centers to process personnel into the Army or released from active duty has been made by the War Department.

## Veterans Want Training, Says USES Survey

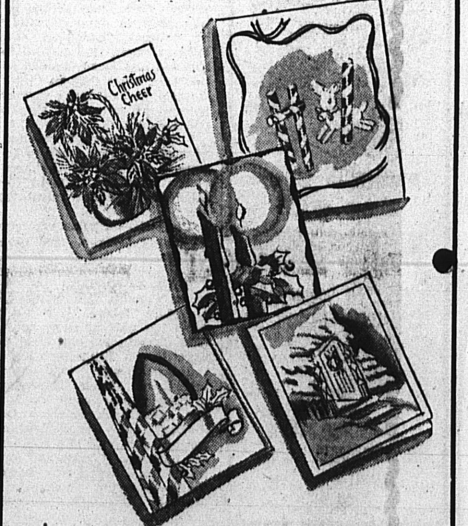
Many veterans, some 80 years of age, who were comparatively unskilled in previous civilian life and who have received trade instruction in the service, wish to complete these courses under educational provisions of the G.I. Bill, according to a recent survey made by the United States Employment Service, 1927 Carson st., Torrance.

A strong trend is noted toward veterans feeling the successful man in the postwar era will be the "man who knows something."

Even those who want only jobs, are not sure what kind of work they wish. They emphasize employment after during first 60 days after their discharge.

Heading the list of desired work are the quiet jobs where the work is not too heavy for the veterans' diminished physical powers. Truck driving is the most popular with active service men.

Approximately 50 per cent of returning veterans have disability claims pending or recently granted. Malaria's toll is high and recurrent attacks of this disease prevent many former fighters from holding steady jobs.



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