RATION FACTS

WAR RATION BOOK III

	Expires
Airplane stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 (1 pr. shoes each).	Not Set

WAR RATION BOOK IV

	Expires
Stamp No. 36 (good for 5 lbs. sugar)	Aug. 31
Red stamps (10 points) for meats, cheese, canned milk, butter and canned fish:	Expires
Q2, R2, S2, T2 & U2	Aug. 31
V2, W2, X2, Y2 & Z2	Sept. 30
A1, B1, C1, D1 & E1	Oct. 31
F1, G1, H1, J1 & K1	Nov. 30.

GREASE BONUS — Butchers will give 2 red tokens for every pound of salvaged kitchen fats received.

VFW Members And Auxiliary Meet Tonight

Members of Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet tonight at the hall on Lomita blvd., for their regular meeting and initiation of new members.

Mrs. Olive Veatch, president, will appoint chairmen for the public card party to be held Saturday evening, August 25 to swell the building fund for the post.

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Bill Moon Home From Voyage; Surprises Dad

While E. S. Moon, popularly known to local sports fans as "Red" Moon, was announcing the tournament game Monday night between the Long Beach Ellbees and the Pittsburgh Pirates Jrs., William E. Moon, gunners mate 3/c, with the Merchant Marine, appeared before him and greeted: "Hi, Dad!"

"Red" reports that he doesn't know whether he called the next one a ball or strike. It had been a long time since he'd seen his son, Bill, and thought that he was in New York.

It was a happy "Red" Moon who introduced his son to the fans at the game. Mr. and Mrs. Moon live at 1024½ Amapola ave., Torrance.

Earmarked for Jap Iron Works

Sixteen-inch shells from the U. S. battlewagon at righe hurtle through the sky on their way to raise hell at the Kamaishi Imeprial Iron Works on northern Honshu island. Arrows mark the shells in flight as they fly toward Japan's home island.

Doomed Ship Capsizes in Kure Bay

By United Press

The Japanese cruiser Oyodo capsizes in a cove near the Nipponese Naval Base at Kure, Honshu, where she sought safety from a swarm of American and British carrier-based planes of Admiral Chester W. Nimitz' Third Fleeet in gigantic poundings of Japanese home islands.

GUEST HERE

Miss Birda Paddock of Los Angeles has been the house guest of Mrs. Ethel Waite, 26235 Eshelman ave., Lomita, during the past week.

Chief Stroh To Visit Family In Loveland

Torrance Police Chief John Stroh will leave August 18 for a two weeks vacation with relatives in Loveland, Colo. Among the relatives to be visited are, Mrs. Catherine Stroh, the chief's mother, two sisters, Viola and Carolyn, and a brother, Harry Stroh.

A twin brother, J. J. Stroh in Greeley, Colo., also will be visited while there. Chief Stroh announced that he had saved enough coupons to make the trip by curtailing his pleasure driving, and would use them regardless of the recent OPA order taking gasoline from the ration list.

ENOUGH LAND

The Los Angeles Board of Public Works has informed the city council that no additional property, other than is now owned by the city, will be needed as a site for the proposed sewage disposal plant at Hyperion.

Red Cross In New Harbor City Headquarters

Miss Alice Walker, district director for the American Red Cross, reports a new headquarters for the local unit at 25309 Belleporte in Harbor City. There will be classes in home nursing and first aid given to all desiring these courses.

This site also will house the Volunteer Production Corps, according to Miss Walker.

Lomita Infant Born At 70 M.P.H. Clip

Old "Doc Stork" was pushing the "delivery" car and a Lomita grandmother was at the wheel but the race was lost when the car came to a halt in front of the Navy Hospital at Long Beach. It was there that a daughter was born to Mrs. Doris Jean Brewer, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wilson, 2332 W. 254th st., Lomita, wife of CMoM Harold R. Brewer, U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Wilson who drove the car in the race with time said she went 70 miles an hour and through stop lights and signals and prayed.

"I never wanted to see a policeman so badly in my life, but none was in sight," Mrs. Wilson told reporters. A Navy doctor came out to the car in time to complete the delivery. The mother brought the baby home to Lomita on Monday of this week.

The father this week arrived in San Francisco from the South Pacific and at this writing was expected home. They are the parents also of Michael Roy, age 16 months.

The second arrival, named Sharron Roberta, weighed seven pounds seven ounces, was born August 7 at 7 a.m., and besides the seven in 70 miles an hour clip at which she was born there may be other sevens in her numerology.

The babies have a great-great grandmother, Mrs. Martha Gaylord of Santa Cruz.

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Information will be furnished any Veteran or his dependents on the rights and benefits provided by federal and state agencies and also any services made available by other groups or agencies.

Don Johnson Arrives Home For Short Leave

Don Johnson, signalman, 3/c, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Johnson, 1814 W. 256th st., Lomita, arrived home this week from overseas for a five-day leave.

Johnson, a graduate of Narbonne High school, winter of '44, enlisted in the Navy a year ago in May.

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