

MAIL CHRISTMAS GIFTS EARLY, POSTMEN ASK

Postmaster C. Earl Conner today asked local residents to plan their Christmas shopping schedules now to permit early mailing of Christmas cards and gift packages, thus avoiding last-minute crowds at postoffice windows.

To assure delivery before Christmas day, the postmaster advised that out-of-state mailings should be made before Dec. 10. Christmas greetings cards for local delivery should be mailed by Dec. 15, he said.

"On Christmas eve it is a great satisfaction to be certain that your Christmas cards and packages have been delivered because they were mailed early," he pointed out. "When you postpone mailing to the last minute, you risk disappointing your friends by having your messages and gifts caught in the rush and perhaps not delivered until after Christmas."

He advised combining early mailing with use of "Do Not Open Before Christmas" notes or stickers on packages and envelopes.

The postmaster anticipates even heavier mail loads this Christmas than during the recent holidays.

"Public Notices"

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Petition of RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, and EDWIN B. BROWN, co-partners doing business as Lomita News, to have the standing of "Lomita News" as a newspaper of general circulation as defined in Section 6000 of the Government Code of California, ascertained and established.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR AN ORDER ASCERTAINING AND ESTABLISHING "LOMITA NEWS" AS A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION AS DEFINED IN SECTION 6000 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF CALIFORNIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of December, 1947, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter, as counsel can be heard, in the Department of the above entitled Court, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, and EDWIN B. BROWN, co-partners doing business as Lomita News, do hereby apply for and move the above entitled Court for its order declaring, establishing and ascertaining the standing of "Lomita News" as a newspaper of general circulation as that term is defined in Section 6000 of the Government Code of California.

Said motion shall be based upon the Petition for said Order heretofore filed herein, and upon such other and further proof as may be required on the date of said hearing.

DATED: This 18th day of November, 1947.

RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, EDWIN B. BROWN (Petitioners)

RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, and EDWIN B. BROWN, being first duly sworn, depose and say:

That they are the publishers of "Lomita News" and file this petition in the above entitled matter, that they have read the foregoing petition and know the contents thereof and that the same is true of their own knowledge except as to the matters which are stated upon their own information or belief, and as to those matters they believe it to be true.

RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, EDWIN B. BROWN, SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 12th day of November, 1947.

WALTER C. BRADFORD, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California. (SEAL)

Nov. 20-27-Dec. 4.

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No. 537266 P E T I T I O N ESTABLISH STANDING

Comes now RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, and EDWIN B. BROWN, co-partners doing business as Lomita News, and publishers of "Lomita News," and petition the above entitled Court and request as follows:

I. That your petitioners are co-partners doing business as Lomita News and that your petitioners are now and have been for some time past publishers of "Lomita News," a newspaper printed and published at Lomita, in the Township of Gardena, County of Los Angeles, State of California; that at all of the times herein mentioned, said "Lomita News" has been and now is a newspaper published for the dissemination of local news and intelligence of a general character; that said newspaper at all the times herein mentioned has had and now has a bona fide subscription list of paying subscribers; that said newspaper was established April 24, 1919.

II. That said newspaper has been established, printed and published in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, at regular intervals, to-wit, on Thursdays of each and every week from the date of its establishment, to-wit, April 24, 1919 to the date hereof; that said newspaper has been established, printed and published as aforesaid regularly for more than one year next preceding the filing of this petition.

III. That said newspaper is not now, nor has it ever been devoted to the interest or published for the entertainment or information of a particular class, profession, trade, calling, race or denomination, or for any number of such classes, professions, trades, callings, races or denominations.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray that the above entitled Court make its order ascertaining and establishing said "Lomita News" as a newspaper of general circulation as defined in Section 6000 of the Government Code of California.

RAY H. REED, GROVER C. WHITE, EDWIN B. BROWN, Co-partners doing business as Lomita News.

ROLLIN L. McNITT, 824 Chamber of Commerce Building, 151 S. Broadway, Los Angeles 15, California. (P-R-349)

Attorney for Petitioner Nov. 20-27-Dec. 4.

ard-breaking 1946 holiday season. He said that local post-offices across the nation are already preparing for this peak load by recruiting extra mail clerks and carriers, collecting and overhauling delivery trucks, and oiling up the stamp-cancellation machines.

The Torrance postoffice "has already done a large part of its own Christmas shopping by buying in supplies of many thousands of dollars worth of stamps," he announced.

"We would appreciate it if people would stop in next week and purchase the extra stamps they are going to need for their Christmas cards and letters," he said. "This is one phase of Christmas shopping that can be completed early, and it will help us a great deal in speeding up traffic at post office windows during December."

The postmaster recommended that Christmas cards be sent first-class where there is any possibility that the address may be incorrect or incomplete, since only envelopes bearing a 3-cent stamp have forwarding privileges.

Stressing the need for complete and accurate addresses, he pointed out the thousands of cards and packages are days late arriving every Christmas season or end up at the dead-letter office because of insufficient addresses. He emphasized that zone numbers should be included whenever available to speed delivery.

Parcel post packages cannot be accepted until they are stoutly wrapped, he said. "This means heavy cord, sturdy outer paper and heavy cardboard inside. Packages must not exceed 70 pounds in weight and are limited in size to 100 inches in length and girth combined."

Christmas cards can be handled more readily if they are tied in bundles, with all the envelopes facing the same way, and the stamps in the same corner. Progressive mailings over a period of several days eases out the work at the post office, he added.

"Public Notices"

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing will be held before the County Board of Supervisors, in the County of Los Angeles, California, at the County Administration Center, City Hall, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, December 2, 1947, to consider the following matters:

CASE NO. 95. Third and final hearing on the Petition of John E. Rippe, for a Change of Zone affecting all of Tract No. 420, situated on the north by Sepulveda Blvd. or the north by Tracts Nos. 345 and 10691; on the east by Gabriel Ave. on the west by Normandie Ave. reclassifying said property from an A-1 (Single-Family Residential) Zone to a C-1 (Retail Commercial) Zone.

CASE NO. 96. Third and final hearing on the Petition of James E. Shison for a Change of Zone affecting the property bounded on the east by Hillside Ave. on the south by Sonoma St. on the west by Maple Ave. and on the north by Florida St. and described as Lot 2 of Tract No. 10792, reclassifying said property from an R-1 (Single-Family Residential) Zone to an R-2 (Multiple-Family Residential) Zone, in order to permit the construction of approximately 175 rental units thereon.

CASE NO. 97. Third and final hearing on the Petition of Charles E. Rippe, for a Change of Zone affecting Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, all in Tract No. 639, situated on the west side of Normandie Ave. and extending from Sepulveda Blvd. to a point 120 ft. north of Tract No. 420, extending westerly from Normandie Ave. to the westerly line of Tracts 28 and 60, of said Tract No. 639; reclassifying said property from an A-1 (Single-Family Residential) Zone to a C-1 (Retail Commercial) Zone, excepting therefrom the northern corner of Lot 1 (519 x 100) which is already zoned C-1.

Two previous public hearings on the above petitions have been held before the City Planning Commission and this third and final hearing is required by State law to be held before the City Council.

A personal appearance or written approval or disapproval by all interested persons is hereby requested.

WOM F. M. GUTBE, Chairman, City Planning Commission. November 27.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS

THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a Gasoline and Service Station business at 2517 Bell Street, Harbor City, City of Los Angeles, California, in the fictitious firm name of Jones Douglas Service and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names in full and places of residence are as follows:

Neal C. Jones, Sr., 1037 W. 8th Street, San Pedro, Calif.

Neal C. Jones, Jr., Apt. 310, 704 Pacific Avenue, San Pedro, California.

WITNESS their hands this 6th day of October, 1947.

NEAL C. JONES, Sr. STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

ON THIS 6th day of October, A.D. 1947, before me, the undersigned a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Neal C. Jones, Sr. and Neal C. Jones, Jr., known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same, IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the County of Los Angeles, California. My Commission Expires October 20, 1950.

Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27.

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TOYS

DELUXE COMPACTS \$3.95 UP

BRUSHES

SMOKE NEEDS

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS and WRAPPINGS

CHRISTMAS TREE BALLS Box of 12 for 89¢

XMAS WRAP PAPER 20 x 30 PACK OF 4 SHEETS 7¢

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS ASS'T COLORS \$1.99

STRAND OF 8 BULBS APPROVED

ANGEL HAIR 9¢

SILVER BRITE ICICLE FOIL 9¢

BOX Christmas SNOW 4¢

PACK OF 50 Ornament Hangers 4¢

BUNCH RED Cello WREATH BALL OF 186-Ft. 9¢

NYLON CORD 4¢

CHRISTMAS COTTON SNOW 23¢

LEATHER BILL FOLDS \$1.98

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BRUSHES

SMOKE NEEDS

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FIFTH JIM BEAM \$499

FIFTH ANCIENT AGE \$555

FIFTH PARK & TILFORD \$474

FIFTH CALVERT Reserve \$393

FIFTH SEAGRAM'S "7" \$393

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