RIDE APPEAL: Pretty Amy Du Boce, 19-year-old department clerk, shouldn't have too much difficulty catching a ride as she stands beside one of the new "Lift Station" signs erected for employes of the big Torrance facility of Douglas Aircraft's El Segundo Division. The signs are conveniently posted adjacent to company parking lots from which thousands of cars exit at the end of each shift.

Perry P-TA To Hold Election

Election of officers is on the business agenda of the Perry School P-TA, which meets tonight, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Following the election, strip films on primary reading and school slides on social studies will be shown.

To aid in the association's welfare program, a baby shower was held at the March 11 executive board meeting. Mrs. W. A. Wright, welfare chairman, acted as proxy baby gift recipient, and the entire executive board presented gifts.

The Perry P-TA board welcomed the return of Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson, membership chairman, who has been absent because of accident to her husband last December. She reported that he is now getting around on crutches.

HASTINGS BATTLE

William of Normandy conquered England at Hastings, October 14, 1066. Harold, the last saxon king of England, was slain.

INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE

Sixth annual industrial engineering institute recently was held on the Berkeley and Los Angeles campuses of the University of California.

HONEY BEE

A honey bee weighs a little less than three-hundredths of an ounce. That would be about 5000 bees necessary to make up one pound.

ORANGE ALLY

Bael fruit, is an oriental fruit allied to the orange. It is borne on a small tree of the rue family, wild in northern India and extensively cultivated in tropical Asia.

Registrars Of Voters Announced

The following list of field deputy registrar of voters in the 46th Assembly District was released this week by the registrar of voters:

Rolling Hills: Precinct 4; Mrs. Margaret Shery, 18 Eastfield Drive, TE 3-4782. Precinct 7; Mrs. Marjorie C. Hogle, 4 Rose apple Road, FR 7-4510. Precinct 8; Mrs. Marion A. Irvin, 26902 Eastvale Road, FR 7-1178. Precinct 8; Mrs. Eleanor L. Kemper, 19 Rollando Drive, FR 5-4027. Precinct 8; Mrs. Catherine M. Richter, 3 Acacia Lane, FR 7-4534.

Torrance City: Precinct 28; William A. Mason, 204 Via La Circula, FR 5-2692. Precinct 29; Mrs. Agnes B. Jones, 251 Calle De Andalucia, FR 5-3821. Precinct 30; Mrs. Lynetta M. Bowman, 311 Calle De Andalucia, FR 5-3919. Precinct 30; Mrs. Catherine S. Peters, 331 Calle De Andalucia, FR 5-3817. Precinct 45; Mrs. Margaret M. Smillie, 225 Calle Mayor Apt. 4, FR 5-3868.

H. Wolfenden In Fort Dix

Private Henry L. Wolfenden of 2475 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, has arrived here and has been assigned to Company H 60th Regiment, of the 9th Infantry Division, for eight weeks of basic training.

His parents reside at 2475 Torrance Blvd.

Prior to entering the service, Private Wolfenden attended Torrance High school.

He was formerly employed by Torrance Florists.

Douglas Sets Second Polio Fund Record

For the second straight year the national record for contributions to the March of Dimes by employes of a major industrial plant has been broken by the El Segundo, Calif., Division of Douglas Aircraft, it was announced today.

Officials of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in Los Angeles said the Douglas employes had given $16,022.71, highest sum in the nation for an industrial concern of its size.

Polio officials said collections were made at the El Segundo plant and its sister facility at Torrance, Calif., on January 26 in unison with other industries in the 1954 drive.

OK Drain At Special Session

A 40-foot section of the Lomita Storm Drain which extends across the Torrance boundary at 246th street and Crenshaw was approved at a special meeting of the Planning Commission and City Council held Monday night, March 1.

The special meetings were called when the "rush" report landed on City Manager George Stevens desk Friday night.

Area Served

The storm drain will serve more than 5000 acres, including Lomita residential and business areas, Narbonne High School, and Torrance Municipal Airport.

Storm waters from the Palos Verdes Hills that flow through Lomita and Harbor City will be controlled through the drain, it was reported.

Route of the drain will be from the Torrance city boundary on the west along 246th street to Pennsylvania avenue and 246th street to 248th street to Lomita boulevard and along Lomita boulevard to the President avenue drain in Harbor City.

Bid

Low bidder on a contract for the construction of the Lomita Storm Drain was the A. Tiechert & Son company of Los Angeles with a bid of $547,298.04, considerably lower than unofficial estimates of $950,000 for the project.

A total of 16 bids on the contract were opened.

H. E. Hedger, chief engineer for the Los Angeles County Flood Control District said the bids will be checked and submitted to the board of supervisors at its March 9 meeting for awarding of the contract.

NICHELSON PROMOTED

Leonard L. Nichelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Nichelson, 3331 W. 190th street, Torrance, was recently promoted to sergeant first class while serving with the 25th Infantry Division in Korea.

Rushed to Korea during the early days of the conflict, the 25th Infantry took part in some of the most bitter fighting on the peninsula. It is now undergoing intensive post-truce training.

Sergeant Nichelson, a platoon sergeant with the 35th Infantry Regiment's Company B, entered the Army in August 1952 and arrived overseas in January. He holds the Korean Service Ribbon with four campaign stars, Combat Infantryman Badge and and the UN Service Ribbon.