

### Music Mag 'Plays' Local Band Story

Four-column picture of the Torrance Area Youth Band and a story on its contemplated appearance at the Mid-West National Band Clinic in Chicago in December, is featured in this month's issue of the Lyons Band News, a national music magazine published and distributed in Chicago. Thirty-seven thousand copies of the magazine goes out to every school and college in the United States and Canada.

**Fund Raising**  
The Torrance Youth Band is one of eight bands from the United States and Canada invited to perform at the Mid-West National Band Clinic in December of this year before 5000 of the nation's band directors and music educators. A citizens committee, headed by Clara Conners, local postmaster, is currently assisting the band in raising \$25,000.00 which is needed to send the 82-piece musical aggregation, chaperones and staff members.

### Red Cross Urges Blood Donation

October 3 will mark the date of the bloodmobile which will be located at the Civic Auditorium, El Prado and Cravens streets from 2 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Torrance-Lomita Branch of American National Red Cross, the mobile unit collects blood for release to groups, families and friends of donors.  
"Many people do not know how important it is to donate," said Mrs. Gordon Jones, blood recruitment chairman. "Once you donate a pint of blood, you may find it yourself in the future, or a member of your family in need of blood may use it. Many times members of a family are in a hospital in some other city and in need of blood— a pint you donate in Torrance may be released to them if you so desire," added Mrs. Jones.  
Prospective donors are urged to call the local office FAirfax 8-0510 to register for the blood bank.

### Siren System To Be Tested On Friday

Most Southland Civil Defense organizations will put their siren system through their usual monthly test at 10 a.m. this Friday, September 27, according to Henry S. Eaton, Coordinator, Region One, California Disaster Office.  
Los Angeles County Civil Defense Director Robert Andersen stated that the county will follow its usual test pattern of one minute steady blast, one minute silence and one minute warbling sound. Col. Richard Lynch, Director, Civil Defense, City of Los Angeles said that the city sirens will be tested for the customary one minute period.  
For the first time the City of Beverly Hills will conduct an initial test of its completely new 16 siren city-wide warning system, according to Brigadier General R. M. Howell, Director of Civil Defense. The system installed at a cost of \$42,000 will be put through a test of one minute steady blast, one minute silence, and one minute warbling sound. While it is believed that the sirens will adequately cover the entire city, Beverly Hills residents who do not hear the test are urged to call the Civil Defense Office at Crestview 6-6040.  
Eaton explained that local civil defense sirens are tested on the last Friday of each month to ensure that they are maintained in top mechanical condition.

### Local Man Stationed In Germany

FCF Lawrence C. Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil C. Cooke, 17229 Ardath ave., recently was assigned to the 95th Engineer Battalion in Germany.  
Cooke, a construction specialist in the battalion's Company A, was stationed at Fort Ord, where he received basic training, before arriving in Europe last July.  
The 23-year-old soldier attended El Camino college.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY INFANTS & CHILDREN'S WEAR . . . AT TERRIFIC PRICE REDUCTIONS  
WE'RE GREATLY OVERSTOCKED AND MUST UNLOAD

# A TERRIFIC PRICE SLASHING . . . STOCK DISPOSAL SALE

Profits Mean Nothing Now!  
It's A Case of SELL! SELL!  
AND SELL FAST! . . . Let  
The Loss Be What It Will!

IT IS IMPERATIVE  
THAT WE LOWER  
OUR INVENTORY

We are taking very drastic action and slashing prices on this entire stock . . . (except a few fair trade lines) . . . to make sure that this great over-stock of children's wear is turned into cash quickly.

This great sale coming as it does on our fourth birthday presents almost unbelievable savings on the finest infant's and children's wear that money can buy . . . savings that you may never see again . . . it is imperative that we lower our inventory . . . and no loss will stand in our way.

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### CHILDREN'S APPAREL SACRIFICE

### OUR FOURTH BIRTHDAY SALE

## 1140 GARDENA BLVD., GARDENA

Our Purpose is Clear . . . We Are Facing a Heavily Overstocked Condition for This Time of Year . . . In Fact, We Have Nearly Twice as Much Stock as We Should Have . . . Good Business Judgment Dictates that We Reduce Our Inventory Immediately . . . Therefore, for This Great Stock Reduction Sale, Every Garment, Every Piece of Merchandise in This Store . . . Except Fair Trade Lines . . . Will be Ruthlessly Price Slashed.

**A SALE WITH A REASON!**  
In announcing this Great Store-Wide Sales' Event, we want you to know that the sole and only reason for this drastic sacrifice of this fine stock is SIMPLY THAT WE ARE GREATLY OVERSTOCKED and must Reduce Our Inventory as Quickly As Possible.  
We have decided there is only one way to remedy this situation . . . Only one logical, sensible thing to do . . . Stage this Great Store-Wide Sale . . . Sell Out This Surplus Stock to the People . . . At Cost . . . Near Cost . . . And Below Cost . . . We have gone through this stock and cut and slashed prices with only one thought in mind . . . to dispose of at least Half of this Stock . . . As Quickly as Possible . . . There will be no let-up to this sacrifice until the desired amount of merchandise is sold!

## WE MUST REDUCE STOCKS REGARDLESS OF THE LOSS

This is a Sacrifice in Real Dead Earnest to Reduce Stocks . . . Regardless of the Loss Incurred . . . We Have Gone Through This Stock and Cut and Slashed Prices . . . With But One Thought in Mind . . . Turn This Great Overstock of Merchandise Into Cash . . . And We Realize That Low Price — and Low Price Alone — is the Only Thing That Will Accomplish the Quick Selling of the Necessary Amount of Stock.

## TERRIFIC PRICE SLASHING AT COST! NEAR COST! BELOW COST!

Below We List As Many Of The Great Savings As Space Will Permit . . . There Are Hundreds Upon Hundreds Of Other Great Savings.

# SALE STARTS FRIDAY SEPT. 27th AT 9:30 A.M.

And Continues Until We Accomplish the Reduction of Stock

### GIRL'S WEAR

**GIRL'S COATS**  
Sizes 2 to 14—  
Choice of all wool, reversible Gabardine & Corduroy, and other wanted materials.  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$12.95 SALE PRICE **\$5.88**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$17.95 SALE PRICE **\$8.88**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$22.95 SALE PRICE **\$10.88**

**GIRL'S PANTIES**  
Sizes 2 to 12—Limited Quantity  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO 75c SALE PRICE **29c**  
**BOUFFANT SLIPS & HALF SLIPS**  
Sizes 1 to 6X  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$3.99 SALE PRICE **\$1.97**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$4.98 SALE PRICE **\$2.97**

### 9:30 A.M. FRIDAY DOOR BUSTERS

**BOY'S SPORT SHIRTS**  
Broken sizes 2 to 12. Several colors and fabrics to choose from.  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$2.29 SALE PRICE **49c** And **88c**  
**INFANTS CORDUROY CRAWLERS**  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. \$1.79 SALE PRICE **89c**

**BOYS' 100% WOOL SWEATERS**  
Broken Sizes 6 to 12  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$4.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.97**  
**"WILSON'S" BOY'S BRIEFS**  
Sizes 4 to 15  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. 65c Sale Price **45c**  
MANY OTHER BARGAINS IN BOYS' WEAR!

### OPEN FRIDAY UNTIL 9 P.M.

**TOYS - DOLLS - GAMES**  
BUY NOW FOR CHRISTMAS AND SAVE!  
**"WALKALONG" DOLL IN SUITCASE**  
Saran Hair, Extra Dress and Robe  
REGULAR \$10.95 SALE PRICE **\$5.88**  
**BAKING MIX SET**  
REGULAR \$2.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.00**  
**GAMES**  
Choice of Several Types for Different Age Groups  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$2.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.29**  
**"GILBERT'S" NO. 1 CHEMISTRY SETS**  
REGULAR \$2.75 SALE PRICE **\$1.75**  
**"REMCO" ELECTRONIC RADIO STATION**  
Sends and Receives up to 1/2 Mile  
REGULAR \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$4.49**  
**"MICKEY MOUSE CLUB" NEWSREEL**  
A "Mattel" Toy  
REGULAR \$2.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.98**  
**WOODEN SPRING HORSE**  
REGULAR \$7.95 SALE PRICE **\$4.88**  
**PEDAL CARS**  
REGULAR \$16.95 SALE PRICE **\$10.88**  
**WALKING DOLL**  
REGULAR \$15.98 SALE PRICE **\$7.88**  
All other toys, games, & dolls reduced during this sale only!

**GIRL'S TOPPERS**  
Sizes 8 to 12. Choice of several colors and fabrics.  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$15.95 SALE PRICE **\$6.88**

**GIRL'S ROBES**  
Sizes 2 to 12  
Choice of Several Styles & Fabrics  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$2.88**

**GIRL'S PEDAL PUSHERS & CAPRIS**  
Sizes 7 to 14. . . Limited quantity. Cotton in a choice of several styles and colors.  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$2.50 SALE PRICE **99c**

**INFANTS PLASTIC PANTIES**  
We are closing out and discontinuing some styles in the "Warrrens" Brand. Sizes S-M-L and XL. Choice of bloomers or snap-on.  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO 65c CLOSE OUT PRICE **29c**

**GIRL'S DRESSES**  
Sizes 1 to 6X - 7 to 12. Choice of school or dressy styles, in Drip-dry cotton, nylon, polished cottons, taffeta, corduroy, etc.  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$3.95 SALE PRICE **97c**  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$1.97**  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$7.95 SALE PRICE **\$2.97**  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$9.95 SALE PRICE **\$3.97**  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$12.95 SALE PRICE **\$4.97**

**BOYS' and GIRLS' JACKETS OUT THEY GO!**  
Choice of Several Colors, Styles and Fabrics  
ONE SMALL GROUP REGULAR TO \$5.05 SALE PRICE **\$2.88**  
ONE SMALL GROUP REGULAR TO \$9.95 SALE PRICE **\$3.88**

**BOY'S COWBOY JACKETS**  
SIZE 8 ONLY  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. \$2.49 SALE PRICE **99c**

**DIAPER BAGS**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$3.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.99**  
**INFANTS CAR BED**  
FRIDAY SPECIAL  
REGULAR \$6.95 SALE PRICE **\$3.88**  
**6 YEAR CRIB**  
All White, Double Drop Sides. Sturdily Built . . . TWO ONLY!  
REGULAR \$45.00 SALE PRICE **\$19.88**

**GIRL'S BLOUSES**  
Broken Sizes 6 to 14  
WHILE THEY LAST!  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$1.98 SALE PRICE **99c**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$2.98 SALE PRICE **\$1.49**

**BOY'S WEAR**  
**BOY'S SPORT COATS**  
Sizes 5 and 6—Limited Quantity  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$7.29 SALE PRICE **\$3.88**  
**WHILE THEY LAST**  
Sizes 8 to 12  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$12.95 SALE PRICE **\$6.88**

**COWBOY PANTS TO MATCH ABOVE**  
SIZE 8 ONLY  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. \$2.49 SALE PRICE **99c**  
**DOLLS**  
BUY NOW FOR CHRISTMAS!  
Choice of several sizes and types.  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$9.95 SALE PRICE **\$3.88**

**FITTED CRIB SHEETS & CASES TO MATCH**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR \$2.29 SALE PRICE **\$1.49**  
**CAR SEATS**  
With Drop Front  
REGULAR \$4.98 SALE PRICE **\$2.98**  
**"WILSON'S" INFANT UNDERSHIRTS**  
Long Sleeve Tie Style  
REGULAR 79c SALE PRICE **56c**  
ALL OTHER INFANTS WEAR REDUCED

**GIRL'S SWEATERS**  
Broken Sizes 8 to 14  
LIMITED QUANTITY—SO BE HERE EARLY!  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$3.19 SALE PRICE **\$1.49**  
**100% Wool**  
Choice of Several Colors  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$2.88**

**BOYS' WASHABLE ROBES**  
Broken Sizes 3 to 12  
Spec. Group Reg. to \$3.98 Sale Prices **97c** and **\$1.97**  
**BOY'S JEANS**  
BE HERE EARLY FRIDAY FOR THESE!  
Broken Sizes 6 to 12  
Boxer or Regular Styles  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$2.49 SALE PRICE **99c**

**BOY'S SUITS**  
SIZES 4 to 6. WASHABLE RAYON  
SPECIAL GROUP REG. TO \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$2.88**  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$12.95 SALE PRICE **\$4.88**  
SIZES 9 to 12—Dacron & Rayon Mixtures.  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$15.95 SALE PRICE **\$6.88**

**Orlon**  
Choice of Several Colors  
SPECIAL GROUP REGULAR TO \$5.95 SALE PRICE **\$2.88**

**BOYS' WASHABLE DRESS PANTS**  
Sizes 2 to 14  
Rayon, in a choice of several colors. A few corduroys included.  
Spec. Group Reg. to \$4.50 Sale Prices **97c** and **\$1.97**

**NOTE: This sale continues next week!**  
But be here Friday or Saturday for best selection. This is all our own regular merchandise . . . nothing brought in!

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