

Torrance Aliens Must Register During January

Torrance area aliens are reminded by Postmaster Clara Connors that they are required to register during January under the Federal Alien Address Report Program.

Non-citizens are required to file the address report every January.

In addition aliens who are temporarily out of the United States during January must report their address to the service within ten days after their return.

Postmaster Connors advises all non-citizens that they can obtain registration, cards at the Torrance post office now.

Investment Classes Start January 13

Stock market mysteries are made clear in a series of classes started Jan. 13.

Sponsored by a Torrance securities firm, the series is entitled "How to Invest—The Stock Market and Mutual Funds." Classes will be held at 1334 Post Ave. in Torrance and will cover the practical aspects of securities investment. The Tax and Financial section will be of particular interest at this time of the year.

Hanley Rogers will lead the class with guest lecturers in attendance.

Early registration for the class is requested as enrollment is limited. Classes are free to the public. Call FA 0-0832 for further information and registration.

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Southeast City Water Problems Topic of Meet

Problems of low water pressure and inadequacies of the present water system in the southeast Torrance area were discussed at an open meeting held at the Howard Wood School.

Sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, representatives of the City Council, city officials, and Water Superintendent Angus McVicar met with interested citizens.

Discussion pivoted on the city's position in regard to remedying the water situation.

This southerly section of the City of Torrance as well as adjacent area of Lomita in the county has been established as a low pressure area by city engineers and the Public Utilities Commission. Because this situation exists, all building and construction in the area has been halted and the area declared a definite fire hazard area until such time as adequate water pressure and service lines are available.

The City of Torrance has attempted to acquire that part of the water system located within Torrance so that it could be brought up to standard; however, city officials learned that this was not possible and that it would be necessary to purchase all of the existing water company rather than just the necessary portion. The City has repeatedly explained its position to affected residents in the area and believe it should take immediate action to protect its citizens and allow for continued development in the area.

The City's Water Department presently serves an area adjacent to the affected area and is in the position to immediately extend its services to the affected residents at nominal cost. County Water District No. 13 serves an area immediately south of the affected area and has also indicated that it can serve the area and bring it up to standard.

In order for the County Water District No. 13 to finance their improved water system they have indicated that a bond issue in the amount of \$800,000 is necessary which will have to be approved by voters in the area. Assuming a thirty year bond issue at 4½ percent, the cost for interest and redemption will be in excess of \$1,000,000.

The City of Torrance believes that they can accomplish this at considerably less cost in an amount of approximately \$450,000. The funds to be raised by surcharge of \$2 per water meter per month for approximately 15 years.

League Mothers Plan Benefit

The Southwood Little League Auxiliary will discuss plans for a fund-raising dance at its meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m., at Anza School.

Proceeds from the dance will benefit the league's playing field. Refreshments will be served.

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LEISURE AHEAD — Guy R. Hight, 69, celebrates his retirement as head of the city's Custodial Department. He has been a public servant here since 1944.

New Speed Limit Set for Highways

Strict enforcement of the 65 mile an hour speed law which went into effect Jan. 1st was promised today by Bradford M. Crittenden, Commissioner of the California Highway Patrol.

"The California Highway Patrol supported the new speed limit bill when it was before the legislature last spring because we believe that it will help reduce the slaughter on our highways caused by uncontrollable, runaway speeds," Crittenden declared. "Now that we have the law on the books, I am determined to save every life we can possibly save through its strict enforcement."

"The law fixes the maximum legal speed at 65 miles an hour and that is exactly how the patrol will enforce it."

Crittenden emphasized that the 65 mile limit will apply only on highways that have not been posted for a lower maximum speed by the State Department of Public Works.

"Many stretches of highway outside of cities will be posted for speeds lower than 65 miles an hour, and the California Highway Patrol will enforce these lower limits just as it has in the past," he declared. "The posted limits, which range from 60 to 25 miles per hour, indicate the safe speed for the areas as determined by traffic surveys, and motorists who violate these limits will be arrested."

El Camino Preps for Modesto State Tourney Thursday

El Camino's casaba contingent returns to regular season action Tuesday when it journeys to Santa Monica City College.

Game time is slated for 4 p.m. in the Corsair gym. The encounter is a tune-up for the California State Tournament at Modesto Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

The Warriors reached the semi-finals of the Sam Berry Memorial Tourney over the holidays and will again run into stiff competition in the annual State JC Classic.

Next home game for the Tribe is Jan. 12 at 8 p.m. against Long Beach.

ARRIVALS

TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Dec. 14
KLISBE, Mark Frank, 7 lbs. 3 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Klisbe, Rolling Hills.
Dec. 15
JACKSON, daughter, 9 lbs. 2 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. Robert C. Jackson, Rolling Hills.
Dec. 16
BLYTHE, Nancy Lorraine, 4 lbs. 5 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. D. O. Blythe, Redondo Beach.
Dec. 17
FOSTER, Dorothy, 5 lbs. 14 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Foster, Torrance.
Dec. 18
JOHNSON, Pamela Lynn, 6 lbs. 12 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. Charles Johnson, Torrance.
Dec. 19
CALVERT, Deborah Anne, 7 lbs. to Mr. & Mrs. Max Calvert, Palos Verdes Estates.
Dec. 20
ROBERTSON, Jeffrey Scott, 7 lbs. 1 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. A. E. Robertson, Torrance.
Dec. 21
SMITH, Sheryl Jean, 8 lbs. 5 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. Robert M. Smith, Manhattan Beach.
Dec. 22
WINTER, Joy Christine, 7 lbs. 12 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. William A. Winter, Redondo Beach.
Dec. 23
LINDSAY, Pamela Dawn, 8 lbs. 3 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. Robert B. Lindsay, Lomita.
Dec. 24
SMITH, Deanne Louise, 8 lbs. 15 oz., to Mr. & Mrs. Wesley M. Smith, Torrance.

Hight, Russell Retire From Torrance Posts

The dawn of a new year heralds the start of a new and easier life for two Torrance public officials who can now throw the pesky alarm clock out the window.

This week saw the retirement of two able and well-liked Torrance public servants who have served the city faithfully for many years.

Guy R. Hight, head of the Torrance city custodial department, plans to work around the house to keep busy.

Hight, who is 69 years old, migrated to California from Denver in 1935.

Hight began working for the City of Torrance in 1944. He did a fine job, as is attested by the two gifts presented him by his colleagues.

In his youthful days Hight engaged in semi-pro baseball in the Arkansas Valley League. He played first base.

Hight lives with his charming wife, Ann Elizabeth, at 23013 Arlington Ave., Torrance.

The Hights have married daughters.

The colorful public career of statesman-looking 77-year-old John Russell, former Superintendent of the Torrance Building

Department, also ended in a blaze of glory and dedicated service to the City of Torrance.

Russell started working in 1905 and until this year he has always been engaged in some branch of engineering endeavor.

In 1916 Russell was drafted by the United States government to head construction work during World War I. He left government service in 1919.

In 1920 Russell came to California and until 1940 he had his own business.

In 1940 Russell re-entered public service by accepting a position with Los Angeles County in the engineering department. He left this post in 1953.

During his service with Los Angeles County, Russell was training director and supervisor of inspectors.

Russell started his Torrance career in May, 1954, which ended this week with a party given him by his former colleagues.

He lives with his wife, Rosalie E., at 1308 Cordary Ave., Torrance.

The Russells have three married daughters. The former superintendent is a native of Norfolk, Va.

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NEW SPEED LIMIT—Typical of the signs being installed by the State Division of Highways at all highway entrances to California is this sign on Highway 101. The new 65-mile speed limit for automobiles became effective January 1, 1960.

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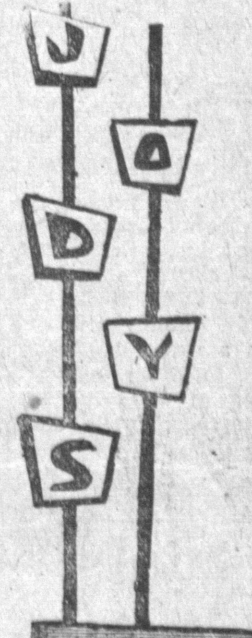
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