

'Torrance Area' Project Begins to Grow

Pet Project of Press A 'Hit' with Readers

Telephones at the offices of the Torrance Press have been ringing themselves off the hook for more than two weeks since an editorial appeared on this page advocating that the Southwestern portion of the county be called the "Torrance Area."

Huge majority of the persons who called pledged their efforts to the cause of naming this section of Los Angeles after its largest city.

We feel that Torrance, with its population of 104,000, is the focal point of the area and, for that reason, should lend its name to this section of the country.

SEARCH

Intensive search of County archives failed to turn up a legal precedent for calling the "South Bay Area" or the "Redondo Beach Area." Use of these misnomers has grown through common usage.

It would be possible to eliminate their use in the same way . . . by continually referring to any portion of the county south of Los Angeles and west of Long Beach as the "Torrance Area."

If each of the 104,000 persons living in this city get behind this project, within six months Torrance would be the best known community in the County.

Revenue Tops Expenditures In State's General Fund

General fund revenue of the State exceeded expenditures by \$13,507,944 during the first 11 months of the 1960-61 fiscal year.

State Controller Alan Cranston said the general fund as of the end of May had received \$1,476,929,886, an increase of 7.14 per cent over the corresponding period a year ago. Expenditures totaled \$1,463,421,942, up 13.24 per cent from last year.

The controller reported revenues were ahead of last year in all categories. He pointed out, however, that the

State's largest source of income, the sales tax, is a scant 34 per cent above last year's collections over the same period. The sales tax accounted for \$695,629,139 through May. Receipts from other major sources during the first 11 months were: bank and corporation franchise taxes, \$258,032,555, up 15 per cent; personal income tax, 265,664,437, up 10 per cent; inheritance tax, 62,444,433, up 63 per cent; cigarette tax, \$58,913,253, up 2 per cent, and liquor tax, \$46,743,069, up 1 per cent.

Financial Planner for Mutual Fund Firm Will Lecture on Investments

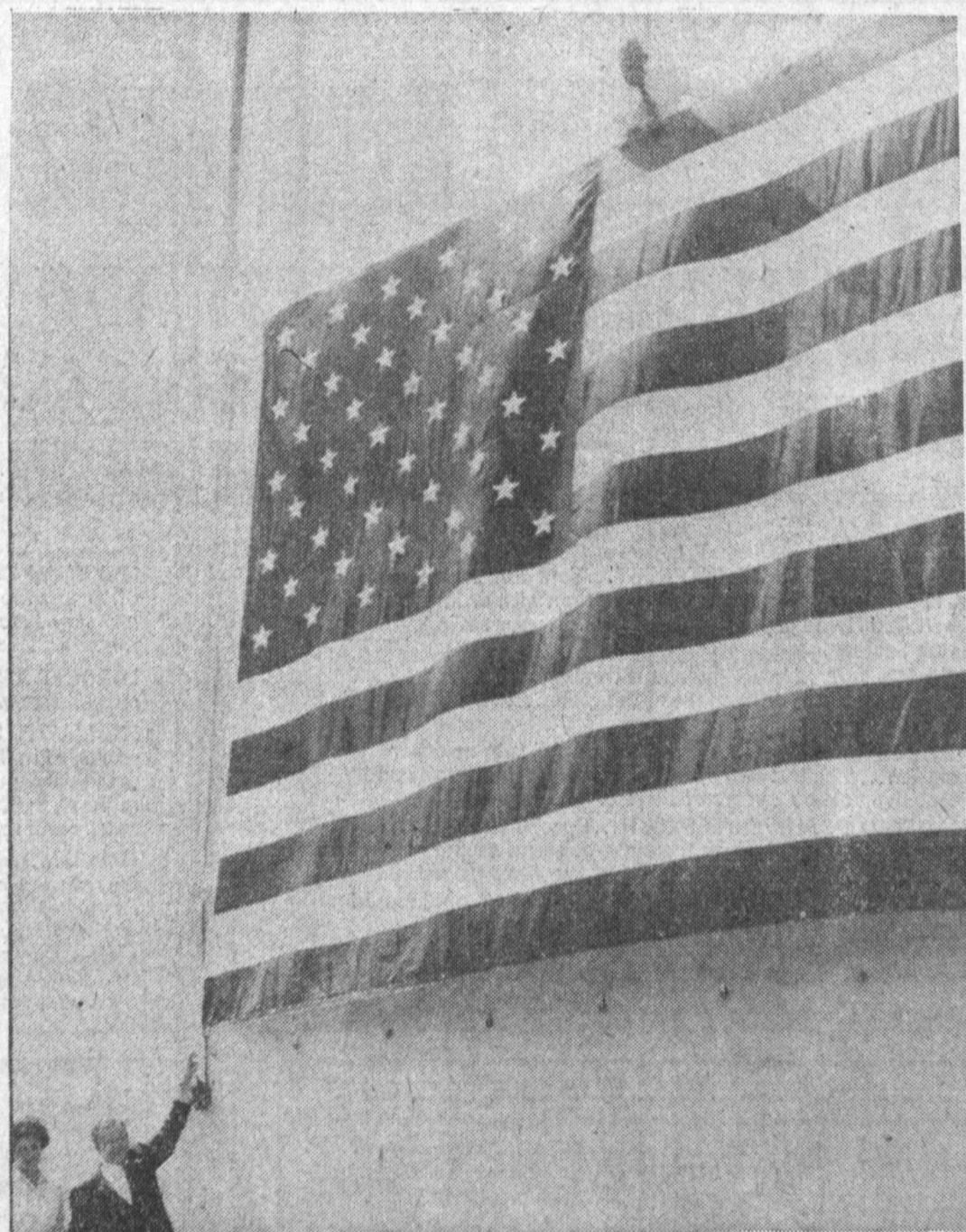
MJT Mutual Funds, Inc., wholly owned affiliate of Mitchum, Jones & Templeton, Torrance's first New York stock exchange member firm, has scheduled another series of lectures on investments and the Stock Market.

Lecture will include Stock Market, Mutual Funds and Estate Planning information. First lecture will be given at the company offices at 1334 Post Ave., on Tuesday evening, July 11, at 7:30 p.m.

PRESS EDITORIAL PAGE

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NO MISTAKE—Residents passing by the Torrance office of Marine Federal Savings and Loan during the Independence Day holiday just past, could make no mistake about their belief in this country and its traditions. Huge flag, hung at both the Torrance and Westchester offices of the firm, symbolized the association's "Fly the Flag" program, founded by Russell Chase, president

of the firm. Sea Scouts and Mariners in the foyer handed out handsome American flags to adult citizens wishing to fly the flag on holidays. Chase, shown below with Mary Orabian, executive vice president, hopes to revitalize the fading custom of flying the flag on homes and places of business on every legal holiday.

California Highway Patrol Is Prepared To Provide Aid in Vacation Emergencies

Capt. E. L. Greer, local commander of the California Highway Patrol, today expressed the hope that vacationers from Los Angeles County "will have a care-free journey, unmarred by accident or other delay."

"The patrol stands ready to help in any highway emergency which may arise. In the event of an emergency, including an accident, dial the operator and ask for Zenith 1-2000, the patrol's statewide emergency number," he said.

"If you desire information, any patrolman will be glad to assist you, or you may call the patrol's business number listed in the telephone book."

GLASS HIGHWAY

Photographs of tires as they look on the road surface from beneath a section of glass highway are being featured in tire ads by the B. F. Goodrich Company. A 36-foot long "bridge" constructed near Los Angeles for filming purposes, has been shipped to the company's research center at Brecksville, Ohio.

'Best Driver' Controversy Gets Slight Push to Distaff Side

The argument over who are the better drivers, men or women, rages on as perennially as "the battle of the sexes" itself. And it continues almost as inconclusively.

However, in the Walter K. Burke household in Memphis, Tennessee, there seems to be little doubt as to who holds top driving honors.

Recently, Mrs. Esther Burke was pulled over to the curb by police officers who proceeded to issue her an award after having adjudged her "best driver of the day" in a local safe driving contest.

Mrs. Burke hurried home to tell her husband the exciting news and proudly showed him her beautifully engraved best driver citation. She couldn't quite understand his lack of appreciation and enthusiasm for her accomplishments and ability behind the

wheel until he sadly showed her his citation. It charged him with driving 45 m.p.h. in a 25 m.p.h. zone and directed him to appear in traffic court two weeks hence.

Most drivers will never be presented with safe driving awards, but if they always strive to obey traffic laws, they may also never be asked to autograph a page in a traffic officer's citation book.

The best reward for being a good driver is the confidence and peace of mind that it brings, and the years of accident-free motoring which can result from these efforts.

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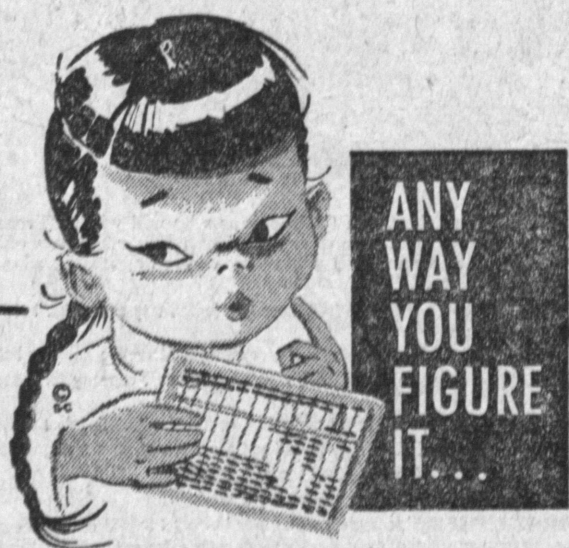
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TORRANCE

Diploma Awarded To Insurance Man

R. E. Patterson, claim representative for State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company at 3810 Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance, has been awarded a diploma from

Vale Technical Institute at Blairsville, Pa. Patterson has just returned from a three-weeks advanced training course in auto damage estimating and repair techniques at the institute. He is one of 800 State Farm men who will complete the course this year.

LEGAL NOTICES

CERTIFICATE OF DISCONTINUANCE OF USE AND/OR ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that, effective July 1, 1961, he ceased to do business under the fictitious firm name of FAIRWAY BARBER SHOP, 2220 Palms Verdes Boulevard, Torrance, California, which business was formerly composed of the following person, whose name in full and place of residence is as follows, to-wit:

WILHELM F. WILLEKES, 2635 W. 227th, Torrance, Calif.

Certificate for transaction under the above fictitious name, and affidavit of publication thereof, are on file in the office of the County Clerk of Los Angeles County, under the provisions of Section 2466 of the Civil Code.

WITNESS my hand this 26th day of June, 1961.

WILHELM F. WILLEKES

Torrance Press, Wednesday, June 28, 1961.

NOTICE OF THE PROPOSED FORMATION OF BERENDO LIGHTING DISTRICT

A petition for formation of a highway lighting district under Section 19034 of Division 14, Part 4, Streets and Highways Code of the State of California, to be known as Berendo Lighting District of Los Angeles County, was filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors of said County on June 27, 1961.

A hearing on the petition and the protests of interested parties will be held by the Board of Supervisors in Room 251, Hall of Administration, 400 West Temple Street, (Corner of Temple Street and Grand Avenue) Los Angeles 12, California, on July 27, 1961, at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

The boundaries of the proposed district are as follows:

BERENDO LIGHTING DISTRICT

Beginning at the most westerly southwesterly corner of Tract No. 24892, as shown on map recorded in Book 641, pages 55 and 57 of Maps, in the office of the Recorder of the County of Los Angeles, thence northerly along the boundary of said tract and continuing northerly and easterly along the boundary of said tract to the southwesterly corner of Lot 25 of said last mentioned tract; thence easterly along the southerly line of said lot to the northeasterly corner of Tract No. 24891, as shown on map recorded in Book 645, pages 48 to 50 inclusive of said Maps; thence southerly and westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned tract to the boundary of Tract No. 24891 as shown on map recorded in Book 641, pages 55 to 57 inclusive of said Maps; thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning.

Reference is made to the petition for further particulars.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at the time of hearing, if the Board of Supervisors finds that the petition has been signed by resident property owners representing 60 percent or more of the total assessed valuation of the proposed district, it may determine and order by a four-fifths vote, that the proceedings required by the District Investigation Law of 1953, are unnecessary and inapplicable to these proceedings; and if the Board of Supervisors finds that the petition was signed by taxpayers representing 60 percent or more of the total assessed valuation of the proposed district, it may determine and order by a four-fifths vote, that the proceedings required by the District Investigation Law of 1953, are unnecessary and inapplicable to these proceedings; and if the Board of Supervisors finds that the petition was signed by taxpayers representing 60 percent or more of the total assessed valuation of the proposed district, it may determine and order by a four-fifths vote, that the proceedings required by the District Investigation Law of 1953, are unnecessary and inapplicable to these proceedings.

GORDON T. NESVIG

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Torrance Press, Wednesday, July 5, 1961.

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CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS, FICTITIOUS NAME

The undersigned do hereby certify that they are conducting a business at 2220 Palms Verdes Boulevard, Torrance, California, under the fictitious firm name of FAIRWAY BARBER SHOP and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names in full and place of residence are as follows:

RONALD L. WALL, 13121st Street, Manhattan Beach, California.

DAVID C. EHRHARD, 3610 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, California.

Date June 26, 1961.

RONALD L. WALL

DAVID C. EHRHARD

State of California, Los Angeles County:

On June 26, 1961, before me, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Ronald L. Wall and David C. Ehrhard known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged they executed the same.

(SEAL)

RUTH H. PETERSON,

Notary Public

My Commission expires June 6, 1965

Torrance Press, Wednesday, June 28, 1961.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER TRUST DEED

On Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1961, at 9:30 A.M., at the Southern entrance to the City Hall of the City of Torrance, located at 3001 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, California, PROPERTY ESCROW COMPANY, a California Corporation, Trustee in that certain deed of trust dated January 27th, 1960, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on the 2nd day of February, 1960, in Book T1126 of Official Records at Page 354, executed by GEORGE L. BRIGGS, JR. and MARGARET BRIGGS, Trustors, which appointed PROPERTY ESCROW COMPANY, a California corporation, Trustee, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust will offer for sale and sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, lawful money of the United States, payable at the time of sale, all of the right, title and interest conveyed to the Trustee in said deed of trust named, and now held by it, in the property situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, particularly described as follows:

Lot 69 of Tract No. 19808 in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 459, Pages 44 and 45 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

The sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to raise money to pay the amounts now due secured by said deed of trust.

The Beneficiaries, by reason of default in performing the obligations secured by said deed of trust, heretofore executed and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on February 8th, 1961, as Document No. 3405, in Book M701 at Page 68 of Official Records, a Notice of Default on Deed of Trust and Election to cause the property above described to be sold under and in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust.

Dated: June 26th, 1961.

PROPERTY ESCROW COMPANY,

a California Corporation

By E. L. POLE, PRESIDENT

Torrance Press, Wed., June 28, July 6, 1961.