

Construction Contract for Bridge Awarded by County Board Recently

Contract for the construction of a new bridge across Dominguez Channel at Wilmington Ave. and 223rd St. was awarded by the County Board of Supervisors recently to John Strona and Son Corp. of Pomona on its low bid of \$579,223.50.

According to Supervisor Burton W. Chace, the low bid was more than 15 per cent under the engineers' estimates and represents a considerable savings to the taxpayers.

The project was designed by the Bridge Division of the Los Angeles County Road Department, and is being financed jointly by the Road Department and the County Flood Control District in conjunction with the District's Dominguez Channel improvement program. The bridge structure is expected to be completed in April, 1963.

Major construction part of this multiphase project will consist of building a reinforced concrete deck bridge incorporating steel girders with 84-foot wide roadways and two sidewalks on both Wilmington Ave. and 223rd St. In addition, a portion of Dominguez Channel in the vicinity of the project will be constructed.

Another phase of the work will consist of the construction of pavement, curb and gutter, drainage facilities,

and the removal of an existing detour. Also included in the project will be the installation of a full traffic actuated signal system with highway safety lighting at the Wilmington Ave.—223rd St. intersection.

TWO LANES

"Two 11-foot lanes for traffic, one in each direction for both Wilmington Ave. and 223rd St. will be maintained at all times during the construction of the project," Chace said.

He pointed out that both Wilmington Ave. and 223rd St. are County Master Plan Major Highways with traffic capacities of 18,000 vehicles per day on the former street and 8,000 vehicles daily on 223rd St. The completed project will provide traffic capacities of 32,000 vehicles per day on both roadways.

Torrance Area Busses Scheduled For Shell Rally

A mammoth Joe Shell Rally, scheduled for May 23 at the Sports Arena in Los Angeles, will see many "grass rooters" from this area, reports Kenneth Gordon, local Shell chairman.

Busses will be chartered for the Torrance area, and will leave from Palos Verdes Plaza at 6:45 p.m. Gordon continued, "we are working harder than ever before, to insure victory at the polls, June 5. The Shell rally will enable an estimated crowd of 17,000 to hear and see Joe in action.

The rugged assemblyman who has served the State of California for 10 years, the last three as Republican floor leader, is well aware of the State's problems, and the only candidate who is experienced enough to do something to solve them.

SHELL'S BELLES

The Shell rally will give thousands of persons the chance to see and hear Joe, and it is an excellent means for the undecided voter to really get acquainted with Joe first hand, and see where he stands on vital State issues. Naturally there will be plenty of other campaign "hoopla," such as the pretty Shell's Belles, led by Nancy Wade of this area.

Anyone who wishes to attend with the Shell group may contact Shell Headquarters in Torrance, FA 8-1910.

TRADER

The United States is the world's biggest international trader. It does about 20 per cent of the world's exporting, about 14 per cent of the world's importing.

Memorial Day Service Set

Dr. O. E. Schafer, district superintendent, will be the speaker at the 11 a.m. Memorial Day service at Central Evangelical United Brethren Church, Sunday, Rev. Walter M. Stanton, minister of Central Church will preside and introduce the speaker.

Dr. Schafer and Rev. Stanton, will also participate in the dedication of memorial gifts presented to Central Church, which includes a memorial plaque on which names of deceased members and friends of the church have been engraved, also a

beautiful Baldwin grand piano which was recently presented to the church in memory of Mr. John R. Stanton, by his wife Mrs. Leah Stanton and children Barbara Stanton and Gerald Stanton.

Appropriate music pertaining to Memorial Day will be presented by the Church Choir under the direction of Mrs. Irene Hoy.

NONSECTARIAN

Hope Sunday, June 3, is the day to contribute generously to the free nonsectarian City of Hope.

Churchwomen Install New Officers

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church held its regular monthly dinner meeting Tuesday evening, May 17 in Fellowship Hall. The Naomi Circle prepared and served the dinner. The business meeting was held in the friendship room. During the business meeting the charter of racial policies was read by Mrs. Leona Eads and was ratified by the Guild.

Following the business meeting an inspiring installation service was held under the guidance of Mrs. Gilbert Zimmerman. Tall tapers for each officer were in the background and as each officer was installed they lighted a taper that represented the office they were to hold.

The following officers and chairman were installed: Mrs. Trudy Campbell, president; Mrs. Lenore Gray, vice president; Mrs. Irene Steele, recording secretary; Mrs. Chelcia Shelby, treasurer; Mrs. Ethel Hutchison, promotion; Mrs. Sara Hogue, coordinator; Mrs. Catherine Baker, spiritual life; Misses Olive and Molly Marshall, membership chairman; Mrs. Peggy Jones, supply; Mrs. Helen Smith, literature and publications; Mrs. Betty Harrison, local church at activities; Mrs. Clina Holland, historian; Mrs. Dorothy Holland, hostess; Mrs. Pauline Greer, missionary education; Mrs. Marjorie Champion, christian social relations; Mrs. Eleanor Warden, sunshine chairman; and Odell Lewis, publicity.

Lifetime membership pins were awarded to the past president, Mrs. Lois Sluga and two to charter members, Mrs. Violet Johns and Miss Sara Hague. Due to illness Miss Hague was not present to receive hers.

Pledge service was observed under the supervision of Mrs. Chelcia Shelby and the meeting closed with a prayer.

Mothers' Club Plan Open House

The Harc Angels Mothers' Club of the Harbor Area Exceptional Children's Foundation is planning an open house to be held May 23, from 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. Stanley Jones, president of the Harc Angels, will be chairman for the event and Mrs. Violet McCormick, director of the Foundation will be co-chairman. The refreshment committee will be led by Mrs. Rofina Ariston and the decoration of tables and schoolrooms will be handled by Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Frank Kreml.

Invitations are being sent out by Mrs. James Rafferty, Mrs. William Moore and Mrs. Robert Halliday, assisted by the board of directors' wives will be hostesses.

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