

Legion Organizes Athletic Club

TORRANCE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION GETTING UNDER WAY

At last Monday's meeting of the local Post of the American Legion the constitution and by-laws of the Torrance Athletic Association were read and adopted. The Post is trying to make it possible for the people of Torrance to obtain the benefits and amusement found in a fully equipped gymnasium, and to this end it is offering the use of its building and all the equipment therein, or that may be placed therein, to the people of the town in exchange for free membership for all members of the Legion. The membership fee will be nominal and the membership will be limited.

Within a short time the Legion plans to hold a public meeting and explain the whole proposition, and elect officers for the first year.

It must be understood that the Legion is a little in debt, and that the membership in the Athletic Association must be initially large in order to purchase gymnasium and athletic equipment.

Any member of the local Post will be glad to explain the details, and in these columns the constitution and by-laws will be published. Is Torrance interested in athletics?

GARBAGE ORDINANCE TO BE ENFORCED

Following is the schedule arranged for collection of garbage during the summer months:

South Side—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7:00 o'clock a. m. to 12:00 o'clock noon.

North Side—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 7:00 o'clock a. m. to 12:00 o'clock noon.

Business District—Every day from 7:00 o'clock a. m. to 12:00 o'clock noon.

All persons are urged to have their garbage cans in the proper place, as designated by Ordinance No. 7, not later than 7:00 o'clock a. m. on the day set for collection in their district.

A provision in Ordinance No. 7 requires the use of standard size metal receptacles with tight-fitting metal covers.

This Ordinance will be strictly enforced.

ALBERT H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

COUNCIL REJECTS ALL BIDS

Rejecting all bids for street paving of Carson and Arlington streets, and re-advertising for new bids, was the official action taken by the city council last Tuesday night. It developed that there was but one legal bid out of the six that were opened, due to a technical error, and upon advice of City Attorney Briney, new bids will be asked for.

Re-advertising, however, does not delay the actual work of beginning paving, only two weeks. Voters and residents of Torrance should read the ordinances on page eleven of this issue and familiarize themselves with conditions governing street paving.

TO REDONDO MONDAY

Torrance will be well represented at a boost meeting in Redondo Beach next Monday night when Alfred Gouder, president, and H. D. Pottenger, secretary of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, with Geo. A. Proctor, president of the Fourth District Chambers of Commerce, and C. P. Roberts, of the Torrance Herald, will attend the gathering.

F. & A. M. BUILDING DIRECTORS
At a meeting of the Masonic Building Association held in Masonic Hall Monday night, May 22, the present board of directors were re-elected for the coming year, as follows: R. R. Smith, chairman; Paul Dynes, W. A. Renn, G. W. Neill, and G. W. Towne.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

The committee appointed to look after the school program for expansion of buildings and acquiring of more land are enthused over the prospect from both angles. It all depends upon the bonds. If they carry a good share of the improvements needed so badly may be acquired.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

A Camp Fire for the girls of Torrance has been proposed and discussed by the American Legion Auxiliary. Anyone having had experience in this work or interested would confer a favor to the girls by reporting to Mrs. Wallace Post, president of the American Legion Auxiliary.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A service was held at the Union Tool shops on Friday, May 26, at noon as a memorial to Mr. Double, who passed away several years ago. Mr. Double was at the time of his death president of the U. T. Shops.

CATALINA TRIP SATURDAY
Pacific Electric Cars leave Torrance 8:17, connect with special from Los Angeles at Watts. Notify the Torrance Chamber of Commerce if you are going.

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NINTH YEAR

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 26, 1922

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Union Tool Takes Lead In Industrial B. B. League

Woman's Club To Hold Election Monday, June 5

Defeat Calpacos and Take Place At Top

Athletic Show Next Week To Be a Hummer

Torrance Woman's Club held its regular meeting at Legion Hall on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All officers except the treasurer and corresponding secretary were present. The election board reported that only thirty ballots out of the eighty-three sent out had been returned, and as only one candidate for each office received the necessary number of votes to have her name on the election ballot space will be left on the ballot for another candidate's name to be written. The election ballots will be mailed to each member, but the ballot must be personally deposited in the ballot box at the meeting of the club on June 5. Every member is urged to be present, as the new candidate will be nominated from the floor.

The committee appointed to con-

fer with the American Legion in regard to the club aiding them in furnishing their kitchen reported that cups were the most needed. The Woman's Club then voted to purchase one hundred cups and present them to the Legion.

Mrs. Hoerr, accompanied by Mrs. Thompson, sang "I Love You, Dear" by Hawley, and a Normandy "Cradle Song." Mrs. Curtis, federation secretary, gave a report of the luncheon of the federation secretaries on the eighth floor of the Broadway Department Store. This was the conference of the federation secretaries. Mrs. Milburn, press representative, gave a short report on the press conference held on May 13. This was the last conference of the year. A social session will be held in June.

Legion Attention! Some Big Business

Between 500 and 600 enthusiastic fans cheered the sports events staged at the Legion Hall last Friday night. Clean competitive sport of this nature is always a good drawing card. Perhaps the biggest feature of the evening was the music furnished by the P. E. band. Good martial music is always a winner wherever offered, and this band is in a position to make a big hit in Torrance by offering a series of evening entertainments. Very little advertising would serve to draw large crowds from nearby communities. A nominal charge would soon uniform the boys and add one hundred per cent to the drawing power of their efforts.

The wrestling matches proved to be highly exciting, and had the crowds on edge most of the time. The men showed the most consistent form in these four bouts. Several rounds of boxing proved to be somewhat exciting, but the grueling effort required to go the pace was too much for the boys. After the first rounds the rapid offerings of haymakers and upper cuts didn't ensure anything much, but the atmosphere.

However, these events will be put on twice a month, and as the boys get in training we may expect to witness some exciting bouts. Go to it, fellows. We are all with you and predict that in a month the Legion boys will have to move back the side walls to accommodate the crowd.

The P. E. Shop boys made good their boast to clean up the iron men from the Union Tool, but the U. T. men promise us a different story next time, and we will all be on hand to cheer the victors. That man Gilbert of the P. E. had on the biggest smile of his life, and toward the end of the festivities said smile turned into a regular sunrise. Some one said he drove home without needing any headlights on his car. Nash proved to be a popular referee, but needs to improve his foot work. An unexpected connection with one of those wild swings would be disastrous.

Boy Scout News

A gathering of the Boy Scouts of the Harbor District will be held in the American Legion Hall in Torrance on Friday evening, May 26. Dr. Clayton of San Pedro and Wallace Post of Torrance, of the Harbor Executive Committee, and E. P. Moore, Scout Commissioner, of San Pedro, and the Scout Masters of the district will be present. Tests will be given and first aid instructions also. Colors and special points will be discussed.

Torrance is planning a grand reception and refreshments for this evening.

A number of the Harbor District Scouts will camp this week end in George F. Canyon, Palos Verde Hills, for the purpose of taking certain test.

DAYS OF '49

H. D. Pottenger, secretary of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce proved to the Boosters of the Days of '49 in Sacramento this week that he is a live wire and represents a town that is up and doing. He swooped down upon Secretary Dudley of Sacramento with an armful of literature that carried the message of the Modern Industrial City of Torrance's future, and of course made a wonderful hit. Mr. Pottenger says he is having a fine trip and is doing some good advertising for his home town while thousands and thousands of tourists are enjoying the ceremonies of the "Days of '49."

MACCABEES HARD TIME DANCE

The Maccabees hard time dance given Tuesday evening in Legion Hall, was a decided success. There was a large attendance and many came in their old and ragged clothes. The main attraction of the evening was the demonstration of the famous "Victory Fox Trot," by Prof. and Mrs. DeBords, dancing directors.

FOUND DEAD IN HOME

Dave McDonald, a pioneer in this district was found dead Tuesday in his home in the Shoe String Strip, having passed away either Friday night or Saturday. From appearances he had been stricken suddenly and fallen backward on the floor. The Sunday paper, thrown in the yard, had not been touched.

PURE FOOD SHOW

There will be a pure food show at Paige's Grocery Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 1, 2, 3. Special demonstrators will be there to tell you all about it.

NOTICE

Members of the Torrance Volunteer Fire Department are called to a meeting next Monday night, 8:00 p. m. in Legion Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tyler of So. Andree left Tuesday for Muncie, Ind. where they will dispose of their property and return to the coast.

Mrs. Ernest Clark of Texas arrived in Torrance last Sunday and joined her husband, who has been here for several months.

STANDING OF LEAGUE

Union Tool	Won	Lost	Pct.
Calpac Paints	5	1	83.3
Standard Oil	5	1	83.3
Bayer Rothget	4	2	66.7
Scully Bros.	3	3	66.7
Pacific Door	1	5	16.7
American Door	1	5	16.7
Pacific Electric	0	6	0.0

The Union Tool team is now on top and hopes to remain there the rest of the season.

Last Saturday the U. T. boys proved that they had one of the best, if not the best, semi-pro teams in Southern California when they took the fast Calpac team in camp by the score of 5 to 1. The victory gives the industrial league and an excellent chance to cop the bunting.

While the teams were warming up, the visitors looked to have the edge on our boys, but results showed it was 1, 2, 3 for both sides. In the third Starnes of the visitors was passed, stole second and scored on sacrifice hits by Hevie and Pfeister. This seemed to be the winning run until the fifth inning, when the locals suddenly found their batting eye. Anderson, the first man up, drew a pass and went to second on Sweet's infield single. Both advanced a base on Springman's infield single. This made the bases full and none down. Riggs

then lined a sacrifice to deep center and Anderson beat the peg in tying the score. Hammer at the plate for the visitors let the peg go through him, and Sweet scored, while Springman took third. Atwood then gave Springman the signal and they pulled off as neat a squeeze play as one could desire, making the count 3 to 1 in our favor. The inning finally ended in the eighth, just to make sure more runs. Springman and Sweet each singled and scored on Newby's single over second. This ended the scoring for the day.

Sweet, on the mound for the locals, looked like a million dollars and held the visitors down to two hits, both of them of the scratch variety. The local boys had their heads up all the time and played perfect ball behind him, and ran bases like professionals. They were quick to see the breaks of the game and take advantage of them. The Calpac team were outplayed in every department of the game, and cannot offer any alibi for their defeat.

Next Saturday the boys face the fast Standard Oil team, which is now in third place. Saturday's game proved quite convincingly that good rooting helps the boys, so come out and help them win.

The boys are now coming out of their batting slump and are pounding the ball hard, as was shown when they garnered twelve hits last Saturday. They are also fielding in top-notch style, so with any kind of support they should remain on top.

The boxing and wrestling aspirants of the Union Tool Co. did not get enough last Friday night, it seems, and as a result there will be several more disputes, or continuation of disputes, at the American Legion Hall next Friday evening, June 2. In fact, the challenges for return matches were flung at the P. E. Shop before last week's show was half over, and the decisions next week will be a little different—at least, that is what we hear from the U. T. fans. All we hope is that next week's show will be as fast and interesting as the initial one.

At the suggestion and request of many local fans the Legion is providing several rows of reserved seats for the next entertainment, and those desiring ringside accommodation can avail themselves of that privilege by calling at the Torrance Pharmacy or Dolley's Drug Store and paying four bits extra.

The American Legion is on the job in this town and we do not hesitate in complimenting them on the way they are endeavoring to make the town a better place in which to live.

Sam Rappaport Leaves For Chicago Sunday

In order to buy merchandise off the floors of large wholesale jobbers for the fall and winter, Sam Rappaport will leave Sunday for Chicago, to be gone two weeks on an extensive buying campaign for his store here and also for the Torrance Toggery.

While in the Windy City, Mr. Rappaport will call at Hart, Schaffner & Marx headquarters and will select several dozens of the late models of men's suits for the coming season, as well as get a line on overcoats that will satisfy particular dressers.

Tom Moore Plays A Practical Joke

"Extras" about motion picture studios aren't easily fooled. They know the "ropes," yet a host of them at the Goldwyn studios in Culver City thought that they were destined to pay a few days' salary in fines when they were caught smoking by an imposing-looking fire inspector. The incident took place during the filming of Tom Moore's latest Goldwyn picture, "Made in Heaven," which comes to the Torrance Theatre Wednesday, May 31.

In the photoplay Mr. Moore appears as a fireman, and when he made his first appearance on the set he strutted in proudly for the director's approval of his costume. Upon his dramatic entrance a number of extras immediately dropped their cigarettes or hid them in their palms. An electrician raised the hand of one of the extras and called to Mr. Moore:

"Hey, Inspector, look here!"

Mr. Moore approached the frightened "extra."

"Got a spare cigarette about you?" he said.

The "extra" handed Mr. Moore a pack.

TORRANCE SCHOOL NOTES

On Wednesday about twenty-five of the High School students chaperoned by several teachers took an interesting trip to Los Angeles, where they visited points of commercial and civic interest, including the Crescent Creamery Co., the Hauser Packing Co., Baker Bros. Furniture Co., the city jail and the various county courts.

Gala Day is to be June 2. A parade will leave the school as the first feature of the big celebration. This will consist of all sorts of interesting features. The girls of the first six grades will display their dolls, while the boys' will give Scout demonstrations. On the grounds a program will be presented consisting of folk dances, dramatizations and music. One of the most exciting features will be a dog race.

The High School will march in costume and then preside at the various booths, where foods and fancy work are to be for sale. The proceeds will go to the student body fund.

Ladies of the P. T. A. are co-operating in all the enterprises, so that this will be a big day for Torrance school.

Prizes will be awarded for the best pets in each class, the best costumes and the best gardens.

Wednesday at noon Mrs. Hansen entertained at luncheon the following teachers: Mrs. Russell, Miss Parks, Mrs. Myrick, Mrs. Yeoman, Miss Hostetter, Mrs. Renowden and Miss Mills.

"CARDIGAN," AMERICA'S FIRST HISTORICAL ROMANCE OF THE SCREEN

It's here. The shot has been fired that will be heard around the world. The great American picture has arrived. It's been a long time coming, but it's 100 per cent American, made in America, with American actors, by an American director, written by the greatest of American authors and produced by an American.

The great American picture will make world history. It depicts historical facts and is the greatest, most awe-inspiring motion picture work of art that has been turned out since motion pictures were first invented.

"Cardigan" is the name of this most wonderful of wonderful motion pictures. It was made from the historical novel written by Robert W. Chambers, and tells a romantic story threaded through the outbreak of the Revolutionary War. It shows the great American patriots firing the shot that meant American independence. John Hancock, who signed the Declaration of Independence in such large penmanship that George III. might read it without glasses; Paul Revere, whose call to arms stirred the countryside, are shown in all their simple glory, and their deeds bring a lump in the throat when their actions are flashed across the screen of this free American country. Then there is Lord Dunmore, Governor of Virginia, an unscrupulous servant of a tyrant king, whose evil ways help to precipitate the struggle which led to America's separation from the mother country. Captain Walter Butler, the fanatical Tory, the villain of the romantic story, whose name is detested in American history as that of Benedict Arnold, the traitor, is shown in all his despicable villainy. Patrick Henry, he of the silver tongue, is shown uttering the words that made American history: "Give me Liberty or give me Death."

"Cardigan" is the first big American historical motion picture ever made in the history of the industry. It has a cast of 4000 and the leading characters are enacted by well known screen stars, who compose an all star cast.

This picture will be shown at the Torrance Theatre on Saturday, June 3.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Members of the Royal Neighbor Camp of Torrance attended the tenth annual meeting of the southern district of R. N. of A. in Long Beach May 24 at an all-day and evening session.

The Torrance Camp put on the regular closing exercises at the afternoon session. Those who attended were Mrs. J. H. Fess, Mrs. H. M. Tolson, Mrs. W. C. Von Hagen, Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. J. V. Murry, Mrs. H. Bale, Mrs. P. Harestad, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Mrs. A. W. Meizner and Mrs. May McKinley, formerly of Torrance, now of Los Angeles.

Mrs. A. W. Randel will entertain the Guild of the Episcopal Church Friday afternoon at a social session at her home, 2012 Arlington avenue. All ladies will receive a cordial welcome.