

TORRANCE NEWS ITEMS

B. W. Graves father of Frank Geaves is on the sick list.

Mrs. Grace Crown of Hollywood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones.

Mr. Edwin Buchanan and family of Los Angeles visited their friends the J. M. Wrights of Arlington street last Sunday.

Contractor Sammons has two houses started of the group of four he will build on lower Cota street near Spurlin Court.

Mrs. C. N. Curtiss spent several days visiting her old friend and neighbor of "back east" days—Mrs. Kirkpatrick, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mason and children of San Pedro were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gibbon of Amepolia street. Mrs. Gibbon is the mother of Mrs. Mason.

Ruth and Mable Allen, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen of Terminal Island were guests of their grandmother Mrs. Robert Allen, Sr., Torrance, last Saturday, returning Sunday with their mother and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Soddy of Kern Court has as their guest Mrs. A. Carlson of Jerome, Arizona. A pleasant Thanksgiving was enjoyed when Dr. A. Carlson, husband of Mrs. Carlson, and two sons joined the party for Thanksgiving dinner.

F. H. Dougherty of Ouray, Colorado was a Thanksgiving guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dougherty of Amepolia street, Torrance. The Colorado visitor is the father of E. Dougherty, and upon his arrival here reported five feet of snow in Ouray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spout and children of Chestnut street, Lomita, and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Anderson, of Kern Court, Torrance, journeyed to Los Angeles Thanksgiving Day to enjoy a real turkey Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Spout's and Mrs. Anderson's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pitt, other guests present were, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mission and Mrs. Elizabeth Darrel of Los Angeles.

TO THE RACES

R. J. Deninger and C. A. Curtis of the Dominguez Land Corporation witnessed the races at the Los Angeles Speedway, Thanksgiving Day.

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Short Ribs	20
Briskit	15
PORK	
Fancy Chops	50
Leg Pork, whole	32
Shoulder Pork, whole	27
Bacon Ends	30
Fancy Bacon	55
Hams	45
5 lbs. Compound	\$1.00
Pure Lard	30
2 lbs. Fancy White Rose	25
Rice	25
3 lbs. Fancy Navy Beans	25
6 Bars White Bleach Soap	25
5 Bars Lenox Soap for	25
\$1.40 Broom for	\$1.20
\$1.20 Broom for	\$1.00
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Nell Special Blend Coffee	.40
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SOME SQUASH

If you think Torrance isn't a first class place to raise vegetables and garden truck call at Mrs. M. J. Van Buren or Mrs. W. D. Russels of Cota street and they will convince you that it is. Mrs. Van Buren raised 171 pounds of squash on one vine and Mrs. W. D. Russell has a vine of the New Guinea bean, which is a great curiosity if you have never seen it grow.

SOLD TO P. E.

Three residents within the past week were sold to the Pacific Electric R. R. Company for their employees, as follows: T. B. McCroy sold one of his homes in South Arlington avenue; Glen Middleton of South Arlington disposed of his property and has moved to Los Angeles; Jas. T. Crisson of North Arlington disposed of his home to the Pacific Electric, but purchased two lots in Post avenue and will build

TOLSON TRUCK BURNS

One of the large transfer trucks of the Tolson Transfer Company, caught fire last Friday night near the Main Street boulevard at the intersection of the Torrance road and was near a total loss. The fire was caused by ignition from back fire and in a few minutes was aflame. The Torrance Volunteer Fire Department rushed to the scene and by the use of their chemical apparatus extinguished the fire. The truck was practically covered by insurance. Mr. Tolson, however, feels greatly indebted to the department for their quick and efficient service.

HOLD BAZAAR DEC. 7

The Ladies Guild of the Central church, Torrance, will hold their bazaar in the lobby of the Post Office building Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 7. You are reminded to be there as the ladies have diligently worked to have this affair a grand success, and will have many pretty and useful articles on display.

NOTICE

The first half of the 1920-1921 Taxes are now due and payable before 6 p. m. on December 6, 1920 to avoid penalty.

The Dominguez Land Corporation have the amount of Taxes on Lots, etc., in Torrance Tract and Tracts South and West of Torrance, and will accept payments until December 4th, and if desired, will remit for same so as to avoid penalty. DOMINGUEZ LAND CORPORATION
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CALIFORNIA BOOSTERS

Mrs. H. F. Rees of Spurlin Court, hails from a family of California boosters, and by their consistent advertising have all but one sister now living somewhere in the State of yearly sunshine. Mrs. Rees was formerly of Washington, D. C., where she was employed in the war department as an accountant for four years. Her brother, E. L. Bowers came to California and enlisted with the army that went to France, vowing before he left that if he returned he would make California his future home. After he returned his discharge was given in this state and he immediately sent for Mrs. Bowers and they are now living in Riverside. Shortly after this Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rees and children came here, Mr. Rees becoming associated in the Union Tool company. Next to come were Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bowers, father and mother of Mrs. Rees, who also live in Spurlin Court. Shortly afterward Mrs. Rees' sister, Mrs. Nellie L. Pennington and three brothers motored through to Torrance and now reside with their parents, the sister, however, returning to her eastern duties where she is engaged in interior and exterior decorating. It would not be surprising news to learn at anytime that she also will return and enter business in California.

POSTERS FOR BLDG. CAMPAIGN

To aid in the "Own Your Home" campaign and to stimulate the house building campaign the board of supervisors sent a request to the United States department of labor for 100 posters, issued by that bureau, which when they arrive will be posted in conspicuous places in the city.

"Save your money by building a home," is the slogan on the posters, a sample of which was given to the board and prompted the placing of the order. It is probable that when the shipment arrives the posters will be turned over to the chamber of commerce for distribution.

A single grain of indigo will color a ton of water.

Thumbnails grow the slowest, and middle finger nails the fastest. The nails of any two fingers do not grow with the same rapidity

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AMERICAN LEGION DANCE

The American Legion, Torrance, Post No. 170 will give a dance Saturday evening, December 4, at 8:00 o'clock. Busch's orchestra will furnish the music and a good time is assured all who attend. Tickets, per couple, including tax, 55c. You are invited.

"NEAR TO NATURE'S HEART"

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Lyons who have been spending their vacation at their pretty home on Cabrillo street, South Torrance, started Tuesday morning for their snow-bound lodge, up in the high Sierras in the northern part of the state, where Mr. Lyons is in charge of important undertakings for the Edison Co.

Their return will take three days travel. First lap from here to Fresno, second lap on the narrow-gauge for a day, and third lap starting out early the third day across real country on snow-shoes and up into the snow-bound fastness, 8000 feet above Torrance. And, Mr. man-of-the-Southland, don't let that statement cause you to shiver and shake and drop this yarn before you read that a most conservative little cabin stove up there needs twenty-two cords of wood to "keep the home fires burning" as they should for the winter. Fancy having to buy that at Torrance prices! That's just one thing more you have to be thankful for that you don't have to have. (as it were and so to speak.)

EUROPE WAS SWEETENED

For the nine months ending March 31, 1920, sugar exports from the United States totaled 1,030,571,794 pounds. For the same period in 1919 there were 543,703,767 pounds, and in 1918 509,938,687 pounds. Although the country was at peace, had no big army in Europe, and was not compelled to furnish abnormal quantities of food supplies to the allies, twice as much sugar was sent abroad than during the war when 2,000,000 American soldiers were in France and we were exerting efforts to send aid to the allies. There is evidently something radically wrong, and the principal trouble is the failure to buy the Cuban crop not only for refinement but for consumption in the United States.

U. S. MAIL

Arrivals and Departures
Torrance Postoffice
Mail Arrives 7:38 a. m.
Mail Arrives 2:21 p. m.
Mail Departs 10:15 a. m.
Mail Departs 5:24 p. m.

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Thanksgiving!

—We are particularly thankful this year, as by eliminating our soliciting and credit accounts we are able to cut down that "Old H. C. L.," and sell with the Chain and Cash Stores. We also wish to extend our thanks to the people of Lomita, Harbor City and Torrance for their cordial support of our new Cash System. Your patronage has been so liberal that it is necessary for us to add another man to our force.

—We extend to you a cordial invitation to visit our store and feel sure we can convince you that it pays to trade at RENN'S.

Sugar, 10 lbs	\$1.02	Folger's Coffee, 2 1/2 lb can	\$1.14
Sugar, 100 lbs	\$10.00	Tomatoes, large cans	2 for 25c
Bread, Large Loaves, 2 for	25c	Jewel Soap—made by Fairbanks Co.	Manufacturers of Gold Dust—
Potatoes—Northern, per cwt.	\$2.75	6 Bars	27c
(This is absolutely your last chance at this price. This is today's wholesale price.)		Prunes	2 lbs for 25c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 for	25c	White Beans	3 lbs for 25c
California Flap Jack	37c	Lima Beans	3 lbs for 25c
Post Toasties	13c	Pink Beans	3 lbs for 25c
M. J. B. Tea per 1/2 lb	30c	Japan Rice	3 lbs. 25c
M. J. B. Tea, per lb	59c	Broken Rice	5 lbs for 25c
Encore Flap Jack	37c	Coffee—That Can't Be Beat	
Folger's Coffee, pound can	46c	3 lbs for	\$1.00
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		Pumpkin, large cans	15c

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