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### WESTERN UNION OFFICE HERE IN TWO MONTHS

#### Forum Endorses Additional Appropriation For Schools

Monday night's forum meeting in Legion Hall was small, but there was plenty of enthusiasm right from the start when Secretary H. F. Gadeky gave detailed information on the progress made on the school situation. The secretary has been in Los Angeles several times the present week in conference with the school board and directed the unanimous endorsement of the meeting to ask for an additional appropriation of \$25,000 in order to give Torrance the necessary rooms and equipment.

After the usual discourse by members on matters pertaining to conditions in the city, Mrs. Frank Sammons, president of the Women's Club, assumed charge of the meeting and introduced Mrs. M. E. Johnson, prominent Los Angeles clubwoman, who reviewed her experiences at Sacramento, where she attended the legislature. Mrs. Johnson said the most bitter opponents to the state budget were the ones that had not read it thoroughly. She told of the unswerving attitude of the governor, that he was living up to his campaign pledges, and no difference what anybody thought or said. Friend W. Richardson is Governor.

Charles Dillon of Chicago, assistant chairman of the Western Railroad Presidents' Committee, was introduced and gave interesting facts relative to railroad history, its

by Mr. Post that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as favoring supporting the local paper with its advertising and circulation. Motion carried.

### Two More Wells

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for immediate drilling. On the old Long Beach-Redondo boulevard and just east of Cedar street, the Chanslor-Canfield Midway and Midway Northern drillers are engaging in a race for production, with the latter crew holding the lead. The Midway Northern well, being manned by an Orange County crew, is down 2500 feet and the showings are reported to be excellent. The Chanslor-Canfield Midway's Torrance No. 8 is down 1900 feet.

The oil dopescers were given a problem this week when it was learned that the Midway Northern well and the Peterson-Barker well, a mile and a half apart, one on the south side of the field and one on the east side and a trifle north, were checking up closely. Oil and gas showings were hit in the Midway Northern well a little below 2100 feet and at about the same depth in the Peterson-Barker well. Both are now running through oil stratas. The depth of the Peterson-Barker well was yesterday reported to be about 2900 feet.

The Shell's deep test well, is being watched closely now, and yesterday was said to be drilling in a hard shale formation at 4555 feet. Only a few feet is being made a day with the standard drill. Those who hold out hope of big production from deep drilling on the west side of the field are speculating on whether the drillers are not now going through a cap-rock into what may prove the big production sand.

Growth and conditions confronting the operations of large trunk lines over the continent.

Reports were received that the local telephone company would soon be located in their new room on Cabrillo avenue.

A re-survey by the Santa Fe from Torrance to the Harbor has temporarily held up work of the Telegraph Company, but it is predicted that within sixty or ninety days Torrance may enjoy telegraphic service.

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ALBERT H. BARTLETT,  
City Clerk.

### Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—DRILL SITE—CARSON AVE. (2) Lots next to Serrano Ave. only two blocks south of Peterson well now drilling. These lots are in the shoe-string section. See owner's sign on same. Will take \$3500 cash for both at present time, subject to change. Edward Hennes, 719 South Brand Blvd., Glendale, Calif. J.S.-24

### PRODUCTION REPORT

Chanslor-Canfield Midway	
Barrels	Gravity
Torrance No. 2	225 22
Torrance No. 3	475 28
Torrance No. 4	1050 26.5
Torrance No. 5	240 27
Dominguez No. 1	50 16
Del Amo No. 1	175 21
Del Amo No. 2	175 21
Del Amo No. 3	125 17
Del Amo No. 4	500 20
Del Amo No. 6	110 18
Standard	
Torrance No. 1	200 21
Torrance No. 2	400 26
Torrance No. 3	575 26.2
Kirke No. 1	100 16
Kirke No. 2	125 17
Kirke No. 3	125 17
Shell	
Torrance No. 1	325 17
Fullerton	
Waddel No. 2	110 16
Waddel No. 1	125 16
Amalgamated	
Watson No. 1	100 16
General Petroleum	
Pettifield No. 1	75 15
Carson No. 1	75 15
Carson No. 2	50 15
Petroleum Midway	
Cravens No. 1	150 18
Union	
Francis No. 1	25 14
TOTAL	5685

### Council Meeting

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As to ways and means, it was suggested that property owners in this district be approached looking toward an assessment proposition with the city itself doing a share; another way was to try to get an appropriation from the county general fund as the county was doing considerable appropriating for work inside of incorporated cities. It was also stated that a new law had been passed whereby counties enjoyed all the rights and privileges of cities in the matter of street improvements, and also that condemnation damages might be offset by the increased valuation to the lot improved.

It was the general opinion that the city of Torrance should take the initiative, after which the county supervisors might be more easily influenced to do their share, at least.

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### PETITION TRUSTEES ON DRILLING

#### Directors Endorse Action of Arlington Improvement Ass'n.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce held in the chamber rooms, Tuesday, June 5, at 4:30 p. m.

Members present: Carl L. Hyde, Alfred Gourdier, Wilfred Teal, J. C. McVey, J. Wallace Post, W. T. Klusman, A. H. Bartlett, George J. Peckham.

Members absent: Chas. L. LeBoeuf, P. G. Briney, A. W. Malone, George Neill, Dr. Lancaster.

Communications were read from the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce asking for whatever publicity we could give them for their Fifth Annual Cherry Festival to be held June 7.

Also from the Southwest Chamber of Commerce regarding their Fourth of July celebration, and extending an invitation to our membership to attend.

A bill for \$14.39 was presented by the Telephone Company, and, on motion by Mr. Teal, seconded by Mr. Gourdier, was ordered paid.

An application for membership was presented by Scully & Cox, real estate dealers, and by H. R. Raynes, also a real estate dealer, and on motion by Mr. Gourdier, seconded by Mr. Post, applications were accepted.

Mr. Gadeky reported briefly on the school bids.

On motion by Mr. Gourdier, seconded by Mr. Klusman, the Chamber of Commerce agreed to stand back of the committee's report in connection with the school program, and maintain the same completely, as originally outlined, if possible.

The secretary reported briefly on the Forum meeting of June 4, especially regarding the stretching of additional telephone lines.

Motion by Mr. Teal, seconded by Mr. Gourdier that the chamber endorse the action taken by the Arlington Improvement Association for their efforts toward having the paving on Arlington avenue put in proper condition. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. McVey, seconded by Mr. Peckham that the secretary investigate the matter of the bill for the oyster supper recently furnished by Smith's Cafe, and see that the bill for same was paid. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Gourdier, seconded by Mr. Teal that the following resolution be adopted:

"WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board of Directors of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce that the fear of the people that drilling will be permitted in the Torrance Tract; and

"WHEREAS, such fear is regarding the building of new homes in Torrance; therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, That the City Trustees be requested to enact an ordinance prohibiting drilling east of Madrid avenue, north of Plaza del Amo, west of Border street and south of Dominguez street, or anywhere in the original Torrance Tract, except in the industrial district." Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. McVey, seconded

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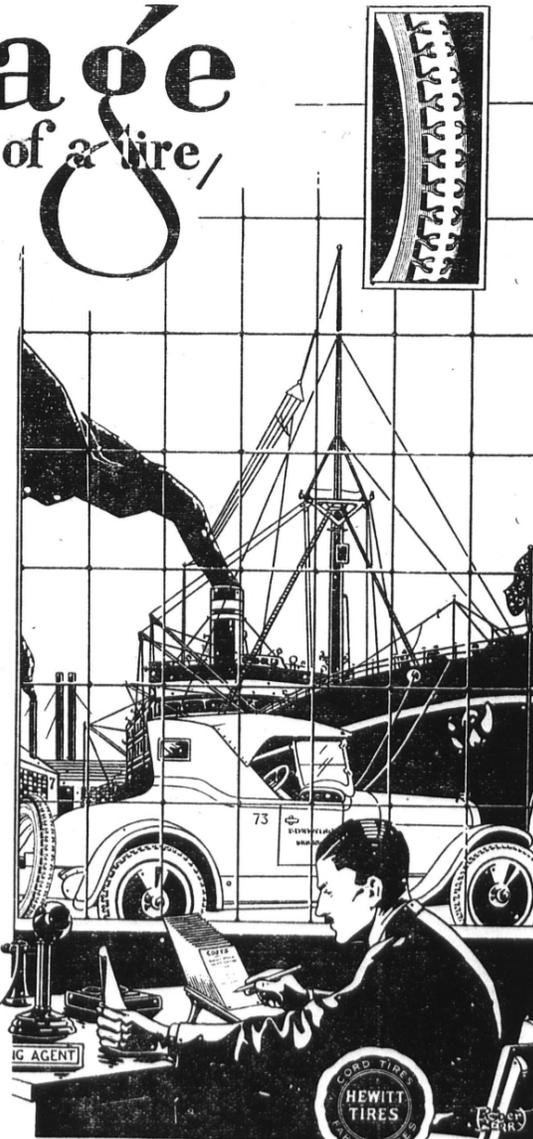
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