

WEEKLY REVIEW of BUSINESS and BUILDING



TORRANCE, CALIF.

INCOME TAX MAN TO BE IN TORRANCE

Will Help Citizens Prepare Federal Reports at Chamber of Commerce, March 3, 4 and 5

Commencing Monday, February 17, the collector of internal revenue, G. L. Welch, will assign a force of approximately one hundred deputies to assist income taxpayers of Southern California in filing their tax return.

These deputies will be stationed at convenient points throughout the ten southern counties, where they will open temporary offices to advise those needing assistance in preparing their returns. No charge will be made for this service.

The final date for filing returns for the calendar year 1929 is March 15, 1930. The individual Form 1040A for income should be filed by March 15, 1930.

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LOMITA BRIEFS

Little Miss Margaret Nelson, 4 year old daughter of Mrs. Harold E. Ingersoll of Sun street, will play several of her own compositions at a public recital to be held in the auditorium of the Union high school at Anaheim on Friday evening, Feb. 21.

Mrs. Gertrude Wright Boyle will present her pupils in a program of piano selections and readings Friday evening, Feb. 21, at the Community Presbyterian church. The affair is for the benefit of the Community Ladies Aid Society.

Mrs. Elaine Anderson Dudley, executive secretary of the Women's Auxiliary of the Goodwill Industries will give a demonstration and discuss the work of the organization at the Community Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 19. Mrs. Dudley is in great demand throughout the district and Lomita is particularly fortunate in being able to secure a date.

Founders' Day will be observed at the meeting of the Narbonne P. T. A. to be held next Tuesday afternoon. A demonstration of home economics, directed by Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Willis and Miss Lathrop will feature the afternoon's program.

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Mrs. Frances Dourte of Portland, Oregon is a houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pedersen.

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Barron A. Beckham of George street were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Skinner and daughter of Culver City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson of Nebraska were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cox of Walnut street.

Mrs. Elmer Skinner of Redondo boulevard is spending some time at the home of her nephew, Simon Clifton of Compton.

Members of Trio Rebekah lodge are enjoying a day of new work at the home of Mrs. R. S. Frowner of Elgin street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holm and J. A. Paddock enjoyed a reunion with old friends at the Wisconsin picnic at Seaymore Grove.

Mrs. E. E. Kooz of LaGrande, Oregon, is a houseguest of her daughter, Miss Esther Kooz of Narbonne avenue. Mrs. Kooz's arms are still in splints as a result of an auto crash near Reed, Calif., several weeks ago.

Mrs. H. R. Secker of Sun street and Mrs. E. K. Lyane were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatfield of Midway City.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Kerber and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Kerber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beckham of Oceanside.

Guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. L. M. Vaughn of Lemon street were Mr. and Mrs. John Green of Gibson Park and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mading of Miller street.

Leslie Wance, who is engaged as a civil engineer at Barstow, has been a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wance of Eshelman avenue.

FREE SHOW, STAG PARTY FOR MASONS

All members of the Masonic fraternity in Torrance and vicinity are invited to attend a free show and stag party to be held next Monday evening, February 17th, at 8 o'clock, at the new Masonic Temple, 815 Locust street in Long Beach. It was announced today by Ernest Neuh Tomkins, worshipful master of Torrance Lodge No. 147, F. & A. M.

The invitation is extended by Long Beach Pyramid No. 43, Ancient Egyptian Order of Sclots, and plans are being made to accommodate 1000 visitors on that night.

The affair is a part of an extensive program of exploitation being staged by the Long Beach Sclots in connection with a campaign now under way to secure 1000 new members by March 22nd. The Long Beach Sclot Pyramid is now the second largest in the world, having a total of 2100 members. San Francisco Pyramid No. 1, with some 2800 members, is the largest, but Long Beach is hopeful of passing the northern city during the next six weeks. A number of Masons in this city are members of the Long Beach Pyra-

mid and are actively engaged in the campaign.

A mammoth ceremonial, the largest fraternal initiation ever staged in Southern California, will be conducted by the Long Beach Sclots on the night of March 22nd when approximately 1000 new members will be inducted into the Sclot Order. The affair, which will be preceded by a gigantic street parade and electrical pageant, will be held in the Long Beach Municipal Auditorium. All Southern California Sclot Pyramids from Ventura to San Diego have indicated their intention of participating in the Long Beach ceremonial and it is expected the event will attract some 5000 Sclots to the beach city.

The Sclots are a branch of the Masonic fraternity and the prerequisite to membership is the degree of Master Mason in the Blue Lodge. There are 53 Sclot Pyramids and approximately 25000 Sclots in the state of California.

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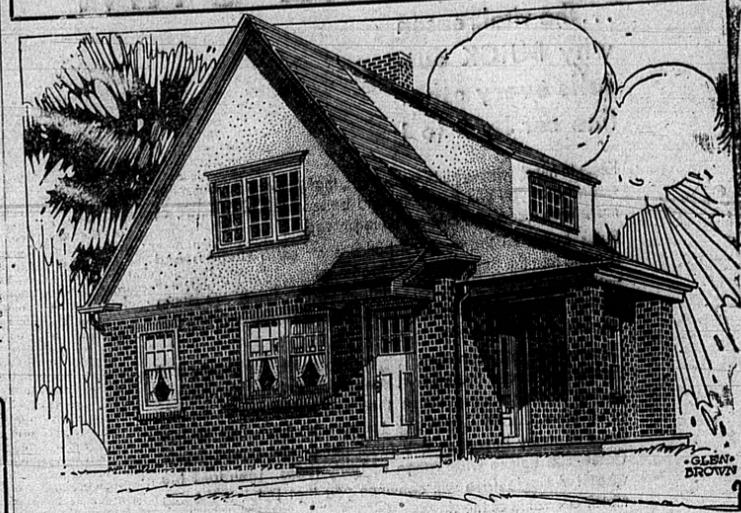
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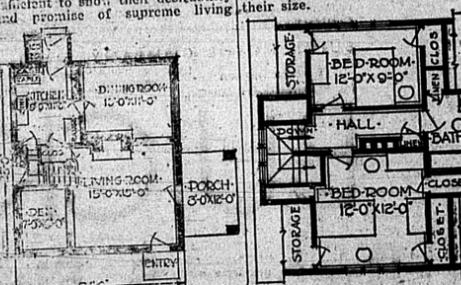
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