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CHARLESTON, S. C. (U.P.)—"Hunley's Boat," the first submarine ever used in warfare, was employed by the Confederate forces here in the last two years of the war between the states.

Miles of Tulips

HOLLAND, Mich. (U.P.)—Placed in a single row, all the tulips which will bloom here next May would form a line 26 miles long. The tulip lane here will include 67 blocks in various sections of the city.

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REPORTER VS. MAYOR



Donald Dilaway, Evalyn Knapp and Lee Tracy in "The Night Mayor" A Columbia Picture Showing Tonight and Friday at the Torrance Theatre.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DOINGS

Thrift captains of the Torrance elementary school had lunch together Thursday, December 8, with their chairman, Mrs. Leona Holland. During the meeting it was announced that Mrs. Young's room, Number 25, won the thrift banner for the upper grades. Miss Murphy's room, number 16, had more points, but inasmuch as they had had the banner since the first of the term and a new account was made in room 25, room 16 played the part of a good sportsman.

The boys and girls acting as thrift captains are: June Nuckles, room 15; Mrs. Boehme, teacher. Frank Carr, room 26; Mrs. Sweet, teacher. Phyllis Schultz, room 23; Miss Lloyd, teacher. Arlys Fossum, room 24; Mrs. Peterson, teacher. John Gansley, room 25; Mrs. Young, teacher. Harry Lewis, room 13; Mrs. Haskin, teacher. Euphrasia Taylor, room 14; Mrs. Rines, teacher. Kathleen Mickle, room 16; Miss Murphy, teacher. Shirley Guttenfelder, room 17; Mrs. Swisher, teacher. Roberta Smith, room 22; Mrs. Godwin, teacher.

Throughout the school term, fifth grade pupils of Room No. 16 have been developing a unit of work entitled, "Life in the American Colonies in or about the year 1765." The study of this unit will close this week with a program describing what has been accomplished. Also, since December 17 marks the birthday of the class poet, John Greenleaf Whittier, an appropriate exercise, under the direction of the room teacher, Miss Madeline Murphy, will honor the memory of this beloved New England poet.

Lunch will not be served during the Christmas holidays at the Torrance elementary school.

A Christmas Party

The special classes of the Torrance elementary school, under the direction of their teachers, are planning a Christmas party for their parents. The party will take place in the school auditorium on December 16 at 1 p. m. The parents will first view an exhibit of the regular class room work and then be entertained by a program. Refreshments have been prepared by the children. The auditorium will be gayly decorated, with a Christmas tree as the center of interest. Gifts made by the pupils for the mothers, and treats for the children from the teachers, will grace the tree.

Red Cross Drive Here Nets \$65.25

With the local Red Cross drive completed, a total of \$65.25 has been realized. Mrs. Caroline Collins, chairman of the Torrance branch of the National Red Cross, announced this week. Half this sum will remain for use of the Torrance Relief Society, for local charity work. "Contributions were generously made, and we are very well satisfied with results of the drive," Mrs. Collins stated. Figures given out by the local Red Cross branch show that 1157 sacks of flour were distributed last month to 913 people. This amount is approximately the same as that reported for October. Distribution of flour is made twice weekly, on Tuesday and Saturday morning between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock, at local Red Cross headquarters on E

Elks to Stage Yule Benefit And Jamboree Tomorrow Night

Time—11:30 P. M.
Place—Fox Redondo Theatre.
Date—Saturday, December 17, 1932.
Greatest R. K. O.—Radio and Moving Picture Stars—ever to gather for such an event in the South Bay district.
The master of ceremonies will be Eddie Stanley, who will personally acquaint the cash customers with the big array of entertainers throughout the 12 acts billed. Eddie Stanley is presiding only after hearty consent of the Paramount Studios and needs no introduction to any audience.
Some idea of the galaxy of the performers may be hinted by the mentioning of such stars as Daugherty and Daughter, R. K. O. dancers, who will, in addition to their regular act, come back with a musical act. Add to this an idea of the heavy evening in store, such talent as Bill Mar, Scotch comedian; Bobby Jackson, R. K. O. star; De Verdi, radios' perfect tenor; Johnny Coppock and his American-Hawaiian orchestra; the Covered Wagon Jubilee Boys and a host of other talent of the same magnitude and you will have in store an evening as is only provided at the most noted premier.
No one needs an introduction to the Elks Christmas Fund and it is to this effort that the world's best entertainers are coming to Redondo this Saturday to make sure that the 1932 edition of the Elks annual Christmas Funds' activities as staged by B. P. O. Elks 1378, Redondo Beach, shall make scores of otherwise unprovided for children and families ever the more happier on this, the most important of all Christmas holidays. Tickets in the Torrance, Gardena and Lomita area may be purchased at Grubb's Supreme Market, Torrance; Tepper Tire Station, Gardena; or by calling the Elks Club, Redondo 5578, or the Fox Redondo Theatre.

At Torrance Theatre — Saturday



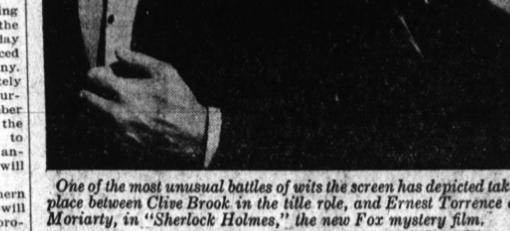
Charles Farrell finds an altogether new type of heroine in Joan Bennett, opposite whom he plays the principal role in "Wild Girl," the latest from the Fox studios.

Teachers' Institute Meets in Los Angeles Monday, December 19

Opening for a three-day program on Monday morning, December 19, the Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute will be attended by approximately 10,000 teachers who are required by law to be present at least six of the sessions to be held at the down-town auditoriums, at some of the larger high schools, as well as in Westwood and Pasadena. The California Teachers' Association, Southern Section, will hold its opening general session on Wednesday evening at the Shrine auditorium. It is estimated that approximately 5000 teachers will come from out-of-town to attend these meetings. Because weekly institutes have been held at various points in Southern California during the past two months, the number expected is considerably less than usual.

Yule Excursions To Aid Travelers

Plans for the greatest offering of holiday transportation in the history of its famous dollar day excursions have been announced by the Southern Pacific Company. With fares cut to approximately one cent a mile, Christmas excursions are to be operated December 22 to 26, closely followed by the New Year sale, December 29 to January 2, according to the announcement. The return limit will be January 4. All points served by Southern Pacific in six western states will be covered by the excursion program, it was stated.



One of the most unusual battles of wits the screen has depicted takes place between Clive Brook in the title role, and Ernest Torrence as Moriarty, in "Sherlock Holmes," the new Fox mystery film.

"THREE ON A MATCH"



FREE TURKEYS
Patrons of the Torrance Theatre will have two opportunities to eat free turkey this Christmas, according to announced plans of Manager Sam Klein. Six big proud birds will be given away Friday night, December 16, and another half dozen turkeys will be awarded Wednesday night, December 21.
Joan Blondell, Warren Williams and Bette Davis come to the Torrance Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 20 and 21, in a four-star picture with a four-star cast. In addition to the three stars, there is also Ann Dvorak. "Three On a Match" is a thrilling modern drama—a slice of four lives—by authors with an unbroken succession of hits to their credit.
Thief Steals Judge's Boat
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (U.P.)—A certain thief will have more than plenty of explaining to do when he "talks it over with the judge." A trim little green and white boat, the "Dix," was stolen on the Link river from near the home of Judge William M. Duncan.
Large Eagle Killed
EVANSVILLE, Ind. (U.P.)—An eagle having a wing spread of 16 feet was killed in the Wabash bottom lands recently by three Evansville hunters. Six shotgun charges were required to kill it.
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At Warner Bros.



George Brent, as he appears in First National's "They Call It Sin." Opens at Warner Bros. San Pedro Theatre next Sunday for a three-day run. George plays opposite the ever-charming Loretta Young.

At Torrance Saturday, December 17



Dorothy Jordan & Richard Cromwell in "That's My Boy" A Columbia Picture.

Dr. Ingold Attends Specialist's Lecture

Dr. C. L. Ingold, accompanied by Dr. Marion Kemp of Redondo Beach, attended a lecture at Gendale Thursday evening, sponsored by San Fernando Valley Association of Optometrists. Dr. T. J. Ruddy, Los Angeles eye, ear and throat specialist, gave an interesting talk, choosing as his subject, "Diseases of the Eye." A motion picture on vision, voice and hearing completed the program. Had Same number 35 Years DODGE CITY, Kan. (U.P.)—Owen M. Balch has had the same telephone number—277—for 35 years.

Handel's "Messiah" Sung At Auditorium

An unusually beautiful performance of Handel's "Messiah" is promised this holiday season when the Los Angeles Oratorio Society, directed by John Smallman, presents this greatest of all Christmas music, in the Philharmonic auditorium, Saturday evening, December 17, at 8:15 o'clock. The 200 members of this chorus are to be accompanied by members from the Philharmonic orchestra, with Lorna Gregg at the piano, and Dr. Ray Hastings at the organ. The soloists are: Blythe Taylor Burns, soprano; Jean Chown Williamson, contralto; Fred Scott, tenor; and Alexander Kieselburgh, baritone. Rin Tin Tin Descendant Lost ATLANTA, Ga. (U.P.)—Rex, direct descendant of Rin Tin Tin and Strongheart, both now deceased, has disappeared from the home of his master, Dr. Garnett W. Quilian.

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What's On Next Week In Nearby Theatres

Table with columns: WEEK OF, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY. Rows include Warner Bros. (Notre Dame vs. Southern California), Fox Granada (Washington Masquerade), and Torrance Theatre (They Call It Sin, Vanity Street, etc.).