

# BUSINESS DIRECTORY



## You'll Find It Profitable...

to patronize the business firms whose ads are found below! They have a variety of services and merchandise to sell at appealing low prices and in the Business Directory they are easily and quickly located.

### AUTO TOP REPAIRING

**AUTO TOP SHOP**  
Tops • Upholstering  
Side Curtains • Seat Covers  
Car Covers • Floor Rugs  
George G. Gill, Manager  
**Virginia Garage**  
1531 S. VERMONT  
Phone Gardena 3971

### AUTO ACCESSORIES

**TORRANCE AUTO WRECKERS**  
• New and Used Parts  
• Windshield and Door Glass  
• We Buy Metals  
1001 TORRANCE BLVD.  
Phone 336

### AUTO ELECTRICAL

**Torrance Auto Electric Service**  
F. C. Morgan, Prop.  
Authorized Service for  
United Motors, Auto Lite,  
Carter and Stromberg  
Carburetors  
We Tune Up Motors  
1320 Cabrillo Phone 498

### BARBER SHOPS

**Tansey Beauty and Barber Shop**  
1623 CABRILLO  
Phone 580  
Prices Reasonable  
Expert Service

### CLEANERS & DYERS

**NIFTY CLEANERS**

It takes first rate work at a fair price to assure quality, results and satisfaction.

**CASH AND CARRY PAYS!!!**  
1324 Sartori  
Ph. 174

### SPOTLESS CLEANERS

Bertha B. Isbell, Prop.  
**MEN'S SUITS 50c**  
Only Quality Work  
To give you Greater Service  
Mrs. Kyle is now with us doing  
Expert Dressmaking and Fur  
Work. Repairs and Alterations.  
1306 Sartori Ph. 509-W

### DRESS SHOPS

**Stone's Specialty Shop**  
FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS  
Exquisite Mojud Hose  
Fashionable Foundations  
Knitted Slips  
HATS—Elsie DeBra  
1333 El Prado Ph. 430R

Sellers find it profitable and exceptionally inexpensive to advertise in the Business Directory.  
Buyers find it convenient and advantageous to patronize Business Directory advertisers.

### PLUMBERS

We can't think of any fancy greetin' So the good old phrase we're just repeatin'...  
**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
**DAVID JACOBS**  
YOUR PLUMBER  
1908 222nd Street Phone 358-W

### GIFT SHOPS

**TORRANCE GIFT SHOP**  
C. J. Rhoads, Prop.  
Magazines - Gifts  
Rental Library - Novelties  
Canaries - Pet Birds  
We take subscriptions for all periodicals and newspapers.  
1322 SARTORI

### INSURANCE

**Merry Christmas! May you have no un-insured losses!**  
**Howard G. Locke**  
Dependable Insurance  
Fire - Automobile  
1405 Marcelina Ave.  
Phone Torrance 135-M

### INTERIOR DECORATORS

**Beautiful Your Home...**  
PAINT  
WALL PAPER  
SHADES, new or renovated  
VENETIAN BLINDS  
All work done by experienced Paper-Hanger and Decorator.

**CARL SCHMIDT**  
2015 Wilmington-Redondo Blvd.  
Lomita  
Phone Lomita 502-J  
SHADES REVERSED 20c  
(Call for and Deliver)  
Terms and Easy Payments on all decorating and remodeling.

### POULTRY, RABBITS

**Keystone RABBIT AND POULTRY Rancho**  
FRESH EGGS FRYERS  
Each Week-End OUR SPECIAL:  
LARGE RABBITS 55c  
Each  
2175 S. MAIN  
Ph. Wilmington 8719B2

### RESTAURANTS

**THE RITZ CAFE**  
V. G. Barlow  
Manager  
Sandwiches  
1913 CARSON PHONE 349-W

### COCKTAIL SALON

**The Famous Chili Shop**  
24-Hour Service  
Call Any Time For a Lunch to Take Out  
1487 Marcelina Ph. 37-J

**Save Time!... Save Steps!**  
Call Upon Directory Advertisers! They Can Fill Your Needs!

### SHOE REPAIRING

**TURNER'S Shoe Repairing**  
The Oldest Shoe Repairing Shop in Torrance  
Shoes Repaired and Rebuilt for every need.  
All Work Guaranteed  
1501 Cabrillo Avenue

### ROOFING

**SANDERS BROTHERS ROOFING**  
Phone Redondo 7204  
24410 Neece Ave.  
WALTERIA

### Oregon Roof Co.

Roofing and Repairing  
T. W. CONLEE, Mgr.  
1936 Lomita Blvd.  
Phone Lomita 502W

### REFRIGERATOR SERVICE

**DOES YOUR REFRIGERATOR NEED REPAIRING? CALL**  
**C. E. ELMER**  
REFRIGERATOR SERVICE  
Domestic and Commercial  
Used Boxes Bought, Sold and Reconditioned  
207 BEYL STREET  
REDONDO 3796

### SERVICE STATIONS

**GOODRICH KATHANODE BATTERY**  
Guaranteed for as long as you have the car.  
**Dunham's SERVICE & GARAGE**  
Shell Products  
Economy Gas  
Quaker State Oil  
Goodrich Tires and Tubes  
S & W Green Stamps  
1403 CARSON Ph. 691

### EXPERT AUTO REPAIRING

**MULLIN'S Complete Auto Service**  
2053 Torrance Blvd. Ph. 320J

### LATEST TYPE LUBRICATING EQUIPMENT

We Use Factory Recommended Oils and Greases  
**SMITH'S Super Service Station**  
Phone 212  
Torrance Blvd. at Portola

### Hammond Motor Service

Hancock • Quaker State  
Richfield • Hyvis  
Shell • Hanaeo  
GAS and OILS  
We Give S & H Green Stamps  
2053 Torrance Blvd. Ph. 387  
CALL 444 FOR AD SERVICE

### TYPEWRITERS

**10c A DAY BUYS A REMINGTON NOISELESS**  
Biggest Typewriter Bargain in ten long years...  
ACT FAST!

### The TYPEWRITER SHOP

479 6th St.—San Pedro  
Phone San Pedro 1350  
(Reverse the charges, of course)  
SALES - REPAIRS RENTS  
ALL MAKES  
Typewriters  
Adding Machines

### Legal Advertisements

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**  
No. D150183  
Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, and Complaint filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County.

### SUMMONS

JUDITH WASHBURN, Plaintiff, vs. IRA B. WASHBURN, Defendant.  
THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO: IRA B. WASHBURN, Defendant.  
You are directed to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this Summons, if served within the County of Los Angeles, or within thirty days if served elsewhere, and you are notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.  
Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, this 18th day of November, 1936.  
L. E. LAMPTON,  
County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.  
By W. L. GREENE, Deputy.

### NOTICE

APPEARANCE: "A defendant appears in an action when he answers, demurs, or gives the plaintiff written notice of his appearance, or when an attorney gives notice of appearance for him." (Sec. 1014, C.C.P.)  
Answers or demurrers must be in writing, in form pursuant to rule of court, accompanied with the necessary fee, and filed with the Clerk.  
Chas. T. Rippey,  
Atty. for Plaintiff,  
1385 Post Ave.,  
Torrance, Calif.  
Dec. 3, 1936-Feb. 4, 1937, Inc.

### Legal Advertisement

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS (ADVERTISEMENT)

Notice is hereby given that the City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, will receive bids for furnishing all labor, material, transportation, and services for the construction of an Administration Building, and addition to the new Torrance Public Assembly Building, located in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California; each bid to be in accordance with plans, specifications, and other Contract Documents now on file with Walker and Eisen, Architects, 437 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, or with Mr. A. H. Bartlett, City Clerk, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, where they may be examined and copies obtained upon deposit of \$10 per set.

Notice is hereby given that the above-mentioned construction is being financed in part by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works.  
Bidders are hereby notified that pursuant to the statutes of the State of California, or local law thereto applicable, the City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and rates for legal holiday and overtime work in the locality in which this work is to be performed, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the contract which will be awarded the successful bidder.  
The prevailing rates so determined are as follows:

TRADE OR OCCUPATION:	Per Diem Wage	Hourly Wage Rate	Hourly Rates for Legal Holidays and Overtime
Excavating:			
Laborers	\$ 5.00	1.10	1.65
Drillers (Caisson, etc.)	8.80	1.25	1.875
Shovel Operators (Mechanical)	10.00	1.00	1.50
Shovel Fireman	8.00	1.10	1.65
Tractor Operators	8.80	1.10	1.65
Truck Drivers	6.00	.75	1.125
Teamsters	5.00	.625	.937
Pile Drivers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Pile Driver Operators	10.80	1.35	2.025
Carpentry:			
Carpenters	8.80	1.10	1.65
Hardwood Floor Layers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Window Caulkers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Plastic Trades:			
Concrete and Cement:			
Cement Finishers	10.00	1.25	1.875
Engine Operators (Portable and Hoisting)	8.80	1.10	1.65
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Mixer Operators	8.80	1.10	1.65
Plastering, Including Lathing:			
Plasterers	10.00	1.25	1.875
Plasterers' Tenders	8.80	1.10	1.65
Lathers (Including Welders on Steel Studs)	10.00	1.25	1.875
Steel Trades:			
Reinforcing Steel:			
Reinforcing Steel Workers	9.00	1.125	1.687
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Structural and Misc. Steel:			
Structural Steel Workers (Including Welders on Structural Steel)	9.00	1.125	1.687
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Ornamental Metal:			
Ornamental Iron Workers	9.00	1.125	1.687
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Lathing:			
(See Plaster and Lathing)			
Steel Studs:			
(See Plaster and Lathing)			
Mechanical Trades:			
Ventilating:			
(See Sheet Metal)			
Plumbing:			
Plumbers	9.00	1.125	1.687
Electric System Installations:			
Electricians	8.80	1.10	1.65
Finishing Trades:			
Sheet Metal Workers	9.00	1.125	1.687
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Roofing:			
Roofers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Composition Floor Workers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Window Shades and Venetian Blinds:			
Window Shade Workers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Painting and Decorating:			
Painters	8.80	1.10	1.65
Window Cleaners	5.00	.625	.937
Glazing:			
Glaziers	8.80	1.10	1.65
Laborers	5.00	.625	.937
Watchmen	5.00	.625	.937

Apprentices to any of the trades or classifications listed above may be employed upon the project with skilled workmen and mechanics.

The foregoing schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight (8) hours. The hourly wage rate prescribed hereinabove is the per diem rate divided by the aforementioned number of hours constituting a working day.  
It shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractor under him, to pay not less than the said specified rates to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed by them in the execution of the contract.  
Notice is also hereby given that all bidders must submit with their bids, a sworn statement of their financial responsibility, technical ability and experience.

Each bid shall be made out on a form to be obtained from Walker and Eisen, Architects, 437 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, or from Mr. A. H. Bartlett, City Clerk, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California; shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or bid bond for 5% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the order of the City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California; shall be sealed and filed with the City Clerk, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, on or before January 5, 1937, at 8:00 o'clock, p. m., and will be opened and publicly read aloud at about 8:00 o'clock, p. m., of that day in the Council Chambers, in the Torrance City Hall Building, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The above-mentioned check or bond shall be given as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the contract, if awarded to him, and will be declared forfeited if the successful bidder refuses to enter into said contract after being requested so to do by the City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a labor and material bond in an amount equal to 50% of the contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price, said bonds to be secured from a surety company satisfactory to the City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California. A list of such surety companies is on file with Walker and Eisen, Architects, 437 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, and with the City Clerk, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The City Council, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, reserves the right to reject any or all bids or waive any informality in a bid.  
No bids will be received or honored if delivered after the day and time as set forth above.  
No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30)

# CLASSIFIED ADS

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES - INFORMATION

Rates Quoted on Per Issue Basis  
(3-line minimum)  
1 Time (per line).....12c  
2 Times (per line).....10c  
3 Times (per line).....9c  
4 Times (per line).....8c  
12 Times (per line).....6c  
Multiple Time Rates effective ONLY if no change of copy ordered—otherwise open rate of 12c per line will be charged.  
Ads may be cancelled after any insertion. Rate earned will be charged and money refunded for space not used.  
Not responsible for more than ONE incorrect insertion of any ad ordered for more than one time.

### 1. Announcements

GET your Christmas photos tinted in genuine oils, 25c up; House V. Spurlin Court.  
Torrance Upholstering Co., 1513 Border Ave. Overstuffed furniture repaired and remodeled. Rugs cleaned and sized. Free estimate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 225.

### 6. Business Directory

MATRESSES cleaned, renovated. New Mattresses for sale. Torrance Mattress Works, 1511 Border. Phone 896.  
OFFICIAL BRAKE SERVICE Wheel and Axle Alignment J. M. RICHARDSON 500 South Catalina Phone 3552 Redondo Beach

### FOR EVERY KIND OF INSURANCE

including Life Insurance in the A. O. U. W. with membership in Torrance Lodge No. 33. Call Wallace H. Gilbert, phone 420.  
REST home, convalescent and aged. Battle Creek treatments. 2666 W. Carson. Phone 130-W.

### 12. For Rent: Houses, Unfurnished

FIVE-ROOM stucco on Amapola. O. R. Sommer, 2122 Gramercy. Phone 329.  
FIVE-ROOM house, garage, out-buildings. 1818 W. 169th St., Moneta.  
FOUR-ROOM HOUSE with acre ground. 3042 W. 235th street, So. Torrance.

### 13. For Rent: Apartments and Flats, Furnished

SINGLE apartments, well furnished, downtown. Reasonable rent. Apply Levy Dept. Store.  
NICELY furnished apts. downtown. Low rent. 1417 Marcelina Ave. Inquire Apt. 6.  
22. For Sale: Furniture and Household Goods  
ELECTROLUX vacuum cleaner almost brand new, half price. May be seen at 1617 Arlington avenue, Apt. 1.

### 24. For Sale: Poultry and Pet Stock

TURKEYS—Milk and corn fed. Home-grown toms, 24c; hens, 27c. 17130 Western Ave. Ph. Gardena 684.  
25. For Sale: Miscellaneous  
CHILD'S tricycle, large size; like new; \$10. 1910 Cabrillo.  
DIAMOND D briquettes for fireplace or stove. \$16.50 ton delivered. Torrance Poultry and Feed Market, 1963 Carson St. Phone 407.

### HOUSES for sale, to be moved

Will finance. Baker, 2440 E. Anaheim, Long Beach.  
12-GAUGE shotgun, 30-in. barrel; new; cheap. 1229 1/2 Arlington street.

### 26. Help Wanted: Male

EARN while you learn DIESEL. Call or write 807 So. Flower, Los Angeles.  
29. Employment Wanted  
Van's Window Cleaning House Cleaning Floor Waxing 2804 Gramercy - Phone 687-W  
DRESSMAKING and alterations at reasonable rate. 2071 Torrance Blvd.

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Dated: Dec. 16, 1936, at Torrance, California.  
(Signed) A. H. BARTLETT,  
City Clerk  
Dec. 17-24.

### 30. Wanted to Buy

PRIVATE party will pay \$100 for good used baby grand. Owner only, no dealers. Box G, Torrance Herald.

### 33. Real Estate: Improved

**FOR SALE**  
Two Bedroom Home  
Newly refinished inside and out; 2516 El Dorado. Bargain for cash, but terms available.  
Phone 95-J

### An Old Established Firm

with  
**A New Direct Lending Plan**  
NO BROKERS  
A friendly loan service to you  
**Loans Up to \$500.00**  
As long as twenty months to repay

You Receive You Repay  
\$100 \$ 7.02 for 20 months  
160 10.87 for 20 months  
260 16.88 for 20 months  
320 20.63 for 20 months  
500 32.08 for 20 months  
Other amounts at proportionate rates.  
Pay Only for the Time the Money Is In Use  
See Us Today  
Call, Write or Phone  
**Gulf Finance Service**  
615 S. Mesa San Pedro 2440  
San Pedro, California

### 34. Real Estate: Unimproved

**FOR SALE TWO LOTS**  
Each 50x130; southwest corner Cedar and El Dorado; cash price.  
Inside Lot, \$450  
Corner Lot, \$575  
Phone 95-J

### 36. Moving and Storage

M & M Transfer, 1513 Cabrillo. Phone 545. We haul anything, anywhere, anytime. Loads insured. Also storage and packing.  
**Legal Advertisement**

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 180101  
ESTATE OF KARIN LENN STROM, Deceased.  
NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Charles Lennox Strom, administrator of the estate of Karin Lennox Strom, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present their vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator at the office of Chas. T. Rippey, his attorney, 1335 Post Ave., in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.  
Dated Dec. 17, 1936.  
CHARLES LENN STROM,  
Administrator of the estate of Karin Lennox Strom, Deceased.  
Chas. T. Rippey,  
Attorney for Administrator,  
1335 Post Ave.,  
Torrance, California.  
Date of first publication Dec. 17, 1936.  
Dec. 17-24-21-Jan. 7

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6 Months, \$1.00  
1 Year, \$2.00  
Delivered By Carrier Boys Every Thursday  
**Call 444**

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