

INTEND TO WED

Notices of intention to marry were filed this week by the following local residents: Jose Acero, 23, of 2268 203rd street, and Amelia Felix, 21, also of this city.

William H. Gregory, 22, Wilmington, and Mildred V. Schneck, 18, Harbor City. William S. Keith, 23, of 2689 Woodward street, Lomita, and Myrtle Marie Unger, 19, of the same address.

Coming Soon!

Flowers, cakes, dresses, woodwork, and metal work, will be on display at Narbonne high school's annual flower show to be held May 20. Flowers from

Wesley Dotson Dies In San Francisco

Wesley Dotson, a former resident and Columbia Steel worker in the mechanical department, died suddenly Tuesday morning en route to work at the Pacific Coast Steel plant in San Francisco where he was plant manager. His death, at the age of 31 years, was attributed to a heart attack. He moved from here about four years ago.

Mr. Dotson lived in South San Francisco with his wife, Annis, and two children, aged five and one year. He is also survived by a brother, Harlow B. Dotson, Redondo resident, who is superintendent of the electrical department at the Columbia Steel plant here. The brother left for the bay city to attend the funeral which was held today.

The school as well as the surrounding community will be exhibited.

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Evangelical Church to Celebrate 20th Anniversary

Harbor District Church Gathering Here Friday

The "One Day and Spring Convention" of Christian churches of the Harbor district, will be held in the Torrance Christian church tomorrow (Friday) with Stephen J. Corey, president of the United Christian Missionary Society, as team

TEAM LEADER



DR. STEPHEN J. COREY... scholar, writer, traveler

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as first vice-president and head of the Department of Foreign Missions. For 30 years Dr. Corey has been connected with the organized work of his communion and he has travelled in Africa, Asia and South America, and has written a book dealing with each of these trips. A scholar, a clear and forceful writer, a strong and popular speaker, Dr. Corey is one of the strong missionary leaders in the Christian world today.

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FIELD MASS FOR SCOUTS

Archbishop John J. Cantwell and other high dignitaries of the Catholic church officiated Sunday morning, Apr. 25, when a field mass for 700 or more Boy Scouts was conducted at the police training center in Elysian park. Scouts from as far south as Orange county and as far north as Santa Barbara attended.

ST. ANDREWS' EPISCOPAL. 1432 Engracia street, Torrance, Rev. Thomas R. Marshall, vicar.

Sunday services: Holy communion, 7:15 a. m. Church school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service and sermon, 11 o'clock.

Young people's fellowship, 7:30 p. m.

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New Catholic Pastor Takes Over Duties

With the brogue of the Old Sod still on his tongue, Rev. Father Joseph Fitzgerald preached his first sermon in the Catholic church here last Sunday.

CHURCH BUILDER



FR. JOSEPH FITZGERALD... would build up parish

day and announced he would attempt to build up the local parish to its full Catholic strength. Father Fitzgerald, who succeeded Father Thomas F. Kennedy when the popular pastor left two weeks ago to serve the new Belmont Shore parish, was born in County Waterford, Ireland. Last year he returned there to visit relatives and friends whom he had not seen for many years.

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Churches

Church notices, to be assured of publication, should be in the Herald-News office before 10 a. m. Tuesdays?

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Martina and Carson streets. Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Topic, "God's Call to Abraham." Morning service, 10:50 a. m. Topic, "The Call of God for Service." Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic, "The Blessed Hope of Christ's Return to This Earth." B. Y. P. U. groups meet at 6:30 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, followed by choir rehearsal at 8 o'clock.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

1224 El Prado. "Uncovered" is the title of a series of important talks beginning Sunday, May 2, at 7:45 p. m., and for the next five Sundays thereafter, wherein facts long hidden to the hurt of millions will be presented. All honest, sincere persons are invited. Seats free and there will be no collection. "Watch Tower" study at 7:45 p. m. Wednesdays.

GRACE TABERNACLE

1324 El Prado, Rev. H. W. Ezell, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Topic, "Abraham a Man of Faith." Morning service, 11 a. m. Special program arranged for observing the Lord's Supper. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic, "God Is Faithful." Inspiring song service conducted by Mrs. H. W. Ezell.

Inter-denominational Bible study conducted by the pastor each Tuesday night at 7:30. Special revival preaching Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

LOMITA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH. 1918 Lomita boulevard, near Walnut. Thomas G. Smith, Torrance, local elder. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. Saturdays. Church service, 11 a. m. Tuesdays. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. Tuesdays. Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m. Fridays.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD. 1630 West Carson. W. H. Copeland, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Thursday, 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST. A verse from the Proverbs: "Eli pursueth sinners: but to the righteous good shall be repayed," is the Gospel Text in the Lesson-Sermon on "Everlasting Punishment" on Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

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Special Program Prepared for Sunday Service



HOME-COMING, ANNIVERSARY CENTER SUNDAY

Central Evangelical church at the corner of Arlington and Marcelina avenues will celebrate its 20th anniversary next Sunday, May 2. A special program of music and an anniversary address are being prepared for the event and home-coming, and the public is cordially invited to worship with members and friends.

The Sunday school convenes at 9:45. The anniversary service is at 11 a. m. This church was one of the first erected in Torrance. Its organization dates back to May 3, 1917. Construction of the building was begun the same year and completed in 1918. The church was organized by Rev. J. P. Ash, who was the first pastor. The church lots were donated by the Dominguez Land Corporation and the valuation of the church property, including the manse and Guild hall, is estimated to be about \$26,000. The property is clear of all indebtedness.

This church is functioning as a community church, ministering to a constituency of nearly all denominations. A large percentage of the present membership were formerly Presbyterian. This church is a member of the California Evangelical Council and the Federal Council of Churches in America.

Has Active Membership. Pastors who have served during the past 20 years were: Rev. Ash, Rev. G. Stieglitz, Rev. G. A. Streit, Rev. E. L. Weatherwax, Rev. F. A. Zeller, Rev. G. G. Schmid, Rev. O. D. Wondet and Rev. E. W. Matz, who is now serving his first year. George W. McKenzie is president of the board of trustees, with Mrs. J. S. Lancaster, vice-president; E. Merle Johnson, secretary; F. C. Winkler, treasurer and D. A. McCormick, representative of the board to the congregation.

The stewards are: G. W. McKenzie, Dr. J. S. Lancaster, W. E. Bowen, E. M. Johnston, D. A. McCormick, J. Grosskopf, Mrs. J. McVicar, Mrs. J. B. Shaw and Mrs. A. H. Baker.

The church organizations include Sunday school, W. E. Bowen, superintendent; Mrs. A. H. Baker, assistant; Mrs. J. E. Winter, superintendent of Junior and Primary departments; Mrs. W. E. Bowen, superintendent of Beginners' department; Ladies Guild, Mrs. D. A. McCormick, president; Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. Elizabeth Brod, president; Christian Endeavor, Miss Marion Spehger, president.

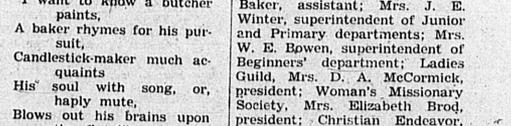
"The church has made a fine beginning in its spiritual ministry to the community. It is looking forward expectantly and optimistically into the future." Rev. Matz said this week. Plans are under way for a program of expansion, increase of activities and membership. Its aim and goal for the coming years is to be helpful unto salvation, and in building Christian character and a Christian community. Its ministry is available to all who desire its services.

Unified evening service at 7 p. m., with "singspiration," study period, special music and brief message. Rev. Mobley will be in charge. Wednesday evening, 7:15, the people's Prayer Service led by the minister. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 8:15 o'clock.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH. Acacia avenue and Sonoma street, Rev. Frank D. Meehling, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic, "Progress in Prayer." Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7 p. m. Teachers' meeting Monday, May 3, at 7:15. Meeting of the church council Monday, May 3, at 8 p. m.

Class Turns Out Poets. BERKLEY (U.P.)—The University of California, which conducts courses in verse writing, prides itself on the fact that it is ever increasing the number of "working poets" in America.

PASTOR



REV. E. W. MATZ... is church's seventh

Central Evangelical Church. Arlington and Marcelina avenues, Rev. E. W. Matz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Observance of 20th anniversary of church. Special program of music.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic, "Christ and His Church." Instrumental and vocal music. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Class in Leadership Training Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

DETOUR By BETSY BYRNES. "I want to know a butcher paints, A baker rhymes for his pursuit, Candlestick-maker much acquaints His soul with his song, or, haply mute, Blows out his brains upon the flute!"

"Browning. Happy indeed is he who has at least two accomplishments. He is then able to make merry with one and money with the other!"

QUESTIONS: What is the oldest part-music known? We wonder if the choir singers know the answer. Just where was Christopher Columbus born?

The first cantaloupes of the season were sent to the President last week. Nice to eat, things gratis! Which is correct, can't-loop, or can't-lope? How do you pronounce gratis?

TODAY'S PROVERB: "The snail sees nothing but its own shell, and thinks it the grandest palace in the world."—Hindoo.

ANSWERS: The oldest part-music known is "Summer is coming in." The composer was John of Fornsete, and he wrote it in England in the early part of the 13th century. It was the very first song to have a separate part for every voice. Christopher Columbus was born in one of the most beautiful cities of Italy, Genoa. He was the son of a wool-comber.

The correct pronunciation of the word cantaloupe is can'ta-loop. Gratis is pronounced gray-tis. ADIOS. The following is part of a little old ditty we like to sing: Do you know it? "Some folks say that pain is real And some say that it's phoney; But as for me, when I can't agree, I eat an abalone."

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