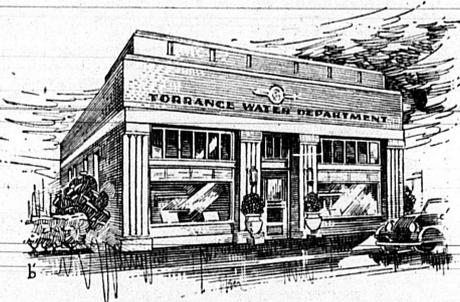
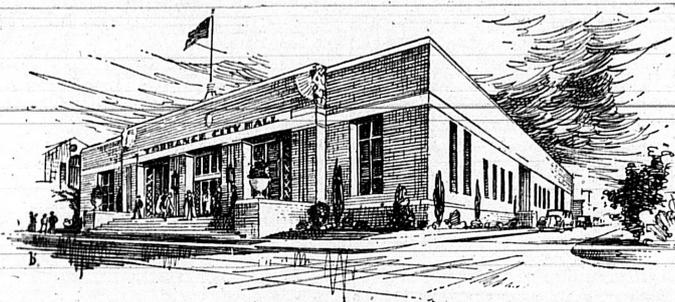


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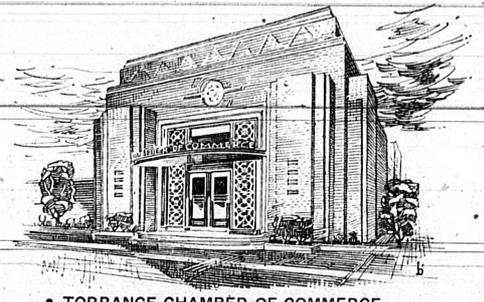
The City of Balanced Development



• TORRANCE MUNICIPAL WATER DEPT. OFFICE



• TORRANCE CITY HALL •

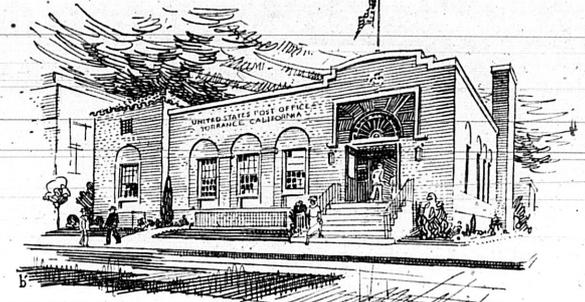


• TORRANCE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



• TORRANCE CIVIC AUDITORIUM

TORRANCE CIVIC CENTER BUILDINGS

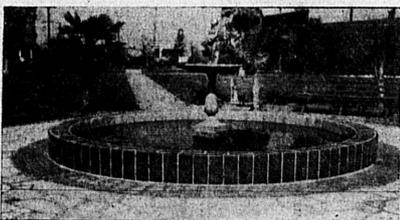


• U. S. POST OFFICE, TORRANCE



• TORRANCE PUBLIC LIBRARY •

Ample Parks and Playgrounds



• ABOVE SCENES AT TORRANCE MUNICIPAL PARK

Modern Schools



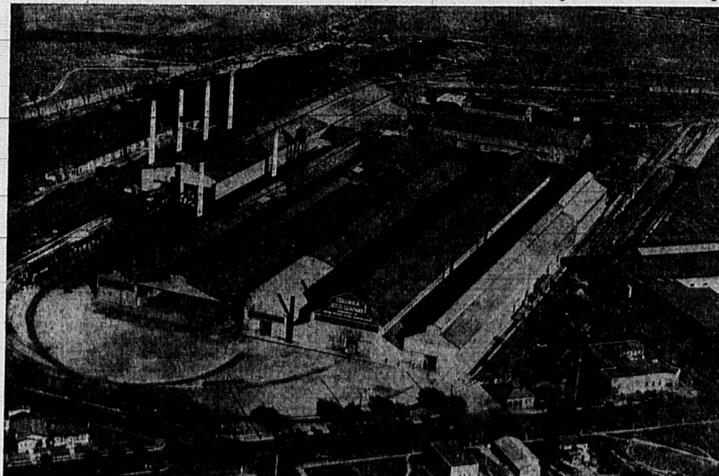
• TORRANCE HIGH SCHOOL ON WHOSE SPACIOUS CAMPUS WILL SOON BE BUILT A NEW AUDITORIUM SEATING 1000



• FERN AVENUE SCHOOL . . . ONE OF THE FOUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS OF TORRANCE

Pertinent Facts and Figures About This Well-Rounded City

AREA — 18.88 Square Miles — Comparable to Long Beach and Pasadena.
POPULATION — 9500 — with an additional 11,000 people residing in the immediately adjacent trading area.
ASSESSED VALUATION — \$20,000,000 and the relatively small municipal bonded indebtedness of \$426,000.
40 INDUSTRIAL PLANTS manufacturing a wide diversity of products and furnishing a normal payroll of \$1,000,000.00 a month.
SCHOOLS — Torrance schools are part of the Los Angeles City System.
CULTURAL ADVANTAGES — Torrance has 14 Churches, 12 Fraternal Organizations, Woman's Club, N. B. P. Women's Club, Rotary, Kiwanis, and 20-30 clubs.
HEALTH FACILITIES — Torrance Memorial Hospital rated a Class A institution by the American College of Surgeons and the best equipped in the Southwest portion of the county. Also the headquarters for this district of the L. A. County Health Dept. is housed in an attractive Health and Welfare Center building.
TRANSPORTATION — Pacific Electric and Santa Fe railways, Motor Coach Company.



• COLUMBIA STEEL COMPANY . . . ONE OF TORRANCE'S 40 INDUSTRIAL PLANTS •

Tree-Lined Residential Streets



• SCENE ON EL PRADO



• TYPICAL HOME ON BEECH AVENUE IN THE NEWER RESIDENTIAL AREA

Churches and Clubs



• ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH, ONE OF THE 14 INSTITUTIONS OF WORSHIP IN TORRANCE



• WOMAN'S CLUB HOUSE . . . TYPICAL OF TORRANCE'S CULTURAL LIFE

TORRANCE CHAMBER of COMMERCE