

Lomita P. O. Lease Bid Time Is Extended

An indefinite extension of time for accepting bids on larger quarters for the Lomita postoffice was announced this week by W. H. Switzer, Los Angeles postal inspector. Original closing date was last Saturday but Switzer said other work prevented him from giving attention to details for proposed larger quarters for the Lomita office.

He will continue negotiations with persons interested in obtaining five-year leases. The postoffice department has called for bids on lease of 1,800 square feet of space, 300 square feet more than used at the present post headquarters in the Hugo Schmidt building on Lomita boulevard near Narbonne.

Equipment, heating and lighting also is required in the lease, Switzer said. The inspector announced that his report on bids is to be transmitted to Washington where final award will be made. Lease on the present building, where the office has been located for 10 years, expires Nov. 30.



LOOK WHAT STORK BROUGHT! . . . As result of repeated visits by Ol' Doc Stork last week, Torrance Memorial hospital's nursery was filled almost to capacity and Nurses Millicent Grant and Agnes Thompson, pictured left to right, had their hands—and arms full. Shown above with their smiling custodians are the 15 new arrivals. The picture would be a lot more impressive if it were accompanied by sound because it was taken just before the 15 were wheeled to their mothers for lunch. Last weekend there were a total of 19 new babies starting life at the hospital.

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700 County Jobs Being Vacated; Saves \$500,000

Gradual elimination of some 700 county employes began this week and is to be completed by July 1 when the new budget, with a five percent cut in virtually every department, goes into effect.

Those who left the county service this week numbered approximately 200, with 50 of them being cut off the staff of the county charities department, according to Superintendent Rex Thomson. However in this department, there were 29 dictograph operators employed to replace those whose jobs will end July 1, Thomson said.

Employees whose jobs have been eliminated as of July 1 and who have vacation or overtime coming will leave the county service that much earlier, although continuing on the payroll until July 1.

Age Pensions Increase Elimination of the 700 jobs will not mean dismissal of exactly that number, county officials pointed out today. Some of the jobs are vacant at present, workers having been laid off prior to this time because of a shortage of funds, while in some departments there are workers who are retiring voluntarily.

The wiping out of the 700 jobs will mean a saving to county taxpayers of some \$500,000 during the next fiscal year, according to Roger Jessup, chairman of the board of supervisors.

Jessup declared that the reduction was necessitated by the mandatory increase in the cost of old age pensions to the county. There are some 53,000 aged pensioners on the county rolls now and about 6,000 are expected to be added next year, officials said.

Mechanic Fails In Suicide Try

"Girl trouble" was the laconic but expressive reason given by local police officers who investigated the attempted suicide of Clifford Gideon, 36-year-old mechanic at his rooms in the El Prado apartments late Monday afternoon.

Gideon was reported to have eaten rat poison from a tube after calling his girl-friend in Long Beach Sergeant Frank Schumacher and Officer Cassulo reported he was intoxicated at the time. He was found by a relative, Mrs. Louise Gideon, who summoned a local physician.

Removed to Torrance Memorial hospital, Gideon was relieved of his poison-paste by a stomach pump and today apparently suffers no ill effects from his act. He has lived in Torrance for the past six months and, according to police reports, has a wife in Desney, Okla.

The Herald—3 months, 50 cents.

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Governor Creates Another School Holiday Feb. 15

A personal dream of Governor Culbert L. Olson's became a reality this week when he made into law with his signature a bill requiring schools to observe the birthday (on Feb. 15) of Susan B. Anthony, woman's suffrage advocate.

For the Governor's mother, Delilah King Olson, was the West's pioneer in the cause of woman's suffrage in which she was closely associated with Mrs. Anthony, Carrie Chapman Catt and other notable women of her time.

INTEND TO WED

Hubert E. Edwards, 22, of 2127 1/2 Wilmington - Redondo boulevard, Lomita, and Avis D. Canner, 18, of South Gate.

Mel P. Smith, Jr., 27, of Bakerville, and Helen T. Banks, 24, of 1820 Manuel avenue.

Frank W. Fancher, 27, of Wilmington, and Willie M. Perry, 26, of 24863 Woodward street, Lomita.

Rollin W. Nothorn, 25, of Lomita, and Carol E. Gooch, 21, of Minneapolis, Kans.

Leo McDonald Howard, 18, of 619 Cota avenue, and Evelyn C. Tripp, 18, of Long Beach.

William M. Bennett, 23, of the U. S. S. Indianapolis, and Helen L. Hall, 22, of 1015 1/2 Cota Ave.

Charles K. Sneary, 20, of Redondo, and Lorraine E. Word, 18, of 2438 230th street.

WANT TO SWAP? Traders can get together thru The Herald's classified advertising section.

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FISH IS AT ITS FINEST IN THE SUMMER

EAT MORE OF IT! IT'S MORE EASILY DIGESTIBLE THAN ANY OTHER FOOD—MORE ECONOMICAL, TOO!

Save On These Specials For This Week-End!!

- FILET SOLE . . lb. 20c | Green Shrimp .lb. 23c
- SWORD FISH lb. 24c | Blue Fin Tuna .lb. 25c
- FRESH LOCAL CAUGHT YELLOW TAIL lb.20c

Introducing Our New Local Manager—LES SHAW

Quality Sea Food Mkt. 1311 Cabrillo—1/4 Blk. SO. P. E. Depot on Cabrillo

Rescind Demand That Cities Must Buy Thru County

Street surfacing materials to be purchased by cities out of gasoline tax funds need not be purchased through the county purchasing agent, but the county will place his services at the cities' disposal, under a resolution adopted by the board of supervisors this week.

The supervisors, on motion of Supervisor Oscar Haug of Long Beach, chairman of the board's roads committee, rescinded a previous resolution that would have required all cities receiving allocations of gasoline tax funds from the county to buy their materials through Wayne Allen, county purchasing agent who also is chief administrative officer.

CAR ROBBED A new blanket, flashlight and gas were stolen from R. E. Bear's car Monday night while

Property Deals Now Must Be Published

Hereafter every sale, mortgage, transfer or assignment of property must be published in a local newspaper as well as recorded, according to a bill signed this week by Governor Olson. The law requires at least one publication which shall be completed not less than two days before the date of such intended sale, transfer, assignment or mortgage.

The bill also requires publication of notice of sales at public auction.

At the present time creditors of firms selling out get no notice beyond the seven-day recordation in the Hall of Records, but the amended bill requiring local publication will provide much better protection in strengthening credit procedures.

It was parked in the rear of the Cravens apartments where he resides, according to police reports.

SECOND PAIR OF TWINS IN YEAR AT HOSPITAL HERE

The first pair of twins at Torrance Memorial hospital since Feb. 1 have won the esteem of the staff after causing considerable excitement with their unexpected arrival last Friday evening.

Sharon Ann and John Robert, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith of Hermosa Beach, made their debut at the Smith home about the time their young mother was preparing to leave for the hospital. An ambulance crew ushered the babies into the hospital with Mrs. Smith. The father is a machinist at the National Supply plant here.

Other new babies arriving at the hospital during the past week were: A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Courter, Redondo Beach, last Thursday.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fuller, North Redondo Beach, Sunday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Maris, Inglewood, Tuesday.

A daughter to Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Rhind, Hermosa Beach, Sunday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Seaberry, Gardena, Saturday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Striff, Redondo Beach, last Friday. Striff is coach at Redondo Union high school.

Moose Team in Title Playoff

Johnny Parker's Torrance Moose lodge softball team defeated the Gardena Rovers 21 to 3 Tuesday night to gain a tie with the Gardenas for the South Bay League championship. Date for the playoff has not been set. The Moose team will play the Long Beach Lipperts Market squad tomorrow night at the Lakewood Stadium, Parker said.

Going To The Fair?

Don't kill your feet breaking in new shoes. Your comfortable old shoes . . . with a neat, long-wearing re-bottoming job by KENNY . . . will add infinite pleasure to your trip . . . and you can spend the difference at the Fair!

KENNY'S SHOE REPAIRING 1308 SARTORI AVENUE Opposite Safeway

Lucerne Milk COUNTRY FRESH LUCERNE MILK I'LL SAY IT'S GOOD IT'S MY BEST! SAFEWAY

PRICES EFFECTIVE THRU SAT. JUNE 17 With exceptions noted, these prices are effective in Safeway-operated departments of stores within 25 miles of Los Angeles, through Saturday, June 17, 1939.

- CANNED FOODS** Grapefruit 2 No. 2 9c can Fancy Brand 2 No. 2 45c can Good'n Ripe Peaches 2 No. 2 11c can Libby Brand 2 No. 2 9c can Sliced Pineapple 2 No. 2 11c can Grapefruit Juice 2 No. 2 45c can Libby Natural 2 No. 2 45c can Libby Tomato Juice 2 No. 2 47c can Puritan Baked Beans 2 No. 2 10c can Stokely Cut Green Beans 2 No. 2 10c can Stokely Corn 2 No. 2 10c can Masterpiece Hominy 2 No. 2 5c can O & C Potato Sticks 2 No. 2 8c can Stokely Tomatoes 2 No. 2 23c can

SAFEWAY QUALITY PRODUCE

- WATERMELONS** Imperial Valley Klondikes, Every melon guaranteed. lb. 1 4c
- Apricots** 4 lbs. 15c Full flavored, firm, tree-ripened apricots.
- Cantaloupes** 2 for 15c Large size. Thick meat. (Extra large size, 2 for 17c.)
- Lettuce** 2 heads 9c Crisp, green, solid heads of freshly cut lettuce.
- Potatoes** 10 lbs. 10c White Rose variety, new potatoes. No. 3 quality.
- Ripe Tomatoes** lb. 5c Large size, northern grown, firm, ripe. For slicing.

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

- Waxed Paper** Cut Rite Brand 40-ft. 5c in Cutter Roll (Price ex-tax, .0485; sales tax, .00146)
- Cut Rite Waxed Paper** 125-foot economy roll (Price ex-tax, .1453; sales tax, .00437)
- Sweetheart Toilet Soap** 1 bar for one cent, with 3 bars for .0216 (Price ex-tax, .0433; sales tax, .00117)
- Toilet Soap** Mission Bell Brand for .0216 (Price ex-tax, .0433; sales tax, .00117)
- White King Giant Bars** 3 bars for the Laundry (Price ex-tax, .0560; sales tax, .00107)
- Su-Purb Soap** Granulated Condensed (Price ex-tax, .0679; sales tax, .00204)
- Su-Purb Soap** Granulated, Easy, 24-oz. box (Price ex-tax, .1745; sales tax, .00525)
- Oxydol Household Soap** 8-oz. box (Price ex-tax, .0777; sales tax, .0023)
- Oxydol Household Soap** 24-oz. box (Price ex-tax, .0873; sales tax, .00262)
- Lux Soap Flakes** For Fine Laundering 8-oz. box (Price ex-tax, .0735; sales tax, .0022)
- Lux Flakes** For Sinks And Woodens 12-oz. box (Price ex-tax, .0338; sales tax, .00102)
- Holly Cleanser** in the Big Red Can 3 cans 9c (Price ex-tax, .0291; sales tax, .00087)
- Hy-Pro Liquid Bleach** quart 9c (Price ex-tax, .0878; sales tax, .00262)
- Hy-Pro Liquid Bleach** 1/2-gal. bottle 16c (Price ex-tax, .1534; sales tax, .00466)
- Johnson's Glo-Coat** pint 59c (Price ex-tax, .5781; sales tax, .01719)
- Johnson's Floor Wax** 16-oz. can 59c (Price ex-tax, .5781; sales tax, .01719)
- Comfort Toilet Tissue** Family Pack of four rolls (Price ex-tax, .2230; sales tax, .00670)

MAZOLA per pint 21c per quart 39c Mail tab in bag of pouring spoon with \$1.00 to Carr Products Sales Company, 247 S. Central Ave., Los Angeles, California. BUFFET BOWL with FORK and SPOON will be sent to you charges prepaid.

COFFEE, TEA

- Nob Hill Coffee** Finest Quality per lb. 18c Ale, Lima Pickay, Orange
- Airway Coffee** Mild, Mellow per lb. 13c Ground at Store
- Edwards Coffee** Regular or Drip Grind per lb. 23c
- Tea in Bags** Canterbury, Black 8c box of 49c
- Black Tea** Canterbury Brand 15c 1/2-lb. 27c

BOTTLED BEVERAGES

- Par-T-Pak Root Beer, Cola, Ginger Ale, Lime Pickay, Orange** 32-oz. 40c Bottles Extra. (Ex-tax, .0870; sales tax, .00261)
- Brown Derby Beer** 4 11-oz. 25c Extra (Price ex-tax, .0808; sales tax, .00238)
- Brown Derby Beer** 35-oz. 45c Extra bottle (Price ex-tax, .4458; sales tax, .01337)
- Brown Derby Beer** No Deposits 4 12-oz. 29c (Price ex-tax, .0703; sales tax, .00211)

CANDY BARS G. F. P. Brand. Your choice of six delicious flavors. per 3c (Price ex-tax, .0291; sales tax, .00087) Smaller size Candy bars . . 3 for 5c (Price ex-tax, .0718; sales tax, .00219)

MISCELLANEOUS FOODS

- Wheaties** Nationally Known Breakfast Food 2 boxes 21c
- Shredded Ralston** Size Size 12-oz. 14c Cereal box
- Corn Mix** A Delicious New Cereal 2 boxes 21c
- Bis-Kit-Mix** Fisher's Flour 40-oz. 25c box
- Fisher's Cake Flour** 8-lb. 14c box
- Party Pride Ice Cream** Extra Rich carton 13c
- Marshmallows** Fluff-i-est 1-lb. 10c (Price ex-tax, .0703; sales tax, .00211)
- Jell-well** Extra Flavor 3 pkgs. 13c Gelatin Dessert
- Salad Dressing** quart jar 29c
- Cider Vinegar** Old Mill quart 10c
- Cherub Milk** Evaporated 4 small cans 11c

BREAD, CRACKERS, SPREADS

- Fresh Bread** Julia Lee 1-lb. 8c 1 1/2-lb. 11c Wright's loaf
- Crackers** Guthrie's Brand 8-oz. 10c Soda or Graham
- Butter Sprays** Guthrie's 8-oz. 10c
- Cheese Crackers** Guthrie's Brand 8-oz. 10c
- Oleomargarine** Robin Hood Brand per 12c High Quality
- Oleomargarine** Robin Hood Brand per 20c
- Peanut Butter** Real Brand 8-oz. 25c
- Meadow Wood Butter** First per quantity lb. 32c

SAFEWAY GUARANTEED MEATS

There's no gamble involved when you buy meat at Safeway . . . every cut is guaranteed to please you! Select a steak, some chops, or a roast today . . . prepare it by your favorite method . . . if it does not please you in every respect, we'll return every cent you pay!

GROUND BEEF lb. 18c Selected cuts, ground under state government inspection and packed in Vikings.
MORRELL HAM lb. 33c #2 Cut Brand, fully tenderized. Fine for picnics. Whole or half ham at this price.

- BONELESS HAM** (Morrell's 1/2 or 3/4) Either Whole, lb. 33c 1 end-lb. 33c
- WIENERS** Fancy quality wieners 17c and frankfurters.
- PRIME RIB ROAST** From first five ribs of Safeway beef. lb. 32c
- BEEF ROAST** Center cut seven bone roast. Guaranteed. lb. 20c
- BEEF POT ROAST** Choice of u c k neck cuts of Safeway beef. lb. 18c
- BOILING BEEF** Lean meaty cuts from plate rib of beef. lb. 8c
- BEEF SHORT RIBS** From Safeway Guaranteed beef. To bake. lb. 11c
- CORNERED BEEF** Boneless brisket of beef, with a mild cure. lb. 19c
- BACON** Un-x-lid.-sliced 1/2-lb. Cello pkgs. 2 1/2-lb. 25c
- PORK LOIN ROAST** Large cuts from either end of loin of pork. lb. 19c
- LING COD** In piece or sliced lb. 15c
- SWORDFISH** 25c
- FILLET SOLE** 20c Boneless. Per Pound
- STEAKS** Tender, juicy steaks cut from Safeway guaranteed beef. Fully trimmed ready fry, barbecue, or broil. Special price this week!

SAFEWAY HIGH QUALITY FOODS LOW PRICES CONVENIENT LOCATIONS Sales tax will be added to the retail prices on all taxable items.