

### Chief Gets Jewelry and Yule Gifts for Men Only

Mrs. Minnie Teague, postal order clerk at the postoffice here, had to start her Christmas shopping all over again this week to say nothing of losing considerable jewelry as result of a robbery at her Long Beach home Tuesday night.

Her rooms were thoroughly ransacked while she was attending a theatre and, in addition to valuable jewelry, all the presents Mrs. Teague had purchased and carefully wrapped for her men friends and relatives were stolen. Other gifts intended for feminine friends were not disturbed.

#### BUYS APARTMENTS

Mrs. Cora Washburn of northern California has purchased the Portola Apartments from the Consolidated Hotels, Inc., it was reported yesterday. She plans to take over the property Dec. 15.

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### Pastors' Groups Elects Officers

Rev. Frank T. Porter, pastor of the First Christian church, was elected president of the Torrance Ministerial Association for 1941 at a meeting late last week. Other new officers chosen were: Rev. Harry Branton, Methodist, vice-president; Rev. H. W. Roloff, Central Evangelical, secretary, and Rev. Thomas R. Marshall, St. Andrew's Episcopal, treasurer.

### Council Approves \$402 Expenditures

Appropriations totalling \$402.53 were voted by the city council Tuesday night on motion by Councilman James Hitchcock. The items were: \$80.85 for materials to repair Walteria alleys, \$35.20 for materials for general alley repairs, \$176.70 for fertilizer for city parks, and \$129.78 for six manhole frames and covers for West Torrance streets included in the new sewer system.



**AWAITS FORMAL OPENING . . .** Altho George H. Moore has been in his new store at 1515 Cabrillo for the past two weeks, he is celebrating his formal opening Saturday with a large array of prizes and special features. The store, remodeled and redecorated thruout, is a far cry from the hodge-podge jumble of merchandise of the old-time hardware store.

### Many Hunting Trophies Decorate Scott's New Sports Department

No Whittumpoof graces the walls but there are many examples of actual game decorating B. J. Scott's new sportsman's department at his Torrance Electric Shop, 1421 Marcella avenue. It is a place that would delight the heart of any nimrod, fisherman or athlete.

Surrounding a large variety of the most modern tackle for both hunting and fishing, plus a liberal assortment of other sports goods for nearly all kinds of games, Scott has placed some of his best trophies. These have been gathered all over the west on the electrician's periodic treks into the wilds.

Some of the most notable mountings are a fine collection of game birds—a sage hen from Nevada, a ruffed grouse and a fool's hen from Montana, a blue grouse from Wyoming, a mountain quail from the Joshua National Monument and an array of wild ducks of all sizes and types.

"Scotty" also has on view some of his big game trophies. There is a mountain lion from the rugged Siskiyou of Oregon, the tiniest fox you ever have seen which he bagged on bleak Santa Rosa Island off the

coast of California, heads of elk from Wyoming and Montana, a large white goat pelt from the Rocky Mountains and a brown bear from the same wild terrain, a Catalina Island wild billy goat and a black bear from San Diego county's back country.

The whole atmosphere of the department is one which leads even the most amateur hunter and fisherman to start spinning campfire yarns. It is a focal point for all sportsmen and "Scotty" knows just the right kind of equipment one should have for any occasion.

### Sure-fire Cake-mix To Be Demonstrated At The Carsonmart

Actual demonstration of the latest cake mixture, known as Cinch Cake Mix, will be given at the Carsonmart, 1929 Carson street, all day Friday and Saturday by an experienced home economist, Owner Louis Dossi said today. This mixture is sure-fire for perfect cakes of the finest texture and quality—such as mother used to try to make but couldn't most of the time. Dossi declares.

## Church Services

**ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
1433 Egnacia, Rev. Thomas R. Marshall, pastor.  
Church school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. The vicar will preach on "Christ's Answer to Materialism."  
Meetings during the week include Girl Scouts on Monday at 8:30 p. m., Cuba also Monday at 8:30 p. m. Junior Choir on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. and the Senior Choir Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
The church school Christmas party will be held Friday, Dec. 20, at 7:15 p. m.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Harry Branton, pastor, El Prado at Carson.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Youth meeting, 6:45 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:30 p. m.  
The first quarterly conference will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 19, in the church. Potluck dinner at 4:30 with the meeting following. Rev. Arthur Hobson of Whittier, district superintendent, will be guest speaker.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY**  
Egnacia and Mannel avenues, Rev. Fr. Joseph Leo Bauer, pastor.  
Masses Sunday 6:30, 8 and 10 a. m., week days at 8 a. m.

**CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH**  
Rev. H. W. Roloff, pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Topic: "Whitewash and Hallstones."  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m., Topic: "The Cause and Cure of Sin."  
Young people's meeting 8:30 p. m. Choir practice Friday, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer service Wednesday, 7:30, in Guild hall.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor.  
Carson and Marcella.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:50 a. m.  
Topic: "Christ Came Not To Be Ministered Unto."  
Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Topic: "Before Christ Was Born."  
Young people's choir, 7:30 p. m.  
Adult Bible class, 6:30 p. m., taught by Rev. Bergstrom.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Services at Torrance Men's Bible Club building on Cravens, Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**  
1208 El Prado.  
Sunday morning services at 11. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m. Reading room in church edifice.  
"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon on Sunday in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The Golden Text is from Proverbs: "The Lord giveth wisdom: out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding. . . . He keepeth the paths of judgment, and preserveth the way of his saints."  
The Lesson-Sermon includes these verses about Jesus from Matthew: "While he spake these things unto them, behold, there came a certain ruler, and worshipped him, saying, My daughter is even now dead; but come and lay thy hand upon her, and she shall live. And Jesus arose, and followed him, and so did his disciples. . . . And when Jesus came into the ruler's house, and saw the minstrels and the people making a noise, He said unto them, Give place: for the maid is not dead, but sleepeth. And they laughed him to scorn. But when the people were put forth, he went in, and took her by the hand, and the maid arose."

Among the passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, are the statements: "Divine Truth, Life, and Love gave Jesus authority over sin, sickness, and death. His mission was to reveal the Science of celestial being, to prove what God is and what He does for man."

**FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Griffith, pastors, 1207 El Prado.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Crusaders service, 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Rev. H. T. Wise, pastor, 1741 Border avenue.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Prayer at 11 a. m.  
Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
Revival services every night, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Open service Friday night, 7:30 p. m.

**MEN'S BIBLE CLASS**  
Meets at 9:30 a. m. Sundays in their hall opposite public library on Cravens avenue. All men welcome.



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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Frank D. Meching, pastor. Arcadia and Sonoma avenues.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:45 a. m.  
Topic: "Leaven in the Kingdom."  
Bible hour and prayer service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. F. T. Porter, pastor, 1415 Egnacia.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:40 a. m.  
Topic: "Witness of the Holy Spirit."  
Young people's meeting, 6 p. m.  
Evening service, 7 p. m. Topic: "Have We Been Deceived?"  
Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 8 p. m.

About three-fourths of the Japanese living in Hawaii are American citizens.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
W. A. Fenner, pastor, 3060 North Royal, Hamerton Tract.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Woman's clubhouse, Wilford Newland, bishop.  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. Evening service, 6:30 p. m. Tuesday, 2 p. m. Relief society, 3:30 p. m. Primary association, and 7:30 p. m. Mutual Improvement association.

**GRANT POOL LICENSE**  
On recommendation of Police Chief John Stroh the city council granted a pool hall license to Aubrey Thomas at 1214 El Prado.

## A&P Food Stores

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**Cane Sugar** 10-lb. cloth 51¢  
C&H or Sea Island  
**Karo Syrup** Blue 1/2-lb. 12¢  
Label can  
**Pastry** Flour 5-pkg. 21¢  
Speed-Mix 16-oz. 21¢  
Crust pkg.  
**H-O Oats** . . . 3-lb. 27¢

**Marmalade** . . . 1-lb. 20¢  
Cross & Blackwell  
**Chop Suey** Jan-U Wine 16-oz. 20¢  
**Molasses** . . . 1/2-lb. 13¢  
Brew Rabbit-Brown can  
**Molasses** Aunt Dinah 1/2-lb. 8¢  
**Swift Tamales** 16-oz. 13¢  
**Frenchies** . . . 3 cans 25¢  
French-Fried Shoestring  
**Grape** JUICE Churval's 15¢  
**Ovaltine** . . . 50c size 34¢  
**Sweet Peas** 2 No. 2 cans 27¢  
**Tomato** Juice 2 No. 2 cans 21¢  
Iris 8-oz. 7¢  
**Mustard** French's 7¢  
**Scot Tissue** . . . 3 rolls 21¢  
**Waldorf** Toilet Tissue 3 rolls 13¢  
**Scot Towels** . . . 3 rolls 26¢  
**Lighthouse** . . . 3 cans 10¢  
**Holly Cleanser** 3 cans 10¢  
**White Sail** Cleanser 4 cans 10¢

**Shredded** Wheat NBC 12-oz. 9¢  
**Evap. Milk** White House 4 tall cans 23¢  
**Nutley Margarine** 10¢  
**Ace-Hi Flour** . . . No. 10 sack 35¢  
**Heinz Spaghetti** 17-oz. 11¢  
**Pancake** Flour 46-oz. 16¢  
aloe A-1 pkg.  
**Tomato** Sauce Del Monte 4 cans 15¢  
**Pork & Beans** Van 3 No. 1 cans 19¢  
**A&P Spinach** 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 17¢  
**Peaches** Golden 2 No. 3 1/2 cans 19¢  
**Cookies** "Big Boy" pkg. 10¢  
**Nestle** Semi-Sweet 2 large 25¢  
Chocolate bars  
**Tamales** Geb. 19 1/2-oz. 25¢  
hard & cans  
**Beans** Red 22-oz. 13¢  
**Brownie Bee** 11-oz. bottle 10¢  
(Plus Dep.)  
**Wesson Oil** . . . pint 21¢  
**Ivory Flakes** . . . large pkg. 21¢  
**Babo Cleaner** 2 cans 21¢  
**Woodbury** Facial Soap cakes 21¢  
**Glorox** . . . 2 quart bottles 27¢  
**Chore Girl** . . . each 10¢  
**Light Bulbs** G.E. 40 & 60 Watt 13¢  
**Balto Dog Food** 2 cans 15¢  
**Pard Dog Food** 3 cans 25¢

**Scotch Soap Granules** . . . giant size package 34¢  
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