

Public Notices

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CHATTEL MORTGAGE

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 3440 of the Civil Code of the State of California, that on the 21st day of January, 1941, the owner of the hereinafter described fixtures and equipment of that certain Welding and Oil Tool Plant situated and located at 1150 Border Avenue, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, Isabel N. Smith intends to place a chattel mortgage upon the said fixtures and equipment.

Isabel N. Smith is the mortgagor of the said property; and her address is 1976 Carson Street, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The Property, fixtures and equipment upon which the said chattel mortgage is to be placed consists of the following: All equipment, machinery and fixtures, located at 1150 Border Avenue, Torrance, Los Angeles County, California, and consisting generally of the following:

All welding and oil tool equipment, lathes, presses, saws, compressors, generators, grinders, dies and small tools. The said chattel mortgage is to be executed and the consideration therefor will be paid on the 21st day of January, A. D., 1941, at offices of Chas. T. Rippey, 1333 Post Ave., City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

ISABEL N. SMITH, Mortgagor.

NOTICE OF SALE OF STOCK IN BULK

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This Notice of Intention to sell a stock of goods in bulk. Witnesseth that notice is hereby given that George B. M. Smith and Louis J. Smith, individually and as copartners, doing business as the California Oil Tool Company, intend to sell to Isabel M. Smith, all equipment and machinery of said Vendors, including:

All welding and oil tool equipment, lathes, presses, saws, compressors, generators, grinders, dies and small tools belonging to said Vendors and located at 1150 Border Avenue, Torrance, Los Angeles County, California, and that a transfer and assignment of the same will be made, and the purchase price therefor will be paid, on Monday the 20th day of January, 1941, at offices of Chas. T. Rippey, 1333 Post Avenue, Torrance, Los Angeles County, California, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. That the addresses of said vendors are George B. M. Smith, 1976 Carson Street, Torrance, California, Louis J. Smith, 1754 Gramercy Avenue, Torrance, California, Los Angeles County, California, and the address of said vendee is Isabel N. Smith, 1976 Carson Street, Torrance, Los Angeles County, California. Dated January 3, 1941.

ISABEL N. SMITH, Vendee. Jan. 9.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

January 2, 1941 Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the above date, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows: 23219 Nerbonne Avenue Torrance

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) For these premises as follows: On-sale Beer Only

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license (s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law.

NINA SLOAN & BYRON R. SLOAN Jan. 9

Sardines Swim South for Sun

SACRAMENTO. (UP)—It appears that sardines, too, go south in the winter time. Three times more of the fish were caught in Southern California waters in November than in the same month of 1939 while the San Francisco and Monterey areas reported marked decreases. Southern California fishermen caught 65,015 tons compared with 19,038 in the same month of 1939 while San Francisco netted 49,446 tons against 71,358 and Monterey 40,718 against 48,620.

CHURCH NEWS

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 1432 Engracia, Rev. Thomas R. Marshall, vicar. Church school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Holy Communion every Thursday at 11 a. m., with prayers for sick and world peace. Meetings during the week include Old Scouts on Monday at 8:30 p. m., Caba choir on Tuesday at 8:30 p. m., Junior choir on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. and the Senior Choir Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Annual parish meeting Wednesday, January 16th at 7:30 p. m. Dinner at 8:30 p. m. Reservations with Mrs. Deininger at 585-W.

METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Harry Branton, pastor. 24 Trade at Carson. 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. Wednesday evening prayer and Bible study, 7:30. Thursday evening choir rehearsal at 7:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE SACRAMENT Engracia and Manuel avenues. Rev. Fr. Joseph Leo Bauer, pastor. Masses Sunday 8:30, 9 and 10 a. m., week days at 8 a. m.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH Marcelina and Arlington avenues. Rev. H. W. Bofort, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Rev. E. W. Marshall, superintendent and former pastor, will speak on "Our 1941 Objectives." Evening service, 7:30 p. m. The series on the "Objectives of the Christian Faith" will continue with the subject: "The Body of Christ." Young people's meeting 8:30 p. m. Midweek prayer service Wednesday 7:30, in choir room. Jan. 15 turkey dinner by ladies of church, 5:30 to 7 p. m. in Guild hall.

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor. Carson and Marina. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic: "Answered Prayer." Special music directed by Mrs. Charles Severin. Young People's meeting, 8:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "Why God Creates Evil." Young people's choir. Adult Bible class, 8:30 p. m., taught by Rev. Bergstrom. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH W. A. Penner, pastor, 20507 North Royal, Torrance. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Young people's meeting, 8:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS Woman's club house, Wilford Newland, bishop. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Evening service, 8:30 p. m. Tuesday, 2 p. m. Relief society; 9:30 p. m. Primary association, and 7:30 p. m. Mutual improvement association.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Services at Torrance Men's Bible Club building on Cravens. Bible class Sunday at 8 p. m. Evening service Sunday at 7 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. H. T. Wisco, pastor. 1743 Border Avenue. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Young people's meeting, 8:30 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.

LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. Frank D. Mehlman, pastor. Acacia and Sonoma avenues. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic: "Joy and Commitment." Bible hour and prayer service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST 1203 El Prado. Sunday morning services at 11. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 p. m. Reading room in church edifice. Communion services will be conducted on Sunday in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The subject of the lesson-sermon is "Serament" and the Golden Text is from II Corinthians: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Ghost, be with you all." The Lesson-Sermon includes these passages from Matthew and Mark: "And when Jesus departed thence, two blind men followed him, crying, and saying, Thou son of David, have mercy on us... Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be unto you. And their eyes were opened." "And he called unto him the twelve, and began to send them forth by twos and twos; and gave them power over unclean spirits;... And they went out, and preached that men should repent. And they cast out many devils, and anointed with oil many that were sick of various kinds." "Among the selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, are the epigrams: "Jesus said: 'These signs shall follow them that believe: They shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover. Who believes him? He was addressing his disciples, yet he did not say, 'These signs shall follow you,' but 'them'—them that believe in all time to come." "It is the living Christ, the practical Truth, which makes men regenerate and give life to all who love him in deed."

OBITUARY

MRS. LYDIA SPROUT... succumbed Jan. 4 at the age of 71 years. She formerly lived in Perris and had been a California resident for the past nine years. She was survived by five sons, J. H. Sprout of this city, Lester and Charles of Perris, Francis of the U. S. Army and Harvey, who is in the U. S. Air Service, stationed at San Diego; and three daughters, Mrs. Della Pleasant of this city, Mrs. Lae Ball of Houston, Texas and Mrs. Mary Bush of North Hollywood. Funeral service was held yesterday afternoon at Stone and Myers' chapel, interment was at Inglewood Park cemetery.

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Reports from parish organizations showing the progress of the parish during the past year will be heard. Officers and vestrymen who have served during the year include H. J. Bishop, H. T. Barnes, Theodore Cheesman, Wallace Post, J. Hugh Sherrey, Chas. Stewart, Nicholas Cuet, L. H. Deininger, Edward Rhone, Fred Quaggin and Herman Mitchell.

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City Still Plans Asking WPA for Boulevard Work

(Continued from Page 1-A) for the project which will cover Torrance boulevard from Western to Elm avenue. Because it is mostly a reconstruction project it is difficult to estimate the total cost," he said.

The project has been described as the largest to be undertaken here since construction of the Civic Center buildings in 1935. It will include grading, paving, resurfacing, construction of curbs and gutters, landscaping of the boulevard's 16-foot "islands" and erection of modern traffic signs.

Plans in Detail

Last September when the project was undertaken, it was reported by the acting city engineer that the WPA had tentatively agreed to sponsor the improvement providing the city advanced the required 25 percent of the expense. At the present time national defense program provisions are leading to curtailment of a number of proposed WPA projects in the Southland so the outcome of the work is somewhat uncertain.

Present plans provide paving the boulevard from Western avenue just east of the viaduct to Elm avenue, a double highway with 32-foot traffic lanes on either side of the traffic "islands", formerly the site of the Pacific Electric tracks part of the distance.

Each lane would have two 12-foot driving strips and an eight-foot parking strip at the side. From Sartori avenue to Madrid avenue, the basic plans provide for installation of asphalt pavement, roll-type combination curbs and gutters. Portland concrete surfacing is proposed from Madrid to Elm.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashley were among the hosts who entertained at intimate holiday parties. Their New Year's Eve guests included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhone and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hinshaw.

Mrs. Hal Payne and daughters Jeannette and Delores who have been visiting at the T. D. McNeil home on Andree avenue for several months left this week for Coronado.

Mrs. Alfred Gouddier returned to her home this week following a three weeks' visit at the Riverside home of Mrs. Ella J. Brann and family.

Motorists Lagging In Getting New Licenses

(Continued from Page 1-A) the lower left hand corner of the 1940 registration card. This replaces the former method of notifying registered motorists by postcard of their license costs.

Motorists must properly sign the registration cards on the reverse side and show a bona-fide city and county residency address. Personal checks are not permitted in securing plates, but motorists should present cashier's checks, money orders, or currency.

Reasons for Slump

The local slump in applications for new licenses is reflected through the state, according to reports received by Manager Tristram. Motor Vehicle department officials attribute the slump to several reasons, one being that many motorists are expecting to receive notices in the mail of the amount they must pay. No such notices have been or will be mailed out—the amount due being stated on the registration slips.

Another reason why the motoring public is not claiming 1941 plates as fast as last year was a report that the department was handicapped by the flu epidemic which cut down on the number of employees and therefore motorists were asked to hold off applying for plates until later. The public is evidently following this ill-advised suggestion.

The gross income at the Torrance office the first week amounted to only about \$14,000. Individual payments are larger than last year on the average, Tristram said, because more new cars are on the roads.

James Wilson Moore, galvanizing and finishing foreman in the sheet metal department of Columbia Steel, underwent an appendectomy at the Sawtelle military hospital Monday. He is reported making a good improvement.

Eleven Patients Enter Hospital

Eleven patients entered Torrance Memorial hospital during the past week. They were: Joan Blackhall, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blackhall of 1634 Beach street, Jan. 4 for an appendectomy; Mrs. Zertha Beall of Redondo Beach Jan. 6 for surgery; Halsey Butler, 2273 285th street, Jan. 6 for medical treatment; John Halloran, Hermosa Beach, Jan. 5 for medical care and Mrs. Edith McCarthy, Redondo Beach, Jan. 5 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Alice More, Inglewood, Jan. 5 for an appendectomy; Mrs. Walthera Parks, Hermosa Beach, Jan. 6 for surgery; Mrs. Margaret Shea, Redondo Beach, Jan. 7 for medical treatment; Fred Wilkinson, Manhattan Beach, Jan. 5 for medical care; Mrs. Alice Welch, Manhattan Beach, Jan. 1, for an appendectomy, and Henry Wolff, Redondo Beach, Jan. 3 for surgery.

Nebraska was styled "The Tree Planter's State" by legislative act on April 4, 1895.

Advertisement for Southern California Telephone Company. Features a woman on a telephone and the slogan "Why! It's you!". Text: "People feel the nearness of their friends when they hear from them by telephone. Mountains and valleys, counties and state lines melt away as happy voices merge. A big service, a loyal one and a courteous one, stands behind your Telephone." Southern California Telephone Company, 1266 Sartori, Torrance 4600.

Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association

Condensed Statement December 31, 1940. Table with columns for Resources and Liabilities. Resources total \$1,817,535,185.51. Liabilities total \$1,817,535,185.51.

New Records Set In 1940

Bank of America Showing Surpasses All Previous Attainments. The year-end statement of the located reserve of \$4,900,000 which was set up on June 10, 1940, out of previously accumulated undivided profits. Earnings High: Earnings for the year were \$20,070,000, the largest for any one year in the history of the bank. From this total \$4,370,000 was reserved for depreciation of bank premises and amortization of bond premiums and \$5,709,000 in reserves was set up and applied to the reduction of the carrying value of assets. After payment of \$10,265,000 in dividends at the annual rate of 3.40 per annum on the common stock and four per cent on the issue price of the preferred stock, and after \$1,176,000 in profit-sharing bonus to employees, capital funds were increased from earnings for the year by \$7,491,000 which amount was credited to undivided profits and other reserves. Preferred Stock: President Giannini announced that on January 2, 1941, the preferred stock requirement fund will be increased to \$4,750,000 by a transfer from the undivided profits account and \$5,000,000 of the fund will then be used for purchase and retirement of the bank's concluded.

Advertisement for Oldsmobile. Features a car and the slogan "I THINK I'LL BUY ONE OF THE THREE LOWEST PRICED CARS, AND...". Large text: "HOLD ON A MINUTE, MISTER! OLDSMOBILE IS LOW-PRICED TOO! Compare the costs and see! \$852*". Text: "Olds prices begin at \$852 for Special Six Business Coupe. Sedan prices start at \$958, delivered at Lansing, Mich. State tax, optional equipment and accessories extra. Prices subject to change without notice." Also available with Hydra-Matic Drive! No Clutch! THE CAR Ahead! IT'S OLDSMOBILE. MULLIN'S SERVICE 2053 Torrance Blvd, Torrance Phone 320-J.