

# Ford and Plane Builders Talk Co-operation



Edsel Ford, right, disclosed in San Diego as this picture was taken that his firm's gigantic River Rouge plant at Detroit was available "either in whole or in part" for production of parts for bombers. Tentative plans call for assembly plant to be built at Fort Worth, Tex., by Consolidated Aircraft Corp., whose President Reuben Fleet is shown in center. Douglas company of Santa Monica would also get Ford parts for planned Oklahoma assembly plant. C. E. Sorenson, left, Ford's chief engineer, and other Ford experts stayed in San Diego to study situation.

## Week's Building Totals \$1,250

Building permits were issued during the past week to the San Lorenzo Nursery for a corrugated iron hollerhouse at 18400 Cranshaw boulevard, \$800; Margaret H. Lund for a frame garage at 24063 Neece avenue, Waveria, \$250, and Mr. and Mrs. Tedesco for a two-room frame house at 24051 Neece avenue, \$400.

### BATTERY GRAVITY

The correct specific gravity of a fully charged automobile battery is from 1.280 to 1.300.

## Mexican Musicians Want Aud for Dances

Application of Phillip Mosqueda, leader of a Mexican orchestra in Wilmington, for permission to engage the Civic Auditorium for six Saturday night dances, to be held every third Saturday beginning in February, was referred by the city council Tuesday night to the building committee. Mosqueda stated the dances would be held to raise funds to purchase new instruments, music and other equipment for the orchestra.

—Want Ads 25c—

## Carter Baby Is Much-Traveled Young Lady

For a six-weeks-old baby, Sharon Kareem Carter is certainly seeing her share of the world.

By the time she returns from the east she will have traveled better than 6,000 miles—and Sharon is still many months from her first birthday.

With her mother, Mrs. Stephen K. Carter of this city and her aunt, Mrs. Clara Haines, Sharon Kareem last Wednesday night flew to Belle Vernon, Penn. Mrs. Carter, the baby and Mrs. Haines are in the east visiting friends and relatives.

### MAN AND APES

Principal points of resemblance between man and the anthropoid apes are the habit of walking erect, the lack of a tail, similarity in teeth, short thumbs and a brain more highly developed than other animals.

Rent that spare room—25c—Call Torrance 443 or 444.

# Church Services

**ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
1432 Engracia, Rev. Thomas E. 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 Girl Scouts on Monday at 7:30 p. m., Cubs 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.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Harry Branton, pastor, El Prado at Carson.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Young people's meeting, 6:20 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 NATIVITY**  
Engracia and Manuel avenues.  
Rev. Fr. Joseph Leo Bauer, pastor.  
Telephone 832.  
Masses Sundays: 6:30, 8 and 10 a. m.  
Masses on Holy Days: 6:30 and 8 a. m.  
Week Day Mass: 8 a. m.  
Confessions: 4 until 6 p. m., 7:30 until 9 p. m. Confessions Eves of Holy Days and eve of First Friday.  
Holy Communion First Friday at 6:30, 7 and 7:30 a. m. Mass, 8 a. m. Novena Devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

**CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH**  
Marcelina and Arlington avenues.  
Rev. H. W. Roloff, pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 11 a. m. Topic: "The Body Without a Head."  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "The Christian Ideology." Rev. Ben Lingenfelter speaking.  
Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.

**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. Cussaders service, 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor, Carson and Martin.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:50 a. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "Christ's Exalted in All Things." Music directed by Mrs. Charles Severin.  
Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "A Devil's Hand and Who Created It." Young People's choir. Adult Bible class, 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
W. A. Penner, pastor, 20507 North Royal, Hammerton 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.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**  
1208 El Prado.  
Sunday morning services at 11. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 p. m. Reading room in church edifice.  
"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon on Sunday in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The Golden Text is from Revelation: "I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely. He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son."  
One of the Bible citations includes these verses from Matthew: "And when Jesus was entered into Capernaum, there came unto him a centurion, beseeching him. And saying, Lord, my servant lieth at home sick of the palsy, grievously tormented. And Jesus saith unto him, I will come and heal him. I will come and heal him. The centurion answered and said, Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof; but speak the word only, and my servant shall be healed. . . . And Jesus said unto the centurion, Go thy way; and as thou hast believed, so be it done unto thee. And his servant was healed in the selfsame hour."  
The Lesson-Sermon presents also this passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Entirely separate from the belief and dream of material living, is the life divine, revealing spiritual understanding and the consciousness of man's dominion over the whole earth. This understanding casts out error and heals the sick, and with it you can speak 'as one having authority.'"

**LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Woman's clubhouse, Wilford Newland, bishop.  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. Evening service, 6:30 p. m. Tuesday, 5 p. m. Relief society, 8:30 p. m. Primary association, and 7:30 p. m. Mutual Improvement association.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Services at Torrance Men's Bible Class building on Cravens.  
Bible class Sunday at 6 p. m. Evening service Sunday at 7 p. m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Rev. H. T. Wise, pastor, 1741 Under avenue.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching 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.

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Masses Sunday 6:30, 8 and 10 a. m., week days at 8 a. m.  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Frank D. Aechling, pastor, 401 and Sonoma avenues.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic: "God of Mercy."  
Luther League, 7:30 p. m. Bible hour and prayer service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 7:15 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.  
**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. F. T. Porter, pastor, 1415 Engracia.  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:40 a. m. Topic: "Opportunities."  
Young people's meeting, 6 p. m. Bible hour and prayer service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 8 p. m.

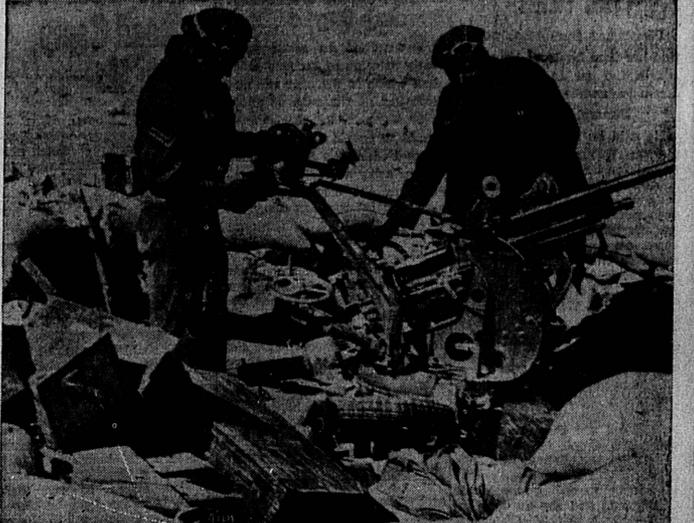
**Townsend Club Activities**  
By Beth Paige  
The club noted, with much concern, the absence last Friday evening of our newly elected secretary, Mrs. Rotha Moran. We learned that she had that day been entered in a Los Angeles hospital for emergency treatment. Her friends and fellow club members all join in sincerest wishes for her speedy recovery.

The party given in honor of Dr. F. E. Townsend's birthday brought a carload of guests from the San Pedro club as well as from Gardena and Lomita and local Torrance visitors. Prize winners in the contests were Mrs. Lulu French of Gardena, Geo. Geiger and Mrs. Giddings of San Pedro. After refreshments were served, Geiger gave an interesting talk about Dr. Townsend, stressing his infinite patience and unlimited courage and of the tragic sorrow caused him by the death of two of his closest aides, Mr. Elliott of Boston and Roy Webb of Illinois; and of his great desire that he might be spared to see provisions of his plan adopted nationally for the sake of the poor, the hopeless aged and the unemployed of America.

**Public Hearing Set On New Franchise for Gas Company**  
Application of the Southern California Gas Company for a new franchise which will give the city between \$3,500 and \$4,000 per year more income than the present franchise will be the subject of a public hearing before the city council on Feb. 11. Members of the municipal board voted Tuesday night to call the hearing on the application, as required by law. The franchise would run for an "indeterminate length of time" and the company agrees to pay the city two percent of its gross annual receipts from the sale of gas over lines in the city.

Oxalic acid has been known to science since 1776.

# One Italian Gun That May Kill Italians



Corporals Smith and Hulme of Royal Tank Corps examine an Italian gun captured in North African desert fighting, which had stopped their tank. This weapon, along with thousands of other captured guns, may now be killing Italian soldiers. British have out to use captured material.

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**Give Your Eyes Enough Light**  
Good sight depends upon good light. Try this experiment at home. Put a 40-watt bulb in a lamp and read for five minutes. Notice how your head leans toward the page, how your eyes strain to see. Now place a 100-watt bulb in the lamp (which should shade the bulb properly.) You feel your eyes relax because it is easier to see. Protect your family's eyes by replacing your old lamps with modern better-sight lamps. They are designed to provide the kind of light your eyes need indoors. See the new models with the diffusing bowl under the shade.  
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**High School Girl Takes D.A.R. Test In State Contest**  
Several hours last Friday were among the most important in the young life of Joan Ramskill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Ramskill of 1604 West 220th Street.  
She spent them taking the examination composed by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Nominated by both her Senior classmates and Torrance high school faculty as the sole Torrance entrant in the state-wide contest, Miss Ramskill was striving for an award of an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D. C.  
The examination covered the subjects of government, history, U. S. economics and kindred fields of civics. Her paper has been sent to Sacramento for judging and the state wide winner is to be announced in the near future.

**Boy On Scooter Hits Automobile**  
A six-year-old boy whose name was listed on police records only as Loback Jr., was reported slightly bruised last Friday when he ran his scooter out of a driveway and struck a car going west on Portola avenue. The motorist was Alvin Breneman, 35, 2044 Lomita boulevard, who said he stopped his car at once.

**ROLL 'EM OUT**  
Exports of petroleum products from the United States required the production of 184,000,000 barrels of oil in 1938, while in 1940 the export requirements were by jacking a rein and yelling about 128,000,000 barrels.

**Accident records indicate a lot of drivers still believe a car can be taken around a curve simply by jerking a rein and yelling Gee or Haw.**

**State Picnic-Reunions**  
OHIO . . . The annual winter picnic reunion of all Ohioans will be held Saturday, Jan. 26, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. County registers will be opened and a program will follow the basket picnic dinner hour.  
KANSAS . . . Every Jayhawker is invited to the annual winter picnic reunion Wednesday, Jan. 29, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. County headquarters will operate and a program will follow the picnic dinner period.

**Sons of Legion Advance Plans for June Meet**  
Plans for the third annual Fourth Area Assembly of the Sons of the Legion in Torrance June 7 were advanced at a meeting of the Executive board at the Hollywood Legion clubhouse last Sunday. This session was attended by Clifford Totten, captain of the Torrance squadron; Bobby Lewellen, junior past captain; and R. L. Lewellen, chairman of the Area Assembly, and S. A. L. officers from Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Bernardino and Los Angeles counties.

Lewellen Sr., is in charge of the Assembly arrangements. The gathering will feature competition between drum and bugle band and marching units in the morning, a street parade, business session and dance.

**FIRE RAZES HOME**  
Fire almost completely destroyed the frame dwelling at 2415 230th street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bradley Monday morning. Mrs. Bradley told firemen she heard an explosion immediately before the flames started consuming the building but firemen could not determine actual cause of the blaze.

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