

Accompanied by Mrs. Sara McDonald of Los Angeles, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Neelands visited friends and relatives at San Diego and Imperial Valley over the weekend.

City Buys Two Ford Buses for Municipal Line

(Continued from Page 1-A) has been given the Asbury Rapid Transit System as yet that the city will undertake to operate its own buses and therefore will no longer lease the Asbury buses, Asbury offered several months ago to allow the city to use its Los Angeles terminal at 945 South Hill street.

Manager to be Named Councilman Vern Babcock, who has been chiefly responsible for the city's bus dealings since his election to the municipal board last April was present at the chamber directors' meeting and made the request for Gilmeister's services on behalf of the city council. The chamber secretary will not be in charge of the management of the municipal line, another man being considered by the council for that position.

The new Ford buses ordered by the city will be painted aluminum with a contrasting color stripe around the body on which will be lettered "Torrance Municipal Bus System." They will have special inter-city type seats with high head rest type backs and soft foam sponge rubber cushions upholstered in genuine leather. There will be an emergency door on the left side of each bus.

Local Students Beaten Up By Invading Youths

(Continued from Page 1-A) Just who was more or less legitimately "soaked" is a moot question but if all the Torrance boys who claimed they were in the battle actually saw action then nearly every able-bodied male student in the high school is a "veteran" of the blitzkrieg.

Nevertheless, Chief Stroth is declaring he intends to file charges against known out-of-town participants in the fray and at least five are scheduled to appear in court on traffic charges.

"Peace, it's wonderful," signed police officers after seeing the last carload of invaders' out of the city. Last night, however, at least one carload of youths was observed careening about the city still seeking the boy assembly at the bottom of the whole affair. Police kept a watchful eye out for any more battles and none were observed.

Airport District Is Under Study

(Continued from Page 1-A) now employs between 500 and 600 workers in Los Angeles, informed Secretary L. J. Gilmeister of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce that his firm wants to relocate and is keenly interested in the Torrance airport project. He asked for further information and Gilmeister promised to contact his firm in the near future.

To See C.A.A. Engineer Other developments of the week regarding the proposal were: Torrance chamber directors heard a full report on the project Monday afternoon and indicated they approved all action to date.

It was pointed out to the directorate by Gilmeister that it would take a year or more to form a tax district for acquisition of the land and construction of airport facilities while a bond district would take but 120 days to form prior to an election.

Gilmeister also reported that he planned to confer with Col. A. W. Ayres, district engineer of the Civil Aeronautics Authority late this week in Santa Monica. The C. A. A. has approved the Torrance site for a "secondary airport" and Gilmeister will try to get information on possibility of obtaining Federal funds or a WPA project for the proposed site.

Weekend Crashes Claim 8 Victims

(Continued from Page 1-A) day afternoon during a rain storm at 101 near Paseo de Las Delicias. William H. Paker, Jr., 16, of Hermosa Beach, driving west on the highway skidded on a curve and went into the curb. His machine then jumped out into the roadway and sideswiped an east-bound auto driven by Lionel Noriega, 39, of Los Angeles. Noriega and his wife, 31, were cut and bruised and treated at the local hospital.



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L.A. Cannery to Move Here

Workers are expected to begin putting the old carbon plant at Border and 220th st. into condition early next week. In preparation for the installation of canning machinery to be operated there by the Southern Cooperative Canning Company. This firm has taken a five-year lease on the building, according to J. C. Smith of the Torrance Investment Company, who announced the arrangements this week.

Arrangements have been made for the removal of the Gerber and Gerber caking plant and the McGrady Pickle Company, who now occupy the building, to the old glass plant adjoining Rubbercraft Company's holdings.

The Southern Cooperative Cannery will move here from its Los Angeles location at 78 Mace Place where about 180 are employed during the various canning seasons. It is reported the firm will increase its personnel to between 200 and 250 when it starts operations here.

Built originally to house a carbon plant, the large structure at Border and 220th has had a varied history. Following dissolution of the carbon enterprise it remained idle until it was transferred into a military academy several years ago. Then the academy languished and it became the site for the Vets Cooperative Cannery and later a SRA cannery until November, 1938. Gerber and Gerber and the McGrady Pickle firm moved into the structure last year. The building is owned by William Yorkstetter of Huntington Park.

Mrs. F. H. Clark, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Parsons of Los Angeles, motored to San Diego last weekend and attended the races.

Public Invited to Defense Program at Legion Hall

All residents of Torrance and vicinity interested in national defense as it applies particularly to Southern California are invited to attend a special program planned by the Torrance American Legion Auxiliary for next Tuesday evening, Feb. 25, at 8 o'clock in the Legion clubhouse.

Invitations have been sent to a number of local clubs, service groups and the high school faculty inasmuch as one of the speakers will be Carol Parish, U.C.L.A. student and member of the County Youth Commission. He is also a member of the Sons of the Legion and has made an exhaustive investigation of the work of subversive groups among college students.

A second speaker is being secured by the co-chairmen of the program, Mrs. Lucille Lewellen and Mrs. Ethel Sears, to discuss local defense plans. There will also be a flag pageant and other entertainment.

GETS JAIL TERM Probation was denied Roger Hornback, 21, of 703 Amalopio avenue, who was found guilty in Superior court Feb. 4 of attacking a 13-year-old local girl and he was sentenced to six months in the county "honor camp" near Castaic yesterday, according to police information. He was arrested here Nov. 29 and pleaded guilty at his arraignment, preliminary and trial.

HOLIDAY SATURDAY You can't get into the banks Saturday except by breaking in and don't look for your mail carrier on that day, either, because the postoffice will be closed. Washington's birthday is a state and national holiday so remember, do your banking and postal business Friday.

Week's Building Total \$30,950

This was the busiest week in the city building department in many months as permits for new construction totalling \$30,950 were taken out by owners and contractors. The permits were issued to Bob Ueda for a 52x58 foot stucco ranch market building at 2113 Torrance boulevard, \$3,400; Sam Levy for a 50 by 110-foot one-story brick store building at 1828-30 El Prado, \$9,000, and International Derrick and Equipment Company for a 41 by 144-foot galvanizing plant built of corrugated iron at 2410 Carson street, \$10,000.

General Petroleum Corporation for heat exchanger additions at the Torrance refinery, \$750; H. C. Barrington for a moved-in 50 by 60-foot corrugated iron welding shop at 1124 Border ave. \$2,000; Edward M. Standifer for alterations and additions to a residence at 1731 Greenwood, \$1,500 and construction of a frame garage at the same location, \$150; M. T. Killingsworth for demolition of a wooden oil derrick at 2277 229th st. \$150; General Petroleum Corporation for the addition of a lubrication canopy and wall at the service station at 1256 Sartori avenue, \$400, and B. J. Smith for a frame and stucco five-room house and two-car garage at 1303 Fern ave. \$8,600.

Retail stores will remain open as usual all day Saturday.

Lawndale Man Nabbed In Act of Taking Lights

Four fog lights were reported stolen to police here last night but, one was recovered and the alleged thief, Bertie Reed Wager, 29, Lawndale, arrested in the act and jailed on a petty theft charge. He is said to have been caught trying to wrench off fog lights from John Irwin's car while that Columbia Steel worker's machine was parked near the mill. Two other fog lights were stolen from a car owned by Tom Hyde of 1611 Post ave.

Mrs. F. Harwood Clark and daughter Judith Carol have been spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mills in Arcadia.

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semi-annual PENNEY DAYS

Penney's advertisement listing various clothing items and their prices during semi-annual Penney Days. Items include Cape Sets (4.98), Easter-Bright Wools (6.90), Spring Rayons (49c yd), Cottons (15c yd), Socks (29c yd), and various shirts, pants, and dresses.

A&P Food Stores

A&P Food Stores advertisement listing various food items and their prices. Items include Lamb Legs (25c), Smoked Picnics (16c), Pork Loin Roast (19c), Pure Lard or Shortening (10c), Morrell Sliced Bacon (2c), Spare Ribs (19c), Link Sausage (12c), Stewing Hens (24c), Colored Fryers (29c), Salmon Steaks (24c), Oranges (12c), Grapefruit (4c), Potatoes (10c), Avocados (15c), and Winesap Apples (14c).

Custom Ground Eight O'Clock Coffee advertisement. Price: 3 bags 37c.

White House Evaporated Milk advertisement. Price: 4 cans 24c.

Mission Bell Toilet Soap advertisement. Price: 3 cakes 13c.