People

what they're doing

Miss Doris Kresse, student at Whittier College, returned to her home here last Friday. She will remain until after the Christmas holidays.

A weekend guest of **Miss Joan Ramskill,** student at U. C. L. A., who is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents here, was Miss Mary Rawlings.

John Gandsey, a student at U. C. at Berkeley returned on Sunday to spend Christmas vacation with his parents, **Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gandsey,** at 1610 216th street.

John Selby returned to his home here Saturday. He is convalescing from an operation which he underwent recently at a Los Angeles hospital.

RADIO EXPERT HIRED

Retention of Harold G. Pirie of Hermosa Beach, radio engineer at the KNX transmitter station, to provide service and maintenance of the police radio system at $7.50 per week was authorized by the city council Tuesday night.

DOUBLE EVENT

In combination with a Fathers and Sons dinner, members of the Torrance Rotary club will welcome Santa Claus tonight and exchange inexpensive gifts. Because the next two meeting dates fall on Christmas and New Year's day, the club will hold the next session, January 8.

NAVY VALUES SAUCE

Worcestershire sauce is used by Naval officers to brighten tarnished brass buttons.

Jane, the stenographer, wants to work for a man of few words; she doesn't know many herself.

Judge Schedules 3 Jury Trials For One Day

Judge John Shidler will end the year in a rush of three jury trials in one day — Tuesday, Dec. 30.

At the arraignment of the three men — two charged with driving while intoxicated and one with petty theft (obtaining money under false pretences)—Monday morning, all plead not guilty and demanded jury trials.

Ray Mullaney, 29-year-old San Pedro worker and volunteer Marine Reserve guard on Terminal Island, was arrested Saturday night on Torrance blvd. and accused of driving while intoxicated. Represented by an attorney, he had his bail reduced from $150 to $50 and his jury trial was set for 10 a.m. Dec. 30.

Arrested early Monday morning after his car was struck and damaged by a P. E. freight train near the viaduct on Torrance blvd., Fred Lawrence Hummelgran, 53, Los Angeles, was jailed for driving while intoxicated. He also had his bail reduced to $50 from $150 and his trail by jury will follow Mullaney's hearing.

A third jury the same day will hear the case of Floyd Todd, 25, 1417 West 223rd st., who is accused of cashing a "no funds" check here Nov. 15. His bail was likewise reduced from $50 to $25 and his trial was scheduled for 2 p.m. Dec. 30.

Headsman's Sword to Museum

CHARLESTON, S. C. (U.P.) A headsman's sword, used for executions in Nuremberg, Germany around 1600, has been presented to the Charleston museum. On one side of the 40-inch sword is engraved the legend: "I promise a quiet passage to a new world."

Hash Once Held Respect

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah,(UP) According to a 1850 menu received here by officials of the U. S. Grazing Service, hash was once more respected than it is today. According to the menu of a cafe in "Old Hangtown," now Placerville, Cal., hash sold for $1 a plate.

Too many people must take post graduate work in the school of experience before they learn.

Fruit Cakes in Candied Citrus Shells

By BETTY BARCLAY

The originality and good "taste" of fruit cakes baked in candied orange, lemon, or grapefruit shells make them popular gifts for all types of households and for all pocket-books. Wise kitcheneers who like to cook and who enjoy adding a spirit-lifting note of loveliness to their Christmas boxes are now engaged in making preparations for these delectable gifts. Would you like to join the ranks? Now's the time.

To prepare the candied shells:

First select the most perfectly shaped oranges, lemons, or grapefruit possible, choosing fruit that is clean-skinned and free from blemishes. (The seedless California navel oranges in market at the holiday season have smooth-textured, bright peels, especially adapted to candying.) Wash and cut slice from top of each fruit. Remove inside of fruit with a teaspoon or melon baller, being careful not to break shell. Cover shells and "lids" with cold salted water. (Add 1 teaspoon salt to each quart water.) Bring to a boil and cook 5 minutes. Drain. Cover again with fresh water and boil 5 minutes. Repeat process about three times or until bitter flavor is removed from peel, and peel is tender, but not tender enough to break apart. Invert the shells to drain on a wire rack for at least an hour or over night.

For 10 to 12 large oranges or grapefruit or the equivalent in lemons prepare a syrup from equal parts of sugar and water. Add ¼ as much corn syrup as sugar. To each 8 cups sugar, 8 cups water, 2 cups corn syrup, add 1 tablespoon glycerine. There must be enough syrup to thoroughly cover and float the fruit. (Remaining syrup after confection is finished may be used for other preserves, hot cakes, etc.)

Cook the shells in this syrup until syrup gives a jelly test (about 220 degrees F.) Let stand in syrup over night or longer. Reheat and cook 10 minutes. Cool in syrup and let stand in syrup until ready to use. Before filling with cake mixture, drain syrup from shell. Fill shells with your favorite fruit cake batter or with recipe below.

Steam about 2 hours. This may be done by putting water in bottom of roasting pan. Cover bottom of pan with cloth or rack. Set covered pan containing filled shells on rack or cloth. Steaming may be done in oven or on top of stove. Watch to see that water is kept in bottom of pan. If steaming is done in a regular steamer, wrap each shell in parchment cooking paper.

After shells have been steamed, put the candied tops on each and bake in a slow oven (250 degrees F.) for 1 hour or until center of cake is well done. Test with a toothpick. Cool. Store in a covered container. If this confection becomes too dry, place a fresh orange in the container for a day or two to soften it. These confections will keep a year or more if properly stored.

Fruit Cake Mixture

1 pound butter or substitute
2½ cups sugar
10 whole eggs, beaten
½ cup orange juice
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon mace
5 cups flour, sifted
1 teaspoon soda
7 pounds assorted candied fruit, cut rather fine

Cream butter and sugar together. Add eggs, orange juice and spices. Mix flour, soda and candied fruit. Combine with first mixture.

A good selection of candied fruits is:

1 pound candied cherries
1 pound citron
1 pound candied orange peel
½ pound candied lemon peel
½ pound candied pineapple
2 pounds bleached seedless raisins
1 pound candied pears or peaches

For a darker colored and less expensive fruit cake, the following fruits may be used:

2 pounds currants or seedless raisins
4 pounds seeded raisins
1 pound candied orange peel, finely cut

The department of commerce says that 4,500,000 motor trucks move over the nation's highways.

More than 45,000 campers made use of public camp-ground in national parks in western Canada during July and August.

Builders Protest Strict Quake Law Regulations

(Continued from 1-A)

necessarily inspected by the city's own engineer.

Cecil Smith pointed out that his garage property was leased to an oil company whose own engineers offered their services but were not permitted to prepare his plans for repair because they were not "licensed structural engineers."

"I had to pay an engineer $100 for my plans — and I still don't know if they are acceptable to the city," Smith told the council. "The city has a structural engineer on its payroll and he should give us this service."

Jain Defends Procedure

The new ordinance places a "great hardship on property owners," W. E. Bowen pointed out. "I know of many buildings in Los Angeles constructed without the assistance of high-priced engineers and I know of buildings here, such as the old Ironton hotel, which were condemned following the 1933 quake and again following the Nov. 14 quake and still are open to the public."

"Inspection of buildings should be made first by the city's engineer so he can tell us what must be done," Fay Parks suggested. "The result would be that we would have to have only one set of plans drafted. There is a lot of dissatisfaction running among property owners — none of which want to evade the law and all of whom want to build sturdy and strong buildings. Nevertheless, they feel the city is adding to their expense —and costs are already high."

In defending the work of his office, City Engineer Jain declared: "Ninety per cent of the reason for the delay is that we're forced to send Mr. Cannon, our structural engineer, out on individual jobs when he should be in the office for consultation and checking plans. If the structural engineers contacted by property owners were qualified they would not be trying to get around the ordinance and trying to get by with a cheap job.

Doubt Priority Waiver

"I have confidence in Mr. Cannon and in our sole inspector, Mr. Myer. We're doing the designing on about half of the jobs here and I don't believe we've been too strict. We haven't received any of the help on our inspections that we hoped to get from the state, county or Los Angeles city."

P. A. Eisen of the architectural firm of Walker and Eisen, who planned the Civic Center buildings, defended the city's ordinance and pointed out that "engineers follow no hard and fast rule" thus there are openings for debate as to what constitutes a safe building. He said the city should not offer free services to everyone and that if the municipal building code were less strict then the state Riley act governing building regulations would take effect and keep the standard up.

Regarding priorities, City Attorney McCall related that he shuttled from office to office in Washington, each time "getting a step nearer the top" until he finally won a promise — though not in writing — that no priority numbers would be required of local earthquake repair-builders on steel needed for reconstruction.

William H. Stanger, municipal water superintendent, expressed serious doubts that this waiver would be followed by the Los Angeles OPM office which he had visited that day without "getting to first base." McCall, however, in the face of Stanger's and others' doubts, declared he would be glad to make a "test case" in behalf of the first property owner who gives him a full list of steel wanted for reconstruction.

Jail Opens for Blood Donor

EL PASO, Tex. (U.P.) Roberto Lopez of El Paso has discovered that virtue still has its rewards and as a result is a free man. He was serving a 15-day disturbance charge when he offered a blood donation to another prisoner in the El Paso jail. In return, city officials released him.

Canada's domestic exports in the first nine months of 1941 showed an increase of $309,052,015 over the same period in 1940.

SIGNALS BLACKENED

Night-driving motorists will have to learn to make boulevard stops during blackouts here without the aid of blinker signals. Police Chief John Stroh said this week the illuminated signals would be blackened with the rest of the city during air raids.

BRAVE WOMAN

Duchess of Windsor purchased five New York hats. Wonder whether she will have nerve enough to wear any of them in Bermuda?

"Public Notices"

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS
FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that she is conducting a Cafe and restaurant business at 22630 Normandie Ave, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of Ruth's Cafe, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

Mrs. Maude Cook, 22630 Normandie Ave., Los Angeles County.

WITNESS her hand this 22nd day of November, 1941.

MRS. MAUDE COOK.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)ss.
County of Los Angeles)

On this 22nd day of November A.D., 1941, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Mrs. Maude Cook, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

R. J. DEININGER,
(Seal) Notary public in and for said County and State.
My Commission expires April 13, 1943.

Nov. 27-Dec. 4-11-18.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 200200

Estate of GEORGE W. CROSBY, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of George W. Crosby, deceased, of the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor at the office of Chas. Mitschrich, his attorney, 1409 Marcelina Avenue, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated Dec. 12, 1941.

ARTHUR W. CROSBY,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Said Deceased.

CHAS. MITSCHRICH,
Attorney,
1409 Marcelina Avenue,
Torrance, California
45343

Dec. 18-25-Jan. 1-8.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
NO. D 208105

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, and Complaint filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County.

SUMMONS.

LOUIS E. MARTIN, Plaintiff,
vs.
ELIZABETH WINGATE MARTIN, Defendant.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO: ELIZABETH WINGATE MARTIN, Defendant.

You are directed to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the Complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this Summons, if served within the County of Los Angeles, or within thirty days if served elsewhere, and you are notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, this 2nd day of July, 1941.

(SEAL SUPERIOR COURT
LOS ANGELES COUNTY)

L. E. LAMPTON,
County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
By B. B. BURRUS, Deputy.

CHAS. T. RIPPY,
Torrance, Calif.
Attorney for Plaintiff.

APPEARANCE: "A defendant appears in an action when he answers, demurs, or gives the plaintiff written notice of his appearance, or when an attorney gives notice of appearance for him."—(Sec. 1014, C. C. P.)

Answers or demurrers must be in writing, in form pursuant to rule of court, accompanied with the necessary fee, and filed with the Clerk.

Oct. 30, '41 to Jan. 1, '42 inc.

"Public Notices"

PUBLIC NOTICE
RESOLUTION

WHEREAS:

In Southern California there are living many thousands of American citizens who are of Japanese ancestry and who are loyal to the United States of America.

There also reside in this area many Japanese whose hearts are loyal to the United States of America and who would have become citizens had not our law barred them from this privilege.

Over zealous Americans have committed rashly cruel acts against persons of Japanese ancestry during the present war crisis.

THEREFORE:

Because Torrance is near the center of the Japanese blooded population of Southern California the City Council informs all Japanese blooded persons loyal to the United States that it appreciates the suffering this group is enduring and that this Council is confident that these persons who are sincere in their loyalty to the United States of America ultimately will regain the respect of all other Americans.

Approved and adopted on this 12th day of Dec. 1941.

TOM F. McGUIRE
Mayor of the City of Torrance.

ATTEST:
A. H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.
(SEAL)
Dec. 18.

NOTICE INVITING BIDS ON REPAIRS AND FURNISHING WATER DEPARTMENT BUILDING

Public notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, will receive sealed bids for repairing, remodeling and furnishing of Water Department building that was damaged by earthquake.

Full and complete specifications and blueprints are on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance and are designated as repairing, remodeling and furnishing of Water Department Building for the Torrance Municipal Water District No. 1, according to Specifications No. W-14-1941.

If plans are taken from this office a deposit of $15.00 will be required guaranteeing safe return of same.

Bidders in bidding, should state whether or not the California State Sales Tax or Use Tax is or is not included in the price bid. In the absence of any statement to this effect, it will be assumed that any such tax is included in the bid price.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids and any item or items of any bid.

The City Council reserves the right to take all bids under advisement for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days after date of opening thereof.

All bids must be sealed and marked, "Bid on Water Department Repairs and Furnishing" and must be either mailed or delivered so as to be in the hands of the City Clerk of said City at or before the hour of 8:00 o'clock P. M., on the thirtieth day of December, 1941, at which time and in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said City, all bids received will be opened, examined and publicly declared by said Council.

This notice is hereby given by order of the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, and is dated this 16th day of December, 1941.

A. H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California.

Dec. 18-25.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS
FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that he is conducting a roofing business at 1975 Carson Street, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of Scotty's Roof Service and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

James H. Scott, 2415 Sonoma Ave., Torrance, Calif.

WITNESS his hand this 1st day of December, 1941.

JAMES H. SCOTT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)ss.
County of Los Angeles)

On this 1st day of December, A. D. 1941, before me W. E. Bowen, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared James H. Scott, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

W. E. BOWEN,
Notary Public in and for Said
(Seal) County and State.
Dec. 4-11-18-25.

INFORMATION PLEASE

TORRANCE WELCOMES
These New Residents This Week

SHELBY L. DAVIS, 1963 218th St.
MRS. L. W. DILLARD, 1741 Manuel Ave.
MRS. CLEVE STILL, 917 Portola Ave
MRS. J. A. THOMAS, 1754½ Andreo Ave.
WAYNE McARTOR, 1313 Date St.
MRS. DAVID THOMPSON, 2214 236th St.

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ELITE CLEANERS & DYERS
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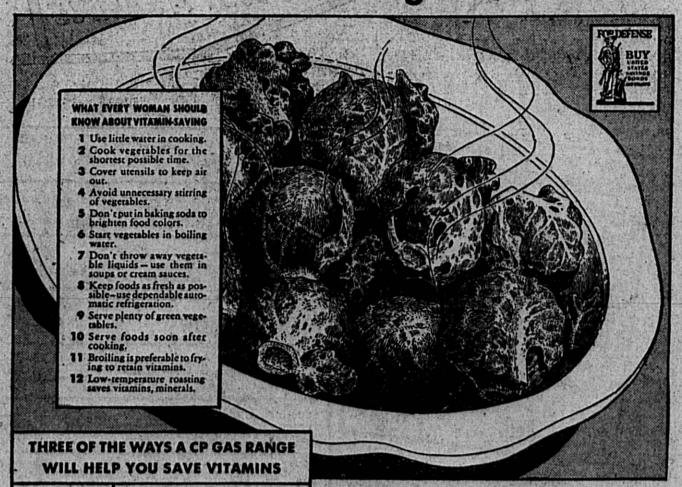

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