

'Oldster Bikester Tripped by His Own Contraption

"I guess I'll have to give up riding," lamented 74-year-old George Edward Parker of Redondo Beach as he was being assisted out of the wreckage of his three-wheeled homemade bicycle equipped with a side car last Saturday afternoon on 190th st. near Flagler ave. in Torrance.

Oldster Bikester Parker came to grief—and minor cuts and bruises—when his contraption tossed him head foremost to the pavement. The front fender of his bicycle came loose and rolled up under the front wheel, locking the bicycle tight.

Parker was coasting down the hill on 190th and when his bike "froze" on him it threw him over the front and the machine then rolled up on top of him. An ambulance took him to the Hermosa hospital for treatment. While driving south on Hawthorne blvd. in the fog last Sunday morning, Hershel Butler, 21, Hawthorne, crashed into a car parked in the traffic lane, injuring a Miss Myers, 38, whose address was not learned by investigating officers.

Waste Paper Depot Located in Prado Park

(Continued from 1-A) Captain Frank Whiting of the Sons said today. "The city council has allowed us to use the lower portion of the park next to Cravens ave. as a collection center. We haven't enough boys in our organization to make a house-to-house canvass of the city and that's the reason why we ask the people to bring the waste paper to El Prado Park." The government has issued a request for the collection of such material, of which there is an acute shortage, in order not to develop any "bottleneck" in the shipment of munitions to our troops abroad and throughout the nation.

VISITS IN L. A.
Mrs. Fanny Ulman spent the weekend with friends in Los Angeles.



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Aluminum Sheet Mill Location Not Lost Yet

(Continued from 1-A) was first considered seven months ago—as well as a study of present war production schedules.

It is estimated by those in close touch with the situation that aircraft industries in Southern California can easily consume the entire output of a 60,000,000-pound sheet mill at their present production schedules and that the need for a much larger volume of aluminum sheets will increase as Southland aircraft plants swing into full war production.

For this reason, it is pointed out, there is every reason to warrant the erection of such a rolling mill in this district, and the logical place to locate such a plant is adjacent to the \$18,000,000 alumina reduction plant scheduled to begin operations June 1 at the Torrance site. It is from the aluminum ingots produced by this reduction plant that the aluminum sheets will be rolled.

Another Plant Starting
By placing the rolling mill in this area instead of Spokane, the government will save nearly \$1,500,000 annually in freight charges alone, the California representative pointed out. Meanwhile, plans are going forward for construction of a \$7,000,000 aluminum extrusion plant, ground for which will be broken shortly on the 253-acre defense plant site here. A \$6,000,000 aluminum forge plant is also planned for this location. The reduction plant will be operated by the Aluminum Company of America and the extrusion plant is in charge of the Bohn Aluminum and Brass Company of Detroit.

Auto Use Stamp Found on Street

Although claiming no honor for being "first" in this sort of thing, Torrance police officers are holding for the owner a Federal auto use stamp which was found on the street and turned in at headquarters. It is held in Chief of Police John Stroh's office for the owner who can easily identify it. The purchaser had the forethought to jot down an engine number across the face of the stamp. The number is K3922406.

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STORKatorials

Following are the new arrivals of-the-week at Torrance Memorial hospital:

SALLY JEAN BUCK... was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Buck of Lawndale, Jan. 29, at 2:11 a. m. Their first child, she weighed 8 pounds 14 ounces. Her father is an aircraft worker and her mother is the former Margaret Boyle. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle of Redondo Beach and Mrs. Ruby Jean Buck of Pasadena.

CAROLE CHRISTINE CHAPMAN... was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Harold V. Chapman of Baldwin Park, Jan. 31 at 2:36 a. m.—on her mother's birthday. Their first child, she weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces. Her father is a Southern Pacific brakeman and her mother is the former Margaret Easley. The grandparents are Mrs. Annetta Shaw, Delhi; Paul Chapman, Clear Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Easley, Baldwin Park.

WILLIAM THOMAS CLEMO... arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Clemo of Hermosa Beach, Jan. 29 at 5:04 a. m. Their first child, he weighed 8 pounds. His father is an oil company chemist and his mother is the former Virginia Delaney. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William J. Delaney, Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. William T. Clemo, Redondo Beach.

MICHAEL EDWIN HOYT was welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Hoyt of Manhattan Beach, Feb. 2 at 11:58 a. m. Their first child, he weighed 9 pounds 8 ounces. His father is an electrician at the National Supply plant and his mother is the former Gloria Baker. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hoyt, Hermosa Beach, and Mrs. Ida Banks, Los Angeles.

MARGOTH GURLIE LARSEN was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larsen of Redondo Beach, Jan. 30 at 2:55 a. m. She weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces and has a sister, Margot Carol, 4, and a brother, Carl, 2. Her father is a Long Beach pipefitter and her mother is the former Margoth Victoria Larsen. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Larsen, Alameda, and Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Larsen, Hayward.

GARY ARTHUR MAUSER was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mauser of Redondo Beach, Jan. 28 at 5:26 a. m. Their first child, he weighed 8 pounds 10 ounces. His father is a shipyard stager and his mother is the former Lillian Lynch. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mauser of Bismarck, N. D., and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lynch, Redondo Beach. Gary has been welcomed by two Torrance cousins, Beverly Jean Luster and Joy Marlene Fearman.

MARILYN LUCILLE PITNEY arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin R. Pitney of Hermosa Beach, Jan. 30 at 12:23 p. m. She weighed 6 pounds 14 ounces and has one sister, Victoria, 13, three sisters, Barbara Rae, 13; Linda, 7, and Darlene, 4. Her father is an aircraft tool inspector and her mother is the former Marie Robertson. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Robertson of Hermosa Beach.

SANDRA SUE VALES... was welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vales of Gardena, Feb. 2 at 11:03 a. m. Their first child, she weighed 9 pounds. Her father is a shipfitter and her mother is the former Fern Frances Rothmeier. The grandparents are Mrs. Fred Rothmeier and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vales, all of Gardena.

JACK LAVERNE WIMBERLY... was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Wimberly of Manhattan Beach, Jan. 28 at 5:12 p. m. He weighed 8 pounds 13 ounces and has a brother, Richard Charles, 6, and a sister, Delores Ann, 6. His father is an aircraft tool and die maker and his mother is the former Ruth Miller. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller of Jackson, Mich., also greeted a son the same day. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller of Jackson, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Len Wimberly, Mayfield, Ky.

IN ARIZONA
Miss Beatrice Ernst is employed at Mesa, Arizona, where she lives at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Stevenson. Stevenson, a former Torrance resident, is flight commander stationed at that city.

REVOKING LICENSES
Gov. Culbert Olson has revealed he has ordered the state department of agriculture to revoke food handling licenses of enemy aliens in California and was asking federal approval of an executive order to revoke all business and professional licenses held in this state by aliens.

VISITS FRIENDS
Mrs. Mina Shidler of Los Angeles visited her family and friends here last week.

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63 Donate Blood to Red Cross

(Continued from 1-A) The response here to any plea for blood volunteers will result in more than enough to keep the Red Cross doctors and nurses busy for several days in Torrance.

Those who gave their blood last Friday were: Mayor Tom McGuire, Councilmen Vern Back and James Hitchcock, City Clerk A. H. Bartlett, Postmaster Earl Conner, Police Chief John Stroh, Police Officers Tom Perkin, Adrian Thornberry, Frank Schumacher, Everett Travioli, Gene Garner, Curtis Tolson, Willard Haslam, Swayne Johnson, Karl Friberg and Willard Barnett.

Alex Thompson, T. H. Herrin, Jack Miller, Dale Riley, Sam Levy, E. G. Brady, I. R. Kettering, Lou Deiminger, Wallace Post, Bob McDowell, Jack Stephens, Carmel Cook, H. M. Andrews, Gene Elliott, John Melville, Jim Polston, Roy Wilson, Charles Schultz, Frank Davis, Louis Lepp, Ray Rodgers, Fred Sauggin, Gordon Northington, Vernon Coil, Charles Bromwich, Nick Cucci, Gene Walker, Otto Willett, Fay Parks, J. B. Scott, John Shidler and Michael Strazzer.

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Legion Plans Scrap Drive

Means of raising at least part of the money necessary to rebuild its hall which was wrecked by the Nov. 14 earthquake and at the same time contribute to the national defense have been devised by the Torrance American Legion Post. Plans are being formed to conduct a scrap-metal drive throughout the city and sell the metal to dealers.

The Legion needs approximately \$8,000 to reconstruct its hall. It will ask for brass, zinc, iron, steel, copper, chromium, old automobile batteries and other metal donors may find around their premises.

Date of the drive will be announced soon.

Tire Quota For Month Is 27 Here

This city's tire quota for February was received early this week by Wallace H. Gilbert, chairman of the tire rationing board which has its headquarters in the mayor's office in the city hall.

Twelve passenger car tires; 10 passenger car tubes; 15 truck tires and 26 truck tubes. During the last "quarter" of the month of January, which amounts to the fourth week plus extra days up to Jan. 31, the board authorized auto owners to buy five passenger car tires, eight truck tires and six truck tubes.

Rebekahs Change Meeting Place and Time, Buy Bonds

The most important matter to come before the new officers of Trio Rebekah lodge Wednesday, Jan. 28, was arranging the moving of the lodge to V. F. W. hall. The first meeting in the new location was held Tuesday night and the lodge hereafter will meet on the first and third Tuesdays instead of the second and fourth Wednesdays.

The lodge sold its furniture to the Masonic lodge and decided to put the money into Defense bonds. At the meeting Tuesday night Mrs. Josephine Petersen, Mrs. Ernestine Arnold, Mrs. Anna Routsong and Mrs. Margaret Truitt served refreshments. The lodge will meet at night again until further notice.

RESUMES STUDIES
Miss Kay Quimby will leave this week to continue her studies at U. C. L. A.

Daylight Saving Time

Beginning next week, for the second time in U. S. history, national daylight saving will be put into effect as a war measure.

In 1917, after much country-wide disagreement, Congress voted national daylight saving, to take effect on March 31, 1918. Thus it was almost a full year from the war's outbreak on April 6, 1917, before the clocks were turned ahead. This time, daylight saving is begun just two months and one day after the declaration of war. Perhaps this difference in speed is a fair indication of the difference in tempo between the two world wars. Swift action, prompt decision—speed and more speed—seems the paramount demand of today's lightning war on wings of bombers and treads of tanks.

After the last war, in 1919, daylight saving was repealed by Congress over President Wilson's veto, and since then has been practiced only sectionally. As an emergency war measure, the present revival of daylight saving will be accepted unhesitatingly and without question by all Americans, no doubt. Its national operation will give the jury of public opinion ample data on which to determine whether, as a custom of normal peacetime, the merits of daylight saving would outweigh its demerits—or vice versa.

In any case, the plan will be operating in the laboratory of national experience when you begin work next Monday. So don't forget to turn the alarm clock an hour ahead before you hit the hay Sunday night!

N. Y. VISITORS
Houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bartlett of Sonoma ave. are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bartlett of Buffalo, New York. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bartlett entertained as their weekend guests his New York state brother and sister-in-law.

JOINT PENSION MEET
A joint meeting of the Ham and Eggs pension organization with the State Federation of Labor will be held in Long Beach Municipal Auditorium Sunday afternoon, Feb. 8, at 1 o'clock. All interested are invited to attend.



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