

# SOCIETY and Club

## PINOCHLE PLAYERS ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Carlson were hosts at pinochle at their home, 549 East 220th st., Saturday evening. Their guests were Messrs. and Mrs. John Hilpert, Charles Sault, Stair, Barnett and Johnson. Prizes were presented to high score holders and refreshments were served.

## ENTERTAIN AT GARDEN SUPPER

Laura Nickel was honored Thursday evening on the occasion of his birthday anniversary when Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lannan entertained at a garden supper party. Those present were Mrs. Nickel and sons, Jimmy, Jerry and Nicky, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lannan, Mrs. Howard Sharp and Miss Joan Lannan.

## THREE-YEAR-OLD IS HOST AT PARTY

Charles Edward Markey 3rd was host at a party Tuesday afternoon when he celebrated his third birthday. Games were enjoyed and later ice cream and birthday cake were served to Larry, Jo, Gary and Richard Gregory, Jerry and Lea Brady of San Pedro; Michael Elliot, Denise Carpenter and Rogeanne Markey.

## TORRANCE TOWNSEND CLUB NO. 2

Members and guests of Torrance Townsend Club No. 2 will enjoy a watermelon feed, luncheon and dancing tonight at Men's Bible Class building. The public is cordially invited.

## WITNEY-MILES ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mrs. William Whitney of 1804 Arlington ave., announces the engagement of her daughter, Pat, to Joe Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Miles of 2303 Andree ave. No date has been set for the wedding.

## LUNCHEON PLANNED AT TORRANCE PARK

Members of Betsy Ross Star Club will meet Tuesday, Aug. 17 at 12:30 p.m., for a luncheon and business session at Torrance city park. Mrs. Bettina Miller will serve as chairman.

## STORKATORIALS

New arrivals, to local parents, at the Torrance Memorial hospital during the past week were:

To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cooper, 1111 Madrid, a daughter, Aug. 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Prioletti, 2359-11 Carson st., a daughter, Aug. 6.

At a Long Beach hospital, Aug. 5, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Myron, 1143 W. 216th st.

At the Methodist hospital, Los Angeles, on Aug. 10, a daughter was born to Corp. and Mrs. Clyde M. Henderson, 11570 Lake st., Los Angeles.

The father is in the A. A. E. at Colorado Springs. The mother is the former Mrs. Akers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Akers, of the Los Angeles address and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde H. Henderson, 25855 Cypress st., Lomita.

At Bon Air hospital, on Aug. 6, a son, Gary Stephen Douglas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Douglas, 13211 So. Western ave. His brother, John Charles, Jr., is 2 years 1 month old. Grandparents are Alan L. Nelson, 18215 Crenshaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Douglas, 13225 So. Western ave.

## DAUGHTER HERE

J. L. Whitney, 1022 216th st., was host last weekend to his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Davidson and son Bobby, of Santa Barbara when they visited him here.

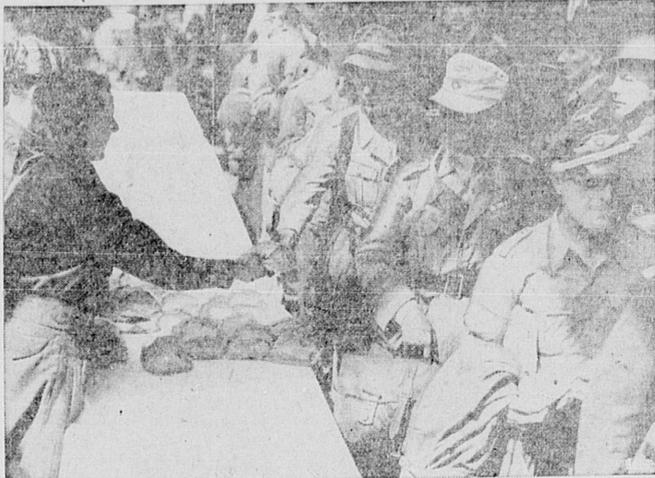
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## Germans Receive Food at British Port



German officers captured in Sicily are given small packets of food as they arrive at a British port. They are en route to a prisoner-of-war camp.

## "THAR SHE BLOWS" . . . Red-faced Bomber Pilots Spring New Delicacy on Coastal Meat Eaters

Times certainly have changed. . . . Once a Boston opportunist butcher was arrested for selling whale meat. Now markets are seriously considering hanging slabs of the sea-going mammal alongside choice cuts of beef. A whale file, according to the experts, looks like beef, tastes like beef, and is often 20 feet long. Which should be big enough to satisfy the voraciousness of any visiting relatives, if they happen to drop in for portluch without ration points.

Credit for the proposed replacement of the percherousse by the whale to some extent must be given to the Navy.

Red-faced Pilots Whales, when sighted from the air by over-zealous plane pilots, resemble submarines. Follows a released deep charge and many of these corpulent creatures of the deep find themselves in an uncountable number of pieces.

Pilots, who blushing under their helmets and goggles admit the "mistaken identity" become members of a select little fraternity known as the Royal Order of Whale Bangers.

Recently a Naval pilot flying a Kingfisher observation-scout plane, "sighted whale, sank same." Dark objects bobbed to the surface, some large, some small. A Coast Guard cutter steamed into the debris.

Blubber Top Lubber Came across time and the crew found a now sizzling delicacy on their plates. There wasn't a single complaint—only praise for the culinary skill of the cook, the savouriness of the meat.

A few coastal markets have already replaced the vanishing New York cuts and filet mignon with these monstrous sea steaks.

And if there's an unwelcome guest in the home, you can always whisper to the wife, "a piece of blubber for the big lubber."

Speaking of Prices Whale meat, unrationed novelty that it is, might be the answer to the housewife's despair. Certainly in price it should compare favorably with other little known delicacies that may or may not be found in the refrigerator cases.

And speaking of prices, as who does not in these days of spiling collars, consider the plight of the patrons of the El Dorado cafe at Hangtown (now staid Placerville in Northern Cal-

ifornia) back in the roaring forties. The menu contained the following: "Payable in advance Gold scales on the end of the bar. Sauer-kraut, \$1; fried bacon, \$1; low grade hash, 75 cents; 18-karat hash, \$1; wild beef, prime cut, \$1.50; beef up along, \$1; a la mode (plain) \$1; beef with one potato (fair size) \$1.25; beef tattle from Arkansas, \$1.50; bean soup \$1; oxtail (short) \$1.50; grizzly bear roast, \$1; two potatoes, peeled, 75 cents."

Informant does not say how the rate of payment was arrived at, whether the diner stepped on the scales before and after eating, listed the byrd and quantity of items he consumed, and paid accordingly. It is a well-known legend, however, that all bartenders in the gold rush days were hired on the basis of the size of their thumbs, which netted the proprietor of the establishment, liquid or solid refreshments, a greater net profit on the deal when the barkeep dipped into the miner's pocket.

Some lung power was wasted a few years ago when the gov-

ernment upped the price of mailing a letter from 2 to 3 cents, but the communication soon died down, and postoffice business in the present day has reached its greatest volume in history. Consider now what our great granddads had to contend with a century ago when they wanted to send word to the folks. In that day the minimum charge for a small letter was 6 cents, going no farther than 30 miles. Between 30 and 60 miles the price rose to 10 cents; up to 150 miles 12 1/2 cents, called a shilling in those days; up to 400 miles 18 1/2 cents, and over that the price was a quarter.

The "good old days" were expensive.

## Home Nursing Class Wants Registrants

Mrs. Lola Hoover, Torrance branch Red Cross chairman, urges all women interested in a Home Nursing class to register at once at the branch headquarters, 1400 Craven ave., by telephone with Mrs. Casper Chapman, 850, the Home Nursing chairman.

If enough sign for the course Mrs. John W. Beeman will organize the class soon, exact date to be announced next week. Home nursing assumes more importance every day as physicians' and registered nurses' time becomes more precious.

Those who complete the course will be able to assist in health work by taking expert care of their own families, thus relieving hard-worked physicians of the necessity of making calls for minor ailments.

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## INTEND TO WED

Notice of intention to marry have been filed recently by the following:

Swayne A. Johnson, 29, 2469 1/2 Carson st., Laddie G. Borden, 23, 1211 Cota ave.

Arthur C. Gemmrig, 21; Virginia M. Ward, 16, both of Harbor Hills, Lomita.

Gene Proctor Hale, 24; Virginia Mary Constitt, 17, both of Lomita.

Victor N. Barrett, 25, Victorville; Kathryn E. Loper, 19, 21729 South Figueroa, Torrance.

## TENNESSEANS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gregory of Grace St., Keystone, recently entertained their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gregory and children, LeRoy, Richard and Gary, who arrived from Memphis, Tenn., to make their home here. They have purchased a home at Lakewood Village.

## Charlene's Manager Has Wide Experience

Among those who are new in Torrance retail stores is Mable Wagner of Charlene's Sport Shop, 1827 Sartori ave. Mrs. Kaye Hardin, proprietor of the shop, is retiring from active work and has chosen Miss Wagner to manage the store.

Formerly with Desmond's Seventh Street Shop, Los Angeles, where the charming Miss Wagner was floor manager, and at Bullock's Wilshire where she acted as accessory advisor, the new manager at Charlene's is ably qualified by experience to assist local patrons in their apparel problems.

LUNCHEON Mrs. C. Edward Markey of 21810 Grace st., Keystone entertained at luncheon Monday afternoon for Mrs. Reginald Davis and daughter Mary, Jane, of Berkeley.

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**BLUE STAMP ITEMS**

(4) Large Lima Beans	1-lb. pkgs. (Two-pound package, 22¢, plus 8 points)	11¢
(4) Pinto Beans	Brown Spackled (Two-pound package, 16¢, plus 8 points)	8¢
(2) Grapefruit Juice	Town House (46-ounce can, 29¢, plus 4 points)	13¢
(4) Prune Juice	Sunwest Brand	25¢
(14) Apple Sauce	White House Brand	11¢
(23) Peaches	Southern Beauty No. 2 1/2 Freestone	18¢
(1) Baby Foods	Gerber's Brand—Assorted	13¢
(1) Chopped Foods	Gerber's Brand—Assorted	13¢
(1) Libby Baby Foods	Libby Brand	7¢
(1) Tomato Juice	Libby Brand	5¢
(3) Tomato Juice	Sunny Down (46-ounce size can, 19¢, plus 2 points)	2¢
(11) Cut Green Beans	Nancy Lee Brand	12¢
(14) Niolets	Del Maiz Corn	12¢
(18) Great Value Peas	Airport Brand	13¢
(19) Libby Pumpkin	Libby Brand	13¢
(7) Sauerkraut	Emerald Bay Brand	16¢
(19) Spinach	Libby's Solid Pack	14¢
(18) Tomatoes	Gardenside Brand	13¢
(24) Tomatoes	Vita Red Brand	14¢

**COFFEE**

EDWARDS COFFEE	Rich blend, ground to order.	24¢
HILLS BROS. COFFEE	Red Can Brand. Packed in glass.	33¢
NOB HILL COFFEE	Blend of World's finest coffees.	23¢
CHASE & SANBORN	Delicious drip-grind coffee.	29¢
AIRWAY COFFEE	Mellow-mild. Economical blend.	20¢
MJB COFFEE	Drip or regular. In glass jar.	33¢

**FLOUR & MIXES**

Softasilk	Betty Crocker Cake Flour	43¢
Swans Down	Extra Fine Cake Flour	26¢
Gold Medal Flour	(No. 5 bag, 32¢; 24 1/2-pound sack, \$1.30)	60¢
Kitchen Craft Flour	(No. 5 bag, 24¢; 24 1/2-pound sack, 99¢)	44¢
Biscuit Flour	Globe "A1" Complete (40-ounce package, 29¢)	16¢
Cinch Waffle Mix	1-lb. pkgs.	21¢
Hot Cake Mix	Cinch Brand (Cinch Corn Bread Mix, lb. pkg., 17¢)	17¢
Pancake Flour	Globe "A1" (40-ounce package, 20¢)	10¢
Corn Muffin Mix	Dremeddy Brand	38¢

**TYPICAL SAFEWAY PRICES**

Apple Juice	White House Brand (46-ounce bottle, 24¢)	14¢
Diamond Walnuts	Large, Shelled	32¢
Elsinore Olives	Large, Ripe	23¢
Elsinore Olives	Medium, Ripe	20¢
Van Camp Tenderoni	6-oz. pkgs.	8¢
Quaker Macaroni	Elba Style 1-lb. pkgs.	13¢
Mission Cut Macaroni	Miller Brand 7-oz. pkgs.	6¢
Vitamin Noodles	Beverly Brand 1-lb. pkgs.	11¢
Peanut Butter	Beverly Brand (Two-pound size jar, 55¢)	29¢
Jels-Rite Pectin	For making jims and jellies.	10¢
M.C.P. Fruit Pectin	3-pkg. jar	25¢

**BAKING NEEDS**

Baking Powder	K.C. Brand	8-oz. jar 3¢
Baking Powder	Royal Brand	6-oz. can 26¢
Baking Powder	Rumford Brand	12-oz. can 22¢
Beet Sugar	5-lb. bag, 32¢	11¢
C & H Cane Sugar	1-lb. box	7¢
Crescent Mapleine	2-oz. bot.	29¢

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