

### Columbia Steel Complains of Sand on Street

Columbia Steel Co. Tuesday night called to the attention of the City Council again to the accumulation of sand on Border ave. and the alley in the vicinity of the employees' parking lot.

Councilman J. E. Hitchcock moved that the matter be referred to City Engineer G. M. Jain for action and the motion carried.

ROBERT B. TREZISE, a lieutenant, has been transferred to Malta, Mo., where he was recently joined by his wife, Marion, and their daughter, Leslie Jeanne.

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### NO BUSES IN NOVEMBER, SAYS GILBERT

There is small possibility that Torrance will have its new buses or any of them in November, Councilman C. M. Gilbert has declared.

Calling on Crown Body and Coach Works, contractors for six new 45-passenger vehicles, he found that little progress had been made on the first bus and that shortage of materials was hampering construction, he said.

The City Council has asked for delivery of all buses by Dec. 15 and given notice of cancellation of the order as a possibility in event of Crown's failure to deliver by that date.

### Rodent Control Here to be Considered

At the suggestion of Councilman J. E. Hitchcock, the City Council will discuss rodent control problems in Torrance with the Los Angeles Health Department and other authorities. Offers have been made by the department to exterminate rats on a contract basis, and it is indicated that an agreement will be drawn to that effect.

### Deed for New Waleria Park Is Accepted

Deed to the Waleria park property recently bought by the City Council from Mrs. Ruby S. Carroll of Santa Monica, for \$8,500 has been accepted by the city.

The land, four and one-half acres at 242nd and Ocean ave., will be improved with federal and city funds.

The Waleria Civic Association Tuesday night addressed a letter to the council in appreciation of the purchase of the park.

### Thomas Wants Conference With City Council

Assemblyman Vincent Thomas has asked for a conference with the City Council late this month, according to Councilman N. H. Cucci.

Topics of importance to the community will be discussed, Cucci said.

JOURNALISM STUDENT Miss Mina Hornell left recently for Chicago, where she will study journalism at University of Chicago. She was accompanied by Miss Marjorie Sinclair of Westwood, who will also study there.

### Recreation Group to Talk Winter Plans

A special meeting of the Torrance Recreation Committee will be held in the directors chamber of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1944, to discuss the establishment of a city-wide winter program.

In giving notice of the meeting, Dale Riley, recreation superintendent, said:

"It has been suggested that a portion of our winter program be devoted to amateur shows to be held in the City Auditorium. These shows will be on a competitive basis, sponsored by the various civic clubs and organizations, with cups and prizes to be awarded for the leading contributors."

"Each club or organization will sponsor its own program and it is suggested that your organization send a representative to this meeting to formulate the plan and counsel us on organization details. One member from each organization will be present and we would very much like to have a representative from your recreation and amusement committee attend."

Servicemen's stationery? Call Torrance 444 or 443.

### RECREATION SET-UP HERE HIT BY P.T.A.

Letters from the Torrance High School Parent Teacher Association and statements from the floor by Rev. Paul Moore Wheeler brought to the public light a long pending controversy over the subject of recreation supervision at the City Council meeting Tuesday night.

The Parent Teacher Association requested that a trained recreation leader be retained by the city of Torrance to take complete charge of all activities for the benefit of the community as a whole.

The communications were referred to the City Recreation Commission and Dale Riley, superintendent of recreation.

The Rev. Mr. Wheeler, a member of the commission, declared recreation commission recommendations regarding the subject had been ignored and that at one time there were two qualified men available to take charge of such a program, but that nothing was done. He asked if qualified applicants were presented would the council hire a city recreation director either in place of Riley or over Riley, and began to poll the council. He received affirmative answers from Councilmen G. V. Powell and N. H. Cucci, and then the subject was sidetracked in discussion of various phases of the recreation program.

Riley was not brought under direct attack, but the need of a trained director to work out and supervise a complete program was stressed. Friction with Riley and members of the commission was evidenced by Wheeler's statement that Riley had made certain remarks on behalf of the council which were not authorized.

### Tartar Knights And Ladies Active At Torrance High

By EUNICE ABRAMSON Two of the most active organizations at Torrance High at the present time are the Tartar Knights and the Tartar Ladies. These two organizations are working together for the purpose of making Torrance High a school of which every student can be proud.

A few years ago, due to the fact that some of the Knights took advantage of their privileges, the club was disbanded. However, it was started again last year and under the sponsorship of Olin Hoyt, one of the school's science teachers, the members have proved themselves very much interested in the welfare of the school. The present officers of the T.K.'s are: Captain, Bert Smith; first lieutenant, Donald Johnson; second lieutenant, Werner Sommer; secretary, Bill George.

The members may be recognized by their very good looking maroon slipover sweaters with white emblems. The Tartar Ladies, or the T.L.'s, have been working with the Knights in keeping the campus clean, checking lunch permits and in various other services. This organization for the girls of Torrance High is under the able guidance of Mrs. Lorraine Goodwin, teacher of English, senior problems and Spanish. The new T.L. officers are: Queen, Doris Robinette; first lady, Bernice Cline; secretary-treasurer, Betty Goettsch; reporter-historian, Eunice Abramson.

The members of the T.L.'s are from the A-11, B-12 and A-12 classes. They are determined to keep the standards high and make membership in the organization something that the girls will work for from the seventh grade up. They want the girls to be proud to be Tartar Ladies. Torrance High certainly can be proud of these two groups of students who are working to make it a better school.

### Sound Projector Is Given to Waleria School

Waleria Elementary School children are rejoicing over the arrival of a sound projector ordered last May by the Waleria P.T.A., sponsored by Mrs. Geo. P. Thatcher.

There has been great need for a sound projector here for several years. However, it had been impossible to secure one through the regular school channels so the local parents group decided to make the donation.

### Fines In Police Court Last Month Reach \$1082 Total

From Sept. 1, to and including Sept. 30, 1944, the City Court of the city of Torrance received \$1,082 net from fines and fees. Of this sum \$604 are General Fund monies, while \$460 came from vehicle violations and thus are Road Fund monies.

Nine civil cases were filed during this month, six of which were small claims cases, making a total of 18.

General Fund monies were collected from the following cases: Drunkenness, \$347; parking, \$54; boulevard stop, \$91; disturbing the peace, \$70, and miscellaneous criminal violations, \$42.

Vehicle Code funds were derived from the following cases: Drunk driving, \$325; and miscellaneous traffic violations, \$135.

Appearing below is the number of criminal and traffic cases actually handled during the month and the disposition thereof:

Violation	Total	Guilty
Drunkenness	20	20
Drunk driving	3	3
Parking	41	34
Boulevard stop	20	19
Disturbing the peace	4	3
Misc. criminal	2	2
Certified to juvenile	47	22
Held for Sup. Court	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>103</b>

### Resolution of Condolence for Bundy Family

Torrance City Council Tuesday night adopted a resolution of condolence to the family of Delos L. Bundy, city engineer of the city of Redondo Beach since 1928, who died Sunday.

Funeral services were conducted for Mr. Bundy, who was well known throughout Torrance and the South Bay district, yesterday afternoon.

### Waleria P.T.A. Will Meet Tonight At Auditorium

Waleria P.T.A. will meet this evening, Oct. 12, in the school auditorium, starting with the serving of dessert at 7:30 p.m.

The feature of the evening will be a talk by Mrs. Edward T. Walker, past president of Tenth District. We are privileged to have Mrs. Walker speak to our group and the P.T.A. is extending an invitation to the community to attend.

### TORRANCE A.C. EFFORT TO GET FUNDS FAILS

Efforts of the Torrance Athletic club to secure the backing of the City of Torrance to the extent of \$500 for materials needed to promote football and other sports here were unsuccessful Tuesday night. The petition for funds was laid over until the Recreation Commission can view the proposal, at the suggestion of Councilman C. M. Gilbert.

Councilman G. V. Powell moved that the \$500 be allowed out of city advertising funds as a worthy project for community support, but Councilman N. H. Cucci protested because "only 11 men would be entertained."

Bernard Lee, member of the retail merchants division of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, pleaded for the aid of the council on the ground that the athletic club and the games they sponsored would bring untold benefit to Torrance. Also supporting the matter was Harry B. Lewis, executive secretary of the chamber, who said he had investigated the proposal of the athletic club thoroughly and that the group was direly in need of immediate aid in order to get started with its football season.

Gilbert asked that the matter be given consideration of the recreation commission and his request prevailed. Powell's motion going unseconded.

In the audience awaiting the action were Bill Gvazdauskas, president, and Don Peek, secretary, and other members of the athletic club.

### Leash Law Charges Bring Fines of \$3.00, Suspended

For violation of the leash law, Ordinance 344, forbidding owners from allowing their canine pets to run loose, City Judge Otto B. Willett fined Earl Graham and John Oursler, both of Torrance, \$8.00 each, suspended, following their pleas of guilty in City Court on Oct. 6.

The Torrance ordinance, county laws and Los Angeles city ordinances require that all dogs be kept on leash or fenced into yards at all times.

FROM PERU, IND. Recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hoaking were Mr. and Mrs. George Rhineberger of Peru, Ind. Corp. Robert Rhineberger, their son, is stationed at Fort MacArthur.

### Live Pig Goes As Prize at Benefit Show

Answering the demand of the public regarding the prize announced but undesignated door prize to be given away at the eighth annual Police and Firemen's Vaudeville Show, to be held at the local high school auditorium Friday evening, Oct. 20, the program chairman, Sgt. Bill Evans, today gave out that the much to be desired award is to be a real live pig. "Not the ordinary run of the pen specimen, but one weighing somewhere about 120 pounds, guaranteed of amiable disposition, and to be delivered to the holder of the lucky number bathed, perfumed and adorned with a pink ribbon around its curly tail," Evans said.

However, if the winner of this valued porker should be allergic or in any manner averse to the society of the porcine progeny arrangement has been made by the association to substitute a \$25.00 War Bond to the winner, and in that event a barbecue for the members will be the destiny of Mr. Pig.

At a recent meeting of the association members it was decided that a percentage of the proceeds of the show this year should and will be turned over to the Torrance War Chest, the annual drive scheduled to start in the near future, with Hillman Lee as chairman.

Believing this to be one of the best balanced programs that they have been able to obtain, the ten all-professional vaudeville acts that make up the show will provide two full hours of entertainment, of sufficient variety to please the most exacting, said Sgt. Evans.

The Walter Trask Theatrical agency, with Neal Abel as representative, is again providing the talent for the show.

FORMER PATIENT Miss Loretta O'Dresse, a former patient of Dr. K. F. Sietmann, arrived Sunday from San Francisco for a course of chiropractic treatments.

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Libby Deviled Ham . . . . 3-oz. 15c  
Can  
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Glass  
Superior Raviolis . . . . 1-lb. 17c  
Glass  
Chili Con Carne Van Camps . . 17-oz. 29c  
Glass  
Peach Preserves Prince . . . 1-lb. 22c  
Glass  
Prince De Luxe Plum Preserves . . 2-lb. 23c  
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Heinz Chicken-A-Soup . . . . 15c  
Beef Noodle . . 14c Pkg.  
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