

OPA Consolidates Field Staffs

Consolidation of the field staff of the Los Angeles district OPA office was ordered today by Frank S. Balthis, Jr., district director as part of a nationwide plan for more efficient supervision of the local OPA boards.

G. A. McCall Retires as P. E. Storekeeper

G. A. McCall, storekeeper at the local Pacific Electric shops for the past 24 years, was retired from active duty this month.

McCall had been in the employ of Pacific Electric for 42 years, having entered their service in 1902. His duties had been largely confined to those of storekeeper during the entire period of his service—first as yard storekeeper at Graham Yards in Los Angeles, then at the 7th and Alameda store which was destroyed by fire in 1919.

In 1920, McCall assumed charge of the company's principal store at Torrance shops, which position he held until his retirement.

Charles S. Stock, former Torrance resident and storekeeper in charge of engineering and electrical department material at Torrance shop since 1920, assumes the position made vacant by McCall's retirement.

Stock has been railroaded since 1905 when he entered the service of the Los Angeles-Redondo Railway Co. He was made storekeeper at Redondo in 1914 and later served in the same capacity at the Sherman Yards in West Hollywood.

Both McCall and Stock have made many friends in Torrance during their long association with Pacific Electric who will wish to extend congratulations and best wishes.

Eastman Repairs Ordnance at Battle Front

Pvt. Darrell C. Eastman, whose wife, Mrs. Lola Eastman, resides at 1735 Date st., is with the U. S. Supply Forces in France at a U. S. Army ordnance collecting point. Some-times operating close behind the battle area the point receives all damaged fighting equipment that comes back from the front lines, repairing and maintaining thousands of combat vehicles, instruments, small arms, artillery and tanks every month.

Located in the wide open spaces of French fields, this collection battalion is supporting the advancing armies by keeping their equipment in tip-top condition for the liberation of Europe. Medium automotive and heavy tank and automotive maintenance companies along with field artillery and tire repair units are combining their efforts and operations.

As Master Sergeant Max Cooley, 32, son of Mr. Walter Cooley of 58 Snyder Terrace, Uniontown, Pa., said, "We are receiving all the damaged equipment here regardless of the condition and before it leaves it is as good as new. We feel our men are the best in the business and we have plenty of parts in stock to complete the work that has to be done."

As the abandoned equipment is evacuated from the fields and roadways to the control point of the collecting station it is inspected and assigned to the various units for repair. Since operating in France this battalion has serviced more than 15,000 items per month.

Working on a 24-hour schedule these men have kept the fighting arms of Uncle Sam's boys in full repair and have saved at least 90 per cent of all the equipment turned in to them.

MOBILE KITCHENS Mobile kitchens of the British War Relief Society, financed by the War Chest, now are on the battlefields of France, serving our fighting forces. In addition to food and drink facilities, their equipment includes a library, radio set, phonograph and records, and sound film projector.

Letters to Editor

(Editor's note—The following letter by a 12-year-old schoolboy was handed to the editor by a Torrance business man who feels it contains a message that everyone should realize, one which should govern every person qualified to exercise his right of franchise. A prize-winning essay, it is printed in the hope that—if other means fail—a "little child shall lead them" to their election day duty.)

Editor Torrance Herald: Have you registered? Will you vote? I ask you this because I believe that every American should exercise his or her right to vote in this coming election.

If you and the millions of other Americans like you fail to vote this country will not be what it stands for. Men will take office without popular vote and when this happens we are organizing the very thing we fight today, government in the hands of a few.

This is the best way I know how to explain it. A democracy is where the leader carries out the wishes of the people. A dictatorship is where the people carry out the wishes of their leader. As President Lincoln said at Gettysburg, we should have a "government of the people, by the people and for the people."

America is the only nation that has held a general election during wartime. But it is shameful to look at the American voting record. President Roosevelt said in a recent radio address that "in 1920 49% of the people who could vote failed to go to the polls. In 1940 it was about 20% more." In 1944 let's make it 100%.

—Alton Leib, 12.

Cadet Delano Is Head of His Group in Class

Aviation Cadet David W. Delano, 19, Torrance, Calif., has been appointed group commander of his class in the Advanced Navigation school at Ellington Field, Texas, station of the Army Air Forces Training Command.

Cadet Delano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Delano, 2567 Sonoma st., Torrance, is a former student of Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif.

This station is a training field for advanced navigators and Air Transport Command pilots.

FEED THOUSANDS During the first three weeks of the invasion of France, United States Seamen's Service, which your War Chest contributions help support, provided food and lodgings for 23 crews of more than 1,000 men, arriving round-the-clock at an English seaport.

"Public Notices"

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS Fictitious Firm Name THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that we are conducting a variety business at 1219 El Prado Ave., City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, in and for said County and State.

THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that he is conducting a building material business at 1826 213th St., Torrance, California, under the fictitious firm name of Construction Materials Co., and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit: Merritt E. Stokoe, 705E Sartori Ave., Torrance, Calif.

WITNESS our hands this 25 day of October, 1944.

MERRITT E. STOKOE VARRA T. STOKOE State of California County of Los Angeles) ss.

ON THIS 25th day of October, A.D., 1944, before me Chas. Mitschrich, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Merritt E. Stokoe and Varrar T. Stokoe, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within Instrument, and acknowledged to me that they 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.

(Seal) CHAS. MITSCHRICH Notary Public in and for said County and State. My commission expires Oct. 9, 1948.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION SHERIFF'S SALE No. 0 1705

IN THE MATTER OF INCOME TAX LIABILITY OF HIROSHI YAMAGUCHI and TOKIYE AKUNE YAMAGUCHI, his wife, Taxpayers.

By virtue of a warrant issued by State of California Bank and Corporation Franchise Tax Commissioner, Income Tax Division, County of California, in the Matter of Income Tax Liability of Hiroshi Yamaguchi and Tokiye Akune Yamaguchi, his wife, Taxpayers, and to me delivered on the 1st day of September, A.D., 1944, for the sum of Eight Thousand Ninety-Seven & 42/100 (\$8,097.42) Dollars lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said Taxpayers, of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL 1. The northeast quarter of Lot 32, Meadow Park Tract, as shown on Map recorded in Book 15, Page 60, of Miscellaneous Records of the County of Los Angeles. Excepting therefrom that portion of said lot described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of a line which is westerly 30 feet at right angles from the easterly line of said lot and a line which is southerly 30 feet at right angles from the northerly line of said lot; thence southerly parallel with the easterly line of said lot 120.5 feet; thence westerly parallel with the northerly line of said lot 121.81 feet; thence northerly parallel with the easterly line of said lot 120.5 feet; thence easterly 121.81 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL 2. The south 131 feet of the north 287.24 feet of lot eighteen (18) in Tract No. 6378, as per map recorded in Book 68, pages 1 and 2 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of California. Excepting therefrom the east 160 feet of the south 57 feet, and also excepting therefrom the east 25 feet deeded to the County of Los Angeles, for street purposes, also excepting one-half

of rights, which are hereby retained to the sellers. Subject to the taxes for 1941-1942, rights of way and easements of record, and covenants and conditions imposed by deed recorded in Book 5132, Page 97, Official Records of Los Angeles County, State of California.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I will, on Monday the 6th day of November, A.D. 1944, at 12:00 o'clock M. of that day, at the East Entrance to the Hall of Justice, city of and County of Los Angeles, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said Taxpayers, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy sufficient to satisfy said Warrant with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Date: This 12th day of October, 1944.

E. W. BISCALLUZ Sheriff of Los Angeles County By R. W. Carter, Deputy Sheriff F. R. McReynolds, Area Income Tax Supervisor 206 State Bldg., L. A. 12 Warr. No. 1040 Oct. 12-19-26-Nov. 2

CERTIFICATE FOR TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that he is conducting a building material business at 1826 213th St., Torrance, California, under the fictitious firm name of Construction Materials Co., and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names in full and places of residence are as follows, to wit:

C. P. OLSON, 1924 Beverly Way, Long Beach 4, California. WITNESS my hand this 27th day of October, 1944.

C. P. OLSON State of California) County of Los Angeles) ss.

ON THIS 27th day of October, A.D. 1944, before me, J. F. Moroney, County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, personally appeared C. P. Olson, 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 the seal of the Superior Court of said State, and written.

J. F. MORONEY County Clerk (Seal) By A. L. WALTON, Deputy. Nov. 2-9-16-23

PUBLIC NOTICE REASON FOR ISSUING STATEMENT, CONFORMING TO SECTION 11,663 of the Election Code of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

James J. O'Toole, member of the Funds Committee and Veterans Officer of Post 3251, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Torrance, California, as the proponent of Referendum Petition requesting the repeal of the placing on the ballot of Ordinance 360 of the City of Torrance, states as follows:

"The aforesaid Ordinance No. 360 of the City of Torrance, if allowed to become effective, will deprive Post No. 3251, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of needed revenue to carry on re-habilitation and hospitalization work, and also funds for future service officers who will act as liaison officers and contact men between the United States Government and veterans of World War II."

"Service officers of veteran organizations are the only legal representatives for the presentation of veterans claims, pensions, hospitalization for veterans, as provided by Act of Congress. Service officers of veteran organizations can only be paid for their work by their organization chapters, under the terms of the statutes."

Signed: JAMES J. O'TOOLE Dated: October 31, 1944. Nov. 2

October 31, 1944 State of California) County of Los Angeles) ss.

James J. O'Toole being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he has filed with the office of the City Clerk, A. H. Bartlett, City of Torrance, California, all of the Referendum petitions which were circulated in connection with city Ordinance No. 360, within the time prescribed by law. That these are all of the petitions that were circulated in connection with said measure. That the city clerk received all of said petitions within the time prescribed by law from affiant who is the proponent of the referendum measure.

Signed: JAMES J. O'TOOLE Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 1944.

ALBERT ISEN Notary Public Nov. 2

CLASSIFIED ADS

RATES INFORMATION

Table with columns: Words, Time, Rate. Includes rates for 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 words and for each additional 5 words.

Card of Thanks

WE WISH to thank our many friends for their kindnesses and beautiful floral offerings during our recent bereavement in the death of our beloved father, Charles Gibson. We especially wish to thank F. & M. Lodge for conducting the funeral rites.

Signed: Mrs. Lillias Foster-George C. Gibson

Cemeteries

PACIFIC CREST

Lost and Found

LOST—Small, white, long-haired female dog. Little yellow on chest, long tail, four-year-old, girl's pet. Answers to "Putsey." Return to 1828 Post Ave., Torrance.

Personals

ON AND AFTER this date I will not be responsible for debts contracted by others than myself.

Signed: Oliver A. Bryan 25415 Eshelman ave., Lomita, Calif.

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PHONE TORRANCE 269 NOW—ENDS SATURDAY "KID FROM SPAIN" with EDDIE CANTOR

—also— "STAGE COACH" with JOHN WAYNE

SUN. - MON. - TUES. "GOING MY WAY" with BING CROSBY

—also— "AMERICANS ALL" NEXT WK.—STARTS WED.

"THE SEVENTH CROSS" —also— "EVER SINCE VENUS"

TORRANCE THEATRE PHONE TORRANCE 132

NOW—ENDS SATURDAY "FLIGHT LIEUTENANT" —also— "THE LAST HORSEMAN"

SUN. - MON. - TUES. "FOLLOW THE LEADER" —also— "LEAVE IT TO THE IRISH"

GARDEN THEATRE PHONE MENLO 4-2252

EARPHONES FOR HARD-OF-HEARING CRYING ROOMS FOR BABIES NOW—ENDS SATURDAY "JANIE" —also— "LEAVE IT TO THE IRISH"

SUN. - MON. - TUES. "THE STORY OF DR. WASSELL" —also— "MILLION DOLLAR KID"

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—also— Jane Wyman, Jerome Cowan "CRIME BY NIGHT"

Sun., Mon., Tues., Nov. 5-6-7 JOYCE REYNOLDS and ROBERT HUTTON in "JANIE"

—also— Gloria Jean and Henry Stephenson in "RECKLESS AGE"

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—also— "THE FALCON IN MEXICO"

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