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POLICE STATION OUTGROWN ... Torrance is not the small town it was when the present police station was built, and on Aug. 20 the people will be asked to approve a bond issue to provide a new central fire station and vote funds to convert the present fire station into a police headquarters. Reduced insurance rates will pay for the improvements, officials declare.

Booklet Gives Details For War Dead Return

The first authoritative booklet on the Repatriation Program to be published since it was signed into law by President Truman on May 15 is now being released to members of the National Selected Morticians, Inc. on behalf of the entire field of funeral service.

A sample copy of the attractive 16-page question-and-answer booklet, which is entitled "Return of Our Gold Star Heroes," has been received from N. S. M. headquarters in Chicago by J. Hugh Sherfey Jr., of Stone and Myers, Torrance. He said that he has ordered a quantity of copies that will be distributed from the funeral establishment as soon as they are received.

"This is one of the most outstanding public service endeavors ever undertaken by the mortuary profession," Sherfey said. "The N. S. M. rushed the brochure into print as quickly as possible in order to thwart racketeers who might plan to wring profits from Gold Star families by selling repatriation information 'services' or books."

"Repatriation is a tender subject and a sacred one to those who lost loved ones in the war. 'Return of Our Gold Star Heroes' neither advocates nor disparages repatriation. This belief, that repatriation should be decided exclusively by the next-of-kin of those who gave their lives overseas, is the official stand of the N. S. M. and of our funeral staff," Sherfey said.

The booklet is dedicated "on behalf of the entire field of funeral service in sympathetic understanding and appreciation of the grief and heartaches of the mothers and fathers, brothers and sisters, and wives and sweethearts of America's Gold Star heroes of World War II."

Sherfey said that the booklet answers, in plain language, the questions most frequently asked about repatriation by the next-of-kin and the general public. The copyright forbids reproduction of the contents of the brochure for commercial purposes. However, the N. S. M., Sherfey said, will make the booklet available, at cost of printing and handling, to reputable patriotic and fraternal organizations for non-commercial distribution.

County Bond Issue Propositions On Ballot Aug. 6 Win C. Of C. Support

The seven proposed county bond issues, totaling \$44,475,000, which will be submitted to the voters at a special election Aug. 6, merit the approval of all citizens interested in the physical, moral, cultural and material well-being of the people of Torrance, the directors of the Chamber of Commerce decided Tuesday night.

The proposed improvements are: Courthouse and office building, \$19,000,000; county jail, \$5,000,000; juvenile detention home, \$2,000,000; greater beach parks, \$8,200,000; museum and Hancock Park landscaping, \$3,000,000; county art institute, \$1,275,000, and incinerators, \$8,000,000.

The propositions are listed more fully on page B-1 of this edition, and many of them are self-liquidating.

From the basic standpoint of sound financing, the issuance of bonds for essential public needs is justified particularly at this time because of favorable interest rates and also because of the excellent condition of county finances, the chamber said.

The county now has no bonded indebtedness.

Bonds will be sold only as funds are needed and after an extended period of preparation which will defer actual construction operations until market conditions are more stable.

Crowded courtrooms and the county's present and increasing requirements for greater office space are primary considerations in submission of the court-

APRIL TRAFFIC TOLL
 The April traffic death toll reached 2,650—a 47 percent increase over April of last year, and 1 percent more than the same month of 1941, America's most deadly traffic year.

FRUIT INDUSTRY
 California's major fruit and nut crops for 1946-46 is estimated by the California Cooperative Reporting Service at 7,492,600 tons, valued at \$604,277,000.

"Public Notices"

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE
 No. 23810
 In the Matter of the Estate of MAGGIE SAVAGE, Deceased.
 Notice is hereby given that the petition of ANNE SAVAGE for the Probate of the Will of the above-named deceased and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to Petitioner will be heard at 9:30 o'clock A.M., on August 16, 1946, at the court room of Department 24, of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
 Dated July 22, 1946.
 J. F. MORONEY, County Clerk.
 By J. KARP, Deputy.
 Chas. T. Rippey
 1331 Post Ave.
 Torrance, Calif.
 Attorney for Petitioner
 July 25—Aug. 1-8.

Confidential Message to housewives!



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Looters Active During Saturday Morning Fire

Routing sleepers from their homes early Saturday morning, a raging fire which destroyed seven garages and damaged two apartments at the 930 Arling-ton ave. courts, was battled by local firemen for nearly three hours before the blaze was brought under control, Fire Chief J. E. McMaster reports.

An estimated \$700 in damages was said to have been caused to a late model automobile parked in one of the garages, which belongs to Mrs. Viola Anderson, resident of the court.

The fire, cause of which has not been determined, is believed by firemen to have started in Mrs. Anderson's garage and from there spread to other garages and the apartments of R. C. Clouch and L. R. Wagner.

Owner of the property, Don Findley, estimated the loss at \$3,800.

McMaster said the intensity of the heat melted a gas meter box attached near the court, which shot gas flames into the surrounding woodwork, hampering firemen in their efforts to subdue the raging fire.

Two persons, among the large crowd attracted to the scene, were victims of burglary during their absence. Mrs. Phila Goodie, 922 Sartori ave., reported the loss of \$40 in cash and jewelry valued at \$85.

Mrs. H. Ortun, 828 Sartori ave., told police that thieves took \$30 in cash from her apartment during the short time she was away.

NEVER DO THIS
 Don't insist on your rites, warns the National Safety Council.

"Public Notices"

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing will be held before the Planning Commission of the City of Torrance, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, August 6, 1946, to consider the petition of Angelina Tedesco requesting that the alley in Block "F", Tract No. 1506 be vacated, with the retention of an easement for sewer and other public utilities. This property is in an R-1 (Single Family Residential) Zone.

All persons interested in the above Petition are requested to be present at this hearing, or to submit their written approval or disapproval to the City Engineer's Office, City Hall, TORRANCE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION TOM F. MCGUIRE, Chairman, July 25.

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AUGUST 20, 1946

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