

A prominent geologist remarks that "it is self-evident that a study of the earth is fundamental to the enjoyment thereof." We agree. And we know of no better way to study it than on a quiet afternoon, under the shade of a tree and on the banks of a creek with a fish pole along to prove that we are there on business and not just fiddling away our time.

MONO FISHING REPORT

Fair catches of small Rainbow and Loch Leven from Mammoth and Hot Creeks, Mono County. Fishing is slow, but improving in Mammoth Lakes, Sherman and Convict Lakes. Trumbull Lake has been good in afternoon with flies. Grant Lake picking up a little and more people are fishing it June

Federal Inspections Of State Guard Units Taking Place During Week

Federal inspection of California State Guard units of the Second Battalion, 39th Regiment, are being conducted on order of the Adjutant General's Department by request of the office of General Joseph W. Stilwell, commanding general, Sixth Army. Company A, 2nd Battalion, 39th Regiment, was inspected on Tuesday night at the State Armory in Long Beach. Capt. Charles C. Church is commanding officer. Company H, Torrance, commanded by Capt. R. L. Lewellen, will be inspected on Monday

High School S'42 Class Will Hold Reunion Aug. 24

Members of the S'42 class of Torrance High School will have a class reunion in the American Legion hall, Redondo Beach, on Aug. 24. There will be a dance in connection with the affair. Any members of the class who want tickets are asked to contact Marcia McWald, Agnes Barnett, Jean Gould, Charles Stanley, Frank Kelly, Bill Moon, Bob Lewellen, Jr., or Jack Bynum.

AVERAGE AUTO COST

Average cost of driving a motor car a mile in 1902 was 18 cents; by 1938 it had dropped to 3.1 cents.

"Public Notices"

ORDINANCE No. 370 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, ORDERING, CALLING, PROVIDING FOR, AND GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE ON THE 20TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1946, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID CITY SEVEN PROPOSITIONS TO INCUR BONDED INDEBTEDNESS BY SAID CITY FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, did, on the 18th day of June, 1946, by a vote of more than two-thirds of the members of said City Council, adopt Resolution No. 1780 entitled "Resolution of the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, determining that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition and construction of certain municipal improvements, and making findings relative thereto," which said resolution was duly signed and approved by the Mayor of said City and attested and certified by the City Clerk of said City:

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Torrance DOES ORDAIN as follows: Section 1. That a special election be held, and the same is hereby called to be held, in the City of Torrance, California, on the 20th day of August, 1946, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said City seven propositions of incurring indebtedness and issuing bonds of said City therefor, in the amounts hereinafter set forth, and for the objects and purposes set forth in said resolution and hereinafter stated.

Section 2. That the objects and purposes for which said indebtednesses are proposed to be incurred and bonds issued therefor are as follows: BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: trunk sanitary sewers.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: storm drains for the drainage of surface, storm and flood waters of the City of Torrance.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 3: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: the reconstruction of the present central fire station as a police station and municipal court building and the construction of additions thereto, including the acquisition of all apparatus, equipment, furniture and furnishings necessary therefor.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 4: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: the grading, paving, surfacing and resurfacing, of streets and alleys in the City of Torrance, including the acquisition of all culverts and drainage structures necessary therefor.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 5: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: recreation facilities, including the acquisition and construction of buildings, a ball park stadium, a municipal swimming pool, a pedestrian tunnel beneath the railway to connect parks, the illumination of parks and playgrounds, and the acquisition of all land, rights of way, furniture, furnishings, apparatus and equipment necessary therefor.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 6: The acquisition and construction by the City of Torrance of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: trunk sanitary sewers.

ment, to wit: a water main, including the acquisition of all valves, fittings and pipe necessary therefor.

Section 3. That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 1 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000.00).

That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 2 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000.00).

That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 3 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000.00).

That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 4 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00).

That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 5 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of four hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$480,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of four hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$480,000.00).

That the estimated cost of the proposed municipal improvement described in Bond Proposition No. 6 of Section 2 hereof is the sum of four hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$480,000.00); and that the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is the sum of four hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$480,000.00).

That the maximum rate of interest to be paid on any indebtedness incurred for any of the purposes stated in this ordinance shall not exceed four percent (4%) per annum, payable semi-annually.

That if any proposition for the incurring of bonded indebtedness so submitted receives the requisite number of votes, to wit: two-thirds of the votes of the qualified voters voting on said proposition, bonds of said City, in not exceeding the principal amount stated in such proposition, shall be issued and sold for the objects and purposes set forth in said proposition.

Section 4. That the polls for said election shall be opened at seven o'clock A.M., of the day of said election, and shall remain open continuously from said time until seven o'clock P.M., of the same day, when said polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 5734 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

That on the ballots to be used at said special election, in addition to any other matters required by law, there shall be printed substantially the following:

Mark crosses (X) on ballot ONLY WITH RUBBER STAMP; never with pen or pencil. (ABSENTEE BALLOTS may be marked with PEN AND INK OR PENCIL.)

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS To vote on any measure, stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the word "Yes" or after the word "No." All marks, except the cross (X), are forbidden. All distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you wrongly stamp, tear, or deface this ballot, return it to the inspector of election and obtain another. On absent voter's ballots mark a cross (X) with pen or pencil.

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 7: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$350,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: trunk sanitary sewers?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$95,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: storm drains for the drainage of surface, storm and flood waters of the City of Torrance?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 3: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$125,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: fire stations and a training tower, including the acquisition of all land, apparatus, equipment, furniture and furnishings necessary therefor?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 4: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$60,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: the reconstruction of the present central fire station as a police station and municipal court building and the construction of additions thereto, including the acquisition of all apparatus, equipment, furniture and furnishings necessary therefor?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 5: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$400,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: the grading, paving, surfacing and resurfacing, of streets and alleys in the City of Torrance, including the construction of all culverts and drainage structures necessary therefor?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 6: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$480,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: recreation facilities, including the acquisition and construction of buildings, a ball park stadium, a municipal swimming pool, a pedestrian tunnel beneath the railway to connect parks, the illumination of parks and playgrounds, and the acquisition of all land, rights of way, furniture, furnishings, apparatus and equipment necessary therefor?

BOND PROPOSITION NO. 7: Shall the City of Torrance incur a bonded indebtedness in the principal sum of \$480,000.00 for the purpose of the acquisition and construction by said City of a certain municipal improvement, to wit: a water main, including the acquisition of all valves, fittings and pipe necessary therefor?

A cross (X) stamped in the voting square after the word "YES" shall be counted in favor of the adoption of the question or proposition. A cross (X) stamped in the voting square after the word "NO" shall be counted against the adoption of the question or proposition.

Section 5. That for the purpose of holding said election the voting precincts shall consist of the seventeen (17) regular election precincts in the city of Torrance as now established for the holding of state and county elections and numbered one (1) to seventeen (17) inclusive; and that the polling places in and for each of the respective precincts shall be the places herein after designated, and that the persons hereinafter named, be-

ing competent and qualified electors and residents of said City and of their respective voting precincts, are hereby appointed officers of election for their respective voting precincts, and they shall hold said election and make return thereof in the manner provided by law. The numbers of said precincts, the polling places and the election of officers therefor are as follows, to wit: Precinct No. 1: Polling Place: 18002 Prairie Avenue

Precinct No. 2: Polling Place: 2563 El Dorado Street Precinct No. 3: Polling Place: 716 Border Avenue Precinct No. 4: Polling Place: 1723 Andree Avenue

Precinct No. 5: Polling Place: 1322 Engracia Avenue Precinct No. 6: Polling Place: 2305 Torrance Boulevard Precinct No. 7: Polling Place: 1317 Beech Avenue

Precinct No. 8: Polling Place: 1804 Arlington Avenue Precinct No. 9: Polling Place: 2417 Andree Avenue Precinct No. 10: Polling Place: 23720 Narbonne

Precinct No. 11: Polling Place: 2463 West Carson Street Precinct No. 12: Polling Place: 22504 Ocean Avenue, Walteria

Precinct No. 13: Polling Place: 808 Cota Avenue Precinct No. 14: Polling Place: 1918 Andree Avenue Precinct No. 15: Polling Place: 24404 Hawthorne Boulevard

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Santa Fe ..that's the System! One shipper tells another: the way to get better on-time delivery of freight shipments to and from the West and Southwest is to ship Santa Fe. Here are some of the reasons Santa Fe keeps freight service "on the advertised" (which is railroad language for "on-time performance").

Lillian Leveson Complimented. Miss Lillian Leveson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leveson, 24832 Narbonne ave., whose marriage to CBM Luther Adams, USN, was solemnized Sunday afternoon at the Wayside chapel, was complimented last week by Mrs. L. A. Sivard, 24332 Lucille ave.

Those honoring the bride-elect with gifts for her future home included Messrs. and Mrs. John Lindsey, John Cummins, Jim Carey, Gail Blair, H. Felix, Milton Anderson, Miss Coffee Cox, Frank Anderson, Mmes. Lee Bradley, Ed Vetter, H. Corey and Bob Tryton. Also present were the bride-elect, Miss Leveson, her fiancé, Luther Adams, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Sivard.

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