



Vestry Members Elected By St. Andrews Church

Elected to the Vestry of St. Andrews' church at the recent annual business meeting for three year terms are Edward Rhone, Frank Church, Carl Lane and Paul Watson. J. E. Toews was appointed senior warden by the rector, the Rev. Torben R. Olsen.

The retiring vestrymen are Wallace Post, A. C. Turner, Charles Stewart, all of Torrance, and Dave Jones of Walteria.

N. A. Williamson was elected church treasurer and Charles Eade, clerk of the Vestry.

The following were elected delegates to the Long Beach Convocation: Frank Church and Chas. Eade, Lomita; Earl Campbell, Redondo Beach; Geo. Munyer, Mrs. Betty Turner, Mrs. Bettina Miller and Miss Esther Maxwell, all of Torrance.

Reports from the following organizations were given: Altar Guild, by Mrs. Anna Sandstrom; St. Cecilia's Guild, Mrs. Jean Davis; Woman's Auxiliary, Mrs. Erma Carstens; Gardena Guild, Mrs. Katherine Toews; Men's Club, J. E. Toews; church school, Miss Virginia Berek;

Girl Scouts, Mrs. Lovona Williamson; Boy Scouts, Walter Silence and Cubs by Luke Nickel.

At a short session following the Parish meeting, the vestry elected O. W. Hakanson as junior warden.

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY—Little Jim Farley, grandson of a former California Senator, demonstrates to Governor Earl Warren how his pioneer ancestors planned for gold and invites the Governor to attend the first of California's three-year program of Centennial celebrations, the Discovery of Gold at Coloma, El Dorado County, on January 24, 1948. Governor Warren accepted with pleasure, saying, "There is much to inspire us in the celebration of these events, for they bring to mind vividly the progress which we have made during the last one hundred years."

GOLF LEASE ON ALONDRA PARK BEING STUDIED

Supervisor Raymond V. Darby said today that he had requested an opinion from County Counsel Harold Kennedy as to whether the County could lease a golf course at a rental of \$1,000 a month with a proposal that \$200,000 would be expended by the lessee for improvements.

Offer was made through the law offices of Arthur L. Erb, Beverly Hills, for a client by the name of Mark Robin, Darby stated.

NEUROTIC SYMPTOMS

All persons are likely to exhibit neurotic symptoms when life becomes too complex and difficult.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TAX RETURNS DUE

Returns for state unemployment insurance taxes for the fourth quarter of 1947 are now due, according to Elvin L. Funder, auditor-in-charge of the Long Beach audit district office of the California Department of Employment.

"Interest and penalties will be charged if the tax is not paid on or before Jan. 31," Funder declared.

MEDICAL SERVICE

The Veterans Administration medical service in the Branch service 12 area (California, Arizona, Nevada and Hawaii) cares for an average of more than 12,500 patients a day in VA hospitals, contract hospitals and domiciliary homes.

Pierson's Grades High

Stanley A. Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pierson of Torrance, was one of 227 undergraduate students at the University of Oregon making an average grade of 3.5 or better for the fall term, according to a University of Oregon news release.

The grade point average is based on a minimum of 12 term hours or more of study. Nineteen students made a perfect grade of 4.0, all "A's." Pierson, a journalism student at University of Oregon, has spent the last two vacations from his classroom work as a reporter for the Torrance Herald.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—C. Miles Northrup, pastor; Carson and Martina sts. Telephone 148. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Service, 10:45 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Great Service for all. BYPU, 6:30 p.m.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Arlington at Marcolina. H. Wesley Roloff, M. Th. minister, phone 131. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Service 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship 7:00 p.m. Sunday. Youth choir rehearsal at 8:00. Midweek Prayer Fellowship, 7:00 p.m. Thursdays; choir rehearsal at 8:00. Regular monthly meetings, Sunday school worker's conference, 1st Monday at 7:30; World Society for World Service, Tuesday at 2:00; Ladies' Guild, 2nd Wednesday at 2:00; Administrative conference, 3rd Wednesday at 7:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—New edifice, 1217 Cravens ave., Torrance. Rev. C. Cannon, minister. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Service 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Young people's meeting 6:15 p.m. Sunday school, 7:30 a.m. and study, Thursday, 8:00, youth night.

KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Rev. Charlotte Shook, 435 W. 220th st., Torrance. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Services 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Christ Ambassadors service Sunday, 7 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting, testimonies and short sermon, Monday through Friday prayer service from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. All are invited.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS—Bishop Eugene D. Young, American Legion hall, 165th and Normandie, Gardena. Sunday, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Sacrament meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. mutual, Saturday, 10:30 a.m., primary.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. S. Martin Eidsath, pastor, Cardena Blvd. at Manhattan pl., Gardena. Phone 5210. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Service, 11:00 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Westminster Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH—1414 Menmuir, M.A., B.D., pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Services, 10:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Service, 11:00 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Westminister Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE NA-TIVITY—Engracia and Manuel ayes, Rev. Fr. Patrick J. McGuinness, pastor; Rev. Thomas Cosgrove, assistant pastor. Telephone 432. Masses, Sunday, 8:00, 9:30, 12, 6, 7:30. Week day Mass: 7:30 a.m. Novena services to Sacred Heart Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Devotions to Sacred Heart, first Friday 6 and 7:30 a.m. Classes for converts, Monday evening, 7:30 p.m. Baptisms, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. First Friday, 9:45 a.m. Confessions: Saturday 4 to 6 p.m., 7:30 to 9 p.m.; eves of Holy days and first Friday, 7:30 a.m. Catechism classes: Wednesday at 3 p.m.; Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

MISSION JERUSALEM—Rev. V. P. Rodriguez, pastor, 2220 203rd st., Palmdale. Phone 2104. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Escuela Dominical, afternoon service, 2:30. Mir, 7:30, servicio evangelico, Lunes: Oracion a las 2:30.

FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL—Mrs. Geo. H. Piles, pastor, 2654 Belle Porte ave., Harbor City. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 11:00 a.m. Crusader services, 8:00 p.m. Evangelical service, 7:30 p.m. Services Wednesday and Friday nights, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—212 21st st. and Main ave. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 p.m. Reading room at 1750 Main ave., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. each week day.

NAZARENE CHURCH—W. A. Penner, pastor, 2654 Belle Porte ave., Harbor City. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Service 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Young People's meeting 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Prayer and Pasting service Friday, 11 a.m.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH—Accacia and Sonoma avenues. Phone 591. L. C. C. Pederson, temporary pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Service 10:45 a.m.

COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. John E. Orr, pastor, phone 1172-W. 2154 24th st., Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Five departments with classes for all ages. Service 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor 8:30 p.m. Prayer Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Choir practice Tuesday evening at 7:30. Youth choir Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

SAINT ANDREW'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—English a c i a, across from the Torrance hospital. The Rev. Torben R. Olsen, rector. Phone, Torrance 560 and 2140. Services, Sunday, 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 9:30 a.m., church school and adult Bible class; 11 a.m., Holy Communion. First Sunday of the month. Morning prayer other Sundays. Organizations: vestry meets third Wednesday at 8 p.m.; St. Cecilia's Guild meets second and fourth Wednesdays, 8 p.m.; Woman's Auxiliary meets second and fourth Thursdays, 11 a.m.; Men's Club meets third Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Young Churchmen's League, Sundays at 6:30 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. Clyde E. Ruckman pastor, 1620 Manuel ave., phone 2052. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11:00 a.m. Youth services, 7:00 p.m., rehearsal for the youth choir, 8:00 p.m., youth fellowship worship and study, Thursday, 7:30 p.m., choir rehearsal at the church.

Torben Olsen Instituted As Rector Here

Bishop Gooden officiated at the institution of the Rev. Torben R. Olsen as rector of St.



REV. TORBEN R. OLSEN

Andrew's parish, Tuesday evening Jan. 13.

The two wardens of the church, J. E. Toews of Gardena and O. W. Hakanson, of Torrance, were at the altar rail and the keys of the church were turned over to the rector by Senior Warden Toews.

During the service the choir sang "My God and I" (Sergei), with Miss Amy Bourquin as organist.

The sermon for the evening was given by Bishop Gooden.

Army Extends West Point Nominations

Brig. Gen. Daniel R. Hudelson, commanding general of Southern California's 40th Division, announced the deadline for nomination of eligible national guardsmen for entrance to the United States Military Academy at West Point for the Class of 1952 has been extended to Feb. 1, 1948.

Applicants must meet the physical and academic requirements prescribed in the Academy catalog. In addition they must have one year's service in a federally recognized unit of the National Guard, Hudelson said.

National Guard candidates who will have completed the required one year of service by July 1, 1948 may also apply under the Feb. 1, 1948 deadline.

Applications may be filed through unit commanders in 28 cities of the 40th Division area. Nominations of California guardsmen will be made by Governor Earl Warren.

"This is a great opportunity to receive a four-year college education leading to a lifetime career in the regular army," the general declared.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD—1317 Cravens ave., Ida W. Sande, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Midweek services Tuesday and Friday at 7:30 p.m.

TORRANCE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY CHURCH—Paul H. Perry, pastor, 1747 Border ave., phone 1505-W. Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; morning service, 10:45 a.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m. Young People's meeting, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday and Friday nights 7:30 p.m.

Irrigation Needed Due To Lack Of Rain

By Agricultural Extension Service, Los Angeles County

In spite of the hopes and prayers of a good many million people, nearly all of California is dangerously short on rainfall. This certainly is true in all of Los Angeles county. What are we going to do about it?

Your fruit trees, berry bushes, and grape vines must have wet soil around all their roots before spring growth starts. Of course, we may get some rain, but it will take 10 inches or a foot to do the job. And Please! We do not want a foot in a one or two day storm. Three or four storms a week or 10 days apart will be a lot better! However, beggars can't be choosers and we'll doubtless take what we get!

If the rains don't come, start irrigating by early February. Put water on peaches, apricots, plums, grapes, berries, figs, and all other deciduous fruit trees. Let the water run long enough so that you know that the soil becomes wet five or six feet deep.

If you have a walnut tree in your yard, remember they root very much deeper. A peach tree may root three feet deep in heavy soil but walnut trees will go down six or eight feet. Peach roots may go down four or five feet in sandy loam but a walnut tree will send roots down 10, 12 or 14 feet in that soil. So let your sprinklers run or keep irrigation furrows filled for a long enough time to wet the soil that deep.

Of course, you have been watering your avocado and citrus trees more or less all winter? During this kind of hot dry weather even in mid-January we use water rapidly and will need irrigating almost as often as during the summer.



CANADA'S ATOMIC ENERGY PLANT—The \$20,000,000 atomic energy plant of Canada's National Research Council at Chalk River, Ontario, is opening new vistas in the realm of physical, chemical and biological research. Within the gates (above) stands the Pile Building (in background), which shelters the atomic pile that provides scientists with radioactive isotopes.

MINIMUM EARNINGS

A veteran may work part-time or full-time and still draw his full subsistence allowance, provided that the wages he earns for such employment, plus his subsistence allowance while attending school, does not total more than \$175 if he has no dependent or dependents, or \$200 a month if he has dependents.

SERVICE DISABILITY

Veterans with service connected injuries or diseases are entitled to treatment in VA outpatient clinics and, in some cases, by private doctors. Outpatient treatment is not available to veterans with non-service connected disabilities.

L.A. GRANTS USE OF SCHOOL LAND FOR HELICOPTER

A contract for use of a portion of the Harbor Area Junior College site for helicopter air mail services until cancelled, was approved by the Los Angeles City Board of Education. Land is to be used by the Post Office department until construction of the college starts, the rent \$1 a month.

NEW WIND TUNNEL

The world's first low-pressure supersonic wind tunnel, duplicating actual pressure conditions up to an altitude of 250,000 feet, has gone into operation at the University of California.

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Wednesday evening, Jan. 28:
THE WEAPON THAT WILL DEFEAT THE ATOMIC BOMB IN THE NEXT WAR—AS DESCRIBED IN BIBLE PROPHECY

Thursday evening, Jan. 29:
IS THE ANTICHRIST ALIVE IN THE WORLD TODAY?

Friday evening, Jan. 30:
HELL OVER HOLLYWOOD—THE TRUTH ABOUT THE MOVIES

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