RECEIVES TROPHY . . . The Cliff Slusser trophy for the best safety record among world-wide plants of The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company during 1947 has been awarded the Torrance synthetic rubber plant of Goodyear. Pictured is R. O. Roath, left, manager of Plant Safety, being congratulated by R. P. Dinsmore, vice president in charge of research and development, for the splendid safety accomplishment of the year. More than 300 employes worked a total of 534,000 hours to earn the trophy.

Keystone 4-H Club To Hold Regular Meeting March 6

The Keystone 4-H Club will hold its regular meeting on Saturday March 6 at 3 o'clock p.m. at the home of the leader, James O. Cayton, 635 W. 214th street.

Two vacancies exist in the present membership quota. Boys between the ages of 10 and 21 years interested in raising livestock or in growing gardens and who wish to join the club are invited to attend this meeting.

Following is a definition of 4-H Club work as written by a leader in Ohio:

"Four-H Club work is that part of the Agricultural Extension Service which deals with rural youth. Young people between the ages of 10 and 21 in a community organize themselves into a group with their own officers and own local program with the guidance of an adult, man or woman, who serves voluntarily. Each member has an individual project centering around a problem of the home or the farm. They raise livestock, crops, make clothing, prepare foods, etc. They serve as officers and on committees of their own club. They have camps, games, songs, plays, exhibits, tours, hikes and social meetings. They work and play together. They learn to do by doing, and to cooperate. The organizers and supervisors in each county are the County Extension agents, employed jointly by the County, State and Federal governments. The County Agricultural agents, the State University of Agriculture and the U. S. Department of Agriculture aid local leaders with direction and instructional material."

REV. BEN C. JOHNSON
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The meetings will continue each night at 7:30, except Monday, through March 14. Special Youth services on Saturday Night.

Torrance Grade School Starts Team Sports

A visitor to Torrance Elementary School at noontime would find considerable activity on the playground. The student body organization recently inaugurated a program of team sports. Ten teams of boys and 10 teams of girls are engaged in playing softball, basketball, volley ball, kickball and base football. Boys compete against boys and girls against girls.

The student body had previously elected Eddie Powell as boys' athletic manager, and Patsy Wilson as the girls' athletic manager. These two pupils and Mr. Schimer, sixth grade teacher, are in charge of these games.

Participation in this program of sports is limited to the 4th, 5th, and 6th grade pupils.

The following pupils were elected captains of the teams: Joseph Lafferty, Donald Hawks, Robert Hanks, Tommy Cook, Tony Herrera, David McBride, Walt McHenry, Wayne Brimley, Bobby Hoff, Edward Powell, Adele Curtiss, Ruth Mumford, Shirley Avadr, Kathie Curtiss, Janet Robinson, Jacquelin Pagac, Janet Atwood, Tonia Perkins, Janet Rovenstine, and Nancy Levesque.

Each week a new tournament ladder is drawn up. Eventually a winner in each of the games will be determined for the entire school.

Elmer Moon, recreation director for Torrance, is aiding in this undertaking by conducting clinics before school in the mornings in the various sports.

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Seaside Ranchos Home Owners Group Formed

Seaside Ranchos Home Owners Association has been formed by the residents of the newly developed residential district in Southwest Torrance, and James M. Hall, attorney, has been named temporary chairman. Mrs. Doris Keller, 5427 Sharynne Lane, is temporary secretary.

A nominating committee consisting of Paul O. Rottger, 23043 Doris Way; Frank M. Jenkins, 5420 Carol Drive; Clinton N. Stark, 5433 Sharynne Lane; Tom McNary, 5304 Reese Road and Hall, who resides at 5405 Sharynne Lane, was appointed. Two other residents will be named to the committee.

The group was initiated by Mrs. Frank Hanover.

George W. Stevens, city administrator, addressed the group at the first meeting, Thursday, and members reported that he made a good impression with the group with suggestion and sympathetic understanding of the problems of the area.

Hall explained the purposes of the association as follows:

1. During an interim period until such time as the City of Torrance is able to increase its services to the home owners in Seaside Ranchos, to organize a volunteer fire protection committee, to inquire as to police protection, emergency telephone service, emergency hospital service and such other matters as might arise in a small community.

2. To maintain home values by adopting reasonable measures to protect residential deed restrictions.

3. To cooperate constructively with the City of Torrance in accomplishing the above aims.

"The meeting was characterized by a friendly spirit and many fine suggestions were made as to how Seaside Ranchos could be benefited and residences protected by proper street lighting, highway traffic controls on Pacific Coast highway and street signs within the tract," Hall said.

"Full recognition was given of the fact that the problems of small cities, such as Torrance, are many, particularly when undergoing such a rapid growth as in the case of Torrance and that patience and cooperation are required before the various objectives can be attained.

"I should like to emphasize the fact that our group is interested in becoming a closer part of the City of Torrance and sharing a respectable part in its future growth and development."

School Use Granted To PTA, Girl Scouts By Education Board

Girl Scout Troop 57 was given permission to use the Walteria School for a meeting place on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month and the use of the Fern Avenue School for one day was granted to its Parent-Teacher Association for the purpose of showing motion pictures during the Easter vacation by the Board of Education at a meeting held Tuesday evening.

Watch Checks Warns Chief

Identify your check passers!

Such was the warning issued to local merchants yesterday by Chief of Police John Stroh after 19 cases of bad checks had been reported to the Police Department in the last 48 hours.

Most frequent violation reported on 25 cases during the last week was for "Maker Unknown," the Chief reported.

Kiwanis Hear Death Valley Trip Report At Regular Meet

Intimate contributions to the knowledge of the club concerning the recent trip by 13 of the members to Death Valley, under the management of Dean Sears, featured the Kiwanis club meeting Monday night in Daniels cafe.

J. Parke Montague showed slide films and B. T. Whitney produced some large photographs of various scenes that took place during the trip.

Pair Fined For Drunk Driving

City Court Clerk Lucille Lewellen reported today that two men, Donald James MacLaren, 419 W. 117th street, and Florencio C. Murillo, 1225 Massey street, were recently found guilty of drunk driving by City Judge Otto B. Willett and sentenced to pay fines of $100 each. Their licenses were suspended period of 90 days.

No Birthday Next Year For Torrance Leap Year Baby

Torrance welcomed its first leap year baby with the arrival of Stephen Ainsworth, five-pound, 12-ounce son, born at 1:40 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Stewart Jr., of 1304 Crenshaw boulevard.

The baby's mother is the former Miss Laura Lu Ainsworth and the grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ainsworth of this city and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stewart Jr., of Gardena.

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Items over $10.00 may be purchased on convenient terms. Sorry, but no phone or mail orders, please. Strictly first come, first you-know-what!

HERE'S A RADIO that's seen better days. The very latest 1946 (!) Model. We sold dozens of them at $28.50 when radios were hard to get. The walnut veneered case is scratched a little, but it has five tubes and plays good. Sure ought to be worth $9.95 to anyone who likes to listen to Bing Crosby.

ONE 14-KT GOLD EDGE CONSOLE SET is all we have left of the dozen we originally bought. We hope the 11 people who paid $5.25 for theirs will understand when we offer our last one for only 98c. (P.S. A Console set is a tray with two matching candlesticks. We didn't know either until someone told us.)

A WIRELESS RECORD PLAYER is lots of fun—if you like that kind of fun. Plays 10 12-inch or 12 10-inch records automatically thru your own radio without any wires to attach. Really broadcasts. A miracle! It'll be a miracle if someone doesn't grab this floor sample that's been marked down from $49.95 to only $26.75. No extra charge for the scratches.

KNOW ANYBODY that's looking for a gasoline lantern? We don't, and that's why we'll be very, very happy if someone will offer only $4.95 for this regular $7.95 brand new Gasoline Lantern. We could wait until summer, but summer's a long way off. Oh me!

A COMBINATION RADIO-PHONOGRAPH in a suitcase sounded like a good idea to us so we bought one. Apparently no one else thought so, for it didn't sell at the manufacturers price of $57.50, and when we marked it down to $39.95 it still hung around. We're trying it now at $27.50. Here's hoping!

A MIRROR BRACKET for your wall is a wonderful idea! You can comb your hair and water the flowers at the same time. These two have been in our store so long we're tired at looking at ourselves. The mirrors are starting to get dark around the edges, and we know they'd never bring $3.25, but honest, they're a real bargain at only 98c each.

WHAT? MORE MIRROR BRACKETS? These are the same, only bigger. There's only two of them and we're sure they'll sell fast, for we've marked them down from $4.50 to $1.25 per each.

OOOPS! MORE MIRROR BRACKETS! Here's two more of the same. These are still bigger, and we used to ask $5.25 each. Take one at $2.50 and the other one (complete with one broken mirror) for only $1.25.

WE'VE GOT ONE KNICK KNACK SHELF that's pretty badly warped, but is just ideal for anyone who has warped knick knacks. If we could un-warp it we'd ask $3.95, but take it as is for only $1.95.

LIKE TO SEE YOURSELF IN THE MORNING or do you scare easily? If you're brave and like to look at all of you at once, you'll really go for these mahogany framed full-length door mirrors. We only have four left and want to clear them out for the new 1949 models with built-in termite exterminators. So come quick, and the first four lucky people will walk out with these regular $9.95 mirrors for just $3.95.

PLASTICS ARE HERE TO STAY. We've got one plastic step table that's overstayed its welcome. It didn't sell at $29.50, and no one wanted it at $29.50, so-o-o-o Here goes again. Take it for only $19.50. (Honest, it's a beauty, and a steal at that price.

ONE STOWAWAY CEDAR CHEST is all that's left of the twenty that came in originally. This feller's so lonesome now that his buddies have all gone we're willing to let someone take him home for just $19.95. He's got a few scratches and marks, but he's been marked down from $37.50.

HERE'S A PERFECTLY GOOD BED-DIVAN with wooden arms, except one of the arms is pretty well broken (boys will be boys) and the cover's a little soiled. Some smart person is going to snap this up, for we've dropped the price from $59.95 to $29.95. (Full of springs, of course.)

A TWO-PIECE BED-DIVAN LIVING ROOM SET has been sitting in our warehouse a long, long time, and got really soiled. It hurts us, but we figger all we can get for this $175 set is $75. We think some one could make it look almost new with a little furniture cleaner. It's a pretty shade of green.

THERE'S ANOTHER TWO-PIECE kidny-shaped living room set with loose cushions in a gorgeous blue, that's soiled on the arms a little. We think it's a wonderful buy, when you consider that it's been markd down from $232 to only $125.

ONE MORE BED-DIVAN SET that's really perfect, but no one seems to like it. It may be the color (we think it's a pretty rose) or it may be the price. We can't change the color, but we did change the price from $149.50 to $85. Maybe that will do it.

THIS DIVAN SET has been badly scratched along the wood mouldings. We tried to patch it up, but now it looks worse. We crossed out the original price of $179.50, and we'll close our eyes when you steal it for only $89.

THANK HEAVEN THERE'S ONLY ONE MORE divan set. This is a blue mohair set that got damaged somewhere between the factory and our store. We got ours from the railroad company, and we'll pass it on to you. Was $149.50. Now $79.50.

WE CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHY this bedroom set never sold. Honest, it's beautiful. It's modern, limed oak, picture frame style with a huge square plate glass mirror. All five pieces are yours (that includes bench and nite stand) for only $125. We had it priced originally at $268.

AN EXTRA FINE BEDROOM SET came in with the bed all banged up. It's really not too bad, but one corner of the bed looks like some one tried to put it through the meat grinder. It'll never bring $279.50, so just offer $150 and it'll be yours. Really well made, too, and pretty, pretty, pretty.

THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH THIS bedroom set, except it didn't sell. So we're tired looking at it. So, we marked it down once from $198 to $175, so no body bit. So we're trying it again—this time for $125. If it doesn't sell at that price we'll feed it to our pet termites.

ONE ROLLAWAY BED, all doubled up, has been sitting in our warehouse for a long time. We need the space for more rollaway beds, so we don't ask $12.50, $9.95 or even $7.50. Your for only $4.95. Twin size, for one large person, two small persons or three midgets.

LOST ONE CUSHION FROM A CRICKET CHAIR. If we had the cushion we could get $14.75 for this chair. As it is, we're afraid it'll bring only $7.50. Maple arms and frame, pretty rose print cover. A swell buy for a well-padded individual.

THREE DANCING LADIES, hand painted, made of plaster of paris, guaranteed to break if dropped. They're really pretty if you like dancing ladies. (We do!) Slightly damaged all three, were $8.75 apiece! Now only $2.25 each.

FOR SALE: ONE CLOUD. Well, not exactly. But sleeping on a Sealy Mattress is like sleeping on a cloud. We've got just one (1) set of the famous Sealy Rest Mattress and Box Springs in the twin size. The set is a mis-match — the colors don't jibe but who looks under the sheets anyhow? The mattress is a little soiled (it's been our floor sample) but still brand new. We've got dozens of these sets in stock at the regular price of $99, but some lucky person is going to sleep on this one set for only $59.50.

IN CASE THE CLOUD ABOVE likes company, we've got another "Sealy" mis-matched set. This is the famous Sealy "Goodhousekeeper." Regularly priced at $79, for the mattress and Box Springs. This twin sized set won't last long at $49.50.

HERE'S A LEMON that we're trying to get rid of. (Honesty is the best policy.) They're Maple Floor Lamps (3 of them) and we thought they were good buys at the original price of $8.78. No one else thought so. So, just to show we're good sports about the whole thing, we'll take only $3.75 each for them. So they ain't pretty—so what! They're cheap!

IF YOU HAVE A STUDENT in the family, we've got a student lamp. It's maple and comes complete with shade. We sold lots of them at $5.95, but we'll take only $3.95 for this last one.

WE DON'T DRINK MUCH — much. But we've got just two (2) Cocktail Tables (you teetotallers can call them Coffee Tables) that are pretty well beat up. They're not too beautiful, but we're sure they're worth at least the $1.95 each we are asking for them.

WE FOUND a couple more Cocktail Tables in our warehouse that we didn't know we had. One's chocolate; the other vanilla color. We used to ask $8.95 for these, but the war's over, so what the heck. Take 'em at $4.95 apiece.

FOR YOU YOUNG MODERNS we've got a dilly of a Cocktail Table. It's circular and in a beautiful shade of bleached mahogany. If we hadn't been careless in handling it, it would have sold for $32.50. But it's got umpteen scratches now and we'll be glad to let some lucky person have it of only $16.50.

MAPLE'S A BEAUTIFUL COLOR and if this table were maple it'd sell like hot cakes. The trouble is, it's almost a maple color. We couldn't get $14.50 for it, so we'll try it now at just $7.50.

IF YOU CAN UTHE A YOUTH BED, we've got just the thing. It's marred and scratched, but very serviceable and a wonderful buy at just $17.50 complete with springs. (The price without scratches is $24.95.) If you clean the dirt off, you'll find it's white underneath.

KANTWET'S A FAMOUS NAME in crib mattresses and if you want one, we've got them at the regular price of $15.95. There's one, though, that's torn on one side (after all, you can only sleep on one side of a mattress) and we'll part with it for just $8.25, nothing a needle and thread won't fix.

MOTHER, IF THE KIDS are getting you down, we've got just the thing. Wonderful invention called a Play Pen. Just open it up, get inside and we defy the kids to bother you. This one is complete with floor, four sides, lots of scratches and we'll sell it strictly as is for only $7.95.

ANOTHER IDEA that didn't pan out was a Combination Firescreen-Card Table. Wonderful! A beautiful firescreen in the day time, a card table at nite. Only trouble is they didn't sell. We've got a couple left and could hang onto them until they sell, but we'd rather get rid of them quick. Were $9.95. Take 'em away for just $3.95.

BEDS ARE HANDY THINGS to have around in case you want to go to sleep. We've got just two (2) Metal Beds, complete with link springs in 30-inch size that we'll part with for just $14.95 each. We used to sell them for $29.50. Who says prices aren't going down?

HELP WANTED. We want help to get rid of a few pairs of drapes. They're plastic-coated, bright and pretty and just make an offer! Just make an offer! Price used to be $15.16 a pair!

IF YOU HAPPEN TO KNOW A MOVIE DIRECTOR, we've got just the thing for him. It's called a "Director's Chair," and it's made of Steel and canvas and folds up. If you don't know a director it might do for taking to the beach this summer or just sitting around the lawn. We could wait until summer and get the regular price of $8.95, but we'll be big-hearted and mark it for a quick sale at just $3.95.

OH ME!! We found two more mirror brackets, trimmed in gold. These were $7.00 a pair, but we're so fed up with mirror brackets, you can take both for $1.98.

GOT ANY SPARE SHADOWS hanging around the house? We've got just the place for them. A gadget called a Shadow Box. Of course, you can put lots of other things in them, too, and they look very attractive with plants. Mahogany stained, mirror backed, three shelves, they're good buys at the regular prices of $9.95 and $7.95. But just watch them go at only $4.95 and $3.95.

IF YOU DON'T LOOK TOO CLOSELY, these two Knick-knack shelves aren't bad. But don't say we didn't warn you—they're warped and out of line. We wouldn't dare ask you to pay the regular $3.75 each; but we sure think they're good buys at $1.75 apiece.

BEEN LOOKING FOR A LUCITE VANITY LAMP? Lucky, lucky you! We've got 'em. Just two. No one else seems to want them, so they're yours for just $1.95 each. To think they used to sell for $9.95 when prices were high!

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