

Max Heckman Rites Pending

The body of Private First Class Max M. Heckman who was killed at Luneville, France, Sept. 22, 1944, has arrived in this country, and will be interred in Inglewood Cemetery when it reaches here, the soldier's mother, Mrs. Artemea M. Baker, 18616 South Figueroa street said yesterday. Utter-McKinley Mortuary will complete funeral arrangements.

CITY BLEACHERS

Purchase of additional bleacher parts for the City Ball Park at a cost of \$122 has been authorized by the Torrance City Council.

The Lomita Theatre Thanks You!

We deeply appreciate the warm reception that the re-opening of the Lomita Theatre has received by the community. We have made every effort to provide the finest in comfort, pleasing sound, and perfect projection. We sincerely hope that this theatre will add much to the entertainment of our people. Again our sincere thanks.

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Proposal for Beach Bus to Be Discussed

Bus service connecting Redondo Beach with Hollywood Riviera, Walteria and Central Torrance, a proposal by Mayor Charles Wortham of Redondo Beach, will be placed on the agenda of the next Torrance City Council meeting Oct. 26.

Mayor J. Hugh Sherfy Jr. suggested last summer that the bus line officials of the two cities should meet to discuss the feasibility of the plan. However, neither the Torrance Municipal Bus Lines nor the Sunset Stages expressed themselves as being eager to establish such a line. The Sunset Stages are reported to have made an offer to provide service to the Hollywood Riviera area if Redondo Beach would subsidize the line. The beach city did not accept the proposal, however.

The original plan was suggested by the Hollywood Riviera Homeowners Association who wish to obtain service to downtown Redondo Beach.

Fire Hydrant Is Authorized on 242nd St.

Installation of a fire hydrant at 242nd and Park streets has been authorized by the Torrance City Council, on recommendation of Fire Chief J. E. McMaster. Purchase of 1400 feet of new fire hose also has been authorized by the City Council, out of this year's budget, to replace worn hose.

Chief McMaster was authorized to pay not to exceed \$1.45 per foot for 2 1/2-inch hose and not more than \$1.05 for 1 1/2-inch hose, plus tax in each instance.

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YMCA RECOGNIZED—George Kostoff, (left) assistant secretary of the Los Angeles area of the YMCA lends a hand to W. E. Bowen, chairman of the board of managers of the Torrance branch of the YMCA as he hangs the document presented to the local youth organization signifying that it has been officially recognized as the Torrance Branch in the National Council of YMCA of the United States. (Herald Photo).

Church School Adds Training in Six Trades

Formation of a vocational training department at the Hawthorne Christian School was announced this week by the Rev. Carl Pike, president and founder of the school, and Weaver H. Jones of Torrance.

Beginning immediately, the school will provide on-the-job practice work, coaching and instruction in plastering, stuccoing, painting, paperhanging, lathing and tile-setting, Jones said. Courses in carpentry, plumbing, house wiring and electric trade work will be added later.

Jones said boys as young as 12 years of age may be offered practical vocational training on a part-time basis along the lines of 4-H Club work and similar to the vocation training projects of the Future Farmers of America, but adapted to conditions and needs of the industrial area, as soon as the school is expanded. It is located at 138th street and Prairie avenue.

Torrance 'Y' Will Be Separated from Community Chest March 1

The local branch of the Young Men's Christian Association will "stand on its own feet" after next Mar. 1, as a result of a decision of Los Angeles executives late last week to withdraw from the Community Welfare Federation.

Announcement that the YMCA will no longer participate in the annual Community Chest campaign after next March 1 was made in a joint statement by President Harold F. Whittle of the Los Angeles 'Y' and President Paul K. Yost of the Community Welfare Federation.

W. E. Bowen, chairman of the local 'Y', said that the Torrance 'Y' received \$4000 annually from the Community Chest, plus office space in the Welfare Center and part-time office help.

"Next spring it will be necessary for Torrance to raise its entire operating budget through direct subscriptions," Bowen explained. Sustaining membership enrollment netted \$2411 last year, in addition to the \$4000 from the Chest, making a total of \$6411.

The local association has been in operation for the past three years, at first as an extension of the San Pedro branch, and about a year ago it became an established branch. Official recognition as a separate YMCA branch was received from the National Council of YMCAs only last week.

There are more than 300 different boys enrolled in club activities and 15 voluntary adult leaders assisting with the program. Other activities include sight-seeing trips, youth social activities, learn-to-swim campaigns, athletic regues and

Success of Chest Drive Vital to 'YW'

Support of the forthcoming Community Chest campaign in this community was urged today by Mrs. A. E. Palmer, chairman, and Mrs. C. J. Forkum, secretary, respectively, of the Torrance YWCA committee. Their statement follows:

"Torrance YWCA, now in its second year, is in danger of discontinuance if the Community Chest goal is not met in Torrance. A wide variety of young adult and teenage activities are being planned under the leadership of Miss Elaine Allsebrook, the Torrance YWCA program director.

"Eighty percent of YWCA funds come from Community Chest. There are at the present time nine other Chest supported agencies serving in Torrance.

"Through the 'Miss Torrance' contests of the past three years, the Junior Woman's Club has raised a building fund of \$6800 for a YWCA in Torrance. It is imperative now that the community raise its Chest quota to assure the continued financial backing of YWCA program from Community Chest."

Purple Heart Group Would Form Chapter

Efforts to get in touch with all members of the Military Order of the Purple Heart are being made today by D. C. Brody, welfare officer of the San Pedro chapter, who believes it may be possible to organize a separate chapter for Torrance.

Next meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 28, at D.A.V. Hall, Pacific and Franklin avenues, Los Angeles. Anyone wounded in World War I or II is eligible for membership, according to Brody, whose telephone is Torrance 1102-J.

Outline of the Order's fight on Communism will be made at next Thursday's meeting, Brody said. Plans are being made to release a special motion picture film through the public schools.

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A deposit of \$25 will be required from persons selling Christmas trees on vacant lots in Torrance this year, by order of the City Council.

The request is made to assure that the premises will be properly cleaned up at the termination of business, it was explained.

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BEYOND GLORY
—and—
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Betty Grable
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THAT LADY IN ERMINE
In Technicolor
and
Paul Langton
Jean Rogers
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NEXT WEEK—STARTS WED
BLOOD AND SAND
In Technicolor
I WAKE UP SCREAMING

TORRANCE
CLOSED
FOR ALTERATIONS
WATCH FOR
OPENING DATE

STARDENA
Now
KEY LARGO
and
HEART OF VIRGINIA

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.
THAT LADY IN ERMINE
In Technicolor
and
EYES OF TEXAS
In Trucolor

PARK
Now
BELLE STARR
In Technicolor
and
FRONTIER MARSHAL

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.
EASTER PARADE
In Technicolor
and
LIGHTNING IN THE FOREST

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RADISHES 2¢ BUNCH

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Sweet Potatoes and Porto Rican
RED YAMS 5¢ lb

SWEET, Full of Juice, Good Size
GRAPEFRUIT 2¢ ea

SWEET, Juicy, Healthy
ORANGES 5¢ doz.

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HALLOWEEN
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5¢ lb

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Annual Staff Takes Trip to 'Ghost Town'

To obtain authentic pictures and background for the 1949 Torrance High School Annual, a selected group of art students and members of the annual's editorial staff visited the "Ghost Town" at Knott's Berry Farm Tuesday afternoon.

Sketches of relics of early California pioneer days and information and pictures on the 1949 Gold Rush were gathered by the students as theme material for the year book. Those students who made the trip were Mary Ridge, Ginger Shew, Tamatsu Fujiwara, David Johnston, Zola Bellwood, Janet Lewellen, Anna Jane Kelley, Don Gazley and Rose Rosenberg. Faculty members who accompanied the group were Miss Griffin, Miss Elaine Crowe, Miss Harriet Hardy and Melvin Buck.

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