

LEWIS ROE ELEVATED

Lewis W. Roe has been elevated to the post of assistant comptroller in charge of costs and statistics for Columbia Steel Company, a subsidiary of United States Steel Corporation. He has served in both the statistical and accounting departments at Columbia, and was statistical supervisor at the time of his promotion.



BURIAL SET—Pfc. Edgar Clifton Smith, Torrance war hero killed in action at Peleliu, whose funeral services will be held here Saturday afternoon.

Marine Hero's Funeral Set for Saturday

Funeral services for Pfc. Edgar Clifton Smith, 19-year-old Torrance Marine hero, have been set for next Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, at Stone & Myers Mortuary.

The body of the fallen war hero arrived Wednesday, in company with a Marine military escort. Shipment was made from Oakland, where the funeral ship docked late last month.

Pfc. Smith is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Smith of 21820 Halldale avenue, a sister, Mrs. Harold Belles, and a brother, Sammy, 12. The family came to Torrance from Atlantic, Ia., where Edgar was born and attended school. Interment will be in Roosevelt cemetery.

You cannot dream yourself into a character; you must hammer and forge one for yourself.—Fruide

The essential factors in character building are religion, morality, and knowledge.—J. L. Pickard

Advance Sale of Crenshaw Homes Opens

Advance sales of nearly \$100,000 have preceded the formal opening of the \$2,000,000 Crenshaw Crest residential development, according to S. M. Taper, president of Biltmore Homes, developers.

Situated between 170th and 174th streets, west of Crenshaw boulevard, the development comprises 165 single-family homes and 15 duplexes, all built under rigid FHA specifications and inspection. Veterans only will be eligible to purchase the residences for the first 30 days.

Close to shopping and transportation, Crenshaw Crest is two blocks from El Camino Junior College and Alondra Recreational Park, and a few minutes away from beaches and social centers. A group of model homes is on display daily from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mustard Sown in Dust Bowl

Fears that dust storms such as plagued the northwestern residential section of the main part of the city might be repeated this fall and winter were partially allayed this week by a statement from the Santa Fe Railway Company.

"Since Nov. 1 we have been seeding the area to California mustard, recommended to us by nurserymen as being the best and quickest means of getting a cover-crop," a letter received by City Attorney C. Douglass Smith stated in part. The so-called Santa Fe Dust Bowl was exceedingly irritating to residents on Crenshaw boulevard and other paralleling streets in the area southerly of the Pacific Electric shops last winter because of the lack of sufficient rainfall to lay the dust from time to time.

Dump Okayed in Dominguez

Strict conditions were imposed today by the county zoning board in its recommendation to the county planning commission that Martin Adams be granted permission to operate a 160-acre cut-and-cover dump in the Laguna Dominguez area.

Four of the 11 persons who appeared at the hearing offered protests against granting the permit with the Dominguez area Chamber of Commerce leading the opposition. Site of the facility is on the west side of Dolores street between 213th street and the easterly extension of Dominguez street.

Argentina makes it practically impossible for any newspaper to mention politics without being subject to libel. A new law prohibits "anything which offends the dignity of any public official, whether the article refers directly to the person, or by allusion to him or the governmental organization of which he forms a part."

Alfred Sully, son of the eminent American portrait painter, sketched impressions of Monterey while he was stationed there during the Mexican War. A reproduction of his work, "Street Scene" in Monterey, is reproduced in California Pictorial, by Jeanne Van Nostrand and Edith Coulter, to be published Nov. 15



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