

Reactivation Discussed

At the meeting of the Torrance branch, American Red Cross held recently and presided over by Mrs. R. F. Bishop, chairman, plans were enthusiastically discussed for reactivation of the various Red Cross services.

BALLOT PROPOSITIONS CENTER OF DISCUSSION

Approaching the issues from a non-partisan viewpoint, Dr. Samuel Ellis, president of the faculty of El Camino College, will answer questions and



DR. SAMUEL ELLIS To Discuss Ballot

lead a discussion of the issues appearing on the November 7 ballot at a public meeting to be held in the Torrance Library assembly room at 8 p.m. on October 24.

Dr. Ellis' appearance is under the sponsorship of the YWCA. Three of the more controversial propositions, namely legalized gambling, public housing and anti-visitation, will be explained in a skit presented by the Los Angeles League of Women Voters.

The moderator, an instructor of psychology at El Camino, lives at 1414 Cravens avenue. He earned his B.A., M.A. and Ph. D. at the University of Wisconsin. Before joining the faculty of the nearby college, Dr. Ellis was head of the Education Department at Ripon College in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Douglas Baldwin is chairman of the meeting.

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SEAMAN BOAL SENT TO JAPAN

Richard D. Boal, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Boal of 2360 Torrance boulevard, recently reported for duty with U. S. Naval forces in Tokyo, Japan, according to the Fleet Home Town News Center.

Boal, who attended Torrance High School, will serve at the communications office in the flag allowance of Vice Admiral Charles T. Joy, Commander, Naval Forces, Far East.

He entered the Naval service February 6, 1950.

College Professor To Address Forum

The Fellowship Forum Club of the First Christian Church will present Professor K. Beigel of Chapman College Sunday night at 7:30 in the church. He will discuss "The Churches' Political Responsibility." The public is cordially invited. He will include some discussion on the November propositions appearing on the state ballot.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Allred, 1512 Crenshaw boulevard, a son, born October 14 at 3:40 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Brannon, 21124 Hobart boulevard, a son, born October 8 at 3:20 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grillen Dandoy, 1852 215th street, a daughter, born October 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deken, 20605 S. Vermont avenue, a daughter, born October 10 at 7:17 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lotgering, 24630 Eshelman avenue, a son, born October 3 at 3:24 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noone, 728 W. 214th street, a son, born October 11 at 10:28 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph C. Watson, 16514 Haas avenue, a son, born October 10 at 9:48 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Wilkie, 17320 Falda avenue, a son, born October 7 at 11:13 p. m.

Out-of-Town Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Framstead, 17204 Wilkie avenue, a son, born October 6.



"I DO SOLEMNLY" . . . First group of city employees to take the new state-required loyalty oath are shown as City Clerk A. H. Bartlett administered the oath to the group Monday afternoon. (Herald photo).

Loyalty Oath Given Municipal Employees

City employees in all departments were this week signing new loyalty oaths which demand they swear (or affirm) that the individual is not and has not been for five years previously, a member of any organization advocating the overthrow of the government of the United States.

All employees will be required to take the oath before they draw their next salary checks. First group consisting of some 32 employees Monday afternoon took the oath as administered by City Clerk A. H. Bartlett.

Methodists to Resume One Service

At a recent meeting of the Official Board of the First Methodist Church, it was voted that the 9 a. m. worship service should be discontinued and that all the efforts of the minister and choir should be centered on the main morning service which hereafter shall begin at 10:50 a. m.

This early service was started, according to Rev. C. E. Miller, to relieve the crowded conditions at the regular morning service. Since that time, new pews have been ordered which will increase the seating capacity of the sanctuary. These pews will be installed during the first part of November, according to the present plans.

Husband of Local Woman Killed in Korean Battle

Word was received here this week that Corporal William Bennett Gossett, 22, husband of Connie Palumbo Gossett, was killed in the Korean action September 26.

Corporal Gossett, whose residence was in Renton, Washington, and Connie Palumbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Palumbo, of 22111 Halldale avenue, were married in the Catholic Church of the Nativity here July 8, two days before he was sent overseas.

Gossett had been in the Marine Corps about 18 months, and prior to his assignment overseas was stationed at Camp Pendleton. It was while stationed there that he met Connie Palumbo.

Mrs. Gossett left for her husband's home in Washington this week to be with her mother-in-law, according to members of her family.

'Probation After Death' Science Topic Sunday

The golden text of the Sunday Bible lesson on "Probation After Death" in all branches of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, is chosen from James and reads: "Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him."

In a Scriptural selection the Psalmist declares, "It is God that girdeth me with strength, and maketh my way perfect. . . Therefore will I give thanks unto Thee, O Lord. . . and sing praises unto Thy name. . . Yes, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. . . O send out Thy light and Thy truth: let them lead me."

"Perfection is gained only by perfection," writes Mary Baker Eddy in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures." She adds, "To be wholly spiritual, man must be sinless, and he becomes thus only when he reaches perfection."

Christian Church Observes United Nations Day

The morning church service this Sunday will be an observance of United Nations Day in the First Christian Church at 10:50. Rev. Cecil J. England will preach on the theme, "Stick Together or Hang Together."

Co-operating churches across the United States are keeping this general theme in their services of worship. The Federal Council of Churches is co-operating with the program "Crusade for Freedom," which is coming into every community in America. This Sunday there will be an opportunity for people to sign the Freedom Scroll. The pastor states that one of the great tasks of the Christian world is to add its weight of spiritual and moral influence to all worthy causes such as the United Nations.

Local Industry Wins National Safety Contest

National Supply Company maintained a perfect safety record during June, July, and August to earn top ranking among 33 steel foundries participating in the steel casting industry's 1950 national safety contest. It was announced this week by F. K. Donaldson, executive vice-president of the Steel Foundry Society of America.

Tying with 31 other steel foundries competing in four national groupings, the local industry qualified for the national society's highest honor safety award plaque by eliminating all lost-time injuries among plant employees during the three-month period.

Field Workers To Continue Religious Census

The Torrance Council of Churches will continue the taking of a community-wide religious census this Sunday afternoon. The district to be covered will be in the Strip; Sepulveda on the south, Normandie on the east, and 203rd street on the north. All residents are urged to cooperate in this very important work of the Torrance churches.

People who are not planning to be at home during the afternoon are asked to fill out the census card in this paper and post it on their front door so the census taker can pick it up when he calls.

The census workers are to meet at 1:30 in the Evangelical United Brethren Church for a brief coaching period and preparation for the afternoon's work. All churches are cordially invited to participate in the census work.

Last Sunday about 45 people assembled at the Methodist Church for luncheon to prepare for this work in the community. The people in the southern section of town were very cooperative and their help was greatly appreciated by local ministers. It is the plan of the Council of Churches to complete the census over the entire city as soon as it is possible.



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Santa Claus Getting Help From Walteria Boy Scouts

Santa's little helpers are getting busy in the Walteria area. Councilman Nick Drale started the early Christmas activity in Walteria this week when he gave a large number of unassembled toys to Boy Scout Troop 240. The boys will put the toys together between now and Christmas and then distribute them among the needy of the community, according to Scoutmaster William Lizut.

The Walteria troop, which was recently reactivated under the sponsorship of the Steelworkers Local 1414, completed last week in the two-day campaign which was held in the Lomita Park. Twelve of the boys stayed overnight, according to Lizut, and all-in-all, the Scouting leaders were well pleased with the troop.

Camino Band Wins Parade Competition

In competition with three other bands, the 1950 El Camino College band won the college division first prize in the El Segundo street parade Saturday, October 7. Song leaders and majorettes accompanied the band, which is under the direction of Hamilton M. Maddaford.

Ballot Talk Set by Councilman

Los Angeles City Councilman George Moore will give an impartial analysis of the local and state propositions on the coming November ballot at a meeting of the Shoestring Community Association to be held next Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Nazarene Church at Carson and Denker.

Following Councilman Moore's discussion of the propositions, members of the association will discuss plans for carrying out the goals of the Community Chest in the 1950 campaign soon to be under way.

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