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DOWNEY FLAKE
WAFFLES PKG. OF 6 **15c**

BIRDS EYE WHIPPED
POTATOES 16-OZ. **21c**

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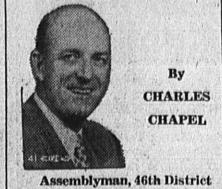
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Sacramento Report



By CHARLES CHAPEL
Assemblyman, 46th District

Charles Edward Chapel, Member of the Assembly, 46th District, California Legislature, this week announced that he is authorized by United States Senator William F. Knowland to release information on the appointment of U. S. Postmasters. Assemblyman Chapel is the only Republican elected to partisan office within the 17th Congressional District during the past twenty-eight years, and is the recognized leader of the Republican Party in the 17th Congressional District.

Postmaster, Appointments Governed by Federal Laws
Appointments to positions of Presidential postmaster of the first, second and third classes are governed by the Civil Service Act, the Veterans' Preference Act of 1944, and specifically by the Act of June 25, 1938, which brought Presidential postmaster positions under the competitive system, according to Assemblyman Chapel.

The Federal law requires that appointments must be made in one of the following ways:
1. By nominating the incumbent postmaster at the time the law was originally passed, provided that the Civil Service Commission certified that he met the requirements for eligibility.
2. By promotion from within the Postal Service after the Civil Service Commission has certified that the person proposed for promotion meets minimum requirements.
3. From among the highest three eligibles certified by the Civil Service Commission after a competitive examination held by the Commission provided for in the Act of January 24, 1942.

Examination for Postmasters
Assemblyman Chapel says that in the case of first-class postmasters, the competitive examination consists primarily of a personal investigation designed to evaluate the business experience, qualifications and suitability of all applicants.
In the case of second-class postmasters, the examination consists of a written test and a personal investigation.
In the case of third-class postmasters, the examination consists of a written test and an appropriate investigation by correspondence.

Eligible List
After the Civil Service Commission conducts an examination, it sends a list of three eligibles to the Postmaster General. Assemblyman Chapel explains that under the practice which has been followed since the passage of the Act of 1938, the Postmaster General then sends the list certified by the Civil Service Commission to the Congressman for the district in which the particular postoffice is located, so long as he is of the same party as the Chief Executive. (Congressman Cecil R. King of Chapel's 17th Congressional District is not now of the

same party as the Chief Executive. In other words, Congressman King is a Democrat and President Eisenhower is a Republican). The Congressman then indicates to the Postmaster General which one of the persons on the list he prefers. The name of this person is then sent to the President for nomination by him and then to the U. S. Senate for confirmation.

What Happens when Congressman and President Are of Opposite Parties
If the Congressman of the district in which the post office is located is not of the party in power in the Executive Branch, the Civil Service list is sent to one of the Senators from the State. Assemblyman Chapel explains that if the State is not represented by a Senator of the party in power, then the list is submitted to the State Chairman or the National Committeeman of the party organization of that party for the State.

Democratic Administration
Assemblyman Chapel frankly admits that the procedure which was followed in referring a list of eligible candidates furnished by the Civil Service Commission to representatives of the Democratic Party was, of course, one of the principal reasons why very few, if any, Republicans have been appointed to postmaster positions since the passage of the Act of 1936.

Veterans Preference Act
Qualified disabled veterans, under the Veterans Preference Act of 1944, who are among the top three in a Civil Service examination, must be placed at the top of the civil service lists, according to Assemblyman Chapel, and if a veteran stands at the top of a list certified by the Civil Service Commission to the Postmaster General, he cannot be passed over in order to appoint a non-veteran without the Postmaster General first presenting reasons to the Civil Service Commission. Under the Veterans Preference Act, the Civil Service Commission must then pass on the acceptability of these reasons. Nevertheless, Assemblyman Chapel, who is himself a veteran, says that once the Civil Service Commission has done so, the Postmaster General, under the law, may still go ahead and recommend a non-veteran. In this manner, the rights of veterans, according to Assemblyman Chapel, have been disregarded in the past.

For further information, write to Assemblyman Charles Edward Chapel, Assembly Chambers, California State Legislature, State Capitol, Sacramento 14, California.

'Andy' Heath Opens New Torrance Store

'Andy' E. Heath, 479 229th St., celebrated the grand opening of his new 'Heath Refrigeration Sales and Service' store at 1730 W. Carson, near Western, today.

Former owner of the Heath Refrigeration Service in Wilmington, 'Andy' will handle the local dealership for Kelvinator refrigerators, home freezers, ranges, washers, and irons. The service department will be on 24-hour call for repairing all makes of domestic or commercial refrigerators and freezers.

FOREIGN FILMS

Foreign screenings account for about 38 per cent of the profits of the U. S. movie industry, according to the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Around the Garden'n Plaza Former Movie Star Living in Gardens

By ROB STEELE
1121 Foothill
Hi neighbor!
Lots of comments on last week's column, but I'm going to continue anyway.

Last week I attended an interesting and informative meeting of the Torrance Gardens and Plaza Homeowners Assn. and noted that a large number of residents of the area also attended. All streets in the two tracts were apparently represented—Foothill had the largest delegation.

Rep. Schmidt, 1230 Maple Ave. was elected to serve as the group's permanent president (until the general elections in 1954, that is). Bill Parsons is vice-president; Helen Amos, secretary; and Art Woodcock, treasurer. The new officers took over immediately. Some of the block captains who were chosen found themselves elected in much the same manner that an Army sergeant chooses volunteers for disagreeable duty.

Street lighting occupied the center spot of discussion, with the big question involving "What kind of lights?" There appeared to be no question that they could be obtained for about \$25 per pole. This would be for steel poles.

The next meeting of the group, open to all homeowners in the Torrance Gardens or Plaza, will be held at the Fern Ave. cafe, torium on April 21.

On the day of the big explosion I was awake and watching the sky in the general direction of Las Vegas. Promptly at 5:20 a.m. there was a flash of blue light streaking across the heavens. That was all I saw of the atomic explosion, but it was enough to impress me with its tremendous power. This immediately brought to my mind the subject of Civil Defense. Do we have any CD workers in our tract?
Congratulations and best wishes to the new Girl Scout troop being formed at the Madrona Elementary School. This new troop is sponsored by the Madrona PTA and is to be known as Troop 1293. Mrs. E. C. Osterlind is the leader.

Initial investiture was held Sunday at the Scout house on the YWCA grounds. The ladies auxiliary of the VFW presented the troop with an American flag.

Introducing Joyce Clay, who lives at 1115 Foothill. At an age when most of us were still at home enjoying our Pabulum, Joyce was launching a career as a singer.

While our childhood memories are filled with such things as bicycles, Sunday School picnics, and visits from Aunt Minnie, member 1950.

Mrs. Clay's are filled with the applause of thousands who saw her on films or heard her on the radio. She counts among her friends such personalities as Jimmy Gleason, Cecil R. King, Tassy Lish (spelling optional, I think), Mark Breneman, and Roscoe Ates.

Those of you who were in California some 20 years ago will perhaps remember Joyce as the widely publicized "Baby Queen of the Blues." She appeared on the Mark Breneman show when she was so small that Mark had to hold her in his arms so that she would be close enough to the microphone to be heard.

When it was her turn to have the measles, she received a letter from the mayor of Los Angeles, Frank Shaw, offering his sympathies and a wish for a speedy recovery.

Joyce traveled the old Orpheum circuit and played most of our local theaters. Later she played in pictures with Jimmy Gleason and did a large amount of radio and vaudeville work.

When asked if there was any one thing that stood out in her memories as an entertainer she promptly replied, "Yes, of course, the chest." The chest is a small, hand-made jewel chest, given to her by an old soldier at Sawtelle. He had made it from 2200 small pieces of wood especially for the "Baby Queen of the Blues." This is the most cherished memento of her career as an entertainer.

Besides doing a small amount of local entertaining, Joyce is also ritual chairman for the Women of the Moose.

Most recent newcomers to our midst are Mr. and Mrs. Carbaugh and two children who have moved into 1011 Teri Ave. The Carbaughs arrived here two weeks ago from Omaha, Neb. He is employed at Douglas Aircraft at present, but plans to go into business for himself as a general contractor.

That's all for now—hope to see you around during the week.

James Oriani Now in Korea

Cpl. James T. Oriani, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oriani, 1565 W. 222nd St., is serving in Korea with the 7th Infantry Division.

Since making the amphibious landing at Inchon in the fall of 1950, the 7th has seen action in every sector of the Korean fighting.

Corporal Oriani, a cook in Battery A of the 48th Field Artillery Battalion, was stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., before arriving in Korea last July. He entered the Army in December 1950.

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