

Assessor to Tell Whys of Property Tax

The reasons behind the rise in taxes on property will be answered by Roland E.E. Bouck, assistant assessor of the County Assessor's office, at the North Torrance Civic Improvement Assn. next Wednesday in McMaster Hall.

At the 8 p.m. meeting, Bouck will discuss "The Operation of the Los Angeles County Assessor's Office." A question and answer period will follow the talk.

The program was arranged at the request of local property rise in assessed valuation, according to program chairman Jack E. White.

The public is invited.

Whittington Accepted for ROTC Unit

William A. Whittington, of 1230 and now is a cadet in the Air Hickory Ave., has been accepted for ROTC at the University of Southern California.

This program enables a cadet to complete his college education and gain a background of military training. Upon graduation, Whittington will be commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force and serve a three year tour of active duty.

An engineering major, Whittington is a freshman seeking a career in civil engineering.

Masterson in Largest Navy Training Job

Leo S. Masterson, radoman first class, USN, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Masterson, of pated in the year's largest Atlantic Fleet Training exercises, coded for brevity as "Lantflex 1-85."

The fleet exercise extended over much of the Eastern Atlantic, and culminated in an amphibious assault on a North Carolina beach. Some 50,000 Navy and 26,000 Marine personnel took part.

Masterson, assigned to the submarine USS Thresher, is the husband of the former Miss Bernadine Schott, of Com.

OTHS Band Will Enter LB Review Saturday

Torrance High School's band is entering in the 57th annual All-Western band review Saturday in Long Beach.

Under Director Marty Baum, the band will compete in Class B. Identical trophies will be awarded in all classes, since divisions are based on enrollment.

Wilson Back in US After 8-Month Cruise

Bullman Third Class Brent D. Wilson, of 24356 Lodi Ave., Lomita, returned to San Diego last week after eight-month Pacific Cruise aboard the attack aircraft carrier Philippine Sea.

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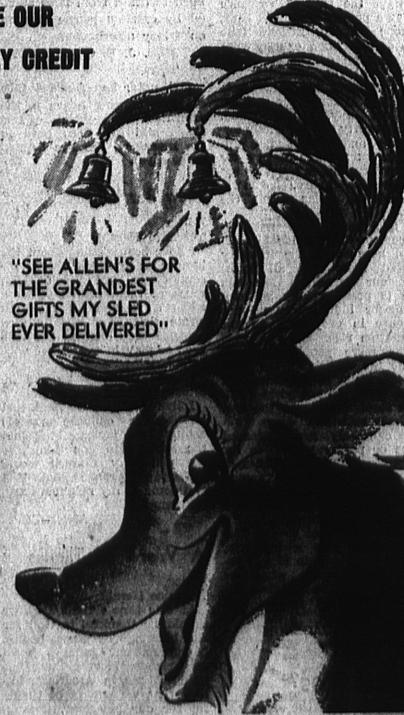
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