TORRANCE HERALD—206
CITY OF TORRANCE
California
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
(Improvement Act of 1911)

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California, for the construction of:

CONCRETE CURBS, GUTTERS, DRIVEWAY APRONS, AND SIDEWALKS ON DEL AMO BOULEVARD IN THE DEL AMO BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

until five (5:00) o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, July 12, 1955, at which time they will publicly opened and read at eight (8:00) o'clock P.M. on said date, for furnishing all materials, tools, equipment, labor, and other necessary services for the improvement of the DEL AMO BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, described above, by the complete construction and installation therein of concrete curbs, gutters, driveway aprons, and sidewalks with all other items or work incidental or appurtenant thereto, all as described in Resolution of Intention No. 2736 adopted on the 10th day of May, 1955, by the City Council of the City of Torrance. Approximate quantities are as follows:

6" Curb and 12" Gutter	3,274 Lin. Ft.
Curb Return	125.6 Lin. Ft.
Concrete Apron	96.56 Sq. Ft.
Concrete Cross Gutter	120 Sq. Ft.
Concrete Driveway Apron	4,718 Sq. Ft.
Concrete Sidewalk	13,379 Sq. Ft.

No bid will be considered unless it is tendered on the special proposal form furnished by the CITY ENGINEER. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or a bidder's bond in an amount equal to at least ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the bid, made payable to the CITY. Said certified check or bidder's bond will be forfeited should the successful bidder fail to enter into a contract to do the work herein specified and to furnish the necessary bonds within twenty-five (25) days after the date of the first publication of the Notice of Award of Contract.

Notice is hereby given that the successful bidder will be required to furnish a surety bond satisfactory to the STREET SUPERINTENDENT in an amount of not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid as a guarantee of the faithful performance of the contract, and a labor and material bond satisfactory to the STREET SUPERINTENDENT in an amount of not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Notice is also given that, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 1770 to 1781, inclusive, of the Labor Code of the State of California, the CITY COUNCIL has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in the locality in which the work is to be done for each craft or type of workman as follows:

CLASSIFICATION	RATE PER DIEM
Air Compressor, Pump or Generator Operator	$18.96
Apprentice Engineer - Fireman, Oiler and Greaser, Excluding truck crane oiler	18.00
Asphalt Plant Fireman	20.16
Asphalt Raker and Ironer	18.28
Boxman or Mixer Box Operator (Concrete or Asphalt Plant)	20.16
Bricklayer	27.20
Carpenter	22.20
Cement Mason	21.60
Cement Mason (Composition or Mastic)	22.56
Concrete Curer - Impervious Membrane	18.12
Concrete or Asphalt Spreading, Mechanical Tamping or Finishing Machine Operator	21.44
Concrete Mixer Operator - Paving	23.28
Concrete Mobile Mixer Operator	22.56
Concrete Mixer Operator - Skip Type	20.16
Cribbers or Shorers	19.56
Flagman and/or Guard	16.60
Laborers, General or Construction	16.60
Material Loader of Conveyor Operator	18.56
Motor Patrol Operator, including any type of Power Blade	22.58
Road Oil Mixing Machine Operator	22.08
Roller Operator	20.80
Screed Operator	18.96
Sewer Pipe Caulker - Cement Joints	17.00
Sewer Pipe Caulker (using Caulking Tools)	18.12
Sewer Pipe Layer (Excluding Caulker)	19.08
Skip Loader Operator - Wheel Type	20.16
Tractor Hi-Lift Shovel, Athey, Euclid, or Similar Type Front End Loader Operator	23.28
Tractor Operator - Bulldozer, Tamper, Scraper Drag Type Shovel or similar type	21.44
Tractor Operator - Boom Attachments	22.08
Tractor Scraper or Drag Type Shovel - Tandem	24.72
Trenching Machine Operator	22.08
Truck Driver - Legal Payload Capacity less than six tons	17.44
Truck Driver - Legal Payload Capacity between six and ten tons	17.68
Truck Driver - Dumpster Truck	20.48
Truck Driver - Transit-mix two yards	17.92
Truck Driver - Transit-mix three yards	18.48
Watchman	15.76
Water Truck Driver, under 2500 gallons	17.92
Water Truck Driver, 2500 gallons or more	18.88
Any Classification omitted herein, not less than	16.60

Foremen except as otherwise separately classified shall be paid not less than $1.40 per day more than journeyman rate for the craft involved.

Provided that not less than one and one-half times the prevailing rate shall be paid for any working time more than eight (8) hours during any one calendar day, and for time on Saturdays, Sundays, and the seven legal holidays, to wit: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas.

Provided that notwithstanding the general provisions contained herein, Flagmen, Guards, and Watchmen shall be paid one and one-half times the prevailing rate for overtime (overtime shall be time worked in excess of eight hours per day or forty hours per week), and the straight prevailing rate for time worked on Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays where such time does not constitute overtime.

The foregoing prevailing wage schedule is based upon a working day of eight (8) hours and in the event that laborers, workmen, or mechanics are employed less than eight (8) hours per day, the rate of per diem wages shall be deemed to be that fraction of the foregoing rates that the number of hours of employment bears to eight (8).

The rate of compensation for any classification not listed in the schedule, but which may be required to execute the proposed contract, shall be commensurate and in accord with the rates specified for similar and comparable classification or for those performing similar or comparable duties.

The time within which the aforementioned work must be completed by the Contractor undertaking the same has been fixed at thirty (30) calendar days from and after the date of execution of the contract agreement.

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom a contract is awarded, and upon all Subcontractors under him, to pay not less than said general prevailing rates of per diem wages to all workmen employed in the execution of the Contract.

All bids will be compared on the City Engineer's estimate of the quantities of work to be done.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Business and Professions Code, as amended.

The CITY COUNCIL reserves the right to reject any or all bids or waive any informality, technical error or discrepancy on a bid, if said action is deemed to be advantageous to the CITY.

Plans, specifications and proposal forms may be obtained from the office of the City Engineer, City Hall, Torrance, California, upon a deposit of Five Dollars ($5.00), which deposit is refundable upon the return of the plans and specifications at any time within ten (10) days from the date of the award of contract.

By order of the City Council of the City of Torrance contained in Resolution No. 2756 adopted on the 14th day of June, 1955.

A. H. BARTLETT
City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California

MT-June 23, 27, 1955

TORRANCE HERALD—199
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Torrance, California, until 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 12, 1955, thereafter on said day to be publicly opened and read, for the construction of the following items, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor:

Item 1: In general this proposal comprises the building of a City Hall and Police Station of re-inforced concrete, masonry, steel and wood framing construction. Work involves all trades.

Item 2: Special mill work for City Hall and Police Station.

Item 3: In general this proposal comprises the building of a Bathhouse and Swimming Pool. The building is of re-inforced masonry with combination steel and wood frame construction. Re-inforced concrete pool on piling. Work involves all trades.

Item 4: In general this proposal comprises the building of two, new, one-story, Recreation Buildings, alterations to buildings, tennis courts, walks, parking areas and planting of lawns and greens. The buildings are mostly of wood frame construction. Work involves all trades.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the City has ascertained the minimum rate of wages applicable to the work to be done as follows:

CLASSIFICATION	HOURLY RATE
Plumbing Foreman	$3.50
Plumber, Gas or Lawn Sprinkler Fitter	3.25
Plumber, Lead or Cement Caulker	3.25
Roofer Foreman	3.10
Roofer	2.85
Sheet Metal Worker	3.00
Residential Heating Installer	3.00
Tile Setter Helper	2.2875
Laborer, General or Construction	2.075
Asphalt Raker and Ironer	2.285
Crespool Digger and Installer	2.255
Concrete Curer - Impervious Membrane	2.265
Cribber or Shorer	2.475
Gas and Oil Pipeline Laborer	2.075
Gas and Oil Pipeline Wrapper, Pot Tender and Form Man	2.285
Landscape Gardener and Nursery Man	2.175
Watchman	1.97
Window Cleaner	2.225
Reinforcing Iron Worker	2.80
Air Compressor, Pump or Generator Operator	2.37
Concrete Mixer Operator, Skip Type	2.52
Roller Operator	2.60
Concrete or Asphalt or Finishing Mechanical Tamping or Finishing Machine Operator	2.68
Tractor Operator - Bulldozer, Tamper, Scraper, Drag Shovel or Similar Type	2.68
Boring Machine Operator (Excluding Pneumatic or Equipment of Similar Capacity	2.76
Trenching Machine Operator	2.76
Concrete Mobile Mixer Operator	2.82
Motor Patrol Operator, including any type of Power Blade	2.82
Concrete Mixer Operator - Paving	2.91
Drivers of Dump Trucks of less than 4 yds. Water Level	2.18
Drivers of Dump Trucks - 4 Yds. but less than 8 yds. water level	2.21
Drivers of Dump Trucks - 8 Yds. but less than 12 yds. water level	2.26
Drivers of Transit Mix Trucks - 3 Yds. or more	2.56
Drivers of Road Oil Spreader Trucks	2.36
Bootmen	2.36
Water Truck Driver - Under 2500 Gal.	2.24
Water Truck Driver - 2500 Gal. or more	2.36
Drivers of Transit Mix Trucks - 2 Yds.	2.24

Any classification omitted herein not less than $2.075. Overtime not less than one and one-half (1½) times the above rate. Sundays and holidays not less than one and one-half (1½) times the above rates. The holidays recognized shall be those holidays recognized in the collective bargaining agreement, applicable to the particular craft, classification or type of workmen involved on the project.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the City Manager, City Hall, 1511 Cravens Avenue, Torrance, California, with the exception of plans for Item 2, which are on file in the office of Marion J. Varner, 85 North Raymond Avenue, Pasadena, California. Plans for Item 1 are also on file in Mr. Varner's office. Plans for Item 3 are on file in the office of Hugh R. Davies, First and Pine Avenues, Top Floor, Security Building, Long Beach, California. Plans for Item 4 are on file in the office of William Woollett, 124 West Fourth Street, Los Angeles, California. Plans and specifications may be obtained on deposit of $50 for each item. Said deposit will be refunded upon return of such copy in good condition within thirty days after bids are opened. Failure to return the plans within the thirty-day period will cause forfeiture of the deposit.

No bid will be accepted from a bidder who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of the Contractor's License Act.

No bid will be considered unless it is submitted on the proposal form furnished by the City and accompanied by a cashier's or certified check in the sum of at least 10% of the amount of the basic bid, or a bidder's bond in a like amount.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in any bid received.

This notice is given pursuant to order of the City Clerk of said City. Dated this 16th day of June, 1955, at Torrance, California.

GEO. W. STEVENS
City Manager
City of Torrance

MT-June 20, 23, 1955

TORRANCE HERALD—205
CITY OF TORRANCE
California
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
(Improvement Act of 1911)

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California, for the construction of:

A SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM IN 239TH STREET AND CERTAIN OTHER STREETS AND EASEMENT IN THE 239TH STREET SEWER DISTRICT

until five (5:00) o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, July 12, 1955, and they will be publicly opened and read at eight (8:00) o'clock P.M. on said date, for the furnishing of all materials, tools, equipment, labor, and other necessary services for the improvement of the 239TH STREET SEWER DISTRICT, described above, by the complete construction and installation therein of a sanitary sewer system together with all other items or work incidental or appurtenant thereto, all as described in Resolution of Intention No. 2734 adopted on the 10th day of May, 1955, by the City Council of the City of Torrance. Approximate quantities are as follows:

8" Standard V. C. P.	3,653 Lin. Ft.
8" Ex. Str. V. C. P.	281 Lin. ft.
Std. Brick M. H.	5 M. H.
Std. Brick J. C.	4 Std. J. C.
Std. Brick F. M. H.	5 Std. F. M. H.
6" V. C. P. House Connection	2,184 Lin. Ft.
Resurfacing	4,359 Lin. Ft.

No bid will be considered unless it is tendered on the special proposal form furnished by the CITY ENGINEER. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or a bidder's bond in an amount equal to at least ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the bid, made payable to the CITY. Said certified check or bidder's bond will be forfeited should the successful bidder fail to enter into a contract to do the work herein specified and to furnish the necessary bonds within twenty-five (25) days after the date of the first publication of the Notice of Award of Contract.

Notice is hereby given that the successful bidder will be required to furnish a surety bond satisfactory to the STREET SUPERINTENDENT in an amount of not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid as a guarantee of the faithful performance of the contract, and a labor and material bond satisfactory to the STREET SUPERINTENDENT in an amount of not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Notice is also given that, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 1770 to 1781, inclusive, of the Labor Code of the State of California, the CITY COUNCIL has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in the locality in which the work is to be done for each craft or type of workman as follows:

CLASSIFICATION	RATE PER DIEM
Air Compressor, Pump or Generator Operator	$18.96
Apprentice Engineer - Fireman, Oiler and Greaser, Excluding truck crane oiler	18.00
Asphalt Plant Fireman	20.16
Asphalt Raker and Ironer	18.28
Boxman or Mixer Box Operator (Concrete or Asphalt Plant)	20.16
Bricklayer	27.20
Carpenter	22.20
Cement Mason	21.60
Cement Mason (Composition or Mastic)	22.56
Concrete Curer - Impervious Membrane	18.12
Concrete or Asphalt Spreading, Mechanical Tamping or Finishing Machine Operator	21.44
Concrete Mixer Operator - Paving	23.28
Concrete Mobile Mixer Operator	22.56
Concrete Mixer Operator - Skip Type	20.16
Cribbers or Shorers	19.56
Flagman and/or Guard	16.60
Laborers, General or Construction	16.60
Material Loader of Conveyor Operator	18.56
Motor Patrol Operator, including any type of Power Blade	22.58
Road Oil Mixing Machine Operator	22.08
Roller Operator	20.80
Screed Operator	18.96
Sewer Pipe Caulker - Cement Joints	17.00
Sewer Pipe Caulker (using Caulking Tools)	18.12
Sewer Pipe Layer (Excluding Caulker)	19.08
Skip Loader Operator - Wheel Type	20.16
Tractor Hi-Lift Shovel, Athey, Euclid, or Similar Type Front End Loader Operator	23.28
Tractor Operator - Bulldozer, Tamper, Scraper Drag Type Shovel or similar type	21.44
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Truck Driver - Legal Payload Capacity less than six tons	17.44
Truck Driver - Legal Payload Capacity between six and ten tons	17.68
Truck Driver - Dumpster Truck	20.48
Truck Driver - Transit-mix two yards	17.92
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Provided that not less than one and one-half times the prevailing rate shall be paid for any working time more than eight (8) hours during any one calendar day, and for time on Saturdays, Sundays, and the seven legal holidays, to wit: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas.

Provided that notwithstanding the general provisions contained herein, Flagmen, Guards, and Watchmen shall be paid one and one-half times the prevailing rate for overtime (overtime shall be time worked in excess of eight hours per day or forty hours per week), and the straight prevailing rate for time worked on Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays where such time does not constitute overtime.

The foregoing prevailing wage schedule is based upon a working day of eight (8) hours and in the event that laborers, workmen, or mechanics are employed less than eight (8) hours per day, the rate of per diem wages shall be deemed to be that fraction of the foregoing rates that the number of hours of employment bears to eight (8).

The rate of compensation for any classification not listed in the schedule, but which may be required to execute the proposed contract, shall be commensurate and in accord with the rates specified for similar and comparable classification or for those performing similar or comparable duties.

The time within which the aforementioned work must be completed by the Contractor undertaking the same has been fixed at sixty (60) calendar days from and after the date of execution of the contract agreement.

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom a contract is awarded, and upon all Subcontractors under him, to pay not less than said general prevailing rates of per diem wages to all workmen employed in the execution of the Contract.

All bids will be compared on the City Engineer's estimate of the quantities of work to be done.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Business and Professions Code, as amended.

The CITY COUNCIL reserves the right to reject any or all bids or waive any informality, technical error or discrepancy on a bid, if said action is deemed to be advantageous to the CITY.

Plans, specifications and proposal forms may be obtained from the office of the City Engineer, City Hall, Torrance, California, upon a deposit of Five Dollars ($5.00), which deposit is refundable upon the return of the plans and specifications at any time within ten (10) days from the date of the award of contract.

By order of the City Council of the City of Torrance contained in Resolution No. 2753 adopted on the 14th day of June, 1955.

A. H. BARTLETT
City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California

MT-June 23, 27, 1955

TORRANCE HERALD—198
14670
NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF BOND
No. 111, Series No. One
Issued for the Improvement of
County Improvement District No. 1247

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the following named coupons, to-wit:

Interest coupon for $8.28, which became due on July 2, 1950
Interest coupon for $6.65, which became due on January 2, 1951
Interest coupon for $5.98 which became due on July 2, 1951
Interest coupon for $5.98, which became due on January 2,1952
Interest coupon for $5.32, which became due on July 2, 1952
Interest coupon for $5.32, which became due on January 2, 1953
Interest coupon for $4.65, which became due on July 2, 1953
Interest coupon for $4.65, which became due on January 2, 1954
Interest coupon for $3.99, which became due on July 2, 1954
Interest coupon for $3.99, which became due on January 2, 1955
Principal coupon for $22.22, which became due on January 2, 1951
Principal coupon for $22.18, which became due on January 2, 1952
Principal coupon for $22.18, which became due on January 2, 1953
Principal coupon for $22.18, which became due on January 2, 1954
Principal coupon for $22.18, which became due on January 2, 1955

And the holder of said bonds having, on the 9th day of December, 1954, duly demanded in writing that the County Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles proceed to advertise and sell the lot or parcel of land mentioned in the said bond.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, H. L. Byram, County Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles, under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, will, on the 6th day of July, 1955, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, sell at public auction the lot or parcel of land mentioned in said bond, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at the office of the said County Treasurer, Room 1002, in the Hall of Records in the City of Los Angeles, State of California, unless the amount due on said bond and the accrued interest thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid; and that I will so sell the same to the person who will take the least amount of said lot or parcel of land and pay the full amount of unpaid principal and interest on said bond, together with costs of publication; that the said sale will be made in accordance with and under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated as the Improvement Act of 1911 Approved April 4th, 1941, and amendments thereto.

The lot or parcel of land mentioned in said bond and to be sold is more particularly described to-wit:

Lot 14, Block F, Tract No. 8245,
Map Book 93, Pages 36 to 38,
Records of Los Angeles County, California.

The amount due on said bond up to date of this notice is as follows:
Due on the principal thereof Two Hundred Twenty One and 84/100 Dollars;
Due on account of interest Eighty Six and 57/100 Dollars.
Due on account of Penalty Fifty Three and 36/100 Dollars.
Total amount due on said bond Three Hundred Sixty One and 77/100 Dollars.

In order to avoid this sale, payment of the total amount above named will be required, together with the cost of publications made before such payment and the additional interest accruing up to the date of payment. Bond may be reinstated upon payment of amounts due, interest, penalties and fees, in the manner provided by law. In the event of sale, such sale will include interest in addition to the above total amount due accruing up to date of sale, the cost of publication of Notice of Sale, and One Dollar for the issuing of Certificate of sale.

The Torrance Herald is designated as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

H. L. BYRAM,
Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles.

Dated: June 16, 1955.
T-June 16, 23, 1955

TORRANCE HERALD—186
CERTIFICATE FOR TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a metals testing business located at 132 East Olive Street, Gardena, California, under the fictitious firm name of DURKEE TESTING LABORATORY, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names in full and places of residence are as follows, to-wit:

John Alden Durkee, 3628 West 177th Street, Torrance, California.
David Mark Durkee, 1307-B Amapola Avenue, Torrance, California.

WITNESS our hands this seventh day of June, 1955.

DAVID MARK DURKEE
JOHN ALDEN DURKEE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ss

ON THIS 7th day of June, A.D., 1955, before me, Elva Conrad, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared John Alden Durkee and David Mark Durkee, known to me to be the persons whose names subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ELVA CONRAD
Notary Public in and for
said County and State
My Commission Expires
June 12, 1958.

(SEAL)

CARSON CRACKER BARREL

Paper Drive Nets Nearly $100 For Use of PTA Health Center

By FLORENCE FLYNN and BERNICE ROLLER
TE 5-1601

Becky Morris, of 163 W. 220th, celebrated her fourth birthday with a party. A beautiful doll cake was the centerpiece for the occasion. The color scheme was also carried out in individual cup cakes for each one. Ice cream and punch were also served. The children enjoyed playing party games appropriate for the occasion. Those attending the event were: Steven Edwards, Linda, Danny and Robin Senters, Kay Kimmons, Jeannie and Judy Northcutt, Delbert Lockwood, Gary and Sharon Thompson, Johnny and Vicki Albright, Bobby Utter, Mike Newson, Billy and Johnny Morris, Frank and Gary Roller. The hostess was Mrs. Virgil Morris assisted by Marilyn Kimmons and Karalyn Thompson. Out of town guests were John Yancey, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Thompson and Mrs. Elsie Foreman, Becky's grandmother.

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Mr. and Mrs. William E. Roller, of 157 W. 220th St., were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Warner. The event was a housewarming party at the Fleet Reserve Club. 411 10th St., San Pedro. Fifty-five couples enjoyed a smorgasbord and a buffet turkey and ham dinner with all the trimmings. The guests presented the Warners with a gift certificate.

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Mrs. Nettie Cretzler, of 21103 Shearer, was the guest of her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Don J. Cretzler, 257 Kilgore St., Playa del Rey, to celebrate their daughter, Barbara Ann's seventh birthday. Adults present enjoyed a lovely charcoal broiled steak dinner. A children's party to celebrate the occasion was held June 17.

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Tenth district health center was the recipient of the proceeds netted from the paper and rag drive held recently by the Carson PTA in the amount of $93.70.

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The mobile unit of pets from the L. A. Board of Education visited Carson St. School recently and David Meagher was chosen to help conduct the tours to see the animals.

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Miss Mary E. Moore was honoree at a miscellaneous shower June 17, given by Mrs. Edmund Zepeda, of 1003 E. 223rd St. The evening was spent playing party games appropriate for the occasion. Many lovely gifts were received by the bride-to-be. Refreshments consisting of cake, jello, sandwiches, punch, coffee, mixed nuts and candy were served. Those attending the event were Mmes. Roy Winston, Alex Markus, and Charlene of Los Los Angeles; Mrs. Ralph Webster of Monterey Park; Misses Sheila and Kathleen Moore, Shirley Jensen; Mmes. John Krum, Henry Bersy, Tom Moore, Arthur Flynn, Fred Smith, Leroy Armstrong, Clare Schwintek, and Charles Pearson.

Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore, of 21021 S. Shearer, and will become the bride of Lawrence E. McMeeken, of Greenville, Mich., July 16, at the Nativity Catholic Church of Torrance. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McMeeken, and is a Seaman BMC 5th Div. on the Wasp, which is stationed at San Francisco for repairs. Mary is a graduate of St. Anthony's high school for girls in Long Beach and is now employed as a clerk in the Revenue and Accounting Dept. of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. of Van Nuys.

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Just before the close of school a musical recital was given by the members of the Carson St. School orchestra and chorus group, under the direction of the music teacher, Gwen Moon. Refreshments were served by the students to the parents and persons attending the recital. Dick Wittenburg, cornet; Kenneth Flynn, trumpet, will continue lessons during six weeks summer school at the 95th St. School, L .A.

Men's Group to Discuss Capital Punishment Here

"Capital Punishment" will be the topic of discussion at a meeting of the members and friends of St. Andrew's Men's Fellowship next Wednesday evening, June 29, at 7:30. Rev. William A. Gilbert, of St. Paul's Church, Ventura, will present the discussion.

All men of the community are being invited to attend the meeting, according to Arthur D. Kinsey, president of the Fellowship.

The meeting will open in the church with a short form of the evening prayer conducted by laymen of the church.

Following the discussion on capital punishment and a group discussion, the men will adjourn for refreshments.

New Citizens Bank Opens Next Monday

The new South Bay branch of Citizens National Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles, at 1624 South Pacific Coast Hwy., will open next Monday, according to Roy A. Britt, president.

John Burch, manager of the new office, said that Citizens National will pay two per cent a year on savings accounts, beginning July 1.

The branch will offer businessmen and residents complete banking facilities, including a new fast deposit system designed to save time on checking account deposits.

Ample parking space is available for customers.

The bank will be open for business on Monday from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., with Open House scheduled during the same hours.

The Open House will continue from 6 to 9 p. m. on Monday, Burch related.

Some People Just Like Their Sleep

Roused from sleeping in his auto at 174th and Yukon Ave. Tuesday, a Lawndale man swung a keen-bladed machete at Sgt. Ted Morris of the Torrance police force. The belligerant sleeper was Ernest Terr White, 21, of 4137 W 165th St.

Dropping the blade the man continued to resist Sgt. Morris, even after being handcuffed in the police car.

At Harbor General Hospital he was treated for cuts on the forehead.

Later in the day he was sentenced in South Bay Municipal Court for being drunk in an automobile. A 30-day grace period was allowed White to pay his fine.

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Interest coupon for $3.99, which became due on January 2, 1955
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Principal coupon for $22.18, which became due on January 2, 1955

And the holder of said bonds having, on the 9th day of December, 1954, duly demanded in writing that the County Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles proceed to advertise and sell the lot or parcel of land mentioned in the said bond.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, H. L. Byram, County Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles, under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, will, on the 6th day of July, 1955, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, sell at public auction the lot or parcel of land mentioned in said bond, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at the office of the said County Treasurer, Room 1002, in the Hall of Records in the City of Los Angeles, State of California, unless the amount due on said bond and the accrued interest thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid; and that I will so sell the same to the person who will take the least amount of said lot or parcel of land and pay the full amount of unpaid principal and interest on said bond, together with costs of publication; that the said sale will be made in accordance with and under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated as the Improvement Act of 1911 Approved April 4th, 1941, and amendments thereto.

The lot or parcel of land mentioned in said bond and to be sold is more particularly described to-wit:

Lot 13, Block F, Tract No. 8245,
Map Book 93, Pages 36 to 38,
Records of Los Angeles County, California.

The amount due on said bond up to date of this notice is as follows:
Due on the principal thereof Two Hundred Twenty One and 84/100 Dollars.
Due on account of interest Eighty Six and 57/100 Dollars.
Due on account of Penalty Fifty Three and 36/100 Dollars.
Total amount due on said bond Three Hundred Sixty One and 77/100 Dollars.

In order to avoid this sale, payment of the total amount above named will be required, together with the cost of publications made before such payment and the additional interest accruing up to the date of payment. Bond may be reinstated upon payment of amounts due, interest, penalties and fees, in the manner provided by law. In the event of sale, such sale will include interest in addition to the above total amount due accruing up to date of sale, the cost of publication of Notice of Sale, and One Dollar for the issuing of Certificate of sale.

The Torrance Herald is designated as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

H. L. BYRAM,
Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles.

Dated: June 16, 1955.
T-June 16, 23, 1955

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CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a furniture and appliance business at 1512 Cravens Avenue, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of BAKER'S FURNITURE and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

MAURICE A. HATTEM, 820 Maple Avenue, Torrance, California.
DONALD L. VERK, 1021 North Sweetzer, Los Angeles, California.

WITNESS our hand this 23rd day of May, 1955.

MAURICE A. HATTEM
DONALD L. VERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ss

ON THIS 23rd day of May A.D., 1955, before me, John P. Foley, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Maurice A. Haltem and Donald L. Verk known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL)

JOHN P. FOLEY
Notary Public in and for
said County and State.
My Commission Expires
May 29, 1956.

T-June 9, 16, 23, 30, 1955

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that public hearings will be held before the Torrance Planning Commission on July 6, and July 20, 1955 at 7:00 p. m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Torrance, on the following matter:

CASE NO. 353: Petition of Grand Construction Company, owners, for a Change of Zone on the following legally described property: Lots 1 to 10 inclusive, Tract No. 19626; The easterly 143.00 feet measured from the westerly line of Crenshaw Blvd., 60 feet wide, of Lot 44, McDonald Tract EXCEPTING therefrom that portion thereof lying northerly of the southerly boundary of Tract 19626. ALSO EXCEPTING therefrom the southerly 267.00 feet of said lot as measured from the center line of 182nd Street, 60 feet wide; The easterly 143.00 feet, measured from the westerly line of Crenshaw Blvd., 60 feet wide, of Lot 45; EXCEPTING therefrom that portion thereof which lies northerly of a line parallel with and distant 100.00 feet southerly, measured at right angles, from the southerly line of Parcels 1 and 2, Property of Southern California Edison Company Ltd., situated at 176th Street south to 181st Street, west side of Crenshaw Blvd., in the City of Torrance. Request is for a Change of Zone from R-2 to C-2 to permit commercial development.

All persons interested in the above case are requested to be present at the Hearings or to submit their written approval or disapproval to the Secretary of the Torrance Planning Commission, Room 10, City Hall, Torrance.

TORRANCE PLANNING COMMISSION
George C. Powell,
Secretary.

T-June 23, 1955.

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