

# Obituaries

**CHARLES M. WYNE**  
Funeral services for Charles M. Wyne, 72, of 2027 240th Street, Lomita, who died at his home Tuesday evening, will be conducted by Rev. Wells at Gamby Mortuary, Lomita, at 1 p. m. Friday.

Born in Indiana, Mr. Wyne resided in the Torrance area since 1918. Retired for the past ten years, he was formerly in the contracting business in Torrance and at one time had been associated with the National Supply Co.

Survivors include: a son, James, and a grandson, Karl, of Joshua Tree, and two daughters, Beatrice Kruger of 912 Beech Ave., and Ruth Sorenson of Rolling Hills.

**JAMES BELDEN**  
Funeral services for James Belden, 84, of San Diego, brother of Sylvia Steiner of this city, were conducted at Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel at 11 a. m. Saturday by Rev. John Taylor.

Interment followed at Inglewood Park Cemetery. He is also survived by Richard M. Belden, a nephew, of this city.

**ARTHUR CARL LEWIS**  
Funeral services for Arthur Carl Lewis, 67, of 1643 W. 214th St., who died in San Diego Wednesday, Dec. 17, were conducted by Rev. Milton Sippel at Halverson-Leavell Mortuary at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Burial took place at Green Hills Memorial Park. A native of Central City, Colo., Mr. Lewis resided locally for 40 years. He served in the United States Navy for 30 years and was employed at Columbia Steel for 19 years.

Survivors include: his widow, Margaret; a son, William R. Lewis; a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Bledsoe; and five grandchildren, all of Torrance.

**F. A. COVINGTON**  
F. A. "Covie" Covington, 52, of 23235 Doris Way, died Tuesday, Dec. 9, at Riviera Hospital. A Masonic funeral was held at the White & Day Mortuary, Redondo Beach, Saturday.

Born in Kansas, Mr. Covington had resided in this area for the past 25 years. He was past owner of the Rendezvous in Torrance and the Breakers Restaurant in Manhattan Beach. At the time of his death, he was employed as a salesman for the Mayfair Creamery of Torrance.

Survivors include his widow and two daughters, of Torrance, and his mother, three brothers and three sisters, of Wellington, Kan.

**Avalon Blvd. Strip to Be Resurfaced**  
Resurfacing of Avalon Boulevard from 222nd St. to 232rd St. was authorized Tuesday by County Supervisor Burton W. Chace and approved unanimously by his colleagues on the Board of Supervisors.

The improvement will consist of resurfacing the center 30-foot portion of the roadway to a new grade in order to increase the crown and improve the cross-section of the existing pavement, Chace said.

Road Department officials have tentatively scheduled the work to start during the week of Dec. 22. However, Chace pointed out that this will depend on completion of continuing maintenance activities and weather conditions.

Completion of this work will improve drainage conditions and provide a smoother riding surface. Recent traffic counts indi-

# New Shoes for Baby Given by Firestone Co.

Roy M. Turner of 23018 Petroleum Ave., and Alvin F. Young of 18808 Yukon Ave., each recently received a pair of baby shoes made of elkskin given by Firestone Tire and Rubber Co., Los Angeles, to employees whose children were born during 1958, the 30th anniversary year of production on the West Coast.

An adopted child, the new Turner baby, was named Mark, and weighed an even 8 pounds when he was born. He is the second boy in the Turner family, and has his name and birthdate recorded in gold on the soles of his new shoes.

Mr. Turner is employed in the Xylos Division at Firestone. The new young arrival, named Lisa, is the second girl and third child in her family. Lisa, who was born at Morning-side Hospital, weighed 8 lbs., 9 oz. at birth, and has her name and birthdate recorded in gold on the soles of her new shoes as mementos of the occasion.

Mr. Young is employed in the Guided Missile Division at Firestone.

**FAMOUS TREE**  
The most famous apple tree in the world is the one under which Gen. Robert E. Lee surrendered to Gen. U. S. Grant on April 9, 1865, at Appomattox, Virginia.

cate that approximately 11,000 vehicles per day use this portion of Avalon Blvd., a major highway in the County Master Plan Highway System, the Supervisor revealed.

Chace stated that the work here is scheduled by the Road Department to minimize inconvenience to the public and asks the cooperation of motorists in using caution on this street during the period of construction.

# CALIFORNIA MOTORISTS PAY BILLION

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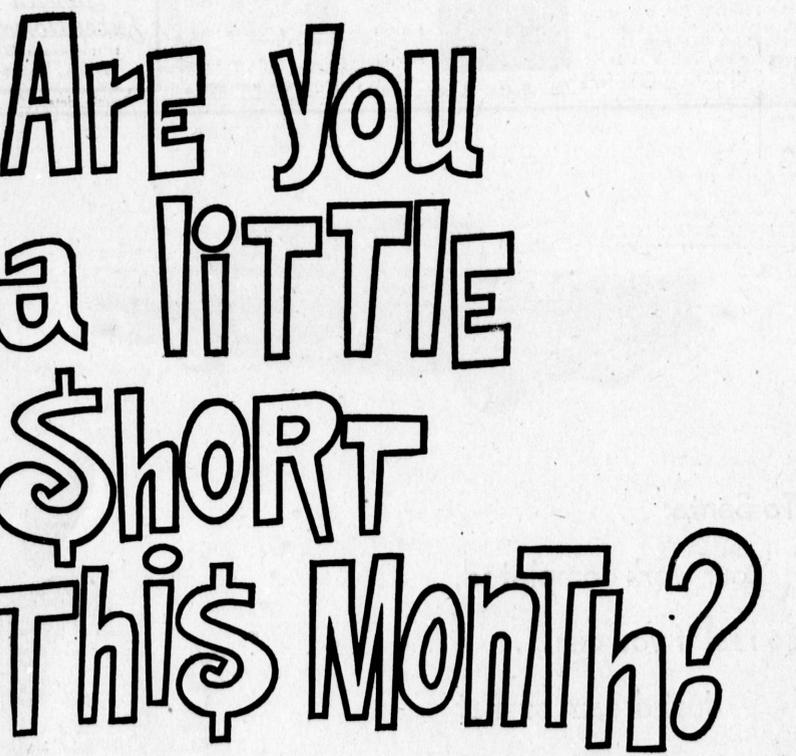
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Come out from behind that cloud. Throw away that map to the poor house. Light up that old face with a smile. We have the solution to your problem! Look! Just you round up all those things around your house that you don't use any more. You've got lots of them . . . like that old stove you replaced, and the furniture in the attic . . . and how about the kids' outgrown toys and the camera you never use. When you get all those things rounded up, call FA 8-4000 (that's the number of the Herald Want Ad Department) and let the friendly girl who answers help you write an ad offering those things for sale. Now, that's easy enough, isn't it. And pretty soon, when the phone begins to ring and people come to buy the things you want to sell, you'll have the cash you need to pay all your bills and then some! Why, you're getting much taller already!

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On February 1 in the amounts for each of the several years as follows:

Year of Maturity	Principal Amount
1961	\$55,000
1962	\$55,000
1963	\$55,000
1964	\$55,000
1965	\$55,000
1966	\$55,000
1967	\$55,000
1968	\$55,000
1969	\$55,000
1970	\$55,000
1971	\$55,000
1972	\$55,000
1973	\$55,000
1974	\$55,000
1975	\$55,000
1976	\$55,000
1977	\$55,000
1978	\$55,000
1979	\$55,000

**SIGNATURES:** At least one of the signatures to the bonds shall be manually affixed.

**INTEREST:** The bonds shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed upon the sale thereof but not to exceed 5% per annum, payable annually the first day of January and semi-annually thereafter.

**PAYMENT:** Said bonds and the interest thereon are payable in lawful money of the United States at the option of the Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles, in the City of Los Angeles, State of California, or at any office of the County of Los Angeles, in the City of Los Angeles, in the County of Los Angeles, in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, at the option of the Treasurer of the County of Los Angeles.

**REGISTRATION:** The bonds will be coupon bonds negotiable only as provided in the rules and regulations of the County of Los Angeles.

**NOT CALLABLE:** The bonds are not callable before maturity.

**SEVERABILITY:** Said bonds are general obligations of said unified school district, payable both principal and interest, and the same shall be enforceable under the laws now in force, may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon the real and personal property, except certain personal property, in said unified school district.

**TERMS OF SALE**  
Interest Rate: The maximum rate bid may be fixed upon the date of sale, payable annually the first year and semi-annually thereafter, the rate bid must be a maximum of 5% or 10% No bidder shall bid more than one interest rate.

**Award:** The bonds shall be sold for the highest bid, or if not less than all of the bonds hereby offered for sale and each bid shall be for a definite amount of bonds. No bidder shall bid more than one interest rate.

**Highest Bidder:** The bonds will be awarded to the bidder or bidders who offer the highest bid, or if not less than all of the bonds hereby offered for sale and each bid shall be for a definite amount of bonds. No bidder shall bid more than one interest rate.

**Place of Delivery:** Delivery of said bonds will be made to the successful bidder at the office of the County of Los Angeles, in the City of Los Angeles, California, or at any other place agreeable to both the successful bidder and the Board of Supervisors.

**Prompt Delivery:** Cancellation for non-delivery: It is expected that said bonds will be delivered to the successful bidder within 30 days from the date of sale thereof. The successful bidder shall have the right, at his option, to cancel the contract of purchase if the district fails to execute the bonds and tender them for delivery within 60 days from the date of the sale thereof. In such event, the successful bidder shall be entitled to the return of the deposit accompanying his bid, with the bid check, together with sealed envelope, addressed to Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, with the envelope and bid clearly marked "Proposal for Torrance Unified School District Bonds."

**Bid Check:** A certified or cashier's check on a responsible bank or trust company in the amount of 5% of the principal amount of the bonds, payable to the order of the County Treasurer, must accompany each proposal as a guaranty that the bidder, if successful, will accept the bonds in accordance with the terms of his bid. The proceeds of the check accompanying any accepted proposal shall be applied on the purchase price of, if such proposal is accepted but not performed, such failure of performance shall be caused by any act or omission of the district, shall then be retained by the County Treasurer for the benefit of the district. The check accompanying each unaccepted proposal shall be returned to the bidder.

**Change in Tax Exemption:** At any time before the bonds are tendered for delivery, the successful bidder may disaffirm his bid by filing a proposal if the interest received by private holders from bonds of the same type and character shall be decreased by any change in the law, either federal or state, or by any other federal court, or shall be declared taxable by the terms of any federal income tax law enacted subsequent to the date of this notice.

**No Litigation Certificate:** At the time of payment for and delivery of said bonds the bidder will furnish a certificate of no litigation pending affecting the validity of the bonds.

**Information Concerning the District:** Torrance Unified School District has been acting as a unified district under the laws of the State of California continuously since January 24, 1947.

**Tax Assessed:** The value of the property in valuation of the tax-district for the fiscal year 1958-59 is \$181,292,000 and the amount of bonds previously issued amount to \$154,945,000. (This includes \$1,945,000 assessed valuation of contested inventory assessments.)

**Percentage of tax delinquency for Torrance Unified School District for the five years is as follows:**

1954-55	.54%
1955-56	.54%
1956-57	.55%
1957-58	.55%
1958-59	.58%

**Torrance Unified School District includes an area of approximately 12 square miles and the estimated population is 151,220.**

**GIVEN BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY**  
ADOPTED December 9, 1958.  
(Seal) HAROLD J. OSTLY, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County.  
By: CORDON T. NESBITT, Deputy

**MATURITIES:** The bonds will mature in consecutive numerical order

T-Dec. 18, 25, 1958.