

Five Coupes, Lighting for Park Approved

Five Ford 6 De Luxe coupes will be purchased by the city to be used by the various city department inspectors, according to City Council action of April 24.

The City Council approved an appropriation of \$1,381.97 to purchase the autos from Schultz and Peckham, car dealers.

Also approved by the Council was an appropriation of \$3800 for the construction of a lighting system for McMaster Park Ball Diamond; \$2000 for the employment of a consultant to survey and set up a modern system of cost accounting for maintenance and operation of equipment at the City Yard, and \$797.96 for the payment to Frazier and Wright for overhaul of a motor from a White bus.

The appropriation for the motor overhaul was held over from the previous city council meeting as Councilman Willys Blount wanted to discuss and investigate the matter in an agenda meeting before approving it.

It's easier than you think to sell, rent, hire help, recover something you've lost, or find a good job. Just use a Torrance Press Want Ad.

SHOES REPAIRED WHILE YOU WAIT

ASK KENNY ABOUT INVISIBLE REsoles

WE BELIEVE IN QUALITY AT ECONOMICAL PRICES

KENNY'S
Shoe Rebuilding
1278 Sartori Ave.
(Across from Newberry's)

Torrance Man Earns Warrant Officers Insignia

Master Sergeant James J. Catena, 1322 West 219th street, Torrance, traded his Army chevrons for the red and gold shoulder insignia of a warrant officer (j.g.) when he took the oath of office April 18 at USA and USAF Southern Recruiting District Headquarters in Los Angeles.

The 36-year-old Torrance career soldier has been personnel sergeant major at recruiting headquarters here for the past three years.

W. O. (j.g.) Catena will report for duty at Sixth Army Recruiting Headquarters, Presidio of San Francisco, following a short leave at his wife's family home in Martin's Ferry, Ohio.

An ardent booster for Torrance warrant officer Catena says "I've seen a lot of the world during my 10 years' service, but I couldn't want a better place to live than Torrance. He has made his home here with his wife, Helen, and his daughter, Beth, 4.

Torrance Youth Burned to Death In Trailer Fire

Fierce flames which razed his house trailer last Thursday took the life of a 17-year-old laborer here, Benjamin Hernandez of 1841 West 178th street.

The youth's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Victoria Rodriguez, of the same address, said they were awakened about 4 a. m. by the crackling sound of flames. They and neighbors extinguished the fire with small garden hoses. Hernandez' body was found charred on the trailer floor. They said the youth had returned home about 1 a. m.

Decorating of Cakes Popular At Adult School

Cake decorating seems to be the "fad" these days at the adult education classes at the School Board April 17 found it necessary to hire three new cake decoration instructors to be used as needed.

Employed to teach decorating classes were Wilson Howard Bryan, effective March 29, 1951; Edith Allen Gates, effective March 29 and Julian Berko, effective April 10, 1951. Salary rates will be in accordance with the adult education salary scale adopted by the Board of Education of June 6, 1950.

Body of Suicide Victim Sent to Brownwood, Texas

The body of suicide victim John Lewis Guthrie, 32, was shipped by the Stone and Myers Mortuary to Brownwood, Texas, for interment.

Guthrie, with the United States Air Force for 15 years, was found dead of asphyxiation in his car on the Torrance Beach April 25. He had apparently taken his own life by running a garden hose from the exhaust pipe of his car to the rear window, according to Torrance Police.

The deceased, who resided in Hermosa Beach is survived by his widow, Mrs. Norma R. Guthrie and four sons, John Lewis, III, Timothy J. Gregory Lee, and Kenneth, all of the home address in Hermosa Beach.

They pay off big, those little Want Ads! For renting, selling, help hiring, job finding, or loss recovering, a Torrance Press Want Ad does the trick.

Torrance Youth Chosen for Submarine School

Chosen to attend the U. S. Navy's Submarine School at New London, Conn., was Richard Wright, S-A. Richard is the son of Jack Wright, employed at Torrance depot of Pacific Electric, Torrance boulevard, Torrance.

He is a graduate of Torrance high school with the class of 1949, and had completed three semesters at El Camino Junior college before entering the navy. While at boat training in San Diego, he was voted top man in his company, and was one of a very few selected for special submarine training. The first round in his schooling, which consists of general submarine technique will end on May 21, after which he will enter a specific field.

The sometime misunderstood "basic speed law" of California (Vehicle Code Section 510) is a relatively simple section. It is, in essence—no person may drive on a highway any faster than is safe! The driver is required to take into account the amount of traffic and the condition of the roadway. In determining what speed is safe, the driver must use the reasoning of a normally prudent person.

Annual Harbor Area Choral Festival May 15

Tuesday, May 15, at 8:30 p.m. will mark the third annual choral festival sponsored by the San Pedro Philharmonic and Artists Association. Civic, church and school choruses will present individual chorus numbers and are also preparing Fred Waring's arrangement of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," which will be sung by all choruses combined. The festival is free to all.

IT TAKES BUT A FEW MINUTES TO PLACE A TORRANCE CLASSIFIED AD AND IT SAVES YOU LOTS OF TIME AND WORRY. PHONE 1185.

THE BUMBLES PRESENTED BY YOUR LEADING BUSINESSMEN

TORRANCE TREE COMPLETE HOME APPLIANCES 1628 CRAVENS - TORRANCE

FOOD KING Carson and Arlington Richard V. Allen

Alter Realty & Insurance 1436 MARCELINEA OUR LADY STAFF FIVE MAIN OFFICES WORK FOR YOU ALONE FOR RESULTS—PHONE 2555

O.K. Pet Shop 1917 Carson St. Phone Torrance 2142 Fresh Horse Meat Dry Foods Remedies and Supplies

SanLeary EST. 1919 1311 SARTORI

FRANK'S Fabrication Company 1391 EL PRADO—TORRANCE 1948

Photo Arts Studio 1311 POST AVE. TORRANCE

Red's Texaco Service Body-Feeder-Garage Complete Auto Service 2056 W. Carson at Arlington

DRAGON DRUG CO. Prescription Druggists The Torrance Store Torrance Leslie L. Prince PHONE 180 7519 CARRILLO

NEW MANAGEMENT 1907 SARTORI AVE. TORRANCE

MOUNTAINVIEW DAIRY CAFE

FAMOUS COLUMBIA WINDOW SHADES

- Made to Measure
- Bring in Your Old Roller and Save 20c

CUSTOM MADE DRAPES

PAUL & JOHN
Distributors of Treasure Tone Paint
Also Largest Stock of Linoleum
1311 POST AVE. Torrance 3096

LAWSON'S JEWELRY GIFTS On Easy Terms

LAWSON'S GREATEST VALUES

Lawson's greatest values. Prices are the lowest in our history. Exquisite gifts of brilliant Diamonds, famous make Watches, fine jewelry, Electric Appliances, Radios, and many more—and they are yours to give or own on Lawson's no money down, and lower than ever credit terms.

BULOVA IDEAL GIFT America's Greatest Watch Values from \$2750 \$1.00 Weekly Large selection of ladies and mens Bulova watches, newest models.

ELGIN FOR MOTHER 17 Jewels From \$3375 \$1.00 Weekly Elgin 17 Jewels, large selection with the Durapower mainspring that will never break.

GRUEN IDEAL GIFT The Precision Watch From \$2975 \$1.00 Weekly Gruen, the precision watch in the newest designs.

HAMILTON 17 Jewels From \$52.50 \$1.00 Weekly Hamilton, large selection to choose from.

McMAHAN'S OPEN Friday TO 9 P.M.

Complete NURSERY OUTFIT

COMPLETE 4 Pc. GROUP
HARDWOOD CRIB
CRIB MATTRESS
BATHINETTE
HARDWOOD PLAY YARD

No Money Down

One-stop shopping for Baby! Buy the whole 4-piece group—all the furniture you need for the Nursery at this low price. Pay no cash down, the balance on long, easy, friendly terms at McMahan's

4-PIECE GROUP \$69.50

OR BUY ANY PIECE SHOWN SEPARATELY

- HARDWOOD CRIB \$24.95
- CRIB MATTRESS \$10.65
- BATHINETTE \$17.95
- PLAYYARD \$15.95

ALL PIECES SIMILAR TO ILLUSTRATION

EVERYTHING FOR BABY At Low Prices - Easy Terms!

831 6th AVE. SAN DIEGO PHONE F-0154

McMahan's THE FRIENDLY FURNITURE STORES

Located on the corner of El Prado & Sartori Ave. IN TORRANCE

LAWSON'S SENSATIONAL VALUES FOR GIFT GIVING TIME!

NO MONEY DOWN • NO INTEREST OR CARRYING CHARGES • IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

5 DIAMOND WEDDING RING Reg. \$2975 \$1.00 Weekly 5 fiery diamonds in fishtail design. 14K gold wedding ring.

11 DIAMOND BRIDAL PAIR Reg. \$14950 for Both \$2.00 Weekly 11 fiery diamonds, fishtail design in 14K gold, exquisitely matched.

6 DIAMOND BRIDAL PAIR Reg. \$7900 for Both \$1.50 Weekly 6 fiery diamonds set in 14 K gold exquisitely matched rings.

10 DIAMOND BRIDAL PAIR Reg. \$9950 for Both \$2.00 Weekly

Ladies' Birthstone RING Reg. \$975 \$1.00 Weekly Ladies' gold simulated birthstone rings. Your choice of birth month.

Twin Wedding Rings 14K Gold \$995 For Both \$1.00 Weekly 14K gold twin wedding rings for Her and for Him.

DIAMOND CROSS Ideal Gift Reg. \$795 \$1.00 Weekly Genuine diamond in gold cross, chain included.

RONSON LIGHTER Ideal Gift \$660 \$1.00 Weekly

TOASTMASTER Automatic Pop-Up \$2300 \$1.00 Weekly

Percolator Set 4 Pieces Reg. \$37.50 \$2475 \$1.00 Weekly

Sterling Silver Salt & Pepper Shakers Reg. \$9.95 \$595 Pair \$1.00 Weekly

Sterling Silver CANDLESTICKS Reg. \$6.95 \$395 Pair \$1.00 Weekly

Gift Suggestions For Mother's Day Sunday, May 13th FOR MOM ON MOTHER'S DAY

Community THE FINEST SILVERPLATE 52-Pieces Service for 8 With Chest Complete \$7450

Rogers 1847 Silverplate 52 Pieces - Service for 8 With Chest Complete \$6975 Terms as low as \$1.00 Weekly

Sunbeam MIXMASTER Ideal Gift \$4650 Sunbeam Coffeemaker \$3750 Sunbeam Wafflemaker \$2850 Terms—\$1.00 Weekly

Heart Locket & Bracelet With Chain Reg. \$12.95 \$795 \$1.00 Weekly

OPEN FRIDAY EVENING TILL 9 P.M.

LAWSON'S JEWELERS 1317 El Prado Ave., Torrance TORRANCE 3181