

# LETTERS to the Editor

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 All letters must be signed, although names will be withheld upon request of author.  
 Letters must deal with local problems and happenings only.  
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Editor,  
 Torrance Press:  
 On behalf of the Lomita-San Pedro P-TA Council, we wish to thank you for the outstanding publicity given the Council and the Harbor Area schools the past two years.  
 Sincerely,  
 Mrs. Don Wolf,

## Card Party For Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors of America will hold their regular monthly card party on August 21st, at the regular meeting place in the Woman's Club House on Encarnacion street. The regular games will be played and high scores will receive prizes. There will also be a door prize. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

Rain or shine, Torrance Press Want Ads run your errands, delivering your message to interested readers.

Past pres. of the Lomita-San Pedro Council P-TA  
 Torrance, Calif.  
 August 14, 1951  
 Editor TORRANCE PRESS  
 Torrance.  
 I have always felt that Torrance was an easy and pleasant place to do our shopping. I would like to see Torrance shopping center stay that way. It is my opinion that parking meters do not create more parking space, but merely serve as a source of irritation to shoppers and visitors. Let's keep parking meters out of Torrance.  
 ALEX BRADFORD.

Editor,  
 Torrance Press  
 Dear Sir:  
 As but one of hundreds of other Merchants, I do not believe that parking meters is a solution for parking in Torrance. I didn't know that we (That is Torrance) had grown so large that we can tell our shoppers, either pay or go some where else.

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## Our Thanks to Nick Drale!

Editor,  
 Torrance Press:  
 Who are the Political Bosses in the City of Torrance? As taxpayers in this town, the people should know who is responsible for spending of our money for such things as parking, transportation, and other vital issues which affect us as individuals in a community.  
 What we want to know is why are parking meters being forced upon Torrance without the consent of the people who live here? All we have to do is look at neighboring communities who

were and still are in the same situation as we are today. Redondo Beach has parking meters, and their problem is the same as it was before they were installed. With one exception—The business district has been disbursed and has moved to other areas where there are no meters.  
 Gardena made an attempt at installing meters, but they were removed within a few short weeks.  
 Must we go through the same thing, or will our politicians take a hint from the only representative the people seem to have on

**MEETING PLANNED**  
 The Torrance Chapter of American Gold Star Mothers will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting in the American Legion Hall, Redondo Beach, at 8 p.m. Tuesday evening August 21.  
 Their council: Mr. Nick Drale? Somewhere our City Officials should be able to earmark enough funds for the purchase of lots in the downtown shopping district, or find another solution that would be compatible to both the merchants and the shoppers who patronize them.  
 Signed,  
 A. G.

## Who Wants Parking Meters?

Editor,  
 Torrance Press:  
 The people who live here don't want them.  
 The majority of the businessmen haven't asked for them.  
 It seems as though the only parties that want meters are the four councilmen and the parking meter company (who sells them).  
 The question being asked around town is why do only the four councilmen insist that city of Torrance need parking meters when the existing parking lots are nearly empty most of the time.

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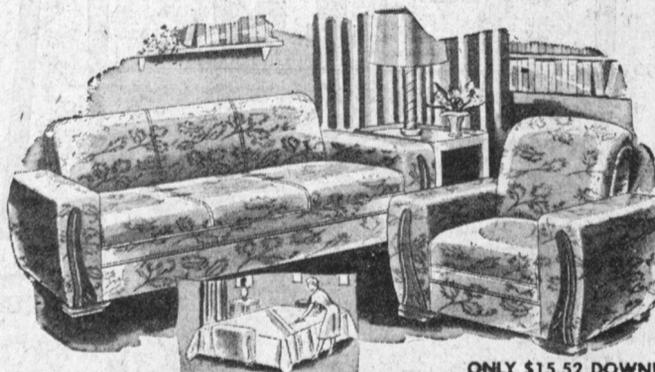
Mr. and Mrs. Burrel C. Burns, 2020 Arlington, are enjoying the visits of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McNutt and son Michael from Dallas, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eardley of Los Angeles this week.  
 Signed,  
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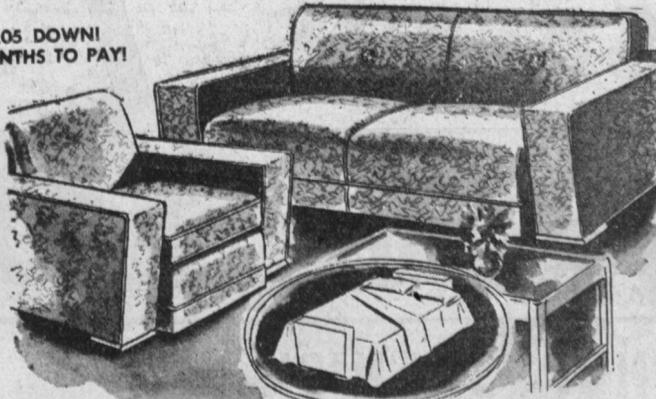
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