# Okay on Bonus Given by Board

**The Regional Wage Stabilization Board announced today that employers may pay any of their employes, without Board approval, a 1951 Christmas bonus up to $40 in value even though a lesser bonus, or no bonus was paid last year.**

**Arthur M. Ross, chairman, said that employers who paid Christmas or year-end bonuses last year greater than $40 in value may pay the same bonus in 1951, subject to the provisions of General Wage Regulation 14, the bonus order.**

**Payment of both types of bonuses was authorized by Amendment 2, which the National Board recently passed to liberalize the regulation.**

## More About Parking Meters

meters?"

"We have the surplus to buy needed land for off-street parking, or we can form an assessment district to buy the land," said a second merchant. "We do not want parking meters, because they drive business away."

A third merchant pointed to the curb-cutting activities in Torrance which are rendering unusable many parking places formerly available to autos.

Another merchant pointed to the fact that much of the downtown traffic congestion is being caused by the operation of the clock-works signal at Sartori avenue and El Prado on heavy traffic days.

"On an average," he said, "this signal allows not more than six cars to travel on either Sartori or El Prado during each 'go' signal. The average has been four cars and the result has been piling up of traffic behind the signal which is being operated on a 12-second 'go' basis and a 6-second 'caution' period."

"There is an answer to parking problems in any city," said a fifth merchant, "and I believe that the customers should come first. Most of them are our neighbors. Let's think about customer convenience."

# Auto Trunk Pried Open

SHOESTRING STRIP — Prying open the trunk of an auto owned by L. A. Gulley, of 20424 New Hampshire St., thieves stole a tire, hub caps, and a beauty rim, valued at $41, the victim reported to police today.

## More About Korean Jump

me; the sky was clear and crisp. Then I heard those two words that send you falling through space. They came loud and clear —READY—GO!

The next thing I knew I was out. The prop blast caught me and sent me flying away. One thousand—two thousands—three thousand. Then it came—my opening shock. It was hard opening because of all the weight I had on me. I had a 50 parcel pack, my weapons and a full load of ammunition. The next thing I knew everything was still, and I was floating gently to earth.

**CHUTE FAILS**

All of a sudden I heard someone say, "Pull your reserve." And I looked up and saw a trooper coming fast. He was wrapped up in his green chute as he pulled his reserve. I could see the white silk trying to open it, but it was futile; he went by me yelling.

I saw him hit. Something inside of my stomach went weak. I said to myself: "I guess it wasn't my time."

When I got to the ground, I got out of my chute, and walked over to where he had hit. He kind of dug his own grave from the impact where he had hit. He was bleeding from his mouth and ears. Then I knew he was dead for sure.

The guys around him said nothing, for they knew it could have just as well been one of them.

Well, we walked back to Logue, 25 miles away, but it seemed like 100 miles. That night about 11:30 we flew back to Japan.

I think the real thing is coming close. There is talk about us jumping in to free those prisoners up in Northern Korea. Six hundred troops have just been murdered. Something will have to be done. Well, that's all for now. I am enclosing some Korea money I got while I was there.

So long for now,
Love—Joe

## More About Plastic Unit

into department 25 and will be named the installation department. Department 25 will be moved on Jan. 14 to a new building at Crenshaw and El Segundo.

When the second building at the above location is completed, then department 21—to be known as the structure department will be moved from Torrance.

"Torrance may lose the wing assembly," said an official, "but this area will be the center of North American's plastic unit."


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## *Moose Scout Troop Takes Desert Trek*

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