

## BELIEVE IN FUTURE OF TORRANCE

Two Aggressive Young Men Are Making Good Here

Although comparatively new in the business life of Torrance, the real estate and insurance firm of Babcock and Jones, 2010 Arlington Street, has already made a name for itself as being one of the live aggressive companies who are doing so much for the development of Torrance.

L. V. Babcock and Jas. W. Jones, the partners in this rapidly growing firm are both residents of Torrance, own property here, and are thoroughly imbued with the spirit which is so much in evidence in those who know and can visualize Torrance in the years to come. Mr. Babcock has been a resident of Torrance for several years, being connected with the First National Bank, and is well and favorably known to the majority of our citizens. Mr. Jones, although he has resided here only during the past year, has made himself so much a

part of the life of this community and taken such an active part in civic enterprises, that he is considered one of the men of whom this city is proud. This firm conducts a general real estate and insurance business in all its branches, and because of its successful application of the principles of good business, the quality of the service it renders, and the general popularity of its members, it has become one of the leading companies of Torrance.

### TORRANCE WOMAN'S CLUB.

Mrs. Frank Sammons, president of the Torrance Woman's Club, entertained the executive board Monday afternoon. Activities for the next year and the personnel of the various chairmen were discussed.

The ladies decided to have a booth at the Fiesta and it was also decided to hold a chair shower, each lady to give either a chair or the price of a chair, but it is hoped any member will never get hurt at anything that happens and take her chair and go home.

### El Prado Apartments

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Corbett are entertaining Mr. Corbett's mother, who is here from Washington. Last Sunday they all enjoyed a trip to Santa Monica, Venice, and Pasadena.

### VISTA HIGHLANDS.

Mrs. Roy Colburn, Mrs. Zamperino, and Mrs. Chas. Stock entertained a party of twenty-two Vista Highlands ladies at the home of Mrs. Stock, Monday afternoon, and tendered Mrs. Jack Lynne a very delightful surprise social afternoon. Mrs. Lynne was the recipient of many useful and pretty presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beckwith and children, with Mr. and Mrs. Rice of Torrance, are camping in the San Bernardino mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stock and family will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stock at Chino this week-end.

Mrs. Eley of Orange, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Lynne.

Mrs. Roy Colburn, Mrs. Sultor and Mrs. Stewart and children, picnicked at Redondo Beach, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert and children were Redondo Beach visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, of Riverdale, have moved to Torrance, and have taken temporary apartments in the Brighton. Mr. Perry is employed by the Pacific Electric.

## BIGGEST AND BEST CARD ON TONIGHT

Boxing and Wrestling Bouts Best Seen In Torrance

The American Legion will put on the highest class boxing and wrestling exhibition yet accorded the fans of Torrance and vicinity, on Friday night of this week. There will be four rattling boxing matches and two wrestling matches that will keep you on your toes all the time.

The big show will begin at 8 p. m. at American Legion hall. The following is the schedule:

### BOXING.

Sallor Myatt, El Segundo, vs. Sam Kaspar, Llewellyn Iron Works.

Nat Cyrus, L. I. W. vs. Battling Patino, L. I. W.

Jack Lowe, El Segundo, vs. Bob Mitchell, El Segundo.

Pat Higgins, Pacific Electric, vs. Kid Graham, Graham A. C.

### WRESTLING.

James Scott, vs. Representative from Graham A. C.

Ed Rieber, Pacific Elec. vs. Jack Schaffer, Pacific Elec.

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### MACABEES MEET.

The Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees met Tuesday evening, Aug. 8th. Mrs. Kate A. Russell, district deputy and Mrs. Lee Ferris, commander of the Royal Review, Los Angeles, were present, and conducted a very successful drill. Several members of the Redondo Beach Review were visitors.

Mrs. Geo. Watson, commander, and others, will leave Thursday evening, to attend the association meeting at San Diego. Plans are being made to hold a dance in the first part of September. The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday, August 22.

### "BACK TO THE REPUBLIC."

H. E. Reeve has secured Harry Atwood of the Better American Federation to address the forum meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday evening, August 23d. Mr. Atwood has written several books, among them "Back to the Republic," which is a distinctly outstanding book of this generation. Mr. Reeves says: don't miss this, as he has heard him, and his lectures are unsurpassed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barnard of Vista Heights, a son, Wednesday morning, August 9.

Some of the roads around here still look to a motorist as though they had been built for airplane traffic.

### BUILDING NEW HOUSES.

Charles Vanderhae, who built two five-room houses on Andreo Avenue, reports that the finishing touches were added yesterday, and is already making arrangements to build two more houses at once. This certainly is the right spirit and the great need in Torrance today is more like Mr. Vanderhae.

### JAMES W. POST HERE.

Making a flying trip to Torrance Monday morning, James Wallace Post, president of the First National Bank of Torrance, came down from Glenn Ranch, where he and Mrs. Post are spending a fortnight, to attend to business matters that required his personal attention. Mr. Post reported a glorious time at the camp.

### FITZMAURICE'S FINEST.

What is claimed to be the most ambitious screen effort of George Fitzmaurice, is his Paramount picture of Booth Tarkington's thrilling novel, "The Man From Home," which comes to the Torrance Theatre, next Wednesday, August 16. Filmed in Italy, the locale of the story, and with a superlative cast of popular players, the picture sweeps the onlooker through a breathless succession of incident to a startling climax. James Kirkwood, Anna Q. Nilsson, Norman Kerry and John Milern and Dorothy Cumming, have the principal roles.

¶ During your visit to the Fiesta, or at any other time—you are cordially invited to visit the new home of the—

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