

NEW LUMBER YARD OPENED FOR BUSINESS

A. J. Haynes Sees Big Building Boom For Torrance

Convinced that Torrance is on the eve of a great building boom, A. J. Haynes announces today the opening of the Haynes Lumber company, with a new yard and supply house on Border avenue, just south of Carson street. Associated with Mr. Haynes is E. E. Lehman, yard foreman. Both Mr. Haynes and Mr. Lehman are experienced lumber men. Both have been associated in the business for years. Mr. Haynes asserts that business is good right now and that the new company is delivering lumber in Torrance every day.

TORRANCE HIGH FIVE DEFEATS LOMITA SQUAD

Intense Student Enthusiasm Backs Local Basketball Team

Torrance high school students have aroused intense enthusiasm for the basketball team which defeated Lomita last Friday night, 21 to 8. Seventy-five per cent of the students of Torrance high attended the game and cheered their team to victory. Next Friday the team will toss baskets against Gardena at Gardena. The games on the schedule of the locals are as follows: Feb. 8, Wilmington High at Torrance; Feb. 12, Redondo High at Torrance; Feb. 15, San Pedro High at Torrance. The regulars on the Torrance five are as follows: Forwards, Harold Romine, Gerald Balsch; center, Ray Sleppy; guards, Turner McLane, Harry Phillips; substitutes, Robert Tate, Earl Bacon.

Mohawk Oil Co. Spuds In Well On Industrial Tract

The Mohawk Oil company Friday afternoon spudded in its well in the Torrance industrial tract near the glass factory. The well is being drilled on property owned by W. C. Hamilton of Anaheim, Lawrence Crowell of Torrance and D. A. Hamilton and L. N. Wesser.

Peddlers Make Work Hard For Vote Registrar

House to house canvassers, descending on Torrance in veritable droves, have made it difficult to register voters in the city.

This is the testimony of Mrs. Laura Anderson, Torrance registrar, who has been making a house to house canvass to register voters here. Mrs. Anderson declares that about half the housewives of the city have adopted means of their own to defeat the wiles of peddlers, agents and book salesfolk. Said Mrs. Anderson: "I ring the bell and see the resident of the house scurry from the front room to the rear of the house. Then, no matter how much I ring or how long I knock, there is no response. They think that if they open the door I'll put my foot in it and try to sell them a combination can opener, powder puff and ice pick, or something equally undesirable. I don't blame them. Women of Torrance could, if they would, spend half of their time talking to agents and peddlers. "I find, however, that most every woman wishes to vote, and when I overcome their suspicion that I have something for sale they treat me with the utmost courtesy."

Born—Monday, Jan. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bucher of Ocean avenue, a daughter—Jean Hene.

FREEHOLDERS WILL LISTEN TO KLUSMAN

Special Meeting Wednesday Night at Catholic Hall

According to dodgers distributed throughout the city, the Torrance Freeholders' league will hold a special meeting Wednesday night, Jan. 23, at 7 o'clock, in Catholic hall, Cota street. The dodger announces that Bill Klusman "will put before the audience a very important subject that concerns every home owner." The handbill announces that the meeting will be open to the public.

WELCOME, "L. H."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Deiniger arrived here this week from Owatonna, Minn., and will make their home here. Mr. Deiniger, a brother of "Bob" Deiniger, will join the local postal force.

ATTENTION, M. W. A.

The Modern Woodmen of America will meet Thursday night at Catholic hall. Important business will be considered and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Browne and mother, Mrs. A. Barnes, of 1331 El Prado street, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Shepard of the Westlake district, Los Angeles.

LOMITA NOTES

Mrs. Gordon Groves returned Friday from a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bangs, of San Diego. Mrs. Spaulding returned with her for a short visit.

Mrs. Harold Coakley of Vine street spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davenport, of Santa Ana. Mr. Davenport continues quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sidebotham of South Narbonne avenue left Monday for a few days' visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. E. L. Wheeler and daughter Louise, of Hynes, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Richey and family, of East Chestnut street.

Mrs. Kate Dale was a business visitor over the week-end at her former home at Hemet.

Mrs. A. M. Collins and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Gardena, were guests of friends in Lomita Sunday.

Orville Jeffries of East Chestnut street was reported on the sick list the latter part of the week.

Miss Doris Beatty has been transferred from the Paxman hardware store in Torrance to the Lomita store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg and son, John Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Keys, of Pasadena, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Christien and Mrs. William Evans and children were Los Angeles and Hollywood visitors Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Community Presbyterian church of Lomita will give a concert in Civic hall on the evening of February 4. Watch the paper for more particulars. You'll miss a treat if you stay away.

Sunday callers at the E. B. Schriver home were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jellison and daughters, Norma and Frances, of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan of Chicago.

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