

CLASSIFIED Advertisements

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5 Lost and Found LOST OR STOLEN—Black mare, white mark on left back, right eye bad. \$10 reward for recovery.

ESCAPED, Aug. 29, from Larabe's Kennels on Main St., black Persian male cat. Reward for return or information.

LOST—Fountain pen; name Marion Wright engraved on it. Return 1003 Cota. Reward.

LOST—Plumber's fire pot. Notify V. L. Zuber, 1003 Portola, Torrance.

6 Business Directory

D. C. TURNER In Rappaport's Store Expert Shoe Repairer Makes Old Shoes Look New

CLOSING OUT our line of Vocalion records, 25 cents each. Torrance Art Shop, 1818 Sartori.

DRESSMAKING—Very reasonable; guaranteed. 2609 West Carson. Mrs. L. M. Dunaway.

WAN'S Window Cleaning Service—House, store, office. Reasonable. Phone 201-M. 2304 Gramercy.

HEMSTITCHING, Mrs. King, 2267 West Carson St., 1 block west of high school.

9 Business Opportunities

FRUIT STAND, fixtures, in local market, reasonable; good business, reasonable rent. Reason for selling, other business. Box A, Herald Office.

11 For Rent: Houses Furnished

FURNISHED 3-room modern house and garage. 1537 Walnut St., cor. 257th.

FURNISHED HOUSES for rent, all modern, \$12.50 per month. 1443 Carson St.

THREE-ROOM modern furnished house. 1958 220th St., Torrance.

12 For Rent: Houses Unfurnished

FOR RENT—Four-room house and garage at 2267 Sonoma Ave.; partly furnished. Apply 1333 Engracia Ave.

VE-ROOM modern house and one acre, orchard, chicken runs and garden. 2502 East Chestnut, Lomita.

MODERN five-room house; berries and peaches on acre. Apply 3035 West Pine St., Lomita.

FOR RENT, unfurnished—4-room house, all modern. Inquire 1753 Andro Ave.

Thirty Million Passengers Rode Stages in 1924

Huge Increase in Bus and Truck Traffic Shown by Commission

Auto stage and truck lines operating over the highways of California under the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission transported nearly 30,000,000 passengers and 3,000,000 tons of freight during the calendar year 1924, according to the annual report of the auto stage and truck department of the Railroad Commission.

The exact figures, as compiled from the reports of the stage and truck lines, whose financial statements are filed with the commission, are as follows: Passengers, 29,665,908; freight (tons), 659,834.

The figures showing freight tonnage transported are not as accurate as those covering passenger traffic, as many of the companies reporting do not maintain a close check on their movements. An estimate of 1,000,000 tons is believed to be conservative.

More Use Autos There has been a steady increase in the number of persons using the public automobile to satisfy their travel needs and desires. In 1923 the reports of the auto stage lines filed with the Railroad Commission showed 21,221,928 passengers carried. In 1924 this number was increased by 8,440,980. In 1924 there was an increase of nearly half a million (460,835) in the number of passengers carried over the travel reported for 1923.

The growth of public highway transportation in California is graphically shown by the figures compiled by the commission in its annual report of the activities of the auto stage and truck department. This report shows that there are 682 stage and truck lines operating over the highways under the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission. Of these, 102 carry passengers and baggage. Passengers and express are transported by 137, and 43 carry passengers.

SACRIFICE—1 acre, subdivided into 4 big lots; would make good income property; high ground; gas, good water, electricity; near bank, stores, bus and school. If sold this month I will take \$4500. Apply 3037 Weston St., Lomita.

34 Real Estate: Unimproved BEDES, DRESSERS and other furniture, very reasonable. Sewing machine. 1927 Carson St., Torrance.

38 Real Estate for Sale or Trade FOR EXCHANGE—Nearly new Torrance duplex. What have you? Owner, G. Morris, 315 Elm St., Long Beach. Phone 628-528.

WILL TRADE Long Beach property for house and lot or unimproved lot in Torrance. 1330 Cabrillo, Torrance.

WILL TRADE \$1000 equity in San Pedro 4-room modern house for lot in or near Torrance. See Mr. Quave, Beacon Drug Store.

30 Wanted to Buy RAGS Clean cotton rags wanted at Herald office. No silk, wool or flannels. Must be free from hooks and buttons. 10c a pound, delivered here.

CHEAP—DODGE ROADSTER, good condition, model '17-'23. John Holm, 2950 Redondo-Wilmington Blvd., Lomita.

WANTED—Real estate. List your properties with the Nell Realty Company. S-29-t

31 Wanted To Rent WANTED, TO RENT—5- or 6-room house, furnished, for the winter. See Mr. Law, Ford Garage, Torrance.

33: Real Estate: Improved BUYERS, ATTENTION Four-room modern house; large screen porch; garage; corner lot, 119 ft. on Blvd., south Lomita, 100 feet from Redondo Blvd. Price only \$3200; \$250 down. Near new high school. Two acres for \$2100 each, on terms; less for cash. 3-room house, modern, \$2300; \$100 down. See Houts, Narbonne and Chestnut, Lomita. Phone Lomita 32-J.

FOR SALE—One 6-room and two 5-room houses in 1000 block on Amadora Ave., Torrance. I am building these houses and have them priced for quick sales. PERRY O. GUY Contractor and Builder 721 Cota Ave., Torrance

FOUR-ROOM modern house; bath; garage, lawn and trees. Terms. See owner, 1632 Cypress St., Lomita, one block south Wilmington-Redondo Blvd.

FOR SALE—New stucco house, complete; garage. \$3000, at your own terms. Owner on premises Sunday, 632 North Sartori Ave.

FOR HOMES IN LOMITA, and for fire, compensation and automobile insurance, see J. W. WELTE 1144 Narbonne Lomita Across from School

34 Real Estate: Unimproved BARGAINS 1/2-acre lot; gas, water, electricity; close Redondo Blvd. \$1000; terms. 40x140, close to Western, \$325. Large residence lot, Engracia near Cravens, \$1600; \$500 cash, terms. 150x150 corner, 216th St. \$1000; about \$500 down. 100-ft. corner, Cedar, \$1250; terms. H. E. VOORHIES 441 W. 37th St., Los Angeles

CHURCH NEWS

ATTEND SERVICES SUNDAY

LOMITA GOSPEL MISSION Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching service at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

The young people meet at 6:30 Sunday evening. Prayer and Bible study every Tuesday and Thursday evening.

We want to give a very urgent invitation to the boys and girls, men and women who do not attend services any place else, to come to the Little Gospel Mission, 2847 Brethren street. We also urge you to be present at the Bible studies on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Rev. D. R. Plunkett is the teacher—a man who walks and talks with God. The gospel is for present, personal, practical use. When? Where? How? No. It is for now. It is now we need to be saved from sinning. Jesus

saved us from sinning now. There is power in the blood. Perhaps you cannot understand or believe the truth of this statement. But come to the Bible studies and learn to trust and believe in Jesus, who died for us all. The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also, and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness? (II Peter 9:11).

baggage, freight and express. Auto carriers transporting both freight and passengers total 121, and there are 20 authorized to carry freight and express. There are 232 lines carrying freight alone. Included in the freight carriers are 70 lines whose service is limited to the transportation of special commodities, such as milk, fruit and produce, furniture (household goods), lumber, films, cement, livestock, oil well supplies, and other commodities.

164 Are Class "A" The records for 1924 show that of the auto stage companies filing annual reports, 164 are classed as "A" companies; that is, companies whose gross income is in excess of \$20,000.

The 1924 gross operating revenues of all the companies reporting reached a total of \$19,042,161.57, as against a total of \$17,554,981.36 in 1923. This gain of \$1,487,179.71 in gross income was more than offset by the increase in operating expense, the difference between the gross operating expense of 1924 and that of 1923 being \$1,994,366.50. The total for 1924 was \$18,231,526.11.

Net revenues for all companies in 1924 were \$10,635.46, or \$507,154.79 less than the 1923 figure of \$1,112,390.25. The profit for the year of all "A" companies, after deducting all charges such as taxes, interest and other miscellaneous items, was \$374,662.51. The profit of the "B" companies was \$343,447.67, a total for all companies of \$718,110.78.

Gas Item Big Among the principal items of expense reported by the auto stage and truck operators is gasoline. In 1924 the larger companies paid gasoline bills totaling \$1,295,816.02. The fuel bills of the smaller companies totaled \$365,053.06.

Taxes are another important item. "A" companies paid federal income taxes of \$79,629.22. All other taxes amounted to \$628,995.32, a grand total of \$608,624.54. "B" companies paid taxes amounting to \$76,980.67. All told, the tax and license collections from the auto stages and trucks whose activities are subject to the jurisdiction of

the Railroad Commission amounted to \$655,605.21.

The plant and equipment investment of the auto stage and truck lines engaged in transporting persons and property over the highways of California for compensation in 1924 reached a total of \$15,952,011.22, all but \$2,206,046.09 of this sum being reported by the class "A" companies. Plant and investment figures for 1923 showed a total for all companies of \$13,557,975.82, or \$2,394,036.08 less than the amount shown in the same column in 1924.

Plenty of Cars The equipment reports of the class "A" companies show 1188 passenger cars, 1117 trucks, and 520 other vehicles, the latter being principally trailers. The class "B" companies in 1924 used 537 passenger cars, 544 trucks, and 24 other vehicles, a total of 2,980 pieces of equipment regularly devoted to the business of transporting persons and property over the highways as public carriers.

This figure does not include leased equipment. A large percentage of the auto stage and truck operators, at times of peak demands, lease equipment to enable them to take care of the traffic. This practice is approved by the commission, which prescribes the form of lease. It may be said that, including the leased cars, approximately 4000 cars, trucks and trailers are required to meet the demands of travelers and shippers who use the public highway transportation service.

S. F. Webb, H. M. Tolson, Boyd Hudson, Frank Hawkins, Mike and Clarence Fix, of Torrance, and Jonas Blakesley, of Los Angeles, enjoyed a duck-hunting trip in Imperial Valley from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Confer and children spent Friday in Los Angeles, in celebration of the ninth birthday of their daughter, Inez Smith. They attended the Orpheum in the afternoon, and on Saturday saw Harold Lloyd in "The Freshman."

"Come and Cheer with the Crowds" World Series Play by Play

Atwater-Kent Radio Furnished Thru Courtesy DE BRA RADIO CO., Torrance

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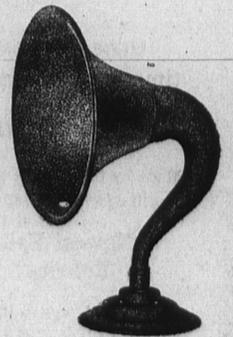


"Joe Harris Hits a Home Run"

Just fifteen seconds after Joe Harris swatted his Home Run yesterday, the magic news was announced over 100 Atwater Kent radios in Torrance homes and business places. Those hundred who had Atwater Kents in their homes at their lunch or rested in the easy chairs of their living rooms while they enjoyed the game. Others, who have not yet bought radios, heard the game from the public broadcastings.

Are you still depriving yourself and your family of the educational and amusement advantages of the radio? Radios will soon be as common as automobiles—and just as important.

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