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New Greenhouses In Operation

Bob Ueda Erects Two Large Structures In Lomita

Two huge greenhouses for the cultivation of celery, tomatoes and flowers are now in operation in Lomita adjoining the old ball park, following their completion last week for Bob Ueda. The owner said the buildings, their modern heating plant and a residence nearby for workers, represent an investment of approximately \$5,000. Each of the glass houses is 100 feet long, 40 feet wide and 16 feet high. Ueda expects to remove his first crop of vegetable seedlings from the new structures within a few weeks.

City Pistol Team Defeats Sheriffs

By a score of 1,295 to 1,226, a Torrance Pistol Club team defeated five deputy sheriffs from Substation No. 3 last Friday afternoon at the city range. Members of the city team and their scores were: Mayor Stanger, 256; DeBra, 266; Bennett, 269; Anderle, 258, and March, 248. The sheriff's squad and their scores were: England, 251; Kirecoff, 221; Burns, 246; Deal, 237, and Manning, 271.

SPORT SHOTS

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2,500 undergraduates — Marquette has struggled for football recognition. Gradually its gridiron schedules have been strengthened, first with the resumption of contests with the University of Wisconsin and then with other major teams such as Northwestern and St. Mary's, until this year Murray's team received national recognition. In 1922, the first year he took over the job as chief coach, Murray's team was undefeated. His 1923 team had another clean record and the 1930 squad was undefeated. Teams of 1931 and 1935 lost only one game each. During 15 years his teams have won 89 games, lost 30 and tied six. They scored 2,064 points to an even 700 for their opponents.

PROPOSE FIVE-YEAR FLOOD CONTROL PLAN FOR COUNTY

TORRANCE HIGH LIGHTS... by Vida Jones

A five-year flood control program for Los Angeles county that would involve the expenditure of \$75,000,000 of federal funds has been prepared by General Edward M. Markham, chief of the Army Engineering Corps, according to County Supervisor Herbert C. Legg. The expenditure is proposed at the rate of \$15,000,000 annually, or practically equal to the initial work undertaken by the army engineers, and which now is nearing completion on a number of projects. Los Angeles county would be required to provide approximately \$1,000,000 annually for right of way, or \$5,000,000 for the five-year period. This would bring the aggregate cost of the work to \$80,000,000.

Includes Nigger Slough

Legg stated he had under consideration two methods, by which the county's \$5,000,000 share might be raised. A 20-year bond issue would spread the tax burden, but would first have to be authorized by the legislature. This could be placed before the 1937 legislature, however, the supervisor said. The alternative would be of course to levy a tax, which would amount to between four and five cents \$100 of valuation, for each of the five years. Flood control channels, particularly the San Gabriel, Los Angeles and Rio Hondo, would be widened, straightened and deepened where necessary, and most of the work would be heavy construction. Several debris basins, possibly another dam, and Nigger Slough would be taken care of, it was understood.

FCA Launched...

R. J. Casey is sponsoring a new organization known as the Future Craftsmen of America. This boys' organization is intended to serve industrially-minded boys in a similar way to that which the Future Farmers of America serves the field of agricultural interests. Purposes of the F. C. A. are: To promote the spirit of craftsmanship, to encourage an interest in hobbies, to aid the student in the intelligent choice of an occupation, and to promote fellowship. There is to be a system of degrees and awards for achievement in craftsmanship. These awards will be based upon personal qualities, character, achievements in leadership, practice of safety and skill in the crafts.

Splendid Record...

The Japanese club, all of whose members are Japanese, has just disclosed its fine record. With the exception of one person, no member's name has ever appeared on any ineligible list for the past semester. All the other clubs, green with envy, are hoping and working for a record to parallel this one.

No Imitation...

The World Friendship organization at Torrance high has widened its scope and arrangements are being carried out so that the incoming elementary school pupils will be assigned to advanced students for guidance and advice. In this manner newcomers will be initiated into the traditions, customs and standards of the high school. Torrance is not merely imitating the big brother and sister idea adopted by some schools but has originated the idea of a psychological and social tie-up between the elementary student and the high school prior to that student's arrival. Sponsors of the World Friendship Club have, with the consent and assistance of Principal Thomas Elson and the principals of the elementary schools, made up a master guidance sheet that will be placed in the hands of teachers. This is the result of intensive labor on the part of Mrs. M. A. Allen, one of the sponsors, and includes the principles of educational theory and practice.

Sepulveda Link Okayed In L.A.

With final completion of the new half-million dollar extension of the Sepulveda boulevard at the northerly end scheduled for late this week, the city of Los Angeles on Tuesday took steps to advertise for bids on another \$20,000 link. While the extension, between Brand boulevard and San Fernando road, will be completed late this week, it probably will not be opened to traffic until some kind of surfacing is applied, state engineers said. The extension around the east side of the upper and lower San Fernando reservoirs was to have been completed last Friday but was delayed approximately one week.

Narbonne Gets More Land for Development

Word was received Tuesday by Miss Clementina de Forest Griffin, principal of Narbonne high school, that the Los Angeles board of education had accepted a deed for an acre of land south of the school tennis courts. This will permit the Lomita school head to plan the re-development of the agricultural field and rearrange the girls' and boys' athletic field to afford better facilities. The boys' one-fifth-mile track will be enlarged to a quarter-mile oval but it will still be impossible to locate a 220-yard straight-away track on the campus property. The extension of the campus has long been desired by Miss Griffin and she is delighted that the additional property has been secured for the school.

Founders of the House...

Naomi Jacobs: Those who like old-fashioned romance, indeed, almost romantic melodrama, will enjoy Miss Jacobs' new story. It depicts a large scene with many characters, and though the history and characters are touched with exaggeration and sentimentality the tale, nevertheless, is immensely likeable, refreshing and delightful.

"Green Mountains to Sierras"

by Zephine Humpheys: One of our new travel as adventure books and is written with a real literary quality. It is a record of travel from Vermont to California by way of the South, a winter in our own state, and return journey by way of the Rocky Mountains in the spring, a route not lacking in excitement. To many a stay-at-home it will convey some new ideas about his country. However, other eastern visitors have seen California with more sympathetic eyes and we may enjoy other descriptions and reactions more than those which Mrs. Humphey and her artist husband found on the Pacific Coast itself.

"Hasta La Vista" by Christopher Morley, which the author calls "Postcard from Peru," is a chatty account of his trip to South America. To those who are Morley readers this needs no recommendation. The author travels, always with an observing eye, and a mind stored with a supercargo of memories and ideas; consequently he derives a vast amount of fun out of his travels and passes his sheer joy of living and seeing on to the reader. His rapid association of ideas and contrasts, leads him into all kinds of discussions and we rove far afield when we travel with this genial author.

WORRELLS HOME FROM MOTOR TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Worrell and daughter, Miss Doris, 1452 El Prado, recently returned from a motor trip to San Jose and San Francisco where they viewed the new bridge. En route home they stopped at Taft to visit with friends.

IN SOCIETY

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ASK FOR THESE BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

"Countess From Iowa" by Countess Nostitz: Life of a girl born in Iowa, who spent her girlhood in San Francisco and became stagestruck. Going to New York, by a stroke of luck, she found herself a member of a famous stock company. She had youth, beauty, and evidently some talent, for she was acceptable to the critics.

Next married to a German nobleman, she lived for a time in Berlin in court circles, where she met a military attaché from the Russian embassy, who became her second husband. The rest of the book is concerned with that country or Paris, where he was sent on diplomatic errands. In Paris she records a very extravagant pleasure-loving regime. She saw Russia before and thru the stages of the revolution. She shows much courage thru the bloodshed and terror but lacked any understanding of the faults of the old regime.

She relates many anecdotes, some amusing, some grim, but always with gusto. She delights in depicting highly colored love drama of the 90's, and a good deal of European court life. Thru it all she seems to have been brave, honest and sometimes shrewd, and always irrepressible.

"Doctor Ibrahim" by John Kitnel: Here is a book that is different; full of fascinating characters in a strange and exciting land. As a boy, Ibrahim, from Assuit in upper Egypt, had one ambition: he wanted to become a doctor that he might bring some relief to his Egyptian countrymen. The rise to professional knowledge and rank of this little Egyptian boy forms an enthralling tale, full of picturesque details. It is a story also to remember for the profound and moving insight into men and women.

"Attendant Neighbor" by Mrs. Estelle Graham, Kathryn Buffington, Lois Babcock, Teresa Hill and Sally West attended Wilmington chapter, Order of Eastern Star, installation service in their meeting hall at Wilmington, Monday evening.

NEW ART CLUB ENJOYS EXHIBITS

Five members of the newly-formed art association of Torrance visited two art exhibits at Palos Verdes Sunday, Nov. 29. At the library, etchings and wood block prints; at the Riviera clubhouse, paintings and sculpture. Mrs. Ione B. Harkness, curator of the exhibit gave an illuminating talk on a number of paintings. Music and tea were enjoyed.

C. E. GUILD CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. M. J. Beale and Mrs. Ralph Hutton will share honors as hostesses at the potluck luncheon to precede the annual Christmas party of the Central Evangelical Guild in their Guild hall, Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 12:30 o'clock. Ladies of the Guild are each asked to bring a gift not exceeding 25 cents in cost. These gifts will be distributed at the party.

CELEBRATE 30TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Ward furnished the incentive for a Thanksgiving Day dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arundell (Dorothy Eshom) at Redley. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jordan, Gilbert Derouin, Miss Ethel Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Arundell. Thursday evening the Torrance party left for Sequoia National park, later visiting Grant National park and returning home Sunday evening.

MRS. WEGNER LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. Gilbert Wegner, Torrance boulevard, was hostess, when she entertained members of her bridge club at luncheon in her home Wednesday. Covers were placed for Mmes. Freeman R. Lockwood, L. H. Deininger, Robert Ashley, Ernest Butt, Jack Snow and the hostess. Contract bridge furnished diversion after which the luncheon, with prize for high score won by Mrs. Lockwood.

SPEND HOLIDAY AT SAN JOSE

Mrs. Blanche Hastie, of Lynwood; Mrs. Zada Hastie, Mrs. Carrie Parks and son Jimmy, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bishop at the Bishop home in San Jose. Before returning they traveled over the new San Francisco bridge. They arrived home Sunday evening.

ATTEND FOOTBALL GAME AT L. A.

A party of Torrance folks attending the University of Southern California and University of California at Los Angeles game in the Coliseum Thanksgiving Day, included Misses Jeanne Sears, Marion Sears, Aggie Lou Rippey, Betty Elliot and Jane Johnston, and Messrs. Joe DiSario, Julian Isen and Eugene Stegelmeyer.

MRS. MARCUS EDWARDS, 2208 ANDREU AVENUE, had as her house guest the past week, her mother, Mrs. Elsie Dennis, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Leon Cooper, of Portola apartments, was hostess when she entertained the Royal Neighbor Club in her home Tuesday evening. Four tables of 500 were in play with prizes for high scores captured by Mrs. Nettie Denman, Mrs. Ray Smith and Mrs. Ada Munsey.

BACK TO STUDIES AND TEACHING.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haslam, Cota avenue, returned to their home Monday after motoring to Fresno with their daughter May and son Kenneth, who were at home for the Thanksgiving vacation period. Kenneth is a student at Fresno college, while May is a teacher at Dos Palos.

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Officials Ill So Mayor Serves Taxpayers

Illness of both City Clerk A. H. Bartlett and his deputy, LeRoy Stevens, Monday forced Mayor W. H. Stanger to serve Los Angeles city and school district taxpayers who thronged the city hall to file their tax rebate claims for some return from their 1933-34 taxes. Both city officials were reported confined to their beds with severe colds and lung congestion. Their absence delayed clerks in the city hall for a time from obtaining records from the locked safe to prepare the monthly payroll.

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