

North Torrance Water Meeting Is Set for Friday at Schoolhouse

In an effort to assist some 14 or 16 families in North Torrance who face a water famine after June 15 because of the collapse of the Crown Water Company, a mutual firm, Glenn Jain, acting city engineer, was instructed by the city council Tuesday afternoon to arrange for a meeting of the property owners, council and city attorney at the Perry school house Friday night, June 6, at 8 o'clock.

The city officials will explain what the city can do to help reorganize the company, possibly by way of financial aid, to the extent of \$2,500 or \$3,000. This sum, Jain told the council would drill a new well, install an overhead or pressure tank and pump.

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Eight Patients Enter Hospital

Eight patients entered Torrance Memorial hospital during the past week. They were: Mrs. Margaret Yarger of Harbor City, for medical care May 31; Willis Cook, 1622 Cedar ave. for medical care June 3; Orvall Dinsmore, Redondo Beach, for surgery June 1; Mrs. Dorothy George, 704 Madrid ave. for surgery June 1.

Mrs. Luella Meier, 2116 Andro ave. for surgery June 3; Mrs. Kathryn Miller, 2213 Mariopa st. for medical care May 31; Stefan Perotich, 20414 North Florence Drive, for medical care June 3 and Allen Redmond, Inglewood, for surgery June 3.

Production of bottle caps has risen from \$7,000,000 worth to more than \$10,000,000 in five years.

Churches and Vets File Now for Tax Benefits

"Church buildings used exclusively for religious worship and so much of the real estate on which they are located as may be necessary for actual use, are exempt from taxation, under provisions of the state constitution," stated County Assessor John R. Quinn today. The statutes also provide for exemption of war veterans' property to the amount of \$1,000 assessed valuation to those who are qualified to receive the exemption.

Church officers and veterans who wish to avail themselves of the benefits of the law are admonished by the Assessor to make application for such exemption at an early date. "A recent check of our files," said Quinn, "shows that only about two-thirds of those entitled to exemption benefits have filed up to this time."

"Due to the large volume of statements handled by the County Assessor's office each year it will greatly facilitate our work if those who are entitled to claim exemptions will file their 1941 statements requesting this exemption before June 15," concluded Quinn.

Local Men Bid to Enlist in State Guard

Any male resident of Torrance Lomita or vicinity, between 21 and 64 who can pass a reasonable physical examination and is not a member of any branch of the U. S. armed forces may enlist in the local battalion of the California State Guard being formed at Clark Stadium in Hermosa Beach.

The stadium is headquarters for both enlistment and drill. Maneuvers are held Wednesday nights from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock and optionally on Sunday morning. The local battalion, which has received endorsement of public officials and civic leaders in Torrance and Lomita, will be composed of composite companies, which means that the men who enlist will have the choice of the following branches of service:

Communications (radio, etc.), Engineers, Military Police, Medical Detachment, Motor Transport, Motorcycle Squad, Cavalry, Air Corps and other specialized services.

The purpose of the California State Guard is to organize, train, and equip a selected group of patriotic American citizens in the manner necessary to cope with any situation that might place in jeopardy the safety, well being, or peace of mind of our homes, communities, or State.

The Federal government has authorized each of the 48 states to organize, train and equip a citizen army, to function in case of any emergency. Our state has passed the necessary legislation, and is now organizing and training units throughout the entire state.

About 600,000 persons in the United States are victims of epileptic seizures.

Today's Lesson in Flag Etiquette

• The flag must not be used as a table cloth. Nothing but the Bible should rest upon the flag.

• The flag should never be used to decorate platforms or stands, or draped in any fashion for decorating purposes.

• To salute the flag, persons in civilian clothes should stand at attention, place the hat with the right hand over the left breast. Persons in military uniform should execute the right hand salute.

• In displaying the flag of two or more nations, all flags should be flown from separate staffs of the same height and the flags should be of approximately equal size.

This is the second of a series of five illustrated weekly lessons in "Flag Etiquette" offered readers of The Torrance Herald and The Lomita News in cooperation with the National Department of Americanism, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.

These illustrated instructions are based on National Flag Code regulations, as approved by representatives of a large number of patriotic and civic bodies and endorsed by the United States Army and the United States Navy. These rules constitute the unwritten law of the flag and this feature is presented with the hope it will prove helpful in creating in the hearts and minds of American citizens a greater reverence for the Stars and Stripes and the principles for which it stands.

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L. A. Home Show Opens Friday for Week's Run

Predicting that all attendance records set last year, when 125,000 home lovers went through the turnstiles, would be greatly increased, F. D. McDonald, Jr., managing director of the Fourth Annual Home Show announced yesterday that there will be nearly 500 exhibits when the exposition opens its doors at the Pan Pacific Auditorium, Friday afternoon, June 6. The show will run through June 15. The exhibits will range from a reinforced concrete and steel bomb shelter to the latest word in formal and informal gardens. In association with the Home Show, which is sponsored by the Building Constructors Association, the Southern California Horticultural Institute will stage its first annual summer Flower Show, which will make the coming exhibition the most colorful ever held in the Southwest. Virtually every grower of prominence in this section, as well as the leading amateur and professional floral arrangers, will participate in the competitions which will add to the attractiveness of the home exhibits.

Every inch of the 100,000 square foot capacity of the Pan Pacific Auditorium will be devoted to the final word in materials that go into the building of the home, the furnishing of it, and the landscaping. Center of attraction, as in past years, will be the latest model in home construction, a two bedroom bungalow, completely furnished, which is called "The Californian." It received this title from the fact that everything in the home, from nails to redwood, has been manufactured in the Golden State.

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De Molays to Seat Officers Saturday Night

Kenneth Perkin will be installed as master counselor of the Torrance De Molay lodge at ceremonies to be held Saturday night, June 7, at the Masonic temple starting at 8 o'clock. He will succeed Hugh Allen as head of the order.

An installing team, consisting of past master counselors of the lodge, will officiate. Other new officers to be seated are Clifford Trozise, senior counselor; Richard Miller, junior counselor; Bill Buckley, senior deacon, and Harold Kerber, junior deacon.

Thomas Higgins, senior steward; Howard Locke, junior steward; O. B. Huber, warder; Clifford Totten, sentinel; Fred Lincoln, chaplain; William Boshe, marshal; Wallace Steinbiller, standard bearer; Phillip Hoffman, almoner; Norman Marsteller, Dennis Fiace, David Jacobs, Harland Johnson, Wallace Clark, Warren Edwards and Walter Smith, preceptors.

A dance and refreshments will follow the ceremonies which are open to the public.

Alpine Coupons Good for Special Gifts Here

Special gifts for users of Alpine milk and coffee will be featured Saturday, June 7, at the Carsonmart, Ray's Friendly Market and the Ideal Ranch Market. Local girls will redeem Alpine coupons for the special offer of a glass dish for 10 coupons and one cent or a pie and cake server for six coupons and 15 cents, it is announced.



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Santa Fe Adds Fourth Train to San Diego Run

Santa Fe Railway this week announced that beginning Sunday, June 8, a second streamlined, Diesel-powered train will go into daily service between Los Angeles and San Diego. The new train, a duplicate of the popular San Diegan, will make two round trips daily giving the railway four streamlined trains daily between the two cities in addition to one regular steam powered train.

An additional train operating between Los Angeles and Grand Canyon will also go into service on June 8, according to C. C. Thompson, general passenger agent for the company. Departure from Los Angeles is scheduled for 2 p. m. daily. Arrival time, Los Angeles, 11 a. m., daily.

Two other changes in train time for Santa Fe go into effect on June 8. The California Limited will leave daily at 7 p. m., 15 minutes earlier than previously; and the Fast Mail train will depart from Union Station at 11:10 p. m., ten minutes later.

Townsend Club Activities

By Beth Paige

This Club is deeply grieved to learn of the serious injuries suffered by Cecil Wise, son of Laura Wise. Cecil was gravely hurt by a fall from sleep scaffolding in his work at Boulder City. About a week later his wife and two daughters on their way to visit him were killed in an automobile accident. Mrs. Wise who left Torrance immediately upon learning of the first disaster, is now being cared for by two daughters near the place of the tragedy. The sympathy of all our members goes to her. Tomorrow night is our business session. Everybody is urged to attend.

On June 13 we plan a Birthday party for all members whose birthdays occur during April, May and June. On June 20 we will have another dance and social evening.

The Club Council met Tuesday evening with the president of the Club at his home. After business discussions, Mrs. Colburn served refreshments.

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