

**MASKREY FAMILY AT SHIRLEY TEMPLE WEDDING**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maskrey and daughter Eileen and Arthur James Maskrey, Jr., of Palos Verdes and formerly of Torrance, were among the guests at the wedding of Shirley Temple to Sgt. John G. Agar, Jr. at Methodist Wiltshire church last night. They also attended the wedding reception at the Brentwood home of the bride's parents.

**ASHLEY HOME IS SETTING FOR PARTY**  
Mrs. R. J. Ashley was a gracious hostess to club members when she entertained at her home Tuesday evening. A profusion of garden flowers, gracefully arranged, created a festive background for the card tables at the close of play daily refreshments were served. Prizes were presented to Mrs. M. N. Folker and Edward Rhone. Mrs. S. E. Hopkins was a club guest.

**Presidential Nominee to Talk At Church Here**

Dr. Claude A. Watson, Prohibition nominee for President of the United States, will be the guest speaker Sunday morning at the Central Evangelical Community Church. Dr. Watson is a well-known attorney of Los Angeles, also well known all over the United States for his various civic and religious interests. He is also a minister in demand constantly for conferences and religious assemblies.

Coming to Torrance as the president of the California Drys, Inc., Dr. Watson brings the startling disclosure of 10,000 illegal liquor establishments in the state of California. He will tell what is being done to change this situation. A state-wide program of education is being fostered with competent speakers thoroughly covering each congressional district.

"Invasion of Old John Barleycorn" will be the speaker's topic. The service in Torrance will be at 11:00 o'clock. At 8:00 p. m. the church will participate in a mass meeting at the Community Baptist Church, 1215 Manhattan, Hermosa Beach. Dr. Watson will speak at this rally upon the subject, "God's plan for Civil Government."

**VISITS PARENTS**  
Lt and Mrs. Phil M. Russell and their 10-month-old baby, Phyllis Claire, arrived this week by plane from Charleston, S. C., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron A. Russell, 2103 Arlington ave.

**H. C. Allen Is New Chamber Director**

Herbert C. Allen, restaurant operator, was elected a director of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of directors held Tuesday evening. He succeeds George Chapman. Charles V. Jones and Robert I. Plomert, Jr. were elected vice-presidents.

The appointment of Allen brings the directorate of the chamber up to full strength of nine members, according to Reed H. Parkin, president. In addition to those named above, the following are directors: Hillman R. Lee, treasurer; I. Washburn, Grover C. Whyte, the Rev. Paul Moore Wheeler, and Cyril B. Sagnall. Blaine Walker, executive secretary, is not a member of the board of directors.

Amended by-laws, widening the scope of chamber activities and providing full and equal participation of all members in the election of directors, were adopted by the directors Tuesday evening. Under the new by-laws, every member, regardless of his membership classification or financial support to the chamber, is entitled to one vote in the election of directors and other matters acted upon by the membership.

"In other words," explained Blaine Walker, executive secretary, "the individual member, not engaged in business, will have an equal voice in the operation of the chamber with the largest industrial concern."

Annual membership meetings for election of directors will be held in November, and special meetings of members may be held at other times as circumstances require in order to assure a fully democratic organization, President Parkin explained.

Standing committees established under the amended by-laws are: merchants division; transportation and public utilities; industrial and new business; finance, audit and membership; community planning, streets, highways and flood control; inter-organization; public relations; publicity and advertising; and ways and means.

At the meeting Tuesday evening, a number of projects and problems of vital importance to the community were discussed at length. These are now under study by committees, and when decisions are reached, will be given full publicity and prompt action by the chamber, President Parkin states.

Any member of the chamber who has a community project to discuss or a civic problem to present is invited to attend any meeting of the board of directors. Directors meet twice monthly at the chamber offices, on the first Monday at 1 p. m. and the third Tuesday at 6:30 p. m.

**New Restaurant To Open Here October 20**  
William Vurpillat announced yesterday that the former Christy's Cafe, 1434 Marcellina, will reopen on or before Oct. 20. The new cafe will be operated by his son, Ralph and a niece, Natalie. Tatum.

Vurpillat estimated an approximate \$17,000 will be spent in alterations, repairs and additional building costs. The additional building will provide a 40-foot bar and booths for the cocktail lounge.

Alterations will include the converting of an upstairs store room into a balcony providing a banquet room for private dinner parties, he said. Additional table lounges will be gained in the dining room of the building by tearing out a glass inclosure in front of the restaurant.

**ADMINISTRATION**  
The civic center section of the Southern California School of Public Administration will open Sept. 17 in the Wilson building, 132 West First st., it was announced today.



**SISTERS . . . Marjorie F. and Ella Mae Lutes, both ranked as yeoman, 1/c, WAVE, will arrive this weekend for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Lutes of 20707 S. Vermont. Stationed at Philadelphia Navy Yards, Miss Marjorie has been serving in the bond office and her sister is in district communications at the same base.**

**Child Care Centers to Close Oct. 13; No Funds Available for Operation**

Torrance and Lomita child care centers, where working mothers have been able to leave their children for the past several years, will close Saturday, Oct. 13, instead of Oct. 31, as previously announced.

A statement from C. L. Glenn, supervisor of extended day care, and Myra B. Nelson, supervisor of child care centers, for the Los Angeles schools, said that "under our present California laws it is not possible for the school board to use school funds for child care centers," and that "our last day of service for the children will be Saturday, Oct. 13, 1945, because all bills must be paid and leases cancelled before Oct. 31, 1945."

Lanham act funds will be terminated Oct. 31, but mothers who have been happy over the expert care given their youngsters while they have worked in war plants and elsewhere, have been paying \$3 per week for each child to help defray costs of operation of the centers. Some have indicated that they would double this fee, in order to have the type of care provided.

Efforts to have the state or the Los Angeles Area Victory Chest take over the deficit in operation of the centers have not been successful, it was said, but Mrs. Joy Prime, head teacher of Torrance elementary's center said "every possible effort is being made to keep the center open, and real progress is being made."

The City of Torrance has been asked to assist in the measure, and has sought the aid of the League of California Cities. Both the Lions Club and the Veterans of Foreign Wars petitioned the City Council to interest itself in the problem.

Several Southern California communities, including Burbank, have been able to provide funds to keep centers open.

**May Get Extension**  
Child Care Centers will not close before October 31, according to a recent ruling by the Federal Works Agency given to a meeting Monday of Child Care Sponsors at the Chamber of Commerce building. This announcement, however, is contrary to that of the Los Angeles schools.

A letter from Governor Earl Warren promising to include Child Care on the call of the next session also was read. The Governor said he had communicated with President Truman urging that the nurseries be kept open.

County Board of Supervisors Tuesday adopted a resolution asking Congress to enact legislation to extend the life of child care centers.

According to county authorities, there were 265 Child Care Centers in Los Angeles County, housing 15,000 children, last July. Since that time, the same source reports, there are 240 centers with 10,000 children housed.

It was also learned that 93 per cent of the mothers are employed and 42 per cent of the fathers are members of the armed forces.

In addition it was reported, 45 per cent of the youngsters are aged from 2 to 3 years. The average cost yearly for individual child care was given as \$438.86.

**NOT GUILTY PLEA**  
Appearing on a drunk driving charge, Thomas W. Kudlemyer, 907 Acacia ave., entered a plea of not guilty in Visiting Judge E. L. Morris's City court Sept. 14. Kudlemyer, who is free on a \$150 bond, will appear for trial Sept. 25 before Judge Otto B. Willett.

**New Donations and Pledges**

Industrial Division:	\$1,000.00
Anonymous:	
Commercial Division:	
J. C. Penney Co., Inc.	\$100.00
Yellow Cab Co.	10.00
Geneva Cafe	2.00
Residential Division:	\$112.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lee	\$25.00
Jack Miller	25.00
Chas. C. Shaner & family	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. Balcom	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Loughridge	10.00
H. Whitaker	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Emerson	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kneisler	5.00
Mrs. H. W. Dowell	5.00
Mrs. Ann Mentzer	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McMaster	5.00
Mrs. Izola Adcock	5.00
Robert E. McCaffery	5.00
E. W. Miller	5.00
Howard G. Locke	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Towler	5.00
Mrs. Ruth Woodcock	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dean	3.00
Mrs. Margaret Kelsey	2.00
Mrs. Elsa DeBra	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter	2.00
Capt. and Mrs. M. Johnson	2.00
Mrs. Vernon A. Harmer	2.00
	\$167.00
New Totals:	
Industrial Division	\$1,150.00
Commercial Division	\$112.00
Residential Division	1,167.00
TOTAL	\$3,429.00

**Construction Bans Lifted By Government**

The government has ordered all limits off new construction, including house building, on Oct. 15.

Despite the fears of the O.P.A. and other agencies of skyrocketing home prices, Reconstruction Director John W. Snyder threw out the price ceiling on new dwellings along with the other wartime curbs on civilian construction.

Snyder said swift expansion of building activity offered "the greatest single additional source of jobs in our entire economy." Immediately revoked its hotly disputed order L-41, effective Oct. 15, including its \$800 price limit on permitted houses.

That action will permit unhampered construction of stores, theaters, dwellings, office and hotel buildings. It also will unhook a big public works program which has been bottled up for three years. Curbs on factory and road building are already off.

The O.P.A. prepared to issue, probably tomorrow, strict dollar-and-cents price ceilings on nearly all building supplies. These will cover plumbing, hardware and materials as well as roof laying and other contractors' services—in fact, almost everything but the price of the lot and finished house.

But O. P. A. Administrator Chester Bowles—just before Snyder acted—urged Congress to authorize price limits on completed homes, too.

**Building Here For Week at High Total**

During permits in Torrance building the past week reached a total of \$81,450, according to records in the office of City Engineer G. M. Jain.

Coast Insulating Co. received the largest permit of the week, one of \$38,985 for one of its big new warehouses, and another for \$13,041 for a wool collector building.

Several oil derricks were authorized.

Permits issued are as follows: Eva Whitney, 1804 Arlington ave., addition to bedroom, \$100. Coast Insulating Co. 401 Arlington ave., Warehouse, 113x150, \$38,985. Wool collector building, 63x90, \$13,041.

Morton and Kolbush, 21590 Madrona ave., steel oil derrick, \$5,000.

F. M. Krewok, 1218 Arlington ave., garage, \$500.

G. T. Martin, 349 Pasco de Gracia, garage, \$460.

Albert Isen, 2087 Torrance blvd., neon signs, \$375.

W. Vurpillat, 1436 Marcellina ave., neon sign, \$435.

E. R. Dawson, 1906 Plaza del Amo, garage, \$340.

G. Vandergrift, 1813 Arlington ave., front porch enclosure, \$200.

Mid-City Drug, 1315 Sartori ave., neon sign, \$550.

Del Amo Estates Co., 21300, 21325, 21401 Hawthorne blvd., three steel derricks for wells Nos. 41, 46, 47, \$15,000.

G. E. Olding, 3650 Newton st., five room residence, \$6500.

**Charles Olsen Expected Home At Early Date**

Charles H. Olsen, fire controlman 2/c, U. S. N., aboard the U. S. S. West Virginia, stationed in Tokyo Bay, sent a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Olsen, 2476 W. 285th st., Lomita, contained in a souvenir cover, dated Sept. 2, the official date of Japan's surrender and decorated with a reproduction of Fujiyama. In his letter the serviceman stated that he expected to arrive at a West Coast port in time for a Navy Day celebration.

**Wilson R. Page Returns Home From Overseas**

S/Sgt. Wilson R. Page, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rufus Page, of 1723 Arlington ave., returned Sept. 9 following 34 months with the 12th Air Force. He has five gold bars for overseas service, the Distinguished Unit Badge, American Theatre Medal, seven battle stars for campaigns, Tunisia, Sicilian, Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, Southern France, North Apennines and Po Valley. S/Sgt. Page received his honorable discharge Thursday at Fort MacArthur.

will open Oct. 1, an announcement from the state fish and game commission said today.

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Fresh Ripe CASABA MELONS 6 1/2 lb 16c	GUITTARD, FLAVOR RICH 1-LB. JAR 27c	PLAIN OR IODIZED LESLIE SALT 2-LB. BOX 7c
Red Ripe WATERMELON 4 lb 4c	MAKES OLD FLOORS LIKE NEW OAKITE CLEANER 10c	SOFTASILK CAKE FLOUR LARGE PKG. 26c
Nice Solid, Ripe TOMATOES 3 lbs. 25c	SUNSHINE GRAHAM CRACKERS 1-LB. BOX 19c	
Fancy, Fresh Seedless Grapes 2 lbs. 25c		
Hunt's Spanish Style TOMATO SAUCE 4 8-oz. Cans 19c		
Regular Cans SUNBRITE CLEANSER 3 for 13c		
SUNSHINE SODA CRACKERS 1-LB. BOX 16c	IRIS, FRENCH STYLE GREEN BEANS NO. 2 CANS 37c	
Enriched Flour Pillsbury's Best 10-lb Sack 57c	5-lb. Bag 30c	
Enriched Flour Globe A-1 10-lb Sack 57c	5-lb. Sack 30c	
Enriched Flour Drifted Snow 10-lb Sack 57c	5-lb. Sack 30c	
SWIFT'S CANNED MILK 2 TALL CANS 19c	COSMOS SLICED PEACHES LARGE NO. 2 1/2 CAN 27c	LIBBY'S EARLY GARDEN SWEET PEAS 2 NO. 2 CANS 31c
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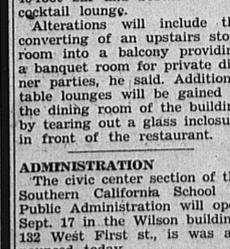
**10,000 ILLEGAL SALOONS In California**

Here the amazing disclosure Sunday morning, Sept. 17, in CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH, Torrance

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**YOUNG CHURCHMEN AT FIRST FALL MEET**

Young Churchmen's League of St. Andrew's Church, on Sept. 30, will entertain as their guests members of the Christian Church young people's group. The program will be the first of a series, aimed at bringing together in better understanding the youth groups of the two churches. The Y. C. L. members will serve a supper under the chairmanship of Bengta Nelson.