

Los Angeles County Authorities Held Responsible For Jap Housing

Los Angeles County authorities will be responsible for housing facilities to accommodate several thousand Japanese now located at Tule Lake, which is scheduled to be closed February 1.

OBITUARY

THOMAS E. HATFIELD

Thomas E. Hatfield, born Dec. 16, 1886 in Bluffton, Ind., died following a heart attack Nov. 19 at his home, 2031 Andros ave. He came to this city in 1935 and at the time of his death was an employee of the City Recreational Department in Torrance. Thomas Hatfield was widely known here and his passing is mourned by all who knew him. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 125 and is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie Hatfield; a daughter, Mrs. Thelma Fletcher, living in Angola, Ind.; a brother, Clarence D. Hatfield, of this city and two grandsons of Angola, Ind. Funeral services will be held at the Stone and Myers Chapel Nov. 23, at 2:00 p. m., with the Rev. Wesley Roloff officiating. Interment will follow at the Pacific Crest in Redondo Beach.

ALBERT FLETCHER

Albert Fletcher, former plant superintendent of International Derrick and Equipment Company, died last week at his home in Pennsylvania. Funeral services were conducted Monday at Red Lion, Pa. He is survived by his widow, Christina. Fletcher arrived in Torrance in 1923 to take up his duties and in 1940 left to take a better position in the east. During his term of service the plant grew from warehousing of steel to the manufacturing of oil portable derricks. When he left the company's employ, the plant was ready to go into the manufacture of war materials. Many friends mourn his passing.

NELLE IONE McCONVILLE

Nelle Ione McConville, born in the year 1885 in Ipava, Ill., died following a long illness, at the Wilmington Rest Home Nov. 15, 1945. She was a member of the Torrance Baptist Church also the VFW Auxiliary, Woman's Benefit Association, and the Women's Relief Corps No. 135 at Hawthorne. She is survived by her widower, Charles McConville; a son, Lester Keller of Compton; two sisters, Mrs. Inez Revelle of this city and Mrs. Hortense Robinson of Canoga Park. Funeral services were held Nov. 20 at the Stone and Myers Chapel. Rev. C. M. Northrup conducted. Interment followed in the Inglewood Park Cemetery.

Old 'doc' Stork visited

Old 'doc' Stork visited the following parents, among others, at the Torrance Memorial hospital during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. James E. Casey, 1754 Gramercy ave., boy, Nov. 20, 12:47 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Campbell, 2060 220th st., boy, Nov. 20, 5:39 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rodriguez, 1131 256th st., girl, Nov. 18, 8:23 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, 1668 215th st., girl, Nov. 19, 10:24 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Pat R. Stewart, 1920 Torrance blvd., girl, Nov. 21, 4:56 a. m.

Personal stationery? Call Torrance 444 or 443.

John Chaison Returns Home From U. S. Navy

John Frederick Chaison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaison, 2427 W. 251st, was discharged from the U. S. Navy recently and returned to civilian life and is now employed at the National Supply Co., Torrance. Chaison, who was a machinist's mate, second class, spent three years in the service, 34 months of which was spent overseas. He was on the ill-fated USS Indianapolis and was transferred to the Naval Repair Base at San Diego just before she was sunk. He is residing with his wife, Gerry at their home on 219th st., Torrance.

Specifications, Plans For Sea Wall Received

Another step forward has been made in the matter of the proposed sea wall at Redondo Beach, according to Supervisor Raymond V. Darby, who stated that the plans and specifications for the sea wall had been received from the State Department of Public Works by the city of Redondo Beach. That city approved them Nov. 19, and the Board of Supervisors took like action on Nov. 20. Such procedure is necessary as the proposed construction is to be jointly financed by the state, county and city.

GEORGE WARDROP

George C. Wardrop, 1351 W. 219th st., was reported to have been taken to the U.S. Veterans hospital at Sawtelle yesterday with an infected jaw. Wardrop served with the 92nd US Naval Construction Battalion in the South Pacific prior to his discharge.

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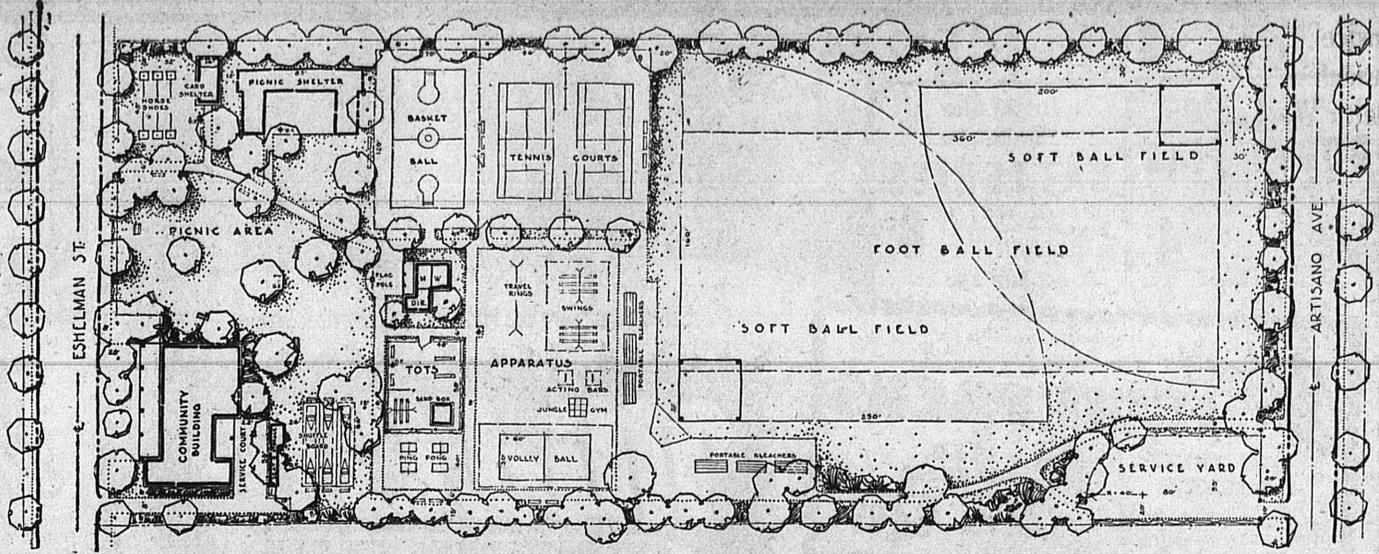
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INFANTS TO TWELVE Largest Stock in the Harbor District

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—William Ellery Channing

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LOMITA COUNTY PARK PLANS PROGRESS... County officials have announced that bids will be called in the very near future for construction of the first phase of the six acre county park in Lomita. Above is the official County Regional Planning commission design for the park, showing its various facilities, buildings, playgrounds, picnic tables, etc. Lomita residents greet the news of the calling for bids on this project with great satisfaction, ending a 10 year campaign to secure the much needed park for the locality.

Youth Groups Will Present Club Program

Mrs. Harry Kaempfer, community youth service chairman of Orange Street P. T. A. will represent the youth activities representative of the local area at the regular organization meeting, Nov. 27, at 2 o'clock. The four Brownie troops sponsored by Orange Street P. T. A. will present their Brownie flag salute, folk songs and dances, drama and a mock investiture; the Woodcraft Rangers will give their fire ceremony and closing Rangers ceremony and the Cub Scouts, their pledge and cub law. Program numbers will be complete with community singing. A nursery for small children will be held for mothers wishing to attend the meeting and a social hour will follow the business meeting.

Lomita Post VFW Auxiliary Holds Bazaar Dec. 8

The VFW sewing club's annual Christmas bazaar will be held Saturday, Dec. 8 at the VFW hall with home-made articles for sale during the day and a public dinner served in the evening. Plans were completed for this event at the last sewing club meeting held at the home of Mrs. Anna Dannenhauer, 24692 Woodward ave. Attending were Meses. Olive Veatch, Elida Smith, Edna Smith, Lena King, Anna Long, Gertrude Kastrop, Jewell Taylor, Marion Estes, Julia Keys, Jennie Beck and Agnes Dannenhauer. The attendance prize was won by Julia Keys. Mr. and Mrs. A. Veatch and Mrs. Anna Dannenhauer represented the local post when they visited the Veterans hospital at Sawtelle, Wednesday, taking magazines to the veterans and visiting the Hobby Shop. The Fourth District VFW Auxiliary held at Culver City Sunday was attended by Meses. Olive Veatch, Hattie Schroeder, Ruth DeHart and Marion Estes. At the last meeting of the Auxiliary, Mrs. Erickson was initiated and Lillian Presentius and Roxie Pruitt were chairmen for the refreshment hour. The Thanksgiving motif was used with fall colors and tiny turkeys exemplifying the season. Christmas will be celebrated by the members at the Dec. 20 meeting when each member will take a Christmas gift not to exceed 50c in price. The committee in charge of arrangements will be Meses Gertrude Kastrop, Olive Veatch and Hattie Schroeder.

FUNDS SOUGHT

Public reaction to the proposed county bond issue for funds to construct public buildings will be sought at a meeting scheduled for Dec. 3 at 10 a. m. in the Hall of Records.

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Mrs. Ruth Butth New Commander Navy Mothers

Mrs. Ruth Butth was elected commander of the Navy Mother's club at their regular business meeting Friday evening. Supporting the newly elected president will be Mrs. Anna Hight, vice-commander; Mrs. Mary Towler, adjutant; Mrs. Margaret Pullman, finance officer; Mrs. Marjory Lovell, chaplain; Mrs. Louella Elder, judge advocate; Mrs. Merle Osborne and Mrs. Bernice Thomas, matrons-at-arms; Mrs. Olive Phillips and Mrs. Daisy Smith, color bearers. Mrs. Louella Elder, commander, presided and refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Installation of the newly-elected officers will be held Sunday, Dec. 16 at the VFW hall, Lomita blvd.

SON IS BORN TO WALLACE E. CLARK

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Wallace E. Clark are the parents of a son, Bryan Eugene, their first child, born Nov. 14 at Long Beach Community Hospital.

REPRESENT P.T.A.

Representing the Harbor City P. T. A. at the Lomita-Santa Pedro P. T. A. Council Friday was Mrs. E. R. Walker, president and Mrs. Cherrie Coates, public welfare chairman of the Council and secretary of the Harbor City Association.

KENNEDY NAMED

The Board of Supervisors today by unanimous vote appointed Harold W. Kennedy, who has been serving temporarily as County Counsel, to that position on a permanent basis.

TRASH DUMPING

Because trash is being dumped illegally along public highways in unincorporated areas on a large scale, county authorities are considering action to stop the practice. Books are the true levelers. They give to all, who will faithfully use them, the society, the spiritual presence, of the best and greatest of our race. —W. E. Channing

"TAKE IT EASY"

TRAFFIC IS HEAVY TODAY, ISN'T IT?



BIDS TO BE CALLED FOR INITIAL WORK ON LOMITA PARK COSTING \$175,000

The Los Angeles County Parks and Recreation Commission will ask for bids within two weeks for the proposed \$175,000 park to be located on Eschelman ave., in Lomita, between 240th st. and Lomita blvd., according to F. R. Harding, who represented the commission when he spoke before nearly 100 Lomita and Harbor City citizens Thursday night at the Wayside Chapel. The meeting was called at the request of Mrs. Mary L. Eggleston of the Torrance Service Center, who is liaison officer for the Los Angeles County Citizens Service Corps. Rev. Paul A. Lomax, president as temporary chairman. Harding presented plans and specifications for the improvement of the park and said that \$40,600 had been allocated in this year's budget for the local park which must be spent before July 1, 1946, and added that he was sure that it would be spent by April of next spring. The original figure calls for the installation of the playgrounds including swings, jungle gym, acting bars, travel rings, tiny tots' sand box and play equipment, a football and soft ball field which covers about half the park area and will be enclosed with an 8-foot woven wire fence, movable bleachers and back stops. There will be a picnic shelter, gas stoves, 8 picnic tables, 23 park benches, courts for volleyball, ping pong, shuffle board, tennis, horse shoes, paved walks through the park, underground electric installation and service building and yard. Added to the park as soon as building materials are available, will be the community building, possibly more acreage to enlarge the picnic and recreational section. Tentative plans for the building call for adobe construction and will be 97x68 feet. There will be a main room with stage, dressing rooms, several smaller conference rooms, kitchen and toilet facilities. Floyd Walker, assistant to Ray V. Darby, fourth district supervisor, spoke briefly on the park plan. Mrs. R. L. Lewis, 24314 Lomita drive, gave a brief history of the origin of definite plans for a park and recreational center here when the Lomita Civic Betterment League promoted the plan in 1940. At that time, officials of the County Parks and Recreation Commission met with the Lomita Civic Betterment League and promised funds for this project including the purchase of the present site of the park. Mrs. Lewis showed newspaper clippings from the files of the Lomita News to substantiate the allocation of \$8000 in February, 1941 for the Lomita Park Center Community Building and a few months later, the amount of \$20,000 for the building on the park site. With the outbreak of war in December of that year, plans were laid aside for the promotion of the park until the close of hostilities. Mrs. Lewis asked the people of Lomita to work for a unified front and get the proposed park in operation as soon as possible to eliminate the youth recreational problems here. Mrs. Grace Holbrook, chairman of the Los Angeles County Service Center Corps, who has been spending months in surveying the county in the interest of recreational facilities for our youth was appalled she said at the lack of such facilities in our immediate area. Expressions of varied ideas

Building Permits

Building permits issued within the city of Torrance during the past week, according to Building Department files, are as follows: Mrs. Mary Dunn, 1604 Elm st., 8 room residence, \$2400. Sam Levy, 1512 Cravens ave., foundation for store bldg. \$1700. F. H. Nell, 1819 Abalone ave., 40x200 foot stucco mfg. bldg., \$18,400. C. C. Paterson, 1714 Watson ave., 5 room stucco residence, \$6300. A. W. Rhodes, 3455 Emerald ave., 4 room frame residence, \$2900. National Home Appliances, 1317 Sartori ave., neon sign, \$120. Charles Gotts, 1825 Cabrillo ave., neon sign, \$500. Kirby's Shoe Store, 1276 Sartori ave., neon sign, \$500. Ralph's Liquor Store, 1601 Cabrillo ave., neon sign, \$300. Grand Sweet Shop, 1223 El Prado ave., neon sign, \$150. Flossie I. Crans, 2076 238th st., addition to residence, \$600. William Everett, 1004 Arlington ave., private garage, \$400.

FORMER RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lewis, and son Lloyd, former Torrance residents, arrived recently in Joyton, Texas, where they will make their home and engage in business with his brother.

FROM OMAHA

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Falk entertained at dinner in Chinatown Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. John Marks, of Omaha, Nebr.

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HIGH SCORE

Bridge clubs are meeting again. Or may be yours is a "sew an' chin" club. You'll take high score as a hostess when you deal good food on your day to entertain. Many clubs set up a few rules about what and how much to serve. Such a plan won't keep your partner from trumping your ace, but it will keep the girls following suit as far as the food is concerned. We suggest keeping party food simple and easy to make and to serve.

LUNCHEAS TAKE HONORS

If your group meets for lunch, you'll take honors when you serve a salad of mixed fruits topped with a party salad dressing. Hot rolls, plenty of coffee and a tasty dessert complete a luncheon menu that is sure to please your guests. Hot breads are as welcome with a salad main dish as a singleton ace is in your bridge hand. A vegetable salad will take on "slam" qualities when you serve it with cheese tricks.

MULLED CIDER

1/2 c. brown sugar
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 c. lemon juice
1 tsp. allspice
3 sticks cinnamon
1/2 tsp. nutmeg
2 qts. sweet cider
Mix sugar, salt and spices. Add to cider and simmer for 10 minutes. Strain through cheesecloth. Reheat and serve steaming hot. Serves 8.

SPICED FRUIT CUT

2 1/2 c. orange juice
1 1/2 tsp. grated lemon rind
3 c. pineapple juice
1 c. lemon juice
2 c. water
6 whole cloves
1/2 tsp. nutmeg
1/2 tsp. allspice
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1 c. sugar
1 1/2 qts. honey
1 1/2 qts. gingerale
Combine all ingredients except gingerale. Cover and let stand in a warm place 3 hours. Strain over cracked ice. Add gingerale and serve at once. Serves 12.

MEXICAN CHOCOLATE

1 qt. milk
1-inch stick cinnamon
1/2 tsp. salt
3 tsp. ground coffee
2 oz. sweet chocolate
1/2 c. boiling water
1 tsp. vanilla
Marshmallows
Combine milk, cinnamon and coffee. Heat just to the boiling point. Strain. Dissolve chocolate in boiling water. Add to milk mixture. Heat. Add vanilla. Place a marshmallow in each serving cup. Pour in hot chocolate.

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