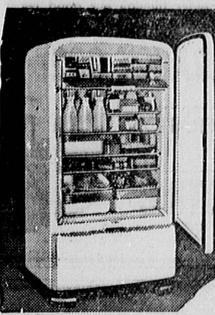


Appearing before City Judge Otto B. Willett last Thursday, John Foley, 19, of 3941 Spencer street, was held to answer in Superior Court on a charge of hit and run, a felony.

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Historic Rancho Soon Will Be Carved Up Into 600 Homesites

One of the last large remaining ranches in Southern California is due shortly to be cut up on the draftsman's table to make way for 600 more homes. The historic 80-year-old Rosecrans Rancho soon will be the site of home-building activity as The Allied Contractors start construction on the two and three bedroom homes on the 103-acre site in Gardena Valley.

The rancho was named after Major General William Starke Rosecrans who came to California shortly after the Civil War looking for a large land investment for himself and a number of associates.

He rode his horse along the northern boundary of the original 16,000-acre tract and the hoof prints in the sandy loam along a path that was later to be known as Florence avenue in Los Angeles. The original parcel of land extended from Florence avenue south to the Old Rancho San Pedro and was bounded on the east by Central avenue and on the west by Arlington avenue.

General Rosecrans, after whom many local landmarks are named, bought the land from the U. S. government for \$250 an acre.

Although none of the land is part of the City of Torrance, the effect of more than 1500 people who soon will be moving into the development will be felt in Torrance. Merchants will profit from the increased population of the nearby project and industry will be able to show that low cost housing exists near their plants.

Elizabeth McDonald, 103-year-old surviving kin of General Rosecrans, still lives in the rancho in the vicinity of Vermont and Rosecrans avenues. She can recall looking from her porch and seeing an uninterrupted view to the Palos Verdes Hills.

Today the towering pillars of cold manufacturing apparatus, the stacks from smelters and the

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TORRANCE HERALD CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS
(Fictitious Firm Name)
THE UNDERSIGNED does hereby certify that the will be conducting a Retail business at 2436 Hawthorne boulevard, City of Valparaiso, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of J.V. Hardware and Variety Store, on and after June 21, 1948, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:
Joseph E. Vaverka, 3520 242nd St., Valparaiso, California
WITNESS his hand this 8th day of June, 1948. JOSEPH E. VAVERKA
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
ON THIS 8th day of June A.D. 1948, before me, Frank S. McGuire, County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joseph E. Vaverka, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this 8th day of June, 1948, at the County and State.
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top-most branches of eucalyptus trees planted as saplings 60 years ago, hide the view as Southern California continues to build, to grow and to prosper.

Under the agreements of the sale, Miss McDonald will continue to live on the rancho and keep 10 surrounding acres for as long as she may desire.

Two other small areas were reserved from the sale, one a 10-acre site on Vermont avenue near the Pacific Electric tracks, has been offered to the city of Los Angeles for development as a park. The other comprises about three or four acres for oil leases.

Walter Bollenbacher, president of the subdividing firm, estimates the cost of the project will be approximately \$4,500,000 and that ground-breaking will start before Sept. 1.

And so it may be that the blade of road graders and plows will uncover rusty springs from the saddle of some Spanish Don and that the creaks of giant caterpillar tractors will push them back into the soil as demand for homes is answered in Southern California.

Something Has Been Added to City Facilities

The harbor was a beehive of activity on Monday morning when a Herald reporter paid it a visit. Outside the breakwater a freighter signaled for a pilot boat.

In the inner harbor, a great white liner was judged to its dock by a sturdy tug, while in the west basin, ships were being loaded from a huge warehouse. The "harbor" in this case is on the grounds of Torrance Elementary School. A fourth grade project, it was completed by the children themselves. Under the direction of their teachers, Mrs. Betty Huizing and Mrs. Marcia Menmuir, the children planned and built their own model harbor as a climax to the study of California which the fourth grades have been carrying on all year.

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TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE
T. O. No. 48-5759
On Tuesday, July 13, 1948, at 11:00 a. m. M. T. T. TORRANCE & TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust dated November 14, 1946, executed by TONY A. RUDICH and ELIZABETH M. RUDICH, his wife, as joint tenants, and recorded January 18, 1946, in Book 2722, Page 51, of the Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, will sell at public auction, to highest bidder for cash (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) in the lobby of the main entrance of Title Insurance Building, 422 South Street, Los Angeles, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed in the property situated in said County and State, described as:
Lot 19 in Block 7 of Alalaya Tract, as per Map recorded in Book 5, Page 122 of Maps, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County.
Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note secured by said Deed, to-wit: \$1609.16, with interest from December 1, 1947, as in said note provided, advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed; fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed.
The beneficiary under said Deed, by reason of a breach or default in the obligations secured thereby heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and written notice of breach and of election to cause the undersigned to sell said property to satisfy said obligations, and thereafter, on March 11, 1948, the undersigned caused said notice of breach and of election to be recorded, in the office of the Recorder of said County, as instrument No. 891.
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Attorney Has Varied Career

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sponding to district attorney in California. Of Pocatello's bootleggers Smith has vivid memories. His father also operated a coal and ice business, and thereby hangs a tale:

"I knew every ice box in town," the veteran prosecutor said with a twinkle in his eye. "I rented a hall and I invited the 124 bootleggers to a meeting—they all came, too. I told them I had sworn to uphold the law when I took my oath of office, and I was going to do it.

"In two weeks that county was as dry as the Sahara desert—you couldn't buy it anywhere," the prosecutor said. One man tried to set up in the illicit business again in a hotel. The courts supported Smith's petition, and the hotel stayed closed for a year.

About this time some of the other fellows thought he was going at his job too strong. And one night someone set his house on fire. Detectives failed to solve the crime after three months, until wholly by chance Smith solved it himself. Three men were sent to the penitentiary.

Through it all, the veteran prosecutor always has taken time to pursue his study of the classics. He wrote a series of articles on the history of labor, as well as a series on the history of the church. Clippings of reprints fill page after page of his scrapbook, which he admits Mrs. Smith keeps for him.

It was the depression following World War I that prompted Smith to leave Idaho, where banks had loaned as high as \$36 a head on sheep. He stopped at Fresno, which was a white spot because of its grape crops.

A year later he came to Long Beach, and after two years' affiliation with Swaffield, Swaffield and Pray set up his own practice. Approximately a year ago he moved to Torrance, and was named city attorney last December.

Realty Board Meet Called

W. E. Bowen, president of the Torrance-Lomita Realty Board has called a special meeting for Monday, June 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Torrance Chamber of Commerce building. By-laws and regulations of the proposed Torrance-Lomita Multiple Listing Association will be presented. Members are urged to attend.

Highway Postal Bus Will Carry Special Cachet

Inauguration of the new Highway Postal Service will take place next Monday when the first bus is scheduled to make a 10-minute stop at the Torrance post office at 2:40 p.m.

On hand to christen the new service which delivers mail directly to the door of the local office will be officials of the bus line and postal department.

Carrying equipment similar to railway mail cars, the new mobile units will speed mail an average of five hours and decrease the delivery time to some patrons on the routes by at least half a day. They will replace Pacific Electric mail trains.

Special cachets have been prepared and stamp collectors desiring first day covers should have them in the hands of the postmaster at Los Angeles, San Pedro or Laguna Beach today. The covers should bear postage at first class mail rates and a space two and half inches square should be provided on the left side of the cover for the cachet stamp. They should be marked "Hold for HPO."

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City Approves 1948-49 County Library Service

Approval of the city's contract with the County Library Department for service at the local library for the new fiscal year beginning July 1 has been given by the Torrance City Council.

The new contract calls for payment of \$8,803.90 to the county for the loan of books and reference material, which is \$127 higher than the present year's contract.

The Council's report on the painting and minor improvements requested by the local librarian is expected to be made at next week's regular Council session, by Councilman George Powell.

TORRANCE MAN BUILDS
George S. Fenn, 1418 Hickory, Torrance, is building a six-room residence on Quirldridge Road, Rolling Hills.

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