

Lomitan at Conference

Larone Littrell, 25315 Eshelby avenue, Lomita, represented the Christian Church of Torrance at the annual young adult conference of Southern California held at Camp Seely, near Crestline.

The theme of the program was "The Everyday Challenge of the Kingdom in (a) The Home, (b) The Church, (c) The World and (d) Churchmanship." The forum, led by four experts in their own field, was followed by open discussion from the group. The leaders were impressed by the interest and reaction of the individual to world events in regard to their church and themselves, Miss Littrell said.

Everyone enjoyed the delicious food, the comfortable cabins, the qualified leadership, the good fellowship and the supervised activities. Movies were shown for the youngsters and the adults, folk games were played, and vespers were held by the campfire, Miss Littrell stated. About one hundred and ninety adults and eighty children attended.

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Pacific Iron and Steel to Erect Plant

Work on the construction of a new \$750,000 warehouse at the North American Aviation, Inc., 17-acre tract adjacent to the main plant at 5601 Imperial Highway, will start this week. The Pacific Iron and Steel Company holds the basic contract on the job. The new structure will add 100,000 square feet of covered floor area to the present total of 3,822,420 now operated at the Los Angeles, Long Beach and Downey plants of the company.

Labor strikes are never merely local or even national affairs. In these days they quickly take on international significance.

Senator Jack Tenney, L. A.—"When a communist has the opportunity, he becomes a capitalist overnight."

James O'Neil, Nat. Commander, American Legion—"The time for stopping Stalin is running mighty short!"

Metals Lead in County's August Gains

Manufacturing gains valued at \$3,022,000 in Los Angeles County in August found metal products leading other fields in new plants and expansions, according to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

In all fields, 14 new plants representing total investment of \$1,077,000 were launched last month, while 35 companies expanded operations in new plants valued at \$2,015,000. Nine of the 49 industrial developments were in metal products manufacture, the Chamber official reported. Four each occurred in the lines of furniture, textiles and machinery, with three each in printing, confections, chemicals and paints. August manufacturing gains created an estimated 734 new jobs. The eight-month total industrial investment of \$52,096,500 represented 119 new factories worth \$11,658,000 and 243 expansions costing \$40,438,500. Job gains estimated at a 4,575 total.

"Public Notices"

TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of the Torrance Unified School District herein announces that sealed proposals will be received for the construction of a new school building at the intersection of 11th and 12th streets, Torrance, California. Plans and specifications may be examined and copies obtained upon a deposit of \$2.00 per set at the office of the Architects, said deposit will be returned upon the return of such copies in good condition within 5 days after the time are opened.

Each bid shall be made out on the forms as obtained from DANIEL, MANN & JOHNSON, Architects, 512 S. Leimert Park Place, Los Angeles, Calif. or 206 S. Broadway, Santa Ana, California. Plans and specifications may be examined and copies obtained upon a deposit of \$2.00 per set at the office of the Architects. Said deposit will be returned upon the return of such copies in good condition within 5 days after the time are opened.

The above-mentioned check or bond shall be given to the contractor who the bidder will enter into contract with the Board on or before the date specified in the advertisement at which time the bid will be opened and read in public.

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Basic Trades & Sub-trades
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Carpenters 2.00
Dumper Men 1.45
Kooler Operator 1.85
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Tractor Operator 2.00
Boilers - Composition 2.00
Leather Finisher 1.85
Plaster Tender 1.95
Painters - Brush 1.85
Plaster Finisher 1.90
Guard or Watchman 1.35
Verily wages in any bid for work in Los Angeles before submitting bid. Foremen shall not be paid at a rate more than 25% over the hourly rate of the worker supervised by him, and not more than 12 1/2% over the journeyman rate for the craft involved.

Employment in Factories Sets Peacetime High

Factory employment in the Los Angeles industrial area including Torrance, rose to the highest peacetime August level in history, Paul Scharrenberg, Director of Industrial Relations, announced today.

Reflecting gains in most industries, the number of wage earners increased by more than 5,000 to 244,100 in August, from 239,000 in July and 234,800 in August a year ago. Employment in non-durable goods industries increased by nearly 3,000 to 103,000 in August from 100,200 in the preceding month. More than half of the July-August increase was registered in the apparel industry; the next largest gain was in the food products group. The factory force in nondurable goods industries as a whole in the area this August was 5 percent above the year-old total of 98,500.

Employment in every industry group in the durable goods division increased or remained the same between July and August. The factory force in all durable goods industries increased to 141,100 in August, 2,300 above the preceding month. A year ago, durable goods industries employed 136,300 production workers.

The clay and glass industry reached a new record level of 17,700 wage earners in August.

Bleacher and Lighting Bids Due This Week

Bids for construction of the new lighting system and a grandstand and additional bleachers for the Torrance High School athletic field will be opened tomorrow by the board of education, according to Emmett W. Ingram, business manager.

Award of the contract, however, will be held in abeyance by the board until after the sale of the bonds, which has been delayed until Tuesday, Sept. 28, due to a delay in hearing the first action on the validity of the bonds.

Every effort is to be made by the contractor to install the lighting system as soon as possible to permit night games on the home field. The grandstand, to seat 3500 persons, will be erected on the easterly side of the field and the additional bleachers on either side of the existing bleachers on the west side of the field. Seating will be available for a total of 5290 persons when construction is completed sometime before the end of the football season.

Pvt. Barrera Now in Japan With 188th

Pvt. Alfonso M. Barrera, now serving with the 11th Airborne Division in Sendai, Japan, recently returned from Funoaka, Japan where he fired the M-1 rifle for record. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Barrera of 1890 West 213th street, Torrance. Pvt. Barrera fired the M-1 rifle at the range in Funoaka and qualified as a sharpshooter. He enlisted in the Army on Dec. 3, 1947, and completed his basic training at Ft. Ord. Upon his arrival in Japan he volunteered for parachute duty with the 11th Airborne Division and was later assigned to the 188th Parachute Infantry Regiment stationed near Sendai, Japan.

Board Revises Calendar for School Year

The official school calendar for the present school year, adopted by the Torrance Board of Education last June 12, has been changed by the board, on recommendation of the superintendent of schools, J. H. Hull. The first quarter will end Nov. 12, and the semester will end Jan. 25, 1949. The third quarter will end April 1, 1949. The change was recommended because it is necessary to have an equal number of weeks for each semester.

"SELLING" CALIFORNIA
When one considers that California is probably the most advertised spot on the globe, it is little wonder that such a tremendous stream of humanity continues to pour into the state.

BOBBY SOX By Marty Links



MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER



Torrance City Bus Operators 'Safe Drivers'

Torrance Municipal bus lines won second place in the safety contest conducted by Greater Los Angeles chapter of the National Safety Council for the year ending last June 30, according to notification received by M. A. Chamberlain, bus superintendent. The lines traveled 589,177 miles during the fiscal year, for an average of 25,017 miles per accident, the Safety Council's report stated. All operators are to be congratulated on their splendid record," Chamberlain said in memorandum addressed to the drivers. A list of non-chargeable accident operators has been forwarded to the Safety Council for commendation, he added. Gardena Municipal bus lines won first place in the division.

UCLA Will Give Courses

Upper division courses in art, education, history, music, psychology, sociology, political science, business administration, economics, mathematics, home economics, engineering, speech and public health are offered by U.C.L.A. extension in Long Beach this year.

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Ann Page Beans	Vegetarian Style	23-oz. Can	19¢
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Sultana Red Beans		16-oz. Can	2 for 21¢
Diced Beets	Prince	No. 2	11¢
Asparagus	Libby Spears	No. 2	37¢
Sauerkraut	A&P Family	No. 2 1/2 Can	16¢
A&P Fancy Spinach		No. 2 Can	12¢
Potatoes	Specify Whole	50-oz. Can	19¢
Evap. Milk	White Whole Tall Enriched Can	2 for	29¢
Prune Juice	Heart's Delight	Qt. Bot.	19¢
Tomato Juice	Del Monte	47-oz. Can	22¢
Orange Juice	Exchange	No. 2 Can	12¢
Peaches	Iona Clings Halves or Sliced	No. 2 1/2 Can	24¢
Apricots	Sultana Whole Puffed	No. 2 1/2 Can	27¢
Pear Halves	Sultana Barlett's	No. 1 Can	22¢
Libby Fruit Cocktail		No. 2 1/2 Can	35¢
Pineapple	California Mon. Canned	14-oz. Can	23¢
Pie Apples	Consolidated Sliced	No. 2 Can	17¢
Sardines	Beath Tomato Sauce	8-oz. Can	23¢
Salmon	Some Strike Medium Red	No. 1/2 Can	34¢
Fancy Tuna	Seagrams Light Meat	7-oz. Can	39¢
Armour Frankfurters		7-oz. Can	37¢
Libby Veal Loaf		7-oz. Can	29¢
Swift's Prem	Luncheon Meat	12-oz. Can	43¢
Wilson's Mor	Pork	12-oz. Can	45¢
Oscar Mayer Wieners		12-oz. Can	48¢
Luer Beef & Gravy		16-oz. Can	62¢
Hormel	Little Pork Sausages	8-oz. Can	38¢
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