

Set All-Time Record As State 'Gives Bird' To Game Fowl Hunters

Carl Van Ornum, chief of California's 15 game bird farms, virtually "gave the bird" to the state's hunters last year. A record number of Chinese pheasants, 107,697 in case you're dubious, and 2332 other upland birds were turned loose throughout the Golden State hunting areas.

The number establishes an all-time record. Van Ornum attributed the new mark to favorable weather and increased efficiency of game farm help.

Rods Will Roar If Weatherman Gives All Clear

The roaring hot-rods will take off their protective covers and try the third consecutive week to get off on the 30-lap main race favorite; Denny is the day Sunday at 2:30. Time trials are slated for 1 o'clock.

Twice postponed because of foul weather, the Gardenia roadster inaugural will feature a select field of 40 of the coast's fastest hot-rods. A 3-round trophy dash will start off the afternoon's festivities.

Boltin' Bob Denny of Glendale has been tabbed a pre-race favorite; Denny is the defending CRA champ in his Menz-Daig special.

Walt James, top man of CRA and owner-driver of one of the three new rods in the field, predicts that the Glendale lad will have a tough go repeating his wins this year. James told that association cars have been speeded up and many can now crack the existing world mark of 160 mph.

The mark was set last fall at Bonnevill by Colby Serrogins in the Bruce Robinson special. Roy Whiting will pilot the rod Sunday.

Admission is \$1.50, with kids under 12 admitted free.

Northrup People Get Pay Raise

Approximately 2700 salaried employees at Northrup Aircraft Co. have been granted a five percent pay raise retroactive to Oct. 15, 1951. Oliver P. Echols, general manager said today.

The increase, approved by the Salary Stabilization Board of the federal government, follows a similar wage boost announced Jan. 11 for 12,000 hourly-paid personnel.

Letters To The Editor

Reader Thinks 'Take Pride in Your City' Campaign Would Be Worthwhile Project

The Torrance Herald:

The constant clutter of old newspapers, candy wrappers, paper bags, paper cups, banana peels and other refuse in certain sections of our downtown area has annoyed me for some time, and I've heard comments from others, particularly visitors.

I know the city is trying desperately to keep our city clean—and one step in the right direction has been its insistence that all alley refuse must be put in containers.

Keeping our city clean is not up to the city authorities alone—it is every resident's and merchant's responsibility. If parents would teach their children not to throw refuse in the streets—and then set a good example themselves by taking advantage of the refuse containers our Junior Chamber of Commerce thoughtfully placed at strategic points in our downtown area, we would have a city we could be proud of. We have a very pretty city, and it could be a model city if all of us would take pride in it.

Couldn't you start a "Take Pride in Your City" campaign and keep everyone conscious of the campaign through articles or a constant headline in the Torrance Herald?

This, to me, would be a very worthwhile project. Let's forget "Simba" and how many not-so-good looking gals live in Torrance and all such nonsense, and start something we can do something about.

Deputies Find Flaming Cab; Seek Kidnapping Bandit

A burning taxicab left in flames teetering on the edge of a flood control ditch at Crenshaw and Redondo Beach Blvds., Saturday night, was one of the factors which has led to a statewide search for a Los Angeles bandit.

Sheriff's deputies from the Lennox station found the cab after it had been abandoned and fired, and after receiving more information, involved it with a strange kidnapping and robbery which had taken place earlier in the night.

A cabbie, Charles H. Cosby, Los Angeles, told officers he picked up a fare at 1st St. and Broadway at 2 a.m. and was ordered to drive to the Wilshire District.

At West Blvd. near Venice Blvd., the passenger whipped out a pistol, took \$8 from the driver, and had the cab stop on S. Hoover St. Here he told the cabbie that they were going to rob a store.

As the pair entered the store, the cabbie fled, and the crook beat it in the taxi.

Deputies broadcast an all-points bulletin for the bandit.

Auxiliary Urges Church Attendance

American Legion Auxiliary members will commemorate the anniversary, Sunday, of the fateful day on which the immortalized Four Chaplains gave their lives when a U. S. transport was sunk in the North Atlantic. Mary Toombs, local post commander, announced yesterday.

A resolution by the National Convention was passed calling for recognition in all posts by observing the date of Feb. 3 as a day to "Go to Church." Members are to urge people to attend the church of their choice and pray to God to hasten the day of peace.

Eddie 'King' Cole Now Sales Manager

The friends and customers of Eddie "King" Cole will be happy to know he has been promoted to sales manager of the Tom King Ford in Redondo Beach. A veteran of 23 years in the auto business in Boston and Los Angeles, Cole has been in the South Bay area for the past three years.



NEW HOME . . . Mayor Bob L. Haggard congratulates A. B. Smith, manager of the Pacific Telephone Co., on the opening of the new building at Cravens and Post Aves. last week.

Phone Office Opens Doors To New Plant

Pacific Telephone Co. opened the doors of its new quarter-million dollar building at 1307 Cravens Ave., Thursday afternoon, in ceremonies attended by Mayor Bob L. Haggard, Floyd Snyder and A. B. Smith, phone company officials, and other civic dignitaries.

The new structure houses the business staff and records department for the organization, and will hold automatic dial equipment when the modernized communication facilities are installed here. Rumor has it that dial telephones will be available in about 18 months.

More than 200,000 feet of conduit for the installation of thousands of miles of wire is being laid throughout the Torrance-Lomita area. Largest of the projects recently undertaken involves the laying of 128,000 duct feet between this city and Compton.

Phone company men will move in after private contractors finish the conduit laying job.

Council Approves Longren Building

Loogren Aircraft Co. at 2576 Carson St. has been issued a \$100,000 building permit after it got the green-light from the City Council last week. The chamber ruled that no public hearing was necessary before the planning commission prior to issuance of the permit.

The firm plans to construct a manufacturing building on many private grounds. The Council earlier passed a motion calling for the hearing.

Adult School Lists Semester Schedule

An expanded program will be offered in the free adult classes of the Torrance School when the doors open for the new semester Monday morning.

Class instruction in blueprint reading, business English, cake decorating, ceramics, dressmaking, landscaping, physical fitness and a score of others will be offered.

Courses are held Monday through Thursday in both the morning and evening on many areas throughout Torrance and Welteria. Registration is accomplished by attending the first session of the class.

Further information can be obtained by calling Torrance 645 afternoons and evenings. There are no residence requirements.

First sessions meeting Monday include (all at the High School unless indicated):

- Cake decorating, 7 p.m.; Ceramics, 6:45; Dressmaking, 6:30;

Dressmaking (Walteria Recreation Hall), 9 a.m.; Leathercraft (Seaside), 7 p.m.; Men's Physical Fitness, 7; Social Dance (Library), 7 p.m.; Textile painting, 7 p.m.; Typing, 6:15 p.m.; Woodshop, 6:30 p.m.; Dressmaking, 6:30; Machine Shop, 6:30;

Meeting Tuesday for the first time will be: Blueprint reading, 7 p.m.; Ceramics (Seaside), 6:45 p.m.; Civil Defense (No. Torr.), 6:30; First Aid (Seaside), 7 p.m.; Landscaping 7 p.m.; Personality-Speech-Drama, 7 p.m.; Physical Fitness, 7 p.m.; Short-hand, 6:15 p.m.; Square Dance (Torr. Elem.), 7 p.m.

Wednesday classes include: Ceramics (No. Torr.), 6:45; Lamphades (Episc. Ch.), 9 a.m.; Lamphades, 6:30 p.m.; Orchestra, 7 p.m.

Thursday first sessions include: Business English, 6:15; Cake decorating (No. Torr.), 7 p.m.; Lamphades (Walt. Rec. Hall), 9 a.m.

No Place Like Home—Humbog

Seaman Chas. R. Tomlinson, 5323 Doris Way, has been to sea for a long time, since November 20, 1951, to be exact.

And when Tomlinson came home Tuesday night, he'd been some changes made. Someone had entered his home and stripped the place of every piece of furniture—in the kitchen, living room, everywhere.

He set the loss at \$700.

Camino Buys Fire Truck

El Camino College now has its own fire department, Carl Arfwedson, director of business, said this week when he announced the purchase of a fire truck for the campus.

The truck will be housed and maintained by maintenance crew, and will augment the arrival of large pumps from County Fire Department stations in Lawndale, Lennox and Howard districts.

Awarded CBI Korean Badge

John F. Morrison was awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for service in Korea. Mrs. Evelyn Davis, his mother, was notified this week. Morrison has been on the front lines since October.

A graduate of Torrance High School in 1948, Morrison is with a Mortar Squad. His wife, Penny, is employed at Currie's. She also attended Torrance High.

They reside at 811 Arlington Ave.

Asks Police Aid When 'Pal' Fails

John Mendoza of Wilmington had his hands full Friday night, he asked the Torrance police for help.

Seems Mendoza was out touring the area with a slightly indisposed dog, looking for Mendoza's 1940 station wagon, which the latter claimed he earlier had stolen and abandoned.

The "pal" passed out on the curb, and Mendoza wanted the ops to make him tell the whereabouts of his auto.

Mendoza says he had never seen the guy before he met him Friday night with the stolen confession.

(LAPD found the car in downtown Los Angeles).

Petroleum Courses Offered by Harbor

Three courses designed for specialists of the petroleum industry will be offered at the Harbor Junior College this spring, according to the college, this week.

A course in petroleum testing, one in refining processes and one in advanced refining chemistry will be offered during the spring semester which begins next Monday, Feb. 4.

Grandmother Dies at 93

Death last week took the 93-year-old grandmother of John W. O'Malley, superintendent of the Herald's stereotyping department, at her Hollywood home.

A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., Annie B. O'Malley had lived in California for nearly 30 years.

John O'Malley and his brother, Val, first cameraman at Columbia Studios, were raised by their grandmother from early childhood. She used to entertain them with stories of her youth during the Civil War, and often told them of helping her family hang the mourning crepe on their doors when President Lincoln was assassinated.

Services for Mrs. O'Malley were held Saturday at Forest Lawn. Private cremation followed.

Public Notices

TORRANCE HERALD CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a retail sales business at 102 S. Harbor Avenue, Torrance, California, under the name of LIBERTY HOME ECONOMY CO. and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit: JAMES H. LAWSON, JR., 1516 West 15th Street, Torrance, California. WALTER A. SCHAEFER, 2906 Graveney Avenue, Torrance, California. SIBBIE M. ISBELL, 1516 Beech Avenue, Torrance, California.

WITNESS our hands this 8th day of January, 1952. JAMES H. LAWSON, JR. WALTER A. SCHAEFER SIBBIE M. ISBELL

STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)) ON THIS 8th day of January A.D. 1952, before me Donald Armstrong, Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared James H. Lawson, Jr., Walter A. Schaefer and Sibbie M. Isbell, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written. DONALD ARMSTRONG Notary Public in and for said County and State. My commission expires Dec. 22, 1952. (SEAL) Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7, 1952.

TORRANCE HERALD CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting an Appliance and Television business at 1544 El Prado Ave., Torrance, California, under the fictitious firm name of TOWN & COUNTRY TV AND APPLIANCE and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit: Daniel D. Ryan Jr., 117 W. 6th St., Inglewood, Calif. Vernon G. Goehmann, 19511 Dale Ross Ave., Inglewood, Calif. WITNESS our hands this 15th day of January, 1952. DANIEL D. RYAN JR. VERNON G. GOEHMANN

STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)) ON THIS 15th day of January A.D. 1952, before me Joe Mongini, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Daniel D. Ryan Jr. and Vernon G. Goehmann known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written. JOE MONGINI Notary Public in and for said County and State. My commission expires April 21, 1952. (SEAL) Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7, 1952.

South of the Border

Pair Say Mexico Culture Valuable

Two Torrance students—Robert C. Everts, of 4607 Spencer street, and Norman D. Kopley, of 4328 W. 197th street, are among the student body of Mexico City College.

An institution termed unique in international education, the college holds the distinction of being the only one in all Latin America which gives students the opportunity to study under a system that follows the same plan as universities in the United States.

Studying in the heart of Latin America is considered especially valuable by Kopley, a business administration major, who says he finds it essential to understand the Latin mind, culture, and way of doing business with the increasingly important role that Latin American countries are playing in world economy.

Before entering Mexico City College, Everts attended Torrance High School and the University of Washington in Seattle. He is a veteran of two years service with the Coast Guard.

About 75 per cent of the student body at the college is from the United States and students live with Mexican families, hand-

Issue Tags At El Nido

Bicycle registration is under way today at the El Nido School, and will be held tomorrow afternoon, 3 to 5 o'clock, at the Torrance Police Department.

Police crews have been assigned a one day stay at each school, but the officers will issue bike tags to those that missed at the station tomorrow.

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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE

Open Competitive Examinations Will be Given in the Near Future for the Following Classifications:

STOCK ROOM AND RECORD MAN
(Salary \$272.00 to \$320.00 per month)

ACCOUNT CLERK
(Salary \$214.00 to \$251.00 per month)

BUS ATTENDANT
(Salary \$223.00 to \$261.00 per month)

TYPIST-CLERK
(Salary \$208.00 to \$241.00 per month)

All candidates must be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of the City of Torrance for at least one year, immediately preceding the date of filing applications.

Applications May be Secured at the Office of Personnel Clerk, Room 2, City Hall, Torrance, California.

LAST DAY FOR FILING APPLICATIONS
Monday, February 4, 1952, at 5 p.m.

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