

State Mails Renewal Slip To Truckers

Owners of commercial vehicles in the Torrance area began receiving registration renewal state points for 1954 this week as the Department of Motor Vehicles began the huge job of re-issuing the California cars, trucks, and buses.

The Department's registration division urged owners of commercial vehicles to file their applications for renewal during the month of December at field offices throughout the state in advance of the general renewal period which extends from Jan. 1 through Feb. 6.

Paul Mason, State Director of Motor Vehicles, said the renewal notices now being mailed would go to the operators of trucks, trailers, buses, and cabs. The registration cards for pleasure vehicles will not be mailed until Dec. 26, he said.

POWER CENTER

One of the largest power generating systems in the world is located at the St. Maurice Valley site, nearby Trois Rivieres, Quebec.

Public Notices

TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING GIVEN before the Torrance Planning Commission on December 16, 1953 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Torrance, on the following matter:

CASE NO. 295: Petition of Standard Construction Corporation (through A. & P. Mann) for a Change of Zone from R-2 (Two-family Residential) to R-3 (Multiple-family Residential) on property located on the East side of Freshway Blvd., for a distance of 100' north and 100' south of proposed 57th Street, with a depth of 132.74', being a portion of Lot 49, McDonald Tract.

All persons interested in the above case are requested to be present at the hearing or to submit their written approval or disapproval to the Secretary of the Planning Commission, Room 2, City Hall, Torrance.

TORRANCE PLANNING COMMISSION
Earle A. Lloyd, Secretary
8-Dec. 6, 1953.

TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING GIVEN before the Torrance Planning Commission on December 16, 1953 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Torrance, on the following matter:

CASE NO. 290: Second hearing on petition of Beach Building Corporation for a Change of Zone from R-2 (Two-family Residential) to R-3 (Multiple-family Residential) on property located on the East side of Orange Boulevard for a distance of 100' north and 100' south of the proposed extension of 18th Street, with a depth of 132.74', being a portion of Lot 49, McDonald Tract.

CASE NO. 291: Second hearing on petition of Guardian Homes, Inc. and Director Construction Company for a Change of Zone from R-2 (Two-family Residential) to R-3 (Multiple-family Residential) on property located on the West side of Orange Boulevard between Cherry Avenue on the north and 10th Street on the south for a depth of 150 feet, being a portion of Lot 49 of the McDonald Tract.

CASE NO. 294: Petition of Irving E. Winter for a Variance and Conditional Permit to erect a four-family, two-story, unit at 300 West Street (R-2 Zone) being a portion of Lot 18, Huns Tract, West of 18th Street between Florence and Prairie Avenues.

CASE NO. 296: Petition of Arthur J. Laugan, M.D., for a Variance and Conditional Permit to erect a retail store building at 204 Torrance Boulevard, between Date Avenue and Crenshaw Boulevard, Lot 1, Block 8, Tract 4070, R-1 (Single-family Residential) Zone.

CASE NO. 297: Petition of Moneta Water Company for a Variance and Conditional Permit to erect new building to house existing office building and personnel situated at 2202 West 152nd Street at SW corner of Arlington Avenue and 182nd Street between Arlington Avenue and Crenshaw Boulevard being the East 5.86 acres of the Northeast quarter of Lot 66 of the McDonald Tract A-1 (Light Agricultural) Zone.

All persons interested in the above cases are requested to be present at the hearing or to submit their written approval or disapproval to the Secretary of the Planning Commission, Room 2, City Hall, Torrance.

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TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING GIVEN before the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY L. THORNBERG, also known as MARY BARRETT THORNBERG, also known as MRS. W. THORNBERG, and BEATRICE BYRLEY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Chas. T. Rippey for the Probate of the Will of the above-named deceased and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to the petitioner will be heard at 9:15 o'clock A.M. on December 14, 1953, at the court room of Department 4 of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated: November 23, 1953.
HAROLD J. OSTLY,
County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

By S. R. ABBOTT,
Deputy

Chas. T. Rippey, in pro-per
1311 Post Avenue
Torrance, Calif.
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Attorney for Petitioner
SW-Nov. 29, Dec. 3, 6, 10, 1953

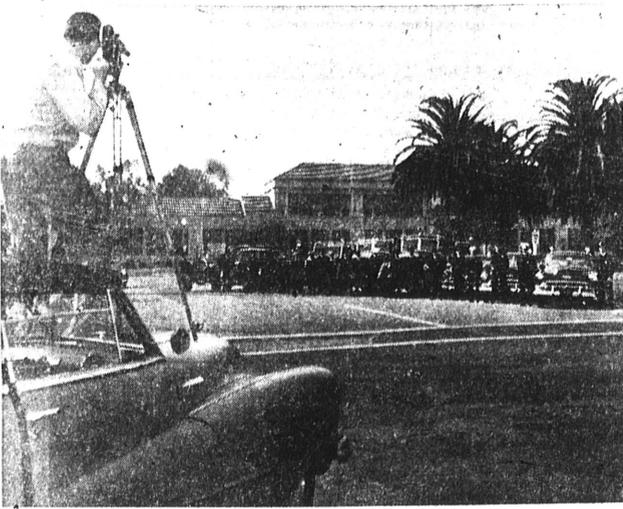
TORRANCE HERALD NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the Matter of the Estate of ANN E. FRENCH, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to creditors having claims against the said decedent to file and claim in the office of the clerk of the aforesaid court or to present them to the undersigned at the office of Donald J. Hitchcock, Attorney, 121 Craven Avenue, in the City of Torrance, in the aforesaid County, which latter office is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to said estate. Such claims with the necessary vouchers must be filed or presented as aforesaid within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated: November 24, 1953.
MARGARET ANN SMITH
Executrix of the will of said decedent.
Donald J. Hitchcock
Attorney-at-Law
121 Craven Avenue
Torrance, California
FA 8-1424
8-Nov. 24, Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1953.



HOLLYWOOD STYLE . . . Cameraman Will Zens, of Riviera Productions, sets up his equipment on the hood of his car to get a shot at the Torrance Fire Department lined up near Torrance High School. Color movies of the department will go into the Torrance Chamber of Commerce film on the city. (Herald photo)

Twining Says U.S. Heavy Bombers Remain Peace Hope

By STANLEY JAMES
(Washington Correspondent)

WASHINGTON—General Nathan F. Twining, the Air Force Chief of Staff, says the United States will not be attacked by Soviet Russia "if we keep our strength up" by building more long-range bombers.

Twining said, in a round-table conference attended by this reporter, that the devastating power of U. S. bombers is the major force deterring an aggressor from starting another war.

"We do not want any more wars and we are not going to have any," he said.

He said our ring of forward bases in Europe," backed by intermediate bases and those at home, gives this nation the "punch" to strike back.

He said we have more and better bases than the Russians, and we are the only nation with a "strategic long range striking force."

The four-star general said the services' "biggest job" right now is getting enough money for their new budget. His plugs

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Hamilton, Ohio. Officials of the McGregor Ice Cream Company hope that the next burglar who enters their office will be thoughtful enough to close the refrigerator door. One who recently broke into the plant stole only \$37.91, but his failure to close a refrigerator door cost the company \$50 in melted ice cream.

LEAVES AFTER 1-DAY HONEYMOON

Hartford, Conn.—Charles R. Goddard, 65, of Washington, has sued his third wife for divorce, charging that she left him after a one-day honeymoon last year.

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How Children Learn Topic Of Lecture

The learning process of children is simply a natural sequence of integration, said Dr. David Ruja in his third lecture of a series of 13 on child psychology.

The series, which is open to the public, is sponsored by the Harbor District Mental Health Center. The lecture period takes place from 10 a.m. to 12 noon on each consecutive Wednesday. Child care is provided for children of preschool age.

Dr. Ruja further stated that it is the job of parents and teachers to create an atmosphere of security which is conducive to learning.

Family and other group relationships have a direct effect on a child's willingness and ability to assimilate knowledge. As an example, Dr. Ruja pointed out that the timid or introverted child often takes a great deal longer in learning how to read than the outgoing and well-adjusted child.

The next lecture, which is presented by the Harbor District Mental Health Service as part of

El Camino to Present Christmas Concert on Campus Next Sunday

Members of the El Camino college music department will present their annual Christmas concert Dec. 13 at 8 p.m. in the Campus Center of the College.

The concert, announced yesterday, is entitled "Concert of Christmas Moods," the unique program will be a presentation of R. Vaughan Williams' cantata "Dona Nobis Pacem" Williams, a contemporary English composer, has become internationally revered in the musical world, according to R. Noel Hill, choral director of El Camino College.

"The Williams cantata was written at the close of World War II and makes use of the dynamic poetry of Walt Whitman, famed American poet, and is a strictly modern work. Its performance by a junior college choir of 75 voices should prove to be an unusual treat," the music instructor elaborated.

Instrumental accompaniment will be provided by the El Camino college orchestra, Hamilton Maddaford directing.

to Hill.

Dramatic narration for the program will be provided by students of the drama and speech department under the direction of John Dobbin, while vocal students will be under the supervision of Dr. Gordon Orme.

"The student body and all members of the community are invited to participate in helping all members present to enjoy the moods of the Christmas season through music," Hill stated in offering a public invitation to the annual event.

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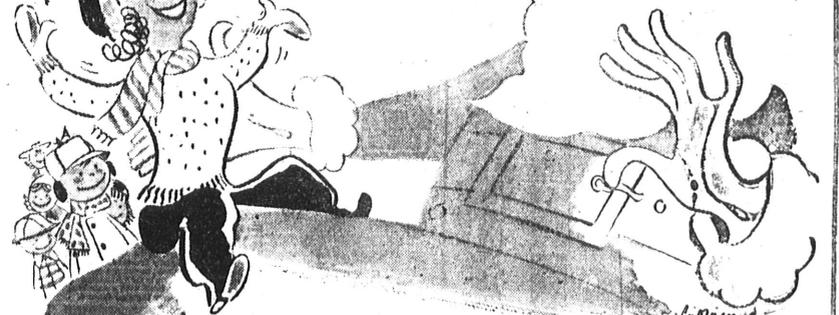
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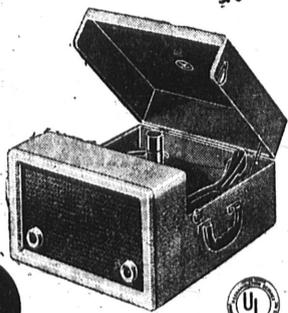


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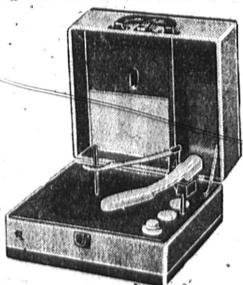
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