



**BUS CO. TO ADD 4 BUSES**

Four new air-ride buses, the latest word in comfort, will be added to the Torrance Municipal bus lines at the beginning of November, Marshall Chamberlain, superintendent, announced this week.

At present, the local bus company has two of these 45-passenger buses.

In conjunction with this announcement, Chamberlain stated that bus fares will also be increased after July 31. The last increase was granted in April, 1950.

Fares will be upped 5 cents, except when crossing Manchester boulevard, where the increase will amount to 10 cents.

**Free Dance Lessons at Auditorium**

Free ballroom dancing lessons by two instructors from the Arthur Murray Dance Studio will be the main attraction at the Teen Age Summer Sports Dance this Saturday night at the Civic Auditorium.

The instruction program will begin at 7:30 p.m. according to officials of the recreation department, sponsors of the dances. Following the lessons, from 8:30 to 11:30, the teenagers will dance to the music of Sal Frisin's orchestra.

Tickets to the dance are available at all playground areas and at the auditorium door. There are four more teen dances scheduled this summer, it was disclosed.

Besides the free instructions and open dancing, there will be many door prizes donated by the Torrance Drive-In Theater. All Torrance teen-agers are invited to attend the program.

**Bank Marks Increase in Resources**

California Bank's resources increased \$94,766,883 during the past year to reach a total of \$734,229,646 on June 30, according to Frank L. King, president.

Deposits advanced to \$683,368,621 from \$600,257,133 a year ago. Loans and discounts totaled \$264,305,803, an increase of \$73,387,214.

Net operating earnings for the six months ended June 30 amounted to \$2,302,552, equal to \$2.17 per share based on the average number of shares outstanding during the six-month period.

This compares to net operating earnings of \$1,648,699, or \$2.06 a share in the like period a year ago. Final net profits amounted to \$1,704,008, an increase of 22 per cent over 1954.

Capital funds of \$40,212,161 consisted of capital stock \$13,643,750, surplus \$18,206,250, and undivided profits of \$8,362,161.

**Death Not Homicide Study Shows**

The death two weeks ago of a Lomita longshoreman was definitely not a homicide, further investigation revealed, according to Det. Wayne Butts of the harbor police department.

The body of the longshoreman, John H. Glisman, 68, of 2469 W. 248th st., was found in a San Pedro hotel restroom.

Glisman had sustained a head wound and his empty wallet was found nearby. Police had proceeded on the theory that he had been murdered and robbed.

The autopsy showed that the head wound was only superficial and not sufficient to cause death, Butts disclosed. The other circumstances remained unsolved.

Veterans of Foreign Wars, Torrance Chapter, meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 p.m. at Moose Hall on West Carson St., in Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jennings, of 831 Pier Ave., announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Lavon, weighing 8 pounds and one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kehoe, of 1171 Eldorado Ave., announce the birth of a son, Shawn Purvis, weighing 7 pounds and 4 ounces.

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**Dear Editor**

They Do It In Winnetka . . .

Editor Torrance Press

We are in favor of the ordinance (compulsory anti-rabies vaccination for dogs) and hope you win your fight against the opponents. Our daughter, who lives in Winnetka, Illinois and has two children and a dog, is very glad to have her dog inoculated as it does not affect his health.

They can't get a license unless it is done . . .

It might be a good idea for someone to get a copy of the Life of Louis Pasteur and read the vivid description of the agonies undergone by victims of rabies at the meeting Tuesday.

We have a vacant lot next to us where children and dogs play and I'd feel happier if the ordinance were passed.

Sincerely,  
(s) ELSIE (MRS. S. A.) PYNE  
1743 B Cabrillo, Torrance

**'Thanks'**

Editor, Torrance Press:

La Tijera Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, and Alice Gieschen, its chairman of publicity, wish to express to your sincere appreciation of your interest in the parlor's activities during the past year in granting space to its articles submitted to you.

Yours truly,  
(s) BETTE A. JONES.

**Boy Scouts Visit Knott's Berry Farm**

Dens one and five of Harbor City Cub Scout Pack 743 recently enjoyed a day's outing at Knott's Berry Farm. The boys had lunch, took a tour of the interesting relics, rode the train and stagecoach, and visited the animal farm.

Under supervision of their Den Mothers, Ernestine May and Juanita Wallick, boys attending were: Gary Gileno, Paul Hilzer, Randy May, Hector Astorga, Michael Samson, Kenneth McCann, Brian Worcester, Jack Henry, Ronald Mankhey, Robert Jimenez, Timmy Reynolds and Kenneth Wallick.

Others also accompanying the excursion was Adeline and Lynn Hilzer, Clare Christopher, Ricky May, Alice Mankhey and Douglas Wallick.

**Just North And South For Short**

Keeping in line with the natural tendency to shorten names the Board of Education decided that North Torrance High school will be officially known as North High school and South Torrance high school will be known as South High school.

The word "Torrance," however, will be included under the name on the buildings.

**YMCA Has Openings For Trip**

Torrance YMCA announced today that it has been given permission to take another 25 boys on the High Sierra Caravan, August 6 to 13.

Stan Roberts, camp director, said that in addition to the 29 boys signed for this older boys' camping trip, another truck load had been arranged.

Boys 12 to 16 years interested in swimming at Whitmore Hot Springs, fishing in the Mammoth Lake area, sightseeing in the Mono Craters and visiting the wonders of Yosemite National Park should get in touch with Torrance YMCA right away by calling Fairfax 8-1272.

**HUGE CAR RODEO SET FOR JULY 24**

A car rodeo, testing the driving skill of individuals under adverse driving conditions, will be held Sunday, July 24, starting at 10 a.m. and expected to last until late afternoon. The event will be held on the Douglas parking lot on Western avenue north of Torrance boulevard.

This is the first event slated by the Torrance Police Car Club association. Admission will be free to spectators. The competition is open to the public.

Trophies will be awarded for first and second place. The club, recently organized by the local Police Department, consists of six car clubs, including the Chasers, Prowlers, Chiefs, Playboys, Shafters, and Ambassadors.

A refreshment stand and a booth exhibiting two custom cars and mechanical displays

will be part of the rodeo. The Torrance Police Car club association meets every Wednesday. Additional information may be obtained by calling Torrance police at FA. 8-3456.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Phillips, of 25338 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita, announce the birth of a daughter, Naomi Ruth, weighing 6 pounds and 94 ounces.

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