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Examination for **Fire Captain Draws** Protest

written protest against the A written 'protest against the oposed promotional examina-m for captain of the fire de-triment has been filed with e Civil Service Board by J. Jeffery, regional direteor of e Torrance municipal employ-is C.I.O. Union. The notice of e examination was reported sted April 27 with April 30 ted as the last day for filing plications.

applications. Jeffery's protest letter stated hat the union holds that the examination should not be held mless all who are eligible "in-luding those in the armed serv-ces, have an opportunity to take t under equally favorable condi-ions".

it under equally favorable condi-tions." He wrote that the time be-tween posting and the deadline for applications was insufficient and that applications should be received throughout a three-veek period provided by the rules of civil service relating to the fire department. "The union questions the ad-visability of calling for a pro-motional examination for this classification at this time," Jef-fery's letter continued, "when the stated reason is to fill tempo-rary vacancies caused by vaca-tions. Since only two men are eligible to fill such temporary va-cancies it seems reasonable that such appointments should be made on a seniority basis with-out the necessity of calling for an examination.

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Episcopal Church to Monor Mothers

Nothers' Day will be observed next Sunday with special serv-ices at St. Andrew's Episcopal church, the vicar, Rev. Paul M. Wheeler, said today. The Church School children are asking their mothers to attend classes with them at 9:30 a.m., while moth-ers of Junior Church School chil-dren are asked to attend the 11 o'clock service. Special music will be presented by the choir and Rev. Wheeler will deliver a sermon on "The Christian Fam-ily in These Times."

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