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# **Torrance Area** War Plants To **Be Transferred**

The War Assets Administration this week announced that
papers now are being processed for turning over the
Goodyear Synthetic Rubber,
Dow Chemical and Shell chemical plants in the Torrance area
to their present operators.
These plants are among
those soon to be de cl a red,
which are known as "single
purpose" plants, built and operated for very specific types
of wartine production, and require ingenuity t osell.
Approximately 112 million
dollars worth of property has
been disposed of by sale or
lease by the government agency in this region since its inception.

# **Green Awarded City Garbage** Contract '47

The City Council Tuesday night voted to award the contract for the collection of garbage for the year beginning July 1, 1947 to George M. Green of Torrance, who has handled the contract for the

handled the contract for the pass year.

Green's bid was for \$500 per month on existing units in the city and 25 cents per month for each additional unit that may be erected during the year.

The bid accepted was the lowest among five ranging from \$674 to \$825 per month with the same rate applying to additional units,

A child may dare So drive with care



UCLA GRADUATE . . . Harland B. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson, 1753 Arlington ave., received his A. B. degree from UCLA, majoring in degree from UCLA, majoring in accounting and business administration. A Beta Theta Pi, Johnson was one of five men students awarded a life time membership in the University's "Cal Club." This honor was partially in recognition of his office as business manager of Southern Campus, school annual, for which he won a separate honor award and for his three years' Navy Training participation at the school where he attained rank of Ensign. For the past six months he has served as business manager of "The Claw," school activities publication.

SWIMMING RULES

Whether you are at the beach or the old swiminir hole, before you dive into the water the National Safety Council suggests you ask yourself three questions: Do you know that the water is deep enough and free of obstructions? Is there someone around who can help you if you have trouble? Has it been two hours since your last meal?

## Blake Resigns Park Supt. Job

Fred Blake, Torrance city park\*tion of his past services.

uperintendent, tendered his re Blake had been superintendent uperintendent, tendered his re-ignation to the City Council in of city parks for the past nine

signation to the City Council in a letter to that body at the regular meeting Tuesday night, stating that he plans to move out of Torrance to enter private business.

The Council voted to accept the resignation and authorized the city clerk to write a letter of thanks to Blake in apprecia-

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