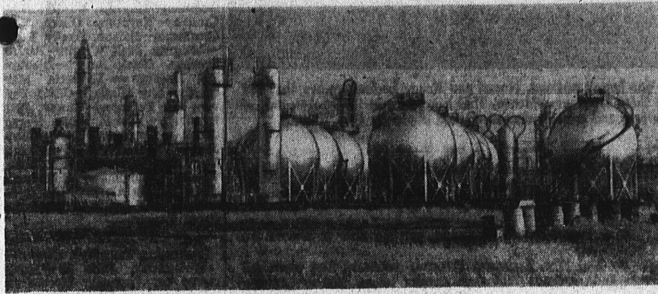




FIRST ONE . . . Pert Torrance Joan Mumford is first student at El Camino College to mail package from its own postoffice. Next in line to be greeted by Postmaster Eugene Carson are Marvin Ansite and Bob Wright. The local school is the only junior college in the state to have its own mailing address—El Camino College, California.



AIR FORCES ASK FOR SHELL PLANT . . . The multi-million dollar Shell Chemical butadiene plant at Torrance has been requested by Defense Secretary Johnson for remodeling and expansion as "ram jet test" facility.—Herald photo.

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able are steam generators for producing heat and power. To this equipment would be added eight large steam driven exhausts to supplement the compressed air required for generating supersonic air speeds; six large air heaters, an exhaust gas cooler and necessary instruments all designed to simulate conditions of air pressure and temperatures encountered in supersonic flights.

By utilizing the now idle butadiene plant it would be possible to provide the necessary development facilities at a much lower cost and in far less time than would be possible if entirely new construction were undertaken.

It is anticipated that approximately eighteen months time will be required to convert the butadiene plant into a ram jet test facility if and when the project is authorized.

BIDS OPENED FOR HARBOR HOSPITAL

Bids for construction of two standard steel buildings at Harbor General Hospital to be used for warehouse and storage purposes were opened Tuesday at the Board of Supervisors' meeting.

No Taxes It's Informal Attire for the Rotary Party

"Sport Shirts on Parade" will be the theme of the annual Torrance Rotary Club demotion-dinner dance, which will be held at Palos Verdes Country Club on June 30. Ladies are requested to dress in cottons or prints and club members and gentlemen guest in sports shirts—the louder the better, and with coats or jackets—according to Charles V. Jones, general chairman of the installation party.

Reed H. Parkin will be master-of-ceremonies and Otto A. Kresne will deliver the traditional demotion blow on the head of retiring president, Dr. John W. Beeman. W. T. (Hap) Tillotson, general manager of the American Rock Wool Company, will be installed as president for the club year beginning July 1.

Dinner will be served at 7:30.

GROWING
There are now 28 cities in the Metropolitan Water District, which has a population of 3,516,000.

YMCA Speaker Well Received At Installation

"So You Are Going to Live." An audience of more than 150 persons last Friday evening heard the Rev. Kenneth A. Carlson speak on this subject at the annual Association meeting and installation of officers of the Torrance YMCA.

The dynamic speaker, who is pastor of the First Christian Church in Santa Monica, mixed humor with serious tones to round out his address. He commended the Torrance YMCA members for their accomplishments.

Robert I. Plomert Jr., treasurer, revealed that the recent fund drive of the "Y" raised approximately \$7600. Annual budget for the organization was set for \$8,800, said Plomert. Retiring board of directors chairman W. E. Bowen presided at the business meeting.

The program, which is one of the highlights of the year's "Y" activities, saw William H. Tolson installed as chairman of the board of directors, A. C. Turner take the oath as vice-chairman, Lloyd Waller as secretary, and Plomert as treasurer.

Special recognition was given to nine volunteer leaders of "Y" clubs. Gil Derouin, chairman of the boys' work committee and Robert Lee, Gra-Y supervisor, presented certificates of appreciation to V. T. Vanderpool, Marvin Goetsch, Walter Sharon, Kenneth McBrean, Melvin Miller, Herbert Knight, Arthur Arndt, Fred Hopkins, and Bob Chambers.

Commended, also, for his work was L. Milton Isbell, executive secretary, who gave a brief program report of "Y" activities.

Musical entertainment was provided by Mrs. Edwin Socolofsky, who offered several vocal numbers. Bernard Lee led group singing.

Installing officer was George Kotsoff, assistant Metropolitan YMCA director.

ANIMAL HOSPITAL HONORED

Dr. Rollin B. Smith was notified yesterday that his Harbor Animal Hospital at 1855 Torrance Blvd., has been accepted into membership in the American Animal Hospital Association.

The honor came by invitation from the association following its investigation of the operation of Smith's hospital. It is the only hospital in this area to belong to the group, said Smith.

Father's Day At Pueblo Draws Crowd

More than 200 persons attended the Father's Day banquet and dance last Saturday at the Pueblo Community hall, according to Mrs. Mary Gonzales, publicity chairman for the event.

The banquet was sponsored by

She Takes It All In Normal Stride
Our candidate for the biggest "Glutton for Punishment" award goes to Mrs. Bernice Moshos, wife of Dr. Don C. Moshos. Mrs. Moshos arrived back in Torrance a week ago Tuesday

the Ladies Committee of the Pueblo Center.

Mrs. Gonzales expressed the appreciation of the committee to Torrance merchants who cooperated to make the event a success.

night with her five children, aged eight months to 10 years, all of whom accompanied her on a two-week "solo" motoring trip to Iowa.

She arrived barely in time to freshen up on Saturday to leave with her Lions Club president-husband to attend a Lions Club convention in Reno this week.

Mrs. Moshos trip took her to Roswell, New Mexico and to Aberdeen, South Dakota to visit her brothers and to Iowa to visit her mother and sister.

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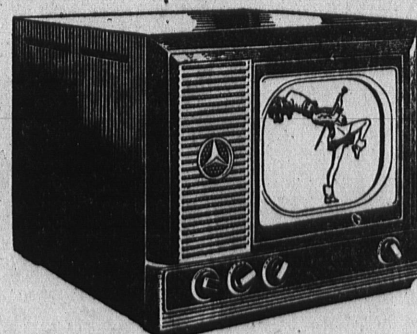


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