A prominent harbor area dental surgeon, well known in Torrance and surrounding areas, has announced the successful transplanting of human teeth from one jaw socket to another for the first time in recorded medical history, it was revealed this week.

With only two failures, Dr. Harland Apfel, of San Pedro, declared that he had transplanted teeth on 33 patients.

Six of the patients have solid, newly grown teeth on which they have been chewing for more than a year, Dr. Apfel said. Twenty-five others have transplanted teeth in various stages of growth with every hope that they will be entirely successful.

Dr. Apfel told the second annual meeting of the University of California Dental College Alumni Association that his process consists of transplanting the "buds" of wisdom teeth to fill the gaps left by the loss of regular first molars. At present it is successful only on patients between 12 and 19 years of

The average person has four wisdom teeth-and sometimes other extra buds in his jaws. Dr. Apfel said all of these now constitute a potential supply of "spares."

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24 New Homes Chamber Asks In Walteria **Area Starting**

Council's Pay

Select Homes Inc. of 5158
Venice boulevard, Los Angeles, was issued building permits for 24 new homes in the Walteria district totaling \$1144.726 during the last week by Building Inspector John Patrick.

Other permits issued to implicated the totaled \$40.875. This brought the totaled for the week to \$185,601. Select Homes will build their new homes on Newton, Actoph, Wilmington, and Bluff streets in Tract No, 2802 in Walteria.

Permits issued to individuals during the week included Dean Sears, 1635 Post avenue, residence, 1630 Cota avenue, \$7600; Harry R. Moritz, 1334 Post avenue, addition to store building, \$85; T. E. Mann, 1731 Gram er cy avenue, garge, \$400; Roy M. Whitted, 2614 Sickel street, Los Angeles, 1628 Hickory avenue, garge, \$400; Roy M. Whitted, 2614 Greenwood, \$6460; C. E. Conner, 1108 Cravens, metal sign, 1624 Cravens, \$90; E. L. Schwattz, 1811 Sartori avenue, residence and garage, 1624 Greenwood, \$6460; C. E. Conner, 1108 Cravens, metal sign, 1624 Cravens, spo; E. L. Schwattz, 1811 Sartori avenue, residence, 1800; Luerence R. Deroulin, 1230 Greenwood avenue, Metal Quonset Hut, woodworking shop, 1819 Torrance boulevard, \$3100; W. O. Sugden, 1627 Hickory avenue, garge, \$700, and Erna D. Bennett, 1511 Post avenue, wood avenue, Fesidence, 1827 Green wood avenue, Session.

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Isbell Gives Kiwanis Talk

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Mayor Sherfey injected the idea that the requirements of the anti-gambling ordinance now are provided by law, and Rippy replied that while the state law might provide for the matter, the City can make it a municipal law by amendment to the City Charter. Rippy said that he was not asking the decisive action of the Council but that the Chamber wants to know its intent.

Grover C. Whyte, publisher of L. Milton Isbell, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., had three of his boys, who are members of the local Y.M.C.A. organizations—Hi-Y, Bill Morgan; Junior Hi-Y, Ronnie Higgins and Gra-Y, Louis Valencia—present Monday night at the Kiwanis Club meeting in Daniels Cafe, in observance of Y.M.C.A. Week.

A cake in celebration of the passing of the fifty member mark by the Kiwanis Club was cut and everyone participated. The 5ist and 52nd members inducted Monday night are Dave Sowle and Mark Wright, both of the National Supply Company.

to see the proposed amendment on the anti-gambling matter in writing, and it was read as pro-posed. Gilbert and Sherfey asked for names of sponsors of the amendment, but they were not immediately available.

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Grover C. Whyte, publisher of the Torrance Herald and a Chamber director, said that Santa Monica had passed such an ordfrance to prevent horse-racing in that city and had accomplished this feat successfully. Since, he said, it has been proved, such an enterprise is not an asset to any community. Sherfey declared that the matter of the antigambling question had not been discussed by the council, although three of the four then members of the council had agreed in October to present the ordinance to the people for vote.

Councilman Gilbert said that the matter could not be discussed in "15 minutes," but the council needs time to discuss the proposed amendments with attorneys before action is taken. Mayor Sherfey said that the Council would like to grant the Chamber the courtesy of its request, but that it could not do so at the time, without further study.

Councilman A. L. Jackson said

Councilman A. L. Jackson said that the council apparently not ready to take action on the gambling matter. "You all know

gambling matter. "You all know I am opposed to gambling," he added. Sherfey recollected that in the last councilmanic election both Sherfey and Jackson were committed publicly to an antipoker parlor platform.

Rippy told the council that the Chamber is not asking for an expression of the stand, but whether or not the council is willing to put on the ballot without petitions the question of operation of public poker parlors in Torrance and the question of the payment of \$50 a month salaries to the council members.

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"Do you want the people to take a vote on these matters?" Rippy asked. "You will save the cost of advertising and circulation of petitions by placing them on the ballot on your own motion."

motion."

Gilbert said that he thought the council should study them until the next meeting Feb. 10, and Jackson remarked that referring the matter for decision at the Feb. 10 meeting would "give us time" to decide.

The council then adjourned, and the meeting of the Chamber directors resulting in the action to circulate the initiative petitions followed within a few minutes.

OIL WELL REDRILLED

Redrilling operations on the California Southern Oil Com-pany's Monica well located in Torrance field, section 14 (Twp. S, Range 14 W.) are under way, a bulletin from the Department of Natural Resources of the State of California an nounced recently.

Five Lions Are Installed Action On Poker;

on the annual Melvin Jone Birthday membership drive, in

"should be discussed" before action.

Chamber President Rippy said that his group should know the attitude and action of the Council in time to circulate necessary petitions to place the matters on the ballot if the council does not do so on its own motion.

Tolson moved that they go on the ballot, but dld not get a second to his motion. Instead, Mayor J. Hugh Sherfey Jr. suggested a 15-minute recess. The recess was not taken. Councilman C. M. Gilbert told President Rippy that he wanted to see the proposed amendment

Increase In Bus **Fares Delayed**

Due to the inability of the Torrance Municipal Bus Lines to get new tickets in time, the increase in fares slated for Jan. 26 was delayed until Feb. 1, according to Manager Wil-liam Murphey.

The fare increase involves all lines except the local service and the Long Beach-North Torrance-Hawthorne route.

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