# EDITORIALS

#### **Vote for Classrooms Tuesday**

1952, drew attention to the fact that carpenters can build houses faster than they can build

During the two years since that time, this logic has been demonstrated with force—the city has seen the construction of about 4000 es since that time, and the population of the city has risen from \$1,000 to 45,000.

Largest impact of such explosive popula-tion gains is in the city's mushrooming school system, which has grown from four elementary schools in 1947 to 14 today.

Up to the voters of Torrance next Tuesday is a bond issue for \$3,000,000 to be used to

further expand the schools to meet demands

The bond issue was endorsed without hes ttation by the Torrance Industries Tax Committee, whose members represent the major source of revenue for the city.

Cost of the hand issue will be negligible to the average homeowner, but will build class-rooms for the pupils now on double session -and go a long way toward helping the

An editorial published here on Feb. 21, immediate future. One school official explain immediate future. One school official explained the measure as "part of the process of Torrance becoming a city of 100,000 population.

Monies obtained by passage of the bond issue Tuesday will be used for construction and rehabilitation of elementary school facilities. Money for the new North Torrance High School is on hand, drawing interest for the district until such a time as construction is

Federal funds have built much of the city's new school facilities, and more is expected this year. However, the Federal funds will not be sufficient to build the number of classrooms needed to meet demands of the increasing population of Torrance.

We think no one can deny that the money spent by the Torrance Unified School District during the seven years of its existence has been stretched far beyond that of other districts with which it could be compared. The taxpayer is getting his money's worth in schools here, and he will continue to do so with the \$3,000,000.

The Herald recommends that you go to the polls Tuesday, and that you vote "Yes."

#### Theme of 'Prayer Day' Told

"Go Ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every nation" is the Bible quotation chosen as the theme of "World Day of Prayer" deeds among people. tomorrow for Torrance, Mrs. Paul Wenske, of the Pastor of the Lutheran Church,

Luke 8:16:19 has been chosen as the portion of the Bible to be read by those who want to participate in the worldwide prayer, Mrs.

"This passage pertains to all walks of life—to housewives as well as those on a pay-roll," the Pastor's wife said. She continued, "it can also be used as a demonstration story for children by using a candle and showing that by covering it, the light cannot be seen.

"People in wheel chairs or those who are bedfast have been known to show such great Light that their lives have been a great inspiration to the world.

"Everyone in Torrance is asked to read this portion of the Bible tomorrow and pray, sired that every family will gather togeth for family devotion on this day. The 'Wor Day of Prayer' committee hopes that this plan for 'A Praying Torrance' might provoke var-ious opinions for next year's planning, so that it can be more effective in the future," Mrs. Wenske concluded,

#### **Postal Employees Respond**

General Summerfield's recommendations for postal employees' salaries carried in the Torrance Herald last week, the local employees yesterday labeled the proposals as unworkable President Ernest Hobbs, of the National

Association of Letter Carriers Local 2207 and Edward Siedel, of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks Local 1043, said the pro posed increases are far below pay changes asked for by the two organizations. Both union officials said their proposals had been worked out carefully with full consideration of the welfare of both the taxpayers and the postal

Summerfield's proposal would increase sal-ary ranges from \$10 to \$210 annually Although

In response to a story detailing Postmaster only one employee in the Torrance Post Office would receive the \$10 a year increase, none would get the \$210 maximum, it was pointed

WHAT PEOPLE WILL DO

Sinclair Weeks, the Secretary of Commerce, will soon issue a most revolutionary outline to be followed on world trade which will be accepted as the new international policy! , Eileen Bennett will soon issue a most scientific report on the coming revolution in the weather and how it will affect your property, your health and your welfare! . Craig Hosmer (Rep. Calif. R) will soon make his sensational plans known to span the nation from coast to coast with monorall travel! . . Shelton Martin and his national safes organization will soon offer precontracted funerals on the installment plan to ease the immediate financial burden which is placed on families at the passing of a loved one! Eleven employees would get a raise of \$25 a year (\$1.04 each payday) and another 11 would get an annual raise of \$100, according The present basic annual salary pay scales

range from \$3270 to \$4070 and the employees' organization is backing passage of the Rhodes-Withrow Bill, H.R. 2344, which would give postal employees an \$800 blanket increase.

We agree with the employees contention that it is important to make postal jobs attractive enough to help keep good men and

#### La Monroe and Baseball

Those dyed-in-the-wool baseball fans who have been following the recent marriage of Marilyn Monroe, whizz-bang doll of the movies, and Joe DiMaggio, ex-whizz-bang slugger of the New York Yankees, came in for a rude shock recently. The press carried an account of an interview with Miss Monroe in Tokyo, in it, she admitted she had never seen

Though a number of her fans suppose that she was attracted to DiMaggio partly by

comprised most of the DiMaggio appeal,

The question which arises in our m when we hear that Marilyn has never seen a baseball game, is what the couple will talk about. If Joe doesn't talk baseball, his con-versational repertoire will naturally be limited. But then there are other subjects-like Mar ilyn-and maybe that's the answer.

her admiration for his diamond ability, since she had never seen a ball game, it must be assumed that DiMaggio's other qualifications

WOMEN WHO WILL MAKE NEWS:

Oveta Culp Hobby, our Secreary of Health, Education and Welfare, will soon present a plan to Congress in which tunwed mothers are given legal aid to force the admitted fathers of the children to assume responsibility on a Fedral level! — A noted magazine editor will testify that all the co-editors follow the Communist Party line! — The late Eva Peron will soon have a shining marble city built in her memory by the clitzens of Argentina which will outshine the Taj Mahai, the tomb of Napoleon; Lenin, or Stalin; — The Methodist Church will soon open its pulpits to women for the first time in their religious history!

FOR WOMEN ONLY: religious history!
FOR WOMEN ONLY.
The day of the dramatic busom is over and from September first on High Fashlon dictates flat chested dresses, sky-high skirts and Babydon bonnets. . . A new labor-saving invention—paper plates and forks — very inexpensive and

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Criswell Predicts

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When Nostradamus, one of our greatest prophets of a 11 time predicted in 1528: "The Bear will slowly stir from hibernation, will reach out with its claws, but in doing so, will receive a mortal wound!" In 1628 this prediction would have meant very little, but in the stark realism of today's head-lines we know that the term "The Bear" could only mean Russia, and in 1954 there are ominous signs that the Bear might stir from hibernation and reach out its claws, and in doing so, will receive a mortal wound! Nostradamus also predicted "Near the 60th year of the 20th century (1960) the new religion will be nudsm' Let' us watch this prediction—Next week I will give the amous Mormon Prophecy which is most accurate and will arfect each and every reader of this paper!

COMING HUSH HUSH NEWS:

One of our radio networks insists on broadcasting two hours of crime, pillage, murder, lurid sex involvements and conscious blasphemy every Sunday afternoon will be the major object of a nationwide bo ye of t by the churches, schools, Parent-Teachers and every decent-minded citizen of America within the next month.

Criswell will answer your questions if you will write him in care of the Torrance Herald, signing your full name and address. Only initials will be used in the answer which will appear in rotation dis received and as pace permits. There is no charge for this service. Write Criswell -Predicts today!

REG MANNING

Dear Criswell:
I am in a dilemma about a 46-year-old bachelor who will soon have his citizenship papers, What sex will my daughter's second child be?
MRS, MARIE R.

ter's second child be?

MRS MARIE R.

My Dear Marie:

This man will prove a good friend but I do not sense that you will matry him as you will find someone else much better. He has not proven himself to you. Your daughter will have a girl. Your son-in-law will buy a home but by that time you will be ready to marry.

Dear Criswell:

I just discovered your column in this paper and I shall most certainly be an ardent fan of both the paper and of you from now on. I bought a small house and used all my savings on it. Will this prove a good investment? Should we sell and move back into the city?

MRS, V. J.

You will stay there for it will prove more beneficial to you than living in the city. You will visit the city quite often, however. The month of March will see the end of your present financial difficulties.

Dear Criswell:
Will I win any money, and
if so when?
MISS ANNE R.
My Dear Miss Anne R.:
There will be a small prize
you will win but your t ime
could be spent in a greater
and more profitable home hobby that would actually pay out.
You will marry in 1954.

Dear Criswell:

Where is my husband and does he ever intend to send for us or not?

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FRANCES B.

My Dear Frances B:

Your husband will drift in
and out of your life like a bad
cold but I do not sense you
will ever receive a steady support from him. You will soon
be working in this factory near
you and you will be able to
secure this job through the
State Unemployment Office:
You will not be required to
seek state ad at this time.
There will be a definite change
for you this summer.

Dear Criessell.

Q. R. C.

My Dear QRC:
You will soon become interested in someone else and do not sense you will be with your husband again except to see him off and on.

## AFTER HOURS

By JOHN MORLEY

COMMUNIST VICTORY AT BERLIN

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The Foreign Ministers Conference in East-West Berlin was a colossal failure in reaching any solution to the problems for which it was originally planned. Those problems were: peace-treaties for Germany and Austria. Some columnists and commentators made toward the achievenent of peace. One columnist compared the Conference to a large the compared the Conference to a large the compared the Conference to a large the compared the Conference to a failure he suggests, because h did not score a touchdown? This implies that we made considerable progress to and peace in Berlin. At the moment the only apparent progress made was to leave that Malenkov is moderable solution, we suffered a costly loss by agreeing to permit Red China to the coming Asian Peace Conference in Geneva on April 26. Equally worse was Mr. Dulles' approval to allow Russia to participate in this conference on Korea' as a neutral, instead of as a belligerent. For weeks in the UN General Assembly Henry Cabot Lodge debated and won his point that Russia be seated as a co-belligerent with North Korea and Red China in any discussion of a Koreantruce. Dulles' reversal of this position in Berlin was a victory Russia could not obtain New York.

In New York.

Failure of a Mission
Secretary of State Dulles
found himself against the proverbial stone wall, not only in
his dealings with Molotov, but
in his position with our friends
—Britain and France. For them
the Conference was planned not
only to discuss terms of German unity and an Austrian
peace treaty, but to pave the
wey-for the admission of Red
China into the United Nations.
On this question the United

States stands alone among the Big Four. Both Britain and France have repeatedly voiced their approval on the side of Russia. All the outward appearances of cooperation between the Allies ends on this question of admitting Red Chana into the UN. We stand alone and it's only a matter of time when the U. S. will have to take the fatal plunge between appeasement and dishonor, or withdrawal from the UN. The Berlin decision to permit the Chinese gangsters to come to Geneva as equals is blasphemy upon the sacrifices of our dead in Korea. Mn. Dulles' statement that. "the Asia peace conference is 100 per cent of what we wanted" certainly does not mean that he is pleased with the inclusion of the Chinese Red Barbarians. The Berlin decision on an Asia peace conference by-passes the United Nations and must be construed as a victory for Communism. It is their first copal-piratorial step toward recognition of Red China.

U. S. Pays and Pays.

Since 1945 the U. S. has poured the blood and billions to prevent Communist enslavement in Europe and Asia. We sacrifice dover 25,000 of our manhood in Korea, not to mention the living death of thousands more in Veteran's Hospitals. We poured over 20 billions already in Korea, not to mention the living death of thousands more in Veteran's Hospitals. We poured over 20 billions already in Korea, we gave Britain some 16 billion, France over 12 billion and Italy 6 billion, since 1945. Italy is on the verge of Communist (oday) and Communist control of this sentiment on the Island. After' so many time since ut 1945, if the British press were to be taken as a criterion of this sentiment on the Island. After' so the sacrifice, the coming Asia Peace Conference and is going to find the U. S. dehernaling a ulpiomatic position military position in Korea, since ed unit in the sentiment of the sentim

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### THEY SAY

Harry S. Truman, former President:

Winston Churchill, British Prime Minister:
"It has been said that democracy is the worst form of government except all those other forms that have been tried from time to time."

A. P. Fugill, Detroit scientist:

"If dynamite is set off in the middle of an uninhabited area, there is no noise because the explosion was not heard by anyone."

Dr. Paul D. Sturkie, Rutgers University poultry specialist:
"High blood pressure is getting the better of some of the older chickens."

Ogonyok, Russian Communist newspaper:
"Communist children should not be given dolls that say
"Mama"—they tend to make children too emotional."

Edward Dickenson, Corporal, who decided to denounce Commu-nism and return to U.S.
"The others (G.I.'s who stayed with Reds in Korea) want to come back, but they are afraid."

Thomas E. Dewey, Governor of New York:
"Ultimately, it will not be by propaganda, by ideology or by force or arms, but by the sheer force of moral and intellectual freedom that we will mostly surely liberate mankind."

Clare Boothe Luce, U.S. Ambassador to Italy:
"Our country has been built by the brains, the skills, the hard work of immigrants."

Roger W. Babson, economist:

"I am distinctly opposed to urging small investors to buy common stock at this time."

IT'S A FACT by JERRY CAHILL



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