

**USN Man In Gyro School**  
Ralph Smith of Torrance has been selected for training in the field of research and development of gyro compass equipment at the US Naval Receiving Station in Great Lakes, Ill.

**MORE WOMEN**  
The 1950 United States census showed 1,430,000 more females than males in the total population, the first time in history that women outnumbered the men in the nation.

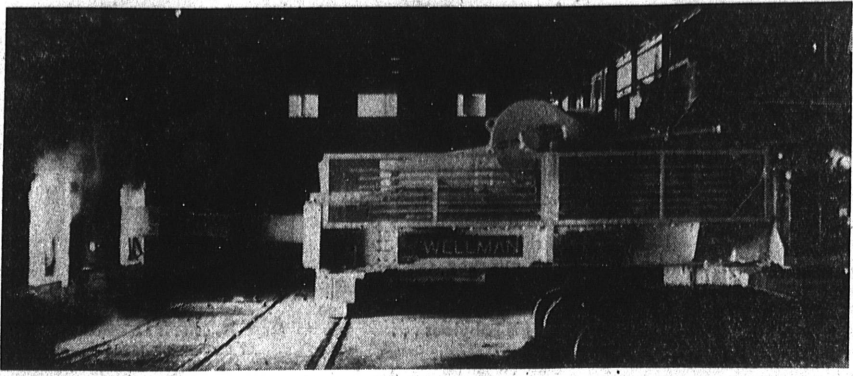
**Student Given Diploma In Air Force Extension**

Arthur G. Vaughan of 3228 W. 188th St. was recently awarded a diploma by the USAF Extension Course Institute for successfully completing the Statistical Service Officer Course, one of a series of special correspondence courses offered by ECI. These courses are based on subject matter presented at resident Air Force schools.

**Color TV Receivers On Sale at Redondo Store**

The first mass produced color television receivers to be released for sale in Los Angeles are being offered by Griffey Electric in Redondo Beach.

Color TV programs are already available on a limited basis and an increase to daily color programming, similar to that being telecast in New York City, is expected within a few weeks.



**PUTTING A LOG ON THE FIRE . . .** A new 88-ton charging machine deposits a load of pig iron in the basic open hearth furnace at the Torrance Works of United States Steel's Columbia-Geneva Steel Division as furnace operations are resumed for the first time since late February. Open hearth operations had been suspended while the new charging apparatus was being installed. The machine, which has a

charging capacity of seven-and-a-half tons, reaches forth a long, steel arm which picks up a steel box loaded with scrap or pig iron from a train of small cars. The arm pushes the box into the open door of the furnace, turns it upside down, withdraws in and replaces it on the car from which it was taken.

**Normandale To Stage Springtime Festival**

"The Sleeping Beauty" will be staged as part of the Spring festival at Normandale Playground, 1326 W. 224th St., Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, it was announced this week. Each festival at Los Angeles City Recreation Department Parks features a flower-decked setting and the crowning of a Queen of Springtime.



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**Walteria News Notes**

**Crowd Gathers Here For Sunrise Service**

Church of Walteria attended a baby shower held for their pastor's wife, Mrs. Andrew Duty. The shower was held week before last at the home of Mrs. Hattie Powell of Ocean Ave. Several of the ladies worked together to make the shower one to be long remembered. A basket was decorated in pink, blue, and white with big bows, for the many gifts the guests brought. Lovely spring bouquets of pink, white, and blue flowers carried out the color scheme. Three games lent to the evening's amusement—a memory game, a scrambled words game, and the forming of boys and girls names out of the word "shower." After games were over and gifts unwrapped, refreshments of cake and coffee were served. Three cakes held the spotlight, with the largest being made in the shape of an umbrella beautifully decorated.

A sunrise birthday luncheon given April 11 at the home of Mrs. Don Dahl of Danaha St. was another lovely affair. The honoree, Miss Jean Burke of San Pedro, arrived with her mother, Mrs. Winnie Burke to the accompaniment of shouts of "Surprise" and "Happy Birthday." A white orchid corsage was pinned on the dazed Miss Burke, and then the gayly decorated luncheon tables were surrounded by appreciative guests. On the guest list were Mrs. Larry Monahan, Mrs. Winnie Burke, Mrs. John Royce, Mrs. Mable Foster, Mrs. John McTea, Mrs. Bob Volding, Mrs. Don Welker, Mrs. Doug Burns, Mrs. Raymond Christensen, and Mrs. Gordon Ruth. Mmes. Burnes, Christensen, and Ruth were unable to attend but sent gifts as their contribution to the afternoon. A birthday cake decked out with candles and tiny Easter eggs completed an afternoon. A movie was taken of each exciting step during the afternoon, and this record will be presented to the honoree at a later time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Miller of Long Beach were Sunday guests at the Bert Mosley home on Ward St.

Out-of-state guests are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCall of Neece Ave. Their guests are friends from Pennsylvania.

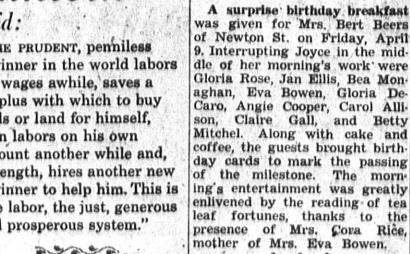
A surprise birthday breakfast was given for Mrs. Bert Berra of Newton St. on Friday, April 9. Interrupting Joyce in the middle of her morning's work were Gloria Rose, Jan Ellis, Bea Monaghan, Eva Bowen, Gloria DeCaro, Angie Cooper, Carol Allison, Claire Gail, and Betty Mitchell. Along with cake and coffee, the guests brought birthday cards to mark the passing of the milestone. The morning's entertainment was greatly enjoyed by the reading of tea leaf fortunes, thanks to the presence of Mrs. Gora Rice, mother of Mrs. Eva Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Heintz of Neece Ave. spent Easter Sunday at Irvine Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harrison, Los Codona Ave. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Batezell and family of Alhambra.

Our very deepest sympathies go this week to the Jack Clarkson of Pitcairn Way, upon the loss of Mrs. Clark's father. She has gone back east to attend the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Monaghan were welcome guests last week in Walteria. The Monaghans are at present residents of San Diego. Phil will be shipping out for the Mediterranean area in three more days where he will be stationed with the U. S. Armed forces. The Monaghans



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**First Round Bank Award Winners Told**

Two Narbonne High School students, and one from Gardena High—were named winners this week in Los Angeles City high schools in the first round of the Bank of America seventh annual Achievement Award program.

Donald Myers, of 1535 W. 213th St., Narbonne student, was awarded a cup and certificate in the science and mathematics fields and Royal E. Light of 1618 W. 216th St., won a certificate in the agriculture field.

From Gardena High, David Cayton, 635 W. 214th St., took a certificate in the trades section of the program, which is for high school seniors only.

The Awards program is designed to bring public attention, reward and encouragement to young people who show unusual promise of future success and service to society. It is state-wide, with \$35,600 in cash and 5000 trophies being offered to winners. Winners from other school districts, including Torrance, will be announced later.

**Caltech Student Awarded School Honor Certificate**

Byron B. Johnson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron B. Johnson of 23077 Doris Way, a student at the California Institute of Technology in Pasadena, has been chosen to receive an honor certificate at the spring awards assembly.

Honor keys and certificates are given by the student body to undergraduates who have made major contributions to campus life through office, club, athletic or literary achievements.

Johnson, a Torrance High grad, is a sophomore majoring in civil engineering at Caltech.

Mrs. Lorine Harline of Los Codona Ave. has recently spent a lovely visit with her daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker, at their home near Healdsburg, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kettering of Neece Ave. spent Easter Sunday at the Home of Mrs. Evelyn Kettering in Long Beach.



ROBERTA L. GREGG McDonald (left) watches Opal the Elephant show off her trunk of tricks at the 14th Annual All Malakiah Shrine-Polack Bros. Circus which runs April 19-26 at the Shrine Auditorium in Los Angeles.

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