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## EDITORIALS

## The Parking Problem














 well take a leading role, because status of the downtown area is of vital importance to the city's tax base. night give the situation some thought. t's a cinch they will might give the situation some thought. It's a cinch ciey will time in the next fefv weeks.

## Clean-Up Costly

Recent figures compiled by City Manager George
 perons using Torrance streets been more consconow ot the enils of dumping trath tiong the side ot the road
And, current reports are eeccourging, Stevens stated easonably well stopped.

He credits the intensive campaign contucted by the city and the HERALD last fall, the posting of signs which
pointed out that litterbugs could be fined up to $\$ 300$ for. pointed out that litterbugs could be fined up to $\$ 300$ for.
the offense, and a concerted drive to Torrance Police officers which resulted in the arrest and fining of several dumpers with the change in litterbug habits.
Residents of the area who are cooperating with the pla
to keep Torrance streets clean are to be commended.
Sift arrest and stiff fines await the others.

## The Squirrel Cage

## by RED Buidy

Dr. Joseph P. Bay, attending the board of education
conference in Atlantic City last week, sent us an airmail note to say that it took him only six, hours to fly to New. York, He then attended the three-day convention, an
missed by ohe day beating the letter back to Torrance.
Another optometifts, pr Alien P yeath is charman of the optimist Ciubs Marcer patty pians, and he is buys tying to tell the club on the idea oo h havinga " "rridey Mu

Gene DeBra has a new title, we hear Fellow member of the Rotary Club are now calling him Oil Baron DeBra Gene bouch $\rho$ pme property near the Santa Fe Springs
 troleum hit triw deep zone well near there last month
and the acturuty in the surrounding areas has become in. tense azain,
So, Gene got a bumch of ligal papen to sign in tho way of new oil leases, pent halfa doy with a notary public
putung the inimithing touches to the documents, then sat
 back and wated tor his isst.
The Rotary Club promptly fined him $\$ 1$ as his initiation fee into the "new rich" class, and his accountant in-
formed him that it would cost about 30 cents extra on his income tax.
18-cent killing he made in the oil boom? should do with the
in the oil boom!


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## By TOM misone

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