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## EDITORIALS

## An Expensive Park

The proposal which has popped up suddenly in the middle of the curreht Councllmanic campaign which calls for immediate steps' to condemn 90 acres of the city's most valuable industrial land for park purpe
a hastily conceived plan to The HER ALD.

Pushed by the Bensteadisen faction to the Council, the plan presented to the city Tuesday would have the city take immediate steps conter condemnation proceedings to acquire the property, estimated conservatively to
have a current market vatue exceeding one and one. have a current marke
quarter million dollars.

The HERALD will be among the first to support a sound plan to acquire adequate land for a central park amount of land for such a project: However, The HERALD believes that 90 acres of zoned industrial property, property which has been graded at great expense, which has raliroad sidings, which has been provided sewers, industrial streets, and other improvements, is not a sound Investment of taxpayers' money. Large areas of agricul. tural land lie within a few blocks of the site proposed, and the current price would be nearer one hall that of the selected industrially zoned property Torrance needs it
industrial land, too.

The HERALD will op ose the industrial land for any puppose.

## Mappy Bíthday, Girls

Monday was the 44 th anniversary of the founding the Girl Scouts of the United States. . This construetive organization, dedicated to help girls develop as happy,
resourceful individuals, was tounded March 12,1912 , in Savannah, Ga, by Juliette Gordon Low, who had formerly been a leader of Girl Guile troops in England.

Membership in the Girl Scouts includes all races, cratic and encourages in the women and mothers of comorrow a sense of unity and a faith in the integrity and mportance of the individual.

The keynote of the Gir Scouts is good citizenship and service to others. Activities cover many various fields: agriculture, arts and crafts, community life, health and safety, homemaking, international friendship, iterature and drama, music and dancing, nature, the outdoors, sporis and game camping and heallif outcoor programs are

## important phases of their training.

Our community is a better community because of the
Girl Scouts. Our nation is a Girl Scouts, Our nation is a better nation because of the
Girl Scouts. It began with an idea and an abiding faith. Joliette Low believed that people are essentialiy sood. She had taith that a program of inspired guidance during exemplifying the lofty ideals of pure religion and true patriotism.

In a sense, we live in a world made by women Men strut and pose, puif and, brag, but behind each of them
it it may be for worse. The Giri Scout movement is dedicated to assure that the infuence of the future woman will be a holy force moving the world along to better things.
Happy birthday to the Girl Scouts. May God bless and prosper theml

## THE MAIL BOX



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