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# ILL-TAP R

## A Penny for

your

**Thoughts** 

Despite the fact that most youngsters are on their best behavior in anticipation of Santa Claus, the HERALD's inquiring photographer asket

"Do you believe children should be spanked when they misbehave?"

Mrs. Evelyn Stanford, 2839 Danaha St., police matron

"I'm the mother of five and I think they should be spanked if they're small and it makes an impression. discipline



should be used. Curtailing use of TV is often one of the best methods."

Richard Green, 14, 2902 On



"Sure, I think they should be spanked. It teaches the m a lesson so they won't do it again. I used to get spanked sometimes and they it again. to get spanks sometimes and I think it did

Mrs. James Groth, 117 E. 220th St., bookkeeper

"I don't be-lieve in exces-sive spanking, but once in a while, I think it's needed. I've seen too many children that don't get



Mrs. Jerome Madden, 4756 Towers St., housewife: "Maybe I'm old - fashioned,

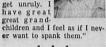


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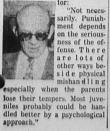
Jess Kreag, Plaza Hotel, re-

retired:

"Sometimes I think talking to them and being nice to them is better. Sometimes it's the parents' fault that they get unruly. I



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## **Torrance Over Top** In Chest Campaign

Gardena and Torrance have topped their quotas for the 1957-58 Community Chest campaign, Jay A. Robinson, Harbor Area campaign chairman, and today.

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Torrance raised \$119,938, or 100.20 per cent of its quota of \$19,887, and Gardena gained \$17,110, making 107.30 per cent of a \$15,946 quota.

Rolling Hills was the first city over the top in the Harbor Area. Volunteers there raised \$5663 of a quota of \$5630

Next city closest to 100 per cent is Palos Verdes which, having raised 93.37 per cent of a quota of \$2676, needs only \$187 to be 100 per cent.

Second to Palos Verdes is Harbor City-Lomita with

91.70 per cent. They need \$222 to meet their quota

of \$2676.

Wilmington will be 100 per cent with \$1654 more in the till. They have raised 89.51 per cent of a quota of \$15,773. San Pedro needs \$2121 to be 100 per cent.

It has 88.97 per cent of a quota of \$19,222.

With \$2629 more the Harbor Area will meet its quota of \$86,258. It is now at 96.25 per cent. Robinson urges all residents of the Harbor Area who have not made contributions to the Chest to mail them in to the campaign headquarters, 1025 S. Pacific Ave., San Padro. San Pedro.

### DAV in Warning Official Gives **Fund Solicitor**

Persons purportedly soliciting funds to be used in a building for the South Bay chapter of the D1sabled American Veterans were labeled yesterday as frauds by DAV Commander Henry Montoya.

"South Bay, chapter, DAV, is not asking for any funds for a building program, cornerstone, or plaque," Commander Montoya told The HERALD.

He reported that a number of persons had been contacted by a man who asked, in one case, for money to help the DAV buy the cornerstone for its new building.

In another case, a businessman was asked for funds to help buy a DAV plaque to put on the front of a new building.

"Our only fund drive each year is the forget-me-not sale," Montoya emphasized. Another DAV officer, Melvin Sparks, reported the fraud to Torrance police.

## Timetable on **New Schools**

Three new elementary schools will open in September, 1958, if a long strike does not delay construction, and two others may be ready, Assistant Superitendent of Schools S. E. Waldrip told members of the Torrance Educational Advisory Committee Monday noon.

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MORE FLOAT MONEY... Mrs. Robert E. Moffitt (left) and Mrs. John Thuss present Torrance Woman's Club check for \$50 to Torrance's float committee chairman, George Bradford, to help defray costs of entering a float in this year's Tournament of Roses' parade in Pasadena. Gifts totaling nearly \$1000 were announced this week. (Herald Photo)



PRESENT FOR SANTA... Ricky Gros traveled all the way from San Diego to bring a present to Santa Claus, who is currently conferring with local small fry about their Christmas wishes at various locations in downtown Torrance. With one hand on Santa's beard and the other reaching for a present is little Cindy Bean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bean, 1262½ W. 224th St. (Herald Photo)

**Rivets Reports** 

rain. High and

low temperatures this week included Sunday (85-43); Monday (86-46); Tuesday (83-44); and Wednesday (80-45).

### Santa Tells Schedule for Local Visits

Santa Claus will be a busy man in the pre-Christmas pe-riod, he told the HERALD yes-terday, as he revealed his schedule for the next week. His schedule will be as fol-

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Today—On float near McCown's Drug, 1927 El Prado,
9-12 and 1-6.
Friday—On float near Bank
of America, 1255 Sartori, 9-12
and 1-6.
Monday—On float in front

# **Duo Nabbed at Bowling Alley**

Two men sought in connection with thefts of "many thousands of dollars" in many parts of the Los Angeles area were picked up in Torrance Tuesday because they picked the wrong time and wrong place to try to tap a till.

The men were caught in the act of trying to r money from the cash register at the Torrance Bowl-O-Drome by Jean Reagan of the Los Angeles Police Department In- Named Chief

Men Followed
Unknown to the pair, they had been followed throughout various parts of the Los Angeles area by Los Angeles Police officers, who were attempting to catch them in the act. Local police were informed that the men were being sought in connection with five similar crimes and "possibly many more."

Arrested were Edward Deninno, 34, Sun Valley, and Frank Riley, whose address was not given.

According to the police, one of the suspects removed the cash while the other shielded the register by holding up a newspaper. They managed to muffle the bell on the register so that nearby waitresses were not aware of the theft.

Pair Held

The men are being held on suspicion of committing such till taps in many other places. Burglary charges may be filed against them, police said, because in the local robbery, involving \$52, they had to use a key to get into the register.

Unknown to the men, policemen were sitting in a nearby booth, watching their every move. Aiding in the arrest were G. D. Brown and C. T. Zumel, both of the Valley detective division of Los Angeles Police. They reported the men had been closely shadowed for some time.

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# director of public works for the city. The council's action followed receipt of a list of conditions by which the steel company would convey property for the road to cross the northwest corner of the firm's huge Torrance plant. Among the items sought by the steel company were a traffic signal at Border and Cravens, relocation or replacing of ences moved for the roadway within one year, and waiver of claims against the firm for future costs of railroad grade crossings on Arlington Ave. City's Rose Parade Float Fund Growing; Hits \$916

The skies should be sunny today, although the mercury may drop a little, according to Rivets, H E R A L D weather dog. There's likely to be a little early morning fog with a 20 per cent probability of rain. Checks Given
The Torrance Woman's Club
and Torrance Civitan Club each
presented checks for \$50 to
the fund, while Coleman Engineering and Aetna Maintenance Co. each contributed
\$42. A total of at least \$4000 is
need to finance the float,
Chamber officials reported
earlier.

George Bradford, float chair-an, pointed out that the city

A total of \$916 has been donated by local organizations and individuals toward putting a Torrance float in the Jan. 1 Rose Parade according to Ch am be r President A. E. Thompson.

"The city definitely will have a float in the Tournament of Roses Parade," he said. "We now have a signed contract and the indicated support of organizations, busin es s me en, and citizens of Torrance."

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