



AREA TEACHERS... Back at "school" this week are five area teachers attending the "Business In Action" Summer Post Project at the Southern California Gas Co. The teachers being shown underground natural gas storage facility at Playa del Rey by R. M. O'Hollaren (right) are (from left) Fred Wesson, Elizabeth Crandall, Dorothy Clapp, Hazel...

Annual Circus At Park Today

It's here again! The Torrance Recreation Department's annual circus held at the Torrance Park bandshell will be here today at 2 p.m. Various concessions will surround the circus area. A few of the booths which will be offered are nail driving, throw the hoop, hang the villain, pitch and win, and lazy Sue. Practically everyone wins something so be sure to bring the entire family and try your luck at winning a prize. Several of the booths will sell food and drinks.

A circus variety show will climax the afternoon with 20 new and exciting acts comprising the program. Whether you are 5 or 80 you'll enjoy the clowns, tumbling, dancing and the musical entertainment. Remember, circus time is Sunday, August 3 at the Torrance Park bandshell at the corner of 5th Street and Santa Fe. Concessions open at 2 p.m.

Dog Training Classes Open

A series of children's dog training classes are under way at Walteria Park. The sessions are being held on Saturday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon for seven weeks beginning yesterday and ending Sept. 13. Training will be handled by experienced members of the South Bay Dog Obedience Club of the Torrance Recreation Department. Roy Smith, noted Southland dog trainer, will supervise the leaders.

To be eligible for these classes these conditions should be met: children between the ages of 8 and 14 years old; dogs should be at least 8 months old and no more than 12 years old; the child must provide proper training equipment at an approximate cost of \$3.50; the final eligibility will depend on a combination of the child and dog. For example, an 8-year-old child with a Great Dane or a German Shepherd would not be permitted to participate. A child must be vaccinated against his pet.

The registration fee is 50 cents per child; all money collected is used to cover the cost of the diplomas and trophies awarded at the graduation ceremonies on Sept. 13. Parents will be required to register, sign a waiver, and attend all classes with their child.



A SPADE'S A SPADE... "California's fanciest shovel," symbol of engineering support, is presented to Lieut. Col. William L. Geissert of South Bay's 132nd Armored Engineer Battalion by Lawrence A. Harvey, executive vice president of Harvey Aluminum, industrial sponsor of the local unit. The engraved trophy shovel will be given by the 132nd to Major Gen. Homer O. Eaton, Jr., commander of Southern California's 40th Armored Division, during summer field training Aug. 10-24 at Camp Roberts, Calif.

New Cat Law Back to City For Adoption

The cat ordinance which aroused the monkey population of the city earlier this year, will be back before the city council Tuesday night. It still has the feature which stirred up the wrath of the chimps and monkeys of Torrance.

The new ordinance, an outgrowth of the public hearings in May which sampled the reaction of Torrance residents to a proposed law requiring licenses of cats is back without the licensing provision. It does limit the cat population of the city to three animals over the age of 10 weeks at any home or other place except pet stores.

Outlawed by the new law would be any member of a wild order of the cat family and any simian.

It's the simian angle that stirred up the chimps. Specifically outlawed by the proposed law are lions, tigers, panthers, jaguars, pumas, ocelots, bobcats, lynxes, and cheetahs.

Violators would be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to fines not exceeding \$500.

Reminder Given By Postmaster

A reminder that new postal rates have gone into effect as of Aug. 1 was issued yesterday by Postmaster Clara A. Conner of Torrance.

Postmaster Conner cautioned that regular first-class letters require 4 cent postage; an ounce, air mail letters 7 cents; an ounce, air mail postal cards 5 cents each, and regular postal cards 3 cents each.

Where mail users still have on hand supplies of 3 cent stamps, 2 cent postal cards, 4 cent air mail postal cards and 6 cent air mail stamps, they may be used by the addition of an ordinary 1-cent stamp.

Plenty of these are on hand at the local post office, plus large supplies of new 4 cent stamps, 7 cent air mail stamps, 5 cent air mail postal cards and 3 cent regular postal cards.

Stamped envelopes are also in good supply in the needed denominations of 4 cents for regular first-class letters and 7 cent air mail letters.



YOUNG REGAL COURT... King, Queen, and court to reign over the Riviera Hospital's first birthday party today are from left, Michael Gillespie, king; Pamela Tinker, princess; Coleen O'Brien, queen; Angela Martin, princess; and Kathleen Griffin, princess. The five tykes represent the 1961 babies born at the hospital during the first year. Today's party will be held in the courtyard beginning at 2 p.m.

VISITORS HIT SIGN

Anahid Yacoubian, 62, of Hollywood and her passenger, Anahid Harry Aramian, 63, of Pittsburg, Calif., were taken to Harbor General Hospital for treatment of minor injuries Friday morning after the auto carrying the couple veered from the roadway and struck the "Welcome to Torrance" sign at Western Ave. and Torrance Blvd.

School Bids Due Soon

Bids will be opened Aug. 8 for the new Lincoln Elementary School, 166th and Arlington Ave. with the contract expected to be awarded at the Aug. 19 board meeting.

All of the bids for the school were rejected last month due to a technicality. The school, which will serve northeast Torrance children, is slated to open late next spring.

New Cancer Book Ready

A new pamphlet discussing cancer quacks is now available without charge from the American Cancer Society's district information center at 428-B East Queen St., Inglewood.

This new informative brochure called "I have a Secret Cure for Cancer" lists a series of six comparisons of the methods used by quack practitioners with those of legitimate medical men.

It states that honest doctors do not offer secret cures and many lives are being lost because misguided, fearful patients go to quacks, wasting precious time and money as well as their lives.

It is hard for the laymen to recognize a quack when he sees one, it says—they often are neat, well-dressed, greet you with warmth.

Chairman for Drive Named

Mrs. Donald Jodrey of 5222 W. 115th, Los Angeles, Welfare Chairman of the Gamma Psi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International Sorority, will serve as MS March chairman in Torrance in the annual Multiple Sclerosis Hope Chest fund-raising drive this month.

Announcement of her appointment was made today by Mrs. Ruth Gelb, residential campaign chairman for MS in Southern California.

Mrs. Jodrey will head a contingent of local volunteers who will participate in the door-to-door residential campaign for MS contributions scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 19.

In accepting the appointment, Mrs. Jodrey said, "Multiple sclerosis is the greatest cause of chronic disability

among young adults. Its victims are consigned to a lifetime of progressive paralysis and helplessness because, as yet, the cause and cure of this devastating ailment are still unknown.

However, early diagnosis and medical and therapeutic treatments can control and alleviate some of the crippling symptoms of multiple sclerosis, Mrs. Jodrey added.

"Therefore, the more than 9000 multiple sclerosis patients in Southern California look to the MS chapter here for medical aid and for support of vital research into finding a cure for this insidious crippler.

"I am confident that our community will respond to the MS victims' desperate appeal for assistance," she stated.

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