

Jefferson School Opens November 10

The new Jefferson School, 3171 Tallman St., is expected to open Monday, Nov. 10, barring any last minute difficulties, according to school officials.

Some 491 pupils will be enrolled when the new school opens. This figure includes 331 students now attending classes at Meadow Park, 42 handicapped youngsters, 90 kindergartners at Calle Mayor School, and 28 partially-sighted children now at Perry School.

George Marich, formerly

principal at Madrona School for five years, will head the 21-member teaching staff at Jefferson.

Nearly all youngsters who make the move will be enrolled in the same class with the same teacher they started with in September. On the day before the move, youngsters will be transported to their new school by bus, bringing with them their books and individual supplies.

All Jefferson children will be within walking distance of the school, which will serve the

Gas Firms Advance Plan To Reduce Cost to Users

Approval of a plan which would produce "substantial dollar benefits" to ratepayers by reducing the costs of serving natural gas to the fast-growing population of Southern California is being sought here by three Southland gas companies.

In an opening statement before the California Public Utilities Commission in hearings on accelerated depreciation, legal counsel M. Ford Springer, speaking for Southern California Gas Co., Southern Counties Gas Co., and Pacific Lighting

shop and homemaking units, and a multipurpose building. Gas Supply Co., said:

"THE U. S. CONGRESS gave utilities, as well as all other taxpayers, the option to adopt one of the accelerated depreciation methods in computing federal income taxes. To implement this option our gas companies seek permission to use a normalization procedure. This procedure would give our customers the maximum practical dollar benefits. . . .

"Customers," Springer said, "would benefit from the gas utilities' lower costs of financ-

ing new plant. With a continually growing population to serve, such costs are an important factor in the gas utilities' rates. . . .

"ASSUMING NO changes in the tax laws," he continued, "our proposed normalization method would produce an estimated aggregate benefit to our gas customers exceeding \$200,000,000 over a single life cycle (which averages somewhat in excess of 30 years) of property additions at current levels of new investment. . . .

Scheduled to appear as witnesses in support of the gas companies' position are vice-president W. J. Herrman of the Southern California Gas Co.; J. Q. Abel, controller and treasurer of Southern Counties Gas Co.; and two outside ex-

pert witnesses.

DR. WILLARD J. Graham, consulting economist and accountant, and director of the executive program, School of Business Administration, Uni-

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versity of North Carolina, will analyze the economics of accelerated tax depreciation.

Washington, attorney and federal tax specialist David W. Richmond will cover the legislative history of the 1954 Revenue Code, pointing up the fact that the gas companies' position is in accord with the intent of Congress in passing the legislation.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide

According to the Stars

For a complete message for these days, read with corresponding horoscopes of your Zodiac birth sign.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR FELLOW CITIZENS

Dear Friends:

We ask you to consider Proposition 18—the so-called "right-to-work" law—carefully before you vote. We feel so strongly that this measure is against the public interest, that we have permitted our names to be used in opposition to its passage.

We urge you to vote "NO" on Proposition 18.

Thank you.

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Three Organizations Oppose So-Called "Right-To-Work" Laws Like Proposition 18

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American GI Forum of California
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California Civil Control
California State Employees Association
California State Federation of Labor
California State Federation of Teachers
California State Nurses Association
California Council on Working Life
District Federation of Los Angeles
Community Service Organization
Congressional Conference of So. Calif.
Council for Christian Social Action of
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"Right-To-Work" Schemes Rejected Time and Again by Voters

Among the powerful special-interest groups backing Proposition 18 are the so-called "ham-mongers" who spearhead every effort to get employer against employee, to set class against class... the same groups who opposed social security, paid vacations, minimum wage laws and other benefits to protect employees. They have backed repeated efforts to put over "right-to-work" schemes in California. The last time it appeared on the ballot, the people defeated it by more than half a million votes! And 23 other states have already repudiated or rejected such laws!

"Right-To-Work" Schemes Result in Lower Wages, Reduced Living Standards

Lower wages, reduced living standards, increased violence and labor-management disputes. That's the story in "right-to-work" states. That's why every enlightened employer, every responsible leader and group in the community backs Proposition 18. They fear that the irresponsible, self-seeking forces behind this scheme may succeed in misleading and confusing the public into enacting this dangerous legislation—thereby voting away the very industrial peace and harmony that have given California the highest per-capita income in the nation.

*The Republican Party of California has refused to endorse Proposition 18. And both the Republican and Democratic parties of California support the action step, which would be supported by Proposition 18.

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