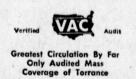
Open Exams for Chiefs Flayed

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Back-to-School Values Listed (Pages 17-25)

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IT FLEES HOLDUP SCENE

A Penny for your Thoughts

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Nine more months of class room activity are just arund the corner for Torrance youths and the Pennies Photographer asked five area students, "Are you happy about going back to chool?

Ave.: "In a way 1 am looking foram looking for-ward to going back to school. I miss playing with some of my friends and I like arithme-tic and Eng-lish. So far I have not been bored with sum-mer and I am not real happy about going back."

about going back."



mer. I like English in school but I do not miss it in the summer.

Rd.

"No. I do not want to go back to school because I do not like it. It is not fun, the work is too hard. I would rather spend

my friends in school.



Leaders Yell

Paul Provins, 23310 Evelyn Who Train Your Child

Marsha Johnson, Inglewood: "I look for-ward to going back to school. It is fun find-it is fun find-



Steve Price, 4804 MacAfee

my time swim-ming like I do in the summer, although I like playing with

Trial for Ralph E... Walker, Torrance police sergeant Torrance police sergeant medical office, has been sched-uled for Oct. 23 in the Ingle-wood Superior Court. Trial was ordered Monday

A recommendation that ordinances governing selection of chiefs for the city's fire and police departments be. changed to throw the examinations open to all comers was jumped on immediately this week by top ranking members of the two departments. The People

What kind of staff is needed

to help educate the average

A quick run down of the em-

ployment lists of the Torrance Unified School District shows

• 653 elementary school

• 11 music teachers;

Trial Ordered

For Sergeant

Trial for Ralph E. Walker,

officers, and;

each month.

child in Torrance?

the following:

teachers:

Police, Fire

The report, offered to the City Council Tuesday night by its police and fire committee, proposed that the rules be changed to permit applications from the first three ranks of the local departments and to men above the rank of lieutenmen above the rank of heuten-ant in any California city with a population of 80,000 or more. Chief Engineer J. J. Benner of the Torrance Fire Department protested the suggestion on the spot.

"IF THESE changes are made, I have wasted my time," he told councilmen. Benner in-dicated that the years he had

spent training personnel would be wasted if these men were not used as the core from which to select a new chief officer. • 351 high school teachers; · 20 shop and homemaking Benner has announced his re teachers in elementary schools; tirement from the city after • 29 special education teachthis year.

this year. At the same time, top eche-lon officers of the Torrance Police Department, who are looking ahead to a chance at ers to handle programs for handicapped children; • 40 auxiliary personnel, in cluding nurses and doctors; becoming the chief when Percy G. Bennett reaches retirement status, blasted the open exam-• 80 administrators-princiination recommendation. pals, counselors, and district

"WHAT DO THEY think this • 700 clerks, custodians, cafedoes for morale if members of the department can't look teria workers, and librarians. What does it cost? The disahead to promotion?" Capt. John Maestri asked. Assistant Chief M. H. Porter trict payroll exceeds \$1,000,000

expressed a similar reaction. One officer, commenting on the suggestion that examinations be opened to other California citizens, had a suggestion of his own: "Maybe we should go

these other cities for our coun-cilmen, too." NOT ALL REACTION was



EXAMINE AGREEMENT.... Four of the men who negotiated the agreement between Torrance and the Congress of Racial Equality are shown examining the agreement prior to going to court to dismiss proceedings against demonstrators arrested at the South-wood Riviera Royale tract. Shown are Charles F. Catterlin, Torrance City prosecutor; A. L. Wirin, an attorney for CORE; Mayor Albert Isen; and Kenneth Thomas, another CORE attorney and principal spokesman for the demonstrators. (Heraid Photo)

Picketing Agreement Not an prosecution of 234 demonstrations at the South and South Contract and South Con

Robber Runs From Market With Money

A dapper gunman who commented on the weather and asked for a pack of cigarettes suddenly turned on Patricia Campisi at the Campisi Liquor Store, 3614 Pacific Coast Hwy., Tuesday evening, fleeing with \$60 instead of everal hundred dollars he apparently expected.

several hundred dollars he at Mrs. Campisi said the man, whom she described as hand-some and about 45 years of age, enter the store and re-marked "nice evening, isn't it!" He asked her for a package of cigarettes and as she moved down the counter, he suddenly displayed a large caliber blue steel automatic revolver and pointed it at her teel automatic pointed it at her.

"GIVE ME ALL the twenties," he commanded. "Hurry up," she was told. As Mrs. Campisi was getting the money from the register, she was told to get all the bills "and no change."

Thinking she might have been stalling, he yelled "Get it, get it." . . .

THE VICTIM said the gun-man took the bills from the till and put them in his trouser pocket and then asked about "the twenties." He asked if the bills were kept in the back, then, poking the gun into her stomach, or-dered her to "start walking" to the rear of the store. The victim's husband, Harry.

Market Fire Loss Heavy Flames swept through the Farmer's Outlet market at Car-son Street and Wilmington son Street and Wilmington Ave. early Tuesday evening, causing damage that may run as high as \$100,000.

Carson Area

The fire was controlled by six engine companies from the County Fire Department. It was reported at 7:45 p.m., after clerks had tried unsuccessfully to put out the flames with hand extinguishers.

And extinguishers. One fireman was taken to Little Company of Mary Hos-pital after he fell while swing-ing a fireman's axe. The in-jured fireman, who was not identified, fell and drove the axe into his right leg, breaking the bone.

1. 12.5	Kathy Peterson, Inglewood:	medical office, has been sched-	junctive relief if it is violated	
62 1030		uled for Oct. 23 in the Ingle- NOT ALL REACTION was permitted one day each wee	Neither side would call the	For Downtown Merchants
12 1919	summer is bor-	wood Superior Court. Trial was ordered Monday broadening the examination agreement.	l'agreement a victory, prefer	
10 13.2	do not want to	agreement.	ring instead to call it a com	City councilmon approved to The Council hold the property of the
. 1.	a go back to	to the charges in Inglewood asked not to be identified said solutions and mass demonstra	tives repeated their position in	changes in the downtown park- tests were not sufficient to cil:
	school because	The sergeant, one of three an open examination "would construct the series of the seri	tives repeated their position is	o ing district and adopted an or forestall proceedings and • Approved a tract map for
		poried is control of the work of the log that total been dismissed. Written stipu	- criminated in the sale of	
100	concentrate			after a lengthy hearing Tues- ordinance on a 6-1 vote. Coun- Boulevard;
100	like spending	a medical office at 12509 Kent St. on July 18. Charles Oates, president of (Continued on Page 2)	 Becontracting and a sub-standard provider states and states 	came after the approval cilman Victor Benstead cast • Awarded contracts for the
0.00	my time at the		Lucky Family	protests filed by some property the dissenting vote.
	beach, but I do like to go back		Seeks Identity	owners in the area on the
100	and see the friends I have	City Schools Expect		Brounds that there were not a same or warth on fa-
	* * *	City Schools Expect	Of Heroes	
	Mike Provins, 23310 Evelyn		Three youngsters whose alertness saved a family	A hearing on the district was the city limits was annexed continued from July 30 to per-after a brief public hearing. The area included to the provement of Redondo Beach
	Ave.:	1. M. M. M. 000 TO	from a fire last Saturday	
1.00	"It is sort of fun to go back	31,000 Next Month	morning are being sought	prosed changes to be maned to taurants and other businesses . Approved a losse of addi
8 856	to school be-	UL,000 INCAL MUILII	this week by the family.	property owners in the district. Ion the highway.
0.0259	cause I like		The Thomas Coleman Jr.	The new land acquisition The Council also set the city flower Trailer;
6. 6897	American 📥 🗨 🙀	Nearly 31,000 children in tary school students must re- In addition to the regula	family was awakened early Saturday morning by three	program will incude four lots tax rate for fiscal year 1964 • Approved the right of way on Sartori Avenue and two lots after restoring \$20,800 to the for the realignment of Del Amo
3. KOG	history and arithmetic. Of	Torrance are expected back in port to their first classes at day-time classes, nearly 2,800 adults are expected to registe	boys on their way to fish in	on Post Avenue. The changes budget for Chamber of Com. Bouleverd at Cronshaw Poula
10 6.0	course I al-	open for the fall term on Sept.	Redondo Beach. The quick	were made to provide more imerce activities. Mayor 'sen lyard, and
11. 1913	ways look for-	11. The figure represents an PREREGISTRATION activity * * *	action by the trio averted	parking in the main downtown noted that the Torrance tay . Formalized the agreement
163	ward to school	increase of nearly 7.5 per cent ties in the schools begins Tues- NO NEW SCHOOLS will be	possibile deaths in the blaze	areas. They will reduce the rate has remained stationary between the city and CO'E cost of the district by about over a three-year period The which was negotiated by 1.9
	coming around and I wish there was more summer than		that destroyed a garage and two vehicles at 3222 El Dor-	50,000, but eight parking rate is \$1.238 per \$100 of City Attorney and CORE repre-
	school."	In addition to the children, not otherwise registered for Wood Calls Mayor Came	ado St.	assessed valuation. Isentatives last weekend.
12.2		Leve new reachers will report classes should report to their Arlington elementary schools	One of the have summand	
17 1963	HERALD	early in order to begin prepar- school between 9 am and The South High School aut	the fire department and an	NEIL CAMPBELL, of the Torrance Credit Bureau Assn., In The Herald Today
3. 1989	PHONE NUMBERS	ations for the new year. Forty- seven of the new teachers have next week.	hath sides of the humber	called the district a gerryman.
1. 1. 19		been added to the staff be- Enrollment estimates which Flamentary building her had	home The third would	dered area. Campbell question- AFTER HOURS
1 Array	NEWS FA 8-4000	Cause of the growth in the dis- are based on anticipated enroll, completed The old building	helped evenueto the Colomon	ed the need for additional park-1 AMUSEMENTS 40-41 LEGAL NOTICES
C. Car	SOCIETY FA 8-5164 CLASSIFIED FA 8-4000	funct. All teachers will report ment on Oct. 1, predict 23 077 will house freehmen and control	family.	Ing in the downlown area, and BOOKS BOOKS 32 REG MANNING 32 REG MA
1.1.1	(Ask for Ad-Taker)	to their assigned schools two elementary school students will mores at Torrance High days early for orientation ses-	All three disappeared be-	in the area should provide off. CONICS CONIC
	COMPAREMENTS AND	Sions. 7,739 high school students are Terter athletic field are reader	The Colomon forth 1	street parking for their cus- DEATHS 13 OBITUARIES 2
	For Home Delivery Phone FAirfax 8-4000	fight schools in the district anticipated and 165 special and completion of the short-	acked for bit is it	tomers at their own expense. EDITORIALS 32 SOCIETY 22 1
	Line Chinax 84000	will begin classes on wednes- education students are expect- education facilities at Torrance	their trio of heroes.	wason Adams, a property WILLIAM HOGAN 32 STAR CAZER 33
		day, Sept. 11, at 8 a.m. Elemen- ed at Colmubia School. High is expected Oct. 15.	hatomatical arrange and the second second	the district was unnecessary.