Three Men Burned in Flash Fire

Your Complete Community Newspaper Every Sunday and Thursday



* *

Torrance Herald

Wish of Majority Loses Again (Editorial, Page 4)

10c Per Copy

16 PAGES

Serving Greater Torrance — Capital City of the Great Southwest OFFICE AND PLANT, 1619 GRAMERCY AVE. - - TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1963

A Penny for your Thoughts

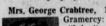
SOth Year - No. 88

The Pennies inquirer asked persons what they think about the switch "back to standard

. . . Mrs. Fred Flemming, 1011 Faysmith: "I don't like

it and my fam-ily doesn't like it either. The 50 day goes so fast and the evening seems so short. We much prefer daylight saving time. I don't like for it to be dark at 5 o'clock"







Three members of a Los Angeles city street crew were injured, one critically, when a sheet of flame flashed across the area at Plaza Del Amo and Western Avenue where they were working Friday afternoon. Refinery

Street Crew

Hurt When

Gas Flares

Explosion **Rips** Area

"I don't like t. I prefer daylight sav-ing time be-cause 1 like the additional daylight and it gives the chil-dren, time to g o o ut a nd play when they get home from weeks of the time change my husband doesn't like driving home from work in the dark but he gets used to it." Mrs. George Crabtree, 1753

Taken to the hospital with burns were Adolphus H. Alcorn, 54, of Compton, whose condition was described Sat urday as critical; Abraham Creighton, 39, of Los Angeles, described as serious; and

Henry L. Greenwood, 53, Los Angeles, who received minor injuries. Investigators indicated that

a melting torch used to soften a sph alt so it could be smoothed may have touched off gas seeping from an under-ground pipeline. The trio had been working near the intersection where tracks of the Southern Pacific rail line cross when the blast injured them. A track crew was working on the railroad

was working on the railroad nearby, police reports show.

 dark at 5 oʻclock."
Mrs. Robert D. Sullivan, 445 Calle Mayor:
Talike tha sinshine but ranshine but rational base at the refinery on 190th Street sunshine but rational base at the refinery on 190th Street sunshine but rational base at the refinery's catalytic the sunshine but rational base at the refinery's catalytic the sunshine but rational base at the refinery's catalytic the base of the tower. The company's fire brigade and city firemens base of the tower. The company's fire brigade and city firemens base of the tower. The company's fire brigade and city firemens base of the tower. The company's base of the tower control.
Mrs. Joseph Dock, 4407 Wz 234th Pl.:
"I don't like fire an ily really hash's commented on the time to arguing the tower catled. The explosion occurred at the fire fire y. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery at the base of the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery are a closed door hearing in Los Angeles Thursy at the base of the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery and the store general's office. Announcement of the base of the firsfirery. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery at the store general's office. Announcement of the base of the firsfirery. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery. It knocked out the firefirery at the store foremer atore the store foremer at the store firefirery. It knocked out Police Chief Percy G. Ben-nett has been subpoenaed to appear before a closed door hearing in Los Angeles Thurs-day, it was reported Friday by the attorney general's office. Announcement of the hear-ing came after Bennett met in Los Angeles with Jack Goert-zen, deputy attorney general. The hearing has been called to "get things on the record," ac-



FATE OF MAN . . . Sculptor Paul Salzburg shows Larry Macaray, El Camino instructor and Herald columnist, his nearly finished "The Sword of Damocles." Macaray visited the Greenwood Avenue home of sculptor Salzburg to view his latest works and to meet an outstanding craftsman. For details of his visit, see Macaray's "Let's Go" column today on Page 3. (Herald Photo)

Homeowners Plan to **Change City's Image**

A campaign to "Boost Tor-rance" will be the theme of a evening that his group was in-airport, told Uerkwitz there

Six Nabbed In Riviera **Beach Home**

Six business and professional men playing cards in a Torrance home overlooking the beach were arrested early yesterday by vice squad officers of the Torrance Police Department and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office. Officers acted on a tip that a poker game was in

session at 501 Paseo de la Playa atop the bluff overlook-ing Torrance Beach, according to reports prepared by the A bank of \$550, cards, and

raiding officers. Booked at Torrance jail on chips were confiscated by po-lice as evidence. misdemeanor gambling

Joseph Goott, 39, a builder at whose home the game was being held; Paul Pinya Shopper, 58, 236 Palos Verdes Blvd., owner of a bootery:

a bootery; Gilbert Sanders Sr., 61, 1707 Steinhart, Redondo Beach, a City councilmen will be

<text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text>

are no jets at the airport now, "but eventually you'll get jets." Both meetings will begin at 8 p.m.

In Carson Area **Petitions Submitted to**

