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TWO NEW COUNCILMEN NAMED

Local Court Complex Near Starting Day

Plans and specifications for the five-story Superior Courts Building to be built on the Torrance Civic Center were approved by the Board of Supervisors Tuesday.

The plans have been sent to the County Board of Retirement, which is financing the project, for approval and advertising for bids. Estimated cost of the project is nearly \$3.9 million.

YMCA Army Poised for Big Assault

More than 600 volunteers have been recruited for the YMCA building fund drive, according to George W. Post, general campaign chairman. Post said about 160 more volunteers are needed to meet the 761 quota.

The kick-off banquet for the campaign, which seeks to raise \$570,000 for construction of new YMCA facilities, will be held next Thursday at the Space Technology Laboratory cafeteria.

The army of 761 men and women will be visiting friends and neighbors to seek pledges payable over a three-year period. The volunteers will play a significant role in efforts to make a success of the city's largest drive for capital funds.

Post said the April 23 gathering will be the largest fund-raising group in the history of Torrance and Lomita. The program is based on a mock political convention.

Campaigners who have already volunteered for work will receive invitations, said Post. He invited other citizens to call the YMCA office at FA 8-3410 for an invitation and an opportunity to help build the much-needed "Y" facility.

The new building will be located on Sepulveda Boulevard west of Maple Avenue and includes more than 11,000 square feet of meeting rooms, recreation facilities, and outdoor games and meeting areas.

Supervisor Kenneth Hahn said the building will provide space for 12 superior court departments and other court facilities. It will be built at 825 Maple Avenue, on land donated to the county by the city.

Facilities to be included in the structure in addition to the courts are offices for the county clerk, public defender, district attorney, and the sheriff's civil division. A law library also is planned.

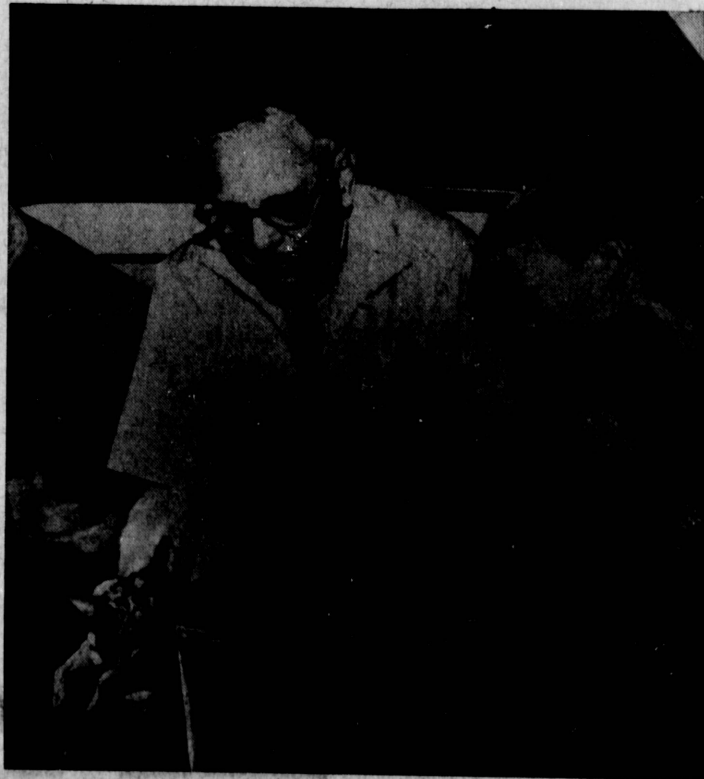
The facility has been designated the Southwest District Superior Courts Building. It will be an addition to facilities in this area and is not intended to replace present facilities in Inglewood.

Architects Reveal Plan For Campus

Initial construction on the campus of the California State College at Palos Verdes will consist of one-story modern buildings which will eventually form a small liberal arts college within the large state college campus.

Buildings plans were revealed by the architects, Jones and Emmons A.I.A., recently in their West Los Angeles offices. The college will open in the fall of 1965 with an initial enrollment of 400 freshmen and juniors. The following year, all four classes will be represented.

Opening of the new college will mark the first time a col-



WHERE'S THE DOCTOR... Dr. Howard A. Wood, on his way to Anza School early Tuesday morning to give a number of children routine physicals, heard a cat in the back of his car. He pulled to the side of the road and checked the back seat to find not one, but four cats. It seems the black cat had given birth to a litter of three kittens in the doctor's car. Here, Stephen Davison, who was enrolling for school at Anza, and the doctor take a look at the newest Torrance residents. (Herald Photo)

No Double Sessions

Board Sets Guideline On Boundary Change

Steps to prevent double sessions at Victor School were taken by the Board of Education Monday evening after a long, and sometimes wandering, discussion on school boundaries for next year.

A second trouble spot, Madrona School, will be studied by the Special Services division and a report submitted to the trustees at next week's meeting.

The trustees also adopted a

series of preliminary boundary changes for the opening of the new Joseph Arnold School, located at 227th Street and Ocean Avenue. Actual boundaries, however, will not be drawn until sometime during the summer months, Dr. Louis Kaplan, assistant superintendent for special services, told The HERALD at the close of Monday's meeting.

The Calle Mayor and Meadow Park boundary will be straightened so children living west of Anza Avenue will attend Calle Mayor School.

Victor School, the major trouble spot at the present time, will get two mobile classrooms. Temporary boundary changes on the south extreme of the Victor area will send about 100 youngsters to Anza School, and a temporary change on the north end will send some 60 or 70 more students to Flavian School.

BOARD MEMBERS asked that action on the Madrona boundary be deferred until a study of the basic skills classes at that school is completed. A new development in the area will create overcrowding unless the basic skills classes are moved or new students are bussed to north Torrance.

Dr. Kaplan told board members the temporary changes at Victor School would "give us about a year's time to build." There apparently is little doubt that new classrooms will have to be built at the school.

S. E. Waldrip, assistant superintendent for business, said the district may get a slight increase in bonding capacity in June. Officials estimate about \$300,000 will be needed to build needed facilities at the Victor and Madrona Schools.

Board members emphasized no specific boundary changes were involved Monday. "These are guidelines," said one member. Dr. Kaplan said boundaries would actually be drawn in the summer when enrollment predictions are more accurate.

Olson Leads Ballot With 7,408 Votes

An industrial plant executive, a newcomer to city politics, led the way at the polls Tuesday as voters re-elected one councilman and turned away two others seeking election to posts they had held for a combined 28-year period.

H. T. (Ted) Olson, making his first bid for election

as a City Council member, led all contenders for one of the three seats at stake. He polled 7,408 votes to lead the second place George Vico by more than 2,400 votes. Attorney David K. Lyman won the third spot on the Council.

the salary at \$750 was approved by a substantial margin. The final unofficial vote was 11,120 Yes, 4,872 No. The change cannot become effective until 1966.

TURNED AWAY by the voters Tuesday were Councilman Nick Drale, who served since 1948; and Councilman Victor E. Benstead, a member of the Council since 1952.

Olson, Vico, and Lyman will join Mayor Albert Isen and Councilmen J. A. Beasley, Ken Miller, and Ross A. Sciarrotta Sr. to make up the new ruling body beginning next week. The new councilmen will be seated next Tuesday after a canvass of the voting.

Attorney John Barton, seeking election for the third time, placed fourth in the balloting for the third time, missing election this year by more than 600 votes — his widest margin of defeat.

NEARLY 40 per cent of the city's 43,748 eligible voters cast ballots Tuesday, according to City Clerk Vernon W. Coil. Most observers tabbed the 17,372 turnout "about normal."

Not normal was the way Olson ran away with the voting from the earliest reports. By the time five of the city's 98 precincts had been reported, Olson had taken a lead that was never threatened. His vote margin was the widest in a council race in the city's history, and has been exceeded only by balloting for mayor, and for minor offices such as city clerk and city treasurer.

THE TOTAL votes cast for Olson have exceeded only five times in the city's history: twice in balloting for city treasurer, twice in the mayor's race, and once in the city clerk's contest. No councilman has ever drawn a larger vote.

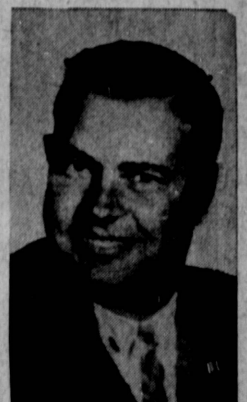
In the only other ballot measure, a proposal to spell out the duties of the city clerk, make the office a full-time responsibility, and set



H. T. OLSON



GEORGE VICO



DAVID K. LYMAN

Final Returns

98 Precincts of 98 (Three Elected)

Olson	7,408
Vico	4,983
Lyman	4,925
Barton	4,296
Drale	4,069
Peterson	3,695
Mulvihill	3,327
Benstead	3,096
Blount	2,494
Forsythe	2,386
Phillips	2,324
Bisou	1,696
Silverman	1,219
Faren	947
Haizlip	905
Moore	727
Mondati	704
Fuscardo	644
Charter amendment—	
Yes	11,120
No	4,872

Jaycees Elect Officers Tonight

Torrance's Junior Chamber of Commerce will name 13 new officers at a dinner meeting tonight. Offices to be filled include president, two vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, state director, and seven directors.

A Penny for your Thoughts

At a recent installation luncheon of the Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, the Pennies photographer asked several members, "What are some of the reasons for your service to the hospital?"

Mrs. William Crooker, Palos Verdes Estates: "It isn't so much the personal touch in it, as it is doing something for the community and the hospital. I do it for the betterment of the community and the rewards for the time I spend are many."

Mrs. Leon Warne, 2802 Onrado St.: "I serve just for the betterment of the community. It makes you feel good to go down there and work. We do not work with patients but with their families and if you can give them some hope and encouragement, it makes you feel good."

Mrs. Robert Sleeth, 23251 Los Codona: "I feel that I am donating my time to a worthwhile cause, and the Torrance Hospital Auxiliary is certainly one of the most worthwhile. You cannot really put it into words as to why we do it, it is an intangible thing."

Mrs. G. J. Derouin, 1625 Beech St.: "I think it is something well worthwhile. It is an asset to the community and to the hospital. I enjoy working with the patients and their families. As a reward, well it's just a very good feeling."

Mrs. Don Hyde, 1537 El Prado: "There are so many, many rewards, it is hard to say which is the greatest. I've always devoted my time to philanthropic work rather than social club work. I feel there is a need for people to give and it's the way a person finds inner happiness."

Judges to Select a New Miss Torrance Tomorrow

Nineteen young ladies will compete tomorrow evening for the title of Miss Torrance of 1964. The judging will get under way at 7 o'clock in the Recreation Center at the civic center.

Mayor Albert Isen will present the winner with her trophy. Two runners-up will get trophies and the title of princess. The Torrance Area Youth Band will provide music for the evening.

Contestants will wear semi-formal dresses for the judging. They will be judged on overall attractiveness, poise, speech, and charm. Flavio Bisignano, chairman of the sponsoring Chamber of Commerce Committee, said the judges will be looking for a girl who, in their opinion, best represents the city.

MEMBERS OF the Jayceettes, the Junior Chamber of Commerce auxiliary, will serve as

official hostesses, while members of the Junior Chamber will perform the duties of ushers.

Judges for the contest include Councilman Ken Miller; Hedley P. Atherton Jr., representing the Chamber of Commerce; Jaycee President Harold Smith; Carol Crawford, from the John Robert Powers

modeling school; William Johnson, an El Camino professor; Louis Goldbaum, a Los Angeles makeup artist and hair stylist; and Mrs. Jacqueline Smalley of Chapel Theatre.

Bisignano will be master of ceremonies and Chamber President George W. Post will introduce guests. Admission to the center is free.

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