

THERE SHE GOES !!- Being rooted out to make place for new modern mercury vapor luminous street light in front of Payless Drug Co. on Sartori avenue in downtown Torrance is this old conventional type light standard. The first of the new lights will be installed today. ---Press Photo. -Press Photo.

NEW STREET LIGHTS INSTALLED THIS WEEK

Installation started this week on some of the 20 new powerful mercury vapor street lights to Illuminate the downtown shopping area of Torrance, according to City Manager George Stevens.

Eight of the 20,000-lumen lights are to be placed along Sartori avenue and El Prado by &

city crews. The old conventional type light standards were removed from the streets Sunday to make way for the new lights. The necessary funds for the

installation of the new modern lights were contributed through the cooperation of property owners in the area where the new lights will be installed, and turned over to George Stevens. Cost of the entire project is \$5029.19.

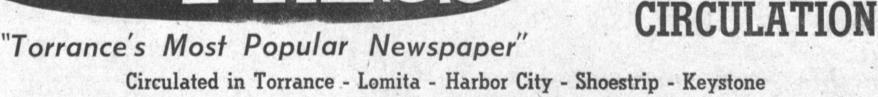
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Government and Civic Workers Organizing Committee Local this week that the local has dwelling uni tpermits issued dur-

received a new charter from the ing October, 1949. of Industrial Org

Action Asked on Jackson School Board Post





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COUNCIL PROMISES TO PASS NEW MARBLE GAME B

Churches, **Parents Ask Quick Action**

The City Council is studying three ordinances found valid in other communities by which marble games may be effectively banned in Torrance, and action on one of them will be taken at the next meeting of the Council, Mayor Bob Haggard announced Tuesday night.

pinball game ban ordin ance adopted several weeks ago

Building in in Torrance, and the request of church and Parent - Teacher groups backed by the Press, was found invalid by City Judge Otto Willett during the prosecution of a case which resulted from an arrest under the ordinance. Willett said the ordinance is "too Eight letters from ministers

SECOND YEAR

\$10,000,000 broad." Maintaining an average pace on file with the City Council Manager George Stevens invesof \$1,000,000 a month, the build- Tuesday night asking for imme- tigate the installation of a needing permits as, of the end of diate action banning the games. ed emergency ambulance service October in Torrance pushed the year's total to \$10,403,119. Last year's total for the same period was \$6,012,665.

Permits issued during October of this year amounted to \$995,of the gambling interests. 340. Last year's October total HOLD OFF was \$1,443,270.

City Hits

Meanwhile, Included in this past month's marble game operators who bulance service. 1135, which represents all Tor- total were permits for 120 dwell- place the games in bars, liquor

Out-of-Town Ambulances to Be Used Here Despite the request by Coun-

and Parent-Teacher groups were cilman George Powell that City Among the ordinances being in Torrance to be run by the considered, according to City At- Fire Department, the City Countorney C. Douglass Smith, is the cil approved at the meeting last Long Beach law which bans the Tuesday night, Stevens' recommarble games from that city and mendation that Torrance depend which have withstood the attacks on the South Bay ambulance Service in Redondo Beach and Jacobs Ambulance Service in the out-of-town Gardena for its emergency am-

Steel Mill Stevens said that the territory rance City employees, announced in gunits, as compared with 73 stores and restaurants, have north of Torrance boulevard with-held from moving their would be handled by the Jacobs Workers on V games back into the city, appar- Ambulance Service in Gardena, and that, south of Torrance boulevard, by the South Bay Ambulance Service in Redondo Beach. Long Beach Service Successful At the present time, however, an emergency ambulance service, under the supervision of Fire Chief Frank S. Sandeman, is Steel Company's Torrance mills being run very satisfactorily in was ended last Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. when the 350 the city of Long Beach. Operated by twelve specially idle workers returned to their detailed firemen, the service job. there, according to Jean Head, The walkout, which began Ocsecretary to Fire Chief Sande- tober 24, was due to the fourman, is continually receiving let- day suspension of one man, which ters of commendation for its fine a company spokesman said was emergency service. Three ambu- suspended for "persisting in a lances, strategically located, are slowdown which has continued since Sept. 5." in service there. The shutdown began late af-



LOOKS MIGHTY NICE! They're saying that at the market planned for them. about the plans for the new Kettler and Wilsey Incorp. shopping center development ground breaking at 234th and Western in Torrance last Monday, Owners of the Bixby Knolls Market, City Engineer, Jerry LeLacheur, John Johnson, L. M. LeLacheur and John Johnson, are looking and L. M. LeLacheur.

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No. 29

J. E. Kettler, City Manager George Stevens, John Harvey, engineer, John Patrick, Asst. to

Standing, left to right, are: P. I. Wilsey,

ler, one of the parade chair-Press photo.

were making every effort to "get

ration in Torrance is:

Democratic, 6504.

Republican, 2939.

Prohibition, 8.

Bartlett said that the regis

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Vote,

out the vote.'

I.P.P., 34,

And

men on the bi-partisan Warren for Governor Committee. The parade, which will include old cars, floats, a Dixie-land band, a clown and all features of an old-time election campaign, will wand its way through down-town Torrance at about noon Monday, instead of in the evening, it was announced. Members of Kiwanis, Lions, Rotary and Optimist clubs, as well

MEMBER NOT

AN ELECTOR

Demands that the Board of

Education either fill the vacancy caused by the

member, will be placed before the Board at its next meetings the Press learned this week. Charges were voiced that the

Board had no right to delay ac-tion on the resignation or Jackson for 90 days. Such action took place on October 10.

Jackson's letter of resignation

was dated September 27, 1950. It is contended that Jackson's office became vacated immediately after he left Torrance and California to take employment

Having sold his residence, it is claimed that upon his departure. or not later than 30 days thereafter, he ceased to be an elector of Torrance Unified School Dis-

The City Charter provides that

when a member of the Board of

Education ceases to be an elector of the School District, his office

shall become vacant, "and shall be so declared by the Board of

of a Board member for 60 days,

provided he continues to be an

elector of the district, but within

the next 30 days must appoint

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Parade by

Warrenites

"Get out and vote" will be one of the themes of the old-

fashioned, pre-election parade

to be staged Monday in Tor-

rance, according to Dick Mil-

NO LONGER ELECTOR It is pointed out that the Board can delay action on a resignation

Election

in another state.

trict.

Education.

from the city of A. L. Ja board member, or cause an election to be called to pick a

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elected officers.

merly eleven international unions ex- Senness Corporation. pelled by CIO during the past two years for alleged Communist domination.

Following the expulsion, Torrance city workers voted to disaffiliate from UPW and to apply to CIO for a new charter.

New officers are Sherman Miller, president; Lester Clounch, vice-president: C. R. Barton. financial secretary-treasurer; and Glenn Kirkuff, recording secreary. In addition, five executiveboard members-at-large were elected.

The workers have been assisted ernment and Civic Workers Organizing campaign in the Los Angeles area.

Senate Takes **Stand Against Proposition** 1

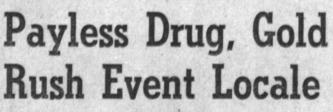
Condemning Proposition 1 as "an unfair and unwise measure on the people of the State under dous give-away event may be has gone on record as favoring the spurious guise of offering obtained with every visit to the Proposition 10. tax relief," the State Senate recently passed Resolution 24 urg- Shop, 1274 Sartori avenue; Allen housing beurocrats now have to ing a "No" vote on Proposition Jewelers, 1321 Sartori avenue; spend millions and gives that

City Manager George Stevens Sartori avenue; Bakers Furni- the control belongs. and Unified School Superinten- ture, 1512 Cravens. dent J. H. Hull have both em-

Among the dwelling unit per- ently awaiting the attitude of tions in Washington and has mits for October are a 71 house the City Council. tract being developed by Tor-Councilman Willys Blount, in-

Torrance City employees for- rance Gardens, and a tract of 34 terviewed by the Press, said "I were represented by the houses in Pacific Hills near Wal- will take the same stand as I United Public Workers, one of teria being developed by the did before," recalling that he (Continued on Page Two)

\$300 Prize Tomorrow Nite



\$300 will be given away at 7:00 p.m. tomorrow night to some lucky winner in front of Payless Drug Co., 1269 Sartori avenue, at the Gold Rush Days event.

If the \$300 winner is not present, the money will be given in by Sherman Dalrymple, CIO rep-resentative in charge of the Gov-

from the usual procedure, as Kales Children Shop, 1321 El number will be called until the Prado; Lawson's Jewelers, 1317 \$300 have been given away to El Prado. three separate winners.

Gold Rush days.

Sam Levy Department Store, Sponsored by Torrance mer- 1311 Sartori avenue; National chants, \$1000 will be given away each Friday night during the Home Appliance, 1267 Sartori (Continued on Page Two)

eight more weeks remaining of Tickets for Gold Rush days are Torrance-Lomita available, free of charge, at the stores of leading Torrance merchants, announced Paul Diamond, Favors Prop. 10 chairman of Gold Rush days. Tickets for those wishing to

The Board of Directors of the which would only work hardship take advantage of this stupen. Torrance-Lomita Realty Board

> following stores: A-1 Photo, 1312 This proposition takes away Sartori avenue; Adams Dress the "Blank check" which the Almond Department Store, 1261 check back to the people-where

No matter how adroitly oppo-Bernard's Family Shoe Store, nents of Proposition 10 dodge phatically stated that the pass- 1319 Sartori, avenue; Frank's the facts, the facts are these: If age of Proposition 1 would cut Furniture, 1334 El Prado; Gary's a public housing project is NOT down school and city funds, caus- Jewelers, 1322 Sartori avenue; needed and not WANTED, the (Continued on Page Five) Gay Shop, 1319 Sartori avenue; (Continued on Page Two)

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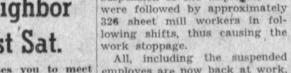
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Shown below are the plans for the Kettler and Wilsey Incorporated shopping center development at 234th and Western avenues in Torrance. As seen on the extreme right is the planned super market for L. M. LeLacheur and John Johnson of the Bixby Knolls Market. Five other stores, as seen in the diagram, are planned in this full block of business section



Come to the **Good Neighbor** Breakfast Sat.



Torrance invites you to meet your neighbor Saturday morning, November 4; at the 2nd Annual

Good Neighbor Breakfast, sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. in the Civic auditorium. Breakfast, served by boys and Party Planned girls from the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y Clubs of Torrance High School, will be from 6:30 a.m. until 11:00 By Lions Club

Elaine Rehwoldt, elected Good | Torrance Lions Club again this Neighbor Queen by Torrance year will sponsor the annual High School Hi-Y clubs, Betty Christmas Childrens'P arty in Klem, and Marian McDonald will the Civic auditorium, President act as official hostesses to the Al Ewalt announced this week. 1500 to 2000 people expected at The affair, the fifth staged by (Continued on Page Three) (Continued on Page Two)

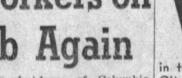
New Shopping Center Western Avenue On

Construction began this week, ing to Wilsey, wil be space for on the shopping center develop- five other stores, one 28 by 60 ment by Kettler and Wilsey, In- ft., planned for a drug store, and avenues, facing Western, in Tor- four 18 by 40 ft. stores. There will be 12,000 square feet in the rance.

Going into a 7,000 square foot complete building, with spacious super food market is L. M. Le- rear and side parking. The market is expected to be Lacheur and John Johnson, own-

ers of the Bixby Knolls Market completed by January 15, 1951, in another area. The market will and will be open for business by have a 90 foot frontage and a February 1, said Kettler. He also modern redwood and plate glass stated that the other store buildings are expected to be completfront.

In the same building, accord- ed about the same time.



The shutdown of Columbia City Clerk A. H. Bartlett. It is anticipated that the vote in Torrance may run from 50 per cent to 60 per cent, and both major parties this week

Polling Places

Of Torrance Area Listed

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ternoon October 24, when 26 POLLING PLACES Polling places of the City of Torrance, Lomita, Keystone and Torrance, Lomita, Keystone and Get Out workers in the primary breakdown mill walked out with the suspension of the employee, and other nearby areas will be open Those in doubt as to where to vote should call the City Clerk's office, TOrrance 627, or the Reg-

istrar of Voters, MUtual 9211. employes are now back at work. Information as to the outcome

Says Brown of the election will be available at the Press office, TOrrance In his informal talk to Tor 1185, from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. rance workers last Thursday Following is the list of polling places in the Greater Torrance afternoon at the CIO Union hall Area: on Border avenue, Edmund G.

TORRANCE CITY (Pat) Brown, district attorney of San Francisco and Democratic 1-2250 W. 182nd St., resicandidate for attorney general

of California, urged every one decide upon the following gov-2-1313 Fern Ave., residence. 3-736 Border Ave., residence. 4-1743 Andreo Ave., resiyour wives, associates, and every tions: one you know to vote.

5-1511 Cravens Ave., City Brown was welcomed by Nick (Continued on Page Four) (Continued on Page Three)



Nick Drale (left), chairman of the Torrance Democrats, and Jess Dean (right), treasurer, is shown welcoming Pat Brown (center),. Democratic candidate for attorney general of California. Brown, now district attorney of San Francisco, spoke last Thursday after-noon in Torrance at the CIO Union hall on Border avenue, -Press Photo

as the Junior Chamber of Commerce, are being urged to lend their ideas to the theme, according to Miller. Torrance has 10,015 registered voters qualified to vote

As the Warren committee pren the State General election on next Tuesday, according to pared to wind up its drive to carry Torrance for Governor Warren in Tuesday's election, William H. Tolson, chairman of the committee, renewed his appeal for volunteer workers on and before election day. APATHY HIT

"I certainly hope that the slowness of volunteers to offer their services in this important election is not indicative of voter apathy," Tolson Although those declining to declared, "because we cannot state their party affiliation, were afford to take chance on losthus denied ballots in the June ing this election.

"We must get out every vote we can, and anyone who thinks this election can be won by staving at home has a mistaken idea. We must get out a hig vote, and we must have volunteers to help us." Tolson asked volunteers to call

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Candidates, **Propositions On Big Ballot** Voters Tuesday, Nov. 7, will

"to get out and vote and to get ernmental officers and proposi-STATE

Governor-Earl Warren, Republican, Governor of California, James Roosevent, Democratic. Lieutenant Governor'--- Goodwin J. Knight, Republican, Democratic.

Secretary of State-Frank M. Jordan, Republican, Democrat, (Continued on Page Five)

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Meet Your Neighbor At Y.M.C.A. Breakfast Saturday

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