

Thanksgiving Services Being Held Sunday

Rev. Cecil J. England will preach at the morning service at the First Christian church. His sermon will be on the subject, "Let Us Be Grateful." The annual Thanksgiving offering will be received through the Sunday School. The church choir under the direction of Chas. Bartholomew, will sing special Thanksgiving music. The public is cordially invited to come and worship as an American expression of Thanksgiving.

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Church Has Anniversary

First Lutheran Church, corner of Acacia and Sonoma, will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary on Sunday, November 18. Pastor George H. Schuster, a former pastor of First Lutheran Church and now pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Elk Grove, California, will speak at both the 8:15 and 10:45 morning worship services. There will be a pot luck dinner and get-together during the noon hour in the parish hall. Everyone is invited to remain for the dinner and the fellowship that will follow. At 3:30 in the afternoon Pastor William Lange of First Lutheran Church, Compton, will be the guest speaker. Pastor Lange is also a former pastor of First Lutheran Church. First Lutheran Church had its

beginning on April 27, 1926 when the Lutherans of Torrance and vicinity met at the Episcopal Parish Hall on Engracia avenue for the purpose of organizing into a congregation. Twenty-seven members signed the first charter. The following men were elected as the officers of the newly-organized congregation: Rev. W. Lange, chairman; C. Dobrick, Sr., and T. C. Farman, elders; H. Chandler and E. A. Carlson, deacons; Will Dobrick, J. Johnson, and L. C. Miller, trustees; Will Dobrick, secretary; Chris Docrick, financial secretary; L. C. Miller, treasurer.

The following pastors have served First Lutheran Church: Rev. William Lange, Rev. George H. Schuster, Rev. Frank Mechling, and Rev. Paul Wenske, who is the present pastor. Rev. Mechling is deceased.

New members will also be received into the congregation on this Sunday. The public is invited to join First Lutheran Church in this celebration.

Torrance Man Back on Job At El Camino

John W. Houston, 2761 W. 182nd street, Torrance, will return to his duties as mathematics instructor at El Camino college Monday, November 19.

Houston fell and broke a pelvic bone on the opening day of school this semester and has been hospitalized since that time.

During Houston's period of recovery from the broken bone, his duties at the school were voluntarily assumed by fellow teachers in the mathematics department.

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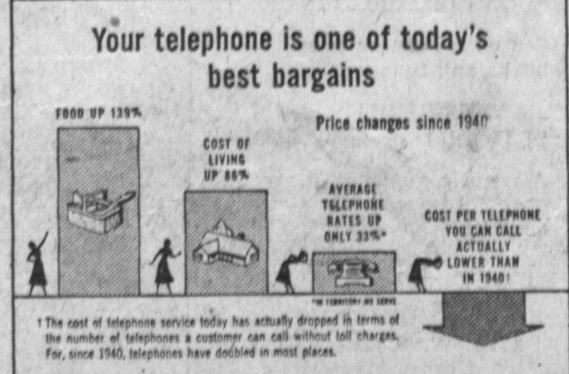


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Forum Group Meets Sunday

The Fellowship Forum Club of the First Christian church is to meet this Sunday night at 7:30 in the YWCA building at Carson and Plaza del Amo St. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh, the co-presidents, announce that Mr. Al Posner will review the recent book by Dr. D. Elton Trueblood, "The Life We Prize." Following the presentation, Mr. Posner will lead the discussion period. The coffee hour will follow right after the discussion period. All members and friends are cordially invited.

Parents Form New Council At Crenshaw

A Parents' Council has been formed at the Crenshaw Elementary School. This was announced recently by Mrs. M. Bottrell, publicity chairman of the organization.

Forty parents attended the first meeting recently, at which the club's officers were elected and the purposes of the group were outlined. This is the first

Radio Address Sunday, Nov. 18

LOS ANGELES (Special)—"Man Is Free" will be the subject of an address to be given by Harry Bacon Clark on Sunday, November 18, at 7:30 a.m., on the Columbia Church of the Air over Station KNX. The program will be given under the auspices of the Christian Science Committee on Publication for New York.

such organization in this Crenshaw district school.

Attend Medical Conference

More than 1000 family doctors are attending the third annual Scientific Assembly of the California Academy of General Practice which is in session this week at the Hotel del Coronado in Coronado.

Doctor and Mrs. Don C. Moshos of Torrance, Calif.; Doctor and Mrs. Howard A. Wood, Torrance, are among the local group attending the scientific sessions where leading medical authorities are presenting the latest developments and treatments and techniques in diabetes, dermatology and surgery.

The California Academy of General Practice is a scientific group devoted to raising the standards of the general practice of medicine through continued intensive postgraduate education for its over 1500 members in California.

Mrs. Samuel Dow, parliamentarian for 186th Street P.T.A., was elected by the Gardena-Wilmington Council to be its delegate to attend the 10th District Nominating Committee.

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