

## Plan Marathon Reading of New Edition of Bible

Sixty members of the First Methodist Church of Torrance will join with 3,000 others across the nation in the publication of the new Revised Standard Version of the Bible. The congregation will take turns reading the complete new version beginning at 3 p.m. Tuesday afternoon, September 30. Members and friends of the church will come at periods of their convenience to listen to the new version, according to Rev. John L. Taylor, pastor.

Publishers state that the initial printing will be more than a million copies. It will require 1,000 tons of paper, 2,000 gallons of ink, 140 tons of binder's board, 10 tons of type metal, 7 1/2 miles of 40-inch cloth, and 18,750,000 yards of thread. The 20,000 square inches of 23 karat gold leaf which will be used for stamping the spine of the Bibles could pave a street 24 feet wide and nearly a mile long. The Bibles—each only 1 1/2 inches thick—stacked in one pile would tower 24 miles into the stratosphere—higher than 100 Empire State buildings, it was reported.

The new version represents 14 years of work by leading Bible scholars who have written a revision of the English translation of our Bible. It seeks to express more exactly in our language the meaning of the original authors. For those who have found the Bible difficult to read and understand, the reading of this new version should be a profitable experience. It in no way replaces the King James Version, Rev. Taylor disclosed.

## Council to Aid Community Chest

Gardena - Wilmington Council P-TA will again cooperate with Community Chest this year in furnishing workers and will be under the direction of Mrs. John Conshafter, Community Chest chairman, it was disclosed today.

Mrs. Conshafter announces that there will be a Community Chest Work Shop Tuesday, Sept. 30, at the Y.C.A., 437 Ninth St., San Diego. All local P-TA presidents, Community Chest chairmen and co-chairmen of the Gardena-Wilmington Council are expected to attend.

## SOCIETY

### Torrance P-TA Schedule Slated

In preparation for the new school year which started in full swing on Friday, Torrance Council P.T.A. held its first Fall meeting on Tuesday, September 9, at the Board of Education office.

Mrs. Ralph McBee, 1st vice-president, presided at the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Victor Bernard, Council president. Dr. J. H. Hull, guest speaker, gave a brief review of the annual report of the Torrance Unified School District. Copies of the report were distributed to Council members and Dr. Hull requested that these be shared with others in the community that they might become acquainted with the accomplishments and problems of the district.

Reports were submitted by Mrs. Roy Dawson, treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Connors, finance and budget chairman, and Mrs. K. R. Ruffell, financial secretary.

A letter was read from Judge John A. Shidler, Board of Education president, in which he suggested that each unit in Torrance Council appoint a representative to attend the monthly T.E.A.C. meetings. He said that he felt such representation would help the schools to be responsible to community needs.

Mrs. Evar Jansson, program chairman, presented the year's program. She announced that there would be three open meetings during the year and said the first would be held on September 24th in the Episcopal Church hall. She added that the guest speaker at that time would be Mrs. Daniel J. Dailey, home service chairman of California Congress of Parents and Teachers.

A detailed report on the Torrance Dental Health Association was given by Mrs. Ralph McBee. Both Mrs. McBee and Mrs. Hartley Carr, members of the Dental board, urged the P.T.A. to continue its financial and moral support to the association. Mrs. Bernard was elected to serve as representative from Torrance Council on the executive board of the dental association.

## Liberace and Bob Crosby Star in 'Y-Day' Show

Singer Bob Crosby and famed pianist Liberace are two of the many stars who will help entertain more than 50 Torrance YMCA youngsters who will attend the 20th Annual Y-Day in Hollywood program October 18, General Secretary Stan Roberts announced this week.

The big Hollywood Bowl variety show, with Art Linkletter as master of ceremonies, will feature stars of movies, radio and television.

To See Game The UCLA-Stanford football game at Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum is also on the all-day program, Roberts said. Lunch will be served to all who attend.

The general secretary indicated that the local "Y" is going all out to make the Y-Day program one of the biggest events of the year for Torrance YMCA boys.

"This is the biggest single YMCA event in the world," he said. "More than 15,000 'Y' people from all over California, Arizona and Nevada will be there and the variety show will be broadcast coast to coast and to our Armed Forces around the world."

Several youngsters have announced that they will enter the Essay Contest Competition to be held in connection with the event. Roberts said others who want to enter should contact the "Y."

The cost of the complete day including round-trip transportation is very nominal. YMCA boys and their friends and their parents are invited to attend the annual event. \$3.00 will cover the entire day including the lunch.

Roberts again called on parents to make this a family event, promising that the entertainment will be excellent for all ages.

## Separation Pay For Deceased Vets

Next-of-kin of Korea veterans who have died since separation from service may obtain help in filing for mustering-out-pay by calling in person at the Torrance Area Community Chest-sponsored Veterans Service Center, it is announced by Mrs. Helen K. Dill, director.

## Narbonne High P-TA Held First Meeting of Year

The Narbonne High School P-TA held its first meeting on Friday, Sept. 19, in the office of Miss Parks, with Mrs. Don Wolf, president, presiding, according to P-TA officials.

At this meeting, the following officers were introduced for 1952-1953: Mmes. E. Schwutzer, first vice-president; O. C. Grubbs, secretary; E. M. Bernardin, treasurer; J. A. Hammertan, historian; H. Johnston, parliamentarian; F. M. Baratta, auditor; and Miss E. Parks, second vice-president.

The following chairmen were ratified by the board: Mmes. L. Smith, citizenship; Wm. Tregathan, community youth; L. Steigh, emblems and publications; R. P. Kellogg, founders day; J. R. Jones, health; J. Harris, hospitality; M. Holloway, M. Smith, R. Quinn, H. Kaempfer, assistant hospitality; C. V. Bunch, home service; A. O. Bodermann, juvenile protection; K. Sherry, legislation; G. A. Martin, magazines; H. Blakesley, music; F. Allen, parent education; B. Schwutzer, program; C. W. Brocklesby, radio and television; G. A. Ford, recreation; M. Rugg, registration; W. Jefferys, refreshment; C. Bell, student welfare; and Mr. C. W. Brocklesby, men's hospitality. Honorary P-TA members are Mmes. C. C. DeVore, Halldale School; R. C. Groover, Harbor City; H. Jacks, Lomita Elementary; and C. L. Wilson, Orange St.

The year's program was presented to the board for approval by Mrs. B. Schwutzer, program chairman. Mrs. D. Wolf appointed the following members to serve on the budget committee: Mmes. O. C. Grubbs, A. Bodermann, E. Bernardin, F. Baratta and D. Wolf. Mrs. Wolf urged all P-TA members to attend the School of In-

## Vocational Nurse Course Offered At Harbor Tech.

A one-year Vocational Nursing course being offered jointly by Harbor Junior College and the Los Angeles Harbor General Hospital to relieve the current nurse shortage by preparing persons to render vocational nursing services in hospitals, private homes, and for public and private health agencies, will remain open to enrollment until Friday, Sept. 26. M. W. Wadey, chairman of the division of Natural Science, said today.

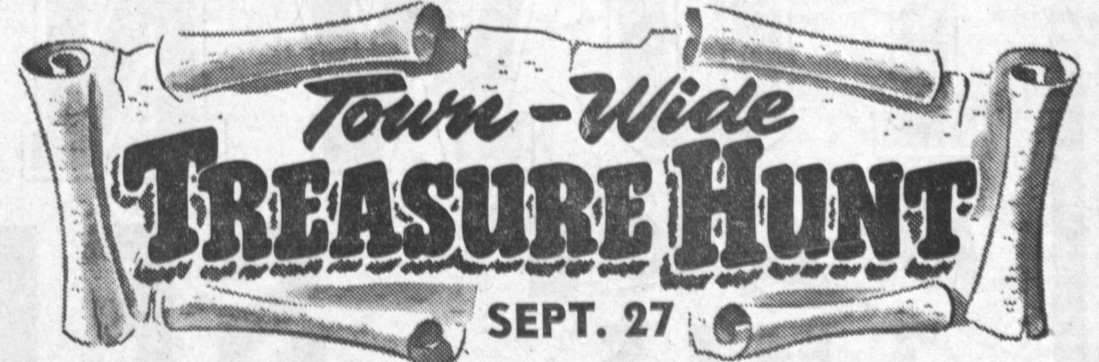
Under the terms of a new bill signed by Governor Warren, students completing the Harbor Tech program, which is the only such program being offered by a college in the general Harbor area, are eligible to become licensed vocational nurses. In the course, the student spends 20 weeks at Harbor Tech taking academic courses, such as Life Science, Nutrition, Psychology, and Nursing Procedures; and 32 weeks at Harbor General Hospital receiving practical training and experience with pay in Obstetric, Pediatric, Medical and Surgical Nursing.

Any person 18 years of age or older, or any high school graduate is eligible to enroll in the course to qualify for the State vocational nursing license. Persons planning to seek employment specifically with Harbor General Hospital upon completion of the course, however, must meet their specific age requirements, Wadey said.

Persons interested in the course, which is open to both men and women, can enroll at the local college any time during the college day until Sept. 26.

Formation at the First Methodist Church in San Pedro on Sept. 26, from 9:30 to 12 noon, it was disclosed.

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