

Schools Open; All's Well . . .

Torrance schools opened without a hitch, morale is high, and people are full of zip, Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of schools, stated this week.

Enrollment figures jumped and were above last year's in every instance.

First day total for this year was 8794 compared with 6308 for last year. The second day compared as follows: 8925 and 6982.

The kindergarten figure this year stood at 1193 the second day while last year's stood at 854.

From a Jacksonville paper: Situations Wanted—Man; honest; will take anything.

School-Age Child, Topic of Parent Education Course

Parents, educators and others whose work is with children, who want to learn how to grow in understanding and enjoyment of the school-age child, will have an opportunity to do so when they attend a parent education class on Tuesday, September 22 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 at the Community Center, 1651 Market St. in Gardena.

The class, first in a series offered by the Washington Adult School and co-sponsored by the Gardena-Wilmington Council for local parent-teacher associations, is entitled "What Makes a Good Home."

Discussion Leader

Instructor and discussion leader will be Mrs. Helen Miller, an experienced and highly successful leader in the field of parent education; a graduate of U.C.L.A., A.B.; Psychology; former elementary school teacher and instructor of industrial art education for teachers. Mrs. Miller is the mother of a son and daughter and is at present a teacher of parent education, Los Angeles City Schools and manager, Parent-Teacher Study Bureau, Los Angeles Tenth District P-TA.

10-Week Course

Succeeding classes in the ten week course will be given each Tuesday morning at the same locale. Each will deal with various facets of the class topic "Enjoying Your School Age Child" and will be supplemented with a film, a drama, question and answer period, books for skillful parents or resource consultants.

Child care will be available at the Center for children of parents attending these classes. All interested parents are cordially invited to attend.

Further information may be obtained by calling the president of your local parent-teacher association or the Gardena Community Center.

High School P-TA To Meet Second Tuesday of Month

Members of the executive board of Torrance High School P-TA met September 2, in the faculty room of the High School cafeteria with 15 board members present. Schedules of meetings and locations were formulated and all regular P-TA meetings will be held the second Tuesday of each month in the High School library, with the exception of the first meeting of the school year which will be a potluck supper to be held in the High School cafeteria on October 13, at 6:30 p.m. All other meetings are scheduled for 8 o'clock.

Proposed Program

Mrs. F. W. Lane, program chairman read the proposed program for the coming year, and Mrs. Sam Neely, budget and finance chairman, read the proposed budget for the new term and both were approved by all board members present. Topics to be discussed during the year will include the following: "To Become Acquainted," "To Check Up," "To Know," "To Follow Their Example," "To Plan and Dream," "To Talk It Over."

El Nido P-TA Holds Luncheon

The El Nido P-TA held their pre-school spaghetti luncheon on Wednesday, September 9, at 18249 Ashley avenue from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m.

Representatives from the Seaside P-TA, Perry P-TA, and Torrance Council of P-TA, were all present to join in wishing the El Nido group success on their first project which they hope will become an annual one, proceeds of which will be used for child welfare.

The entire executive board donated food for the luncheon and it was served by Mrs. P. Mellor, Mrs. V. Mazzaro, Mrs. E. Killian, and Mrs. W. A. Wright.

Walteria P-TA Board Meets

The Board meeting of the Walteria P-TA was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Waegner, 24740 Winlock Drive recently.

Mrs. Wesley Crochero announced the plans that had been made for the luncheon held in the school held in the school auditorium last Thursday. The luncheon was attended by board members and teachers. Each board member was asked to prepare a dish; flower decorations were done by Mrs. Hector Herrera.

Mrs. Medy Fink was ratified as safety chairman and a discussion was held on how the board can work to make the street crossings along Hawthorne Blvd. safer for children.

Mrs. Carl Cramer asked for volunteers who would help to register new students and direct them to classrooms on opening day of school.

Other matters of general interest were discussed.

Others in attendance were: Mesdames E. B. Pau, Evan Jansson, Bruce Howey, E. White, F. Trantham, R. C. Heitmeier, Walter Wild, C. W. Johnson, Glenn Karhu, and Mr. Robert Evans.

New Try To Settle Controversy

The recent controversy over a Hollywood Riviera building plan seems to be headed for a compromise settlement rather than being taken to court.

Hollywood Riviera Homeowners have voiced approval of a new compromise plan drawn up by Assistant City Engineer Patrick.

It was stated that construction elements offensive to the Don-Jaran construction company and other elements to which the Homeowners voiced disapproval had been eliminated.

The city was threatened with court action for having disapproved a plan which the builders considered sound and which had at one time received the go-ahead from the assistant city engineer.

From a Newport newspaper: Swim at the new pool — With suits, 35c. Without suits, 50c.

Federal Savings, Loan Association Helps Residents

With the making of its 11,743rd home loan this week, the Ingleside Federal Savings and Loan Association now has assisted over 41,000 residents of the Centinela Valley area toward home ownership, Russell Chase, Manager of the Loan Department of the Association revealed today.

The announcement was made by Charles E. Berry in connection with the local savings institution's observance of National Home Week, September 20-27, which is dedicated to the American tradition of home ownership.

"Today, over 55 percent of families in the United States now own their homes, and the percentage of home ownership has increased over 35 percent during the last ten years," he added. "The total loan volume of Ingleside Federal Savings and Loan Association alone, today stands at \$25,590,000."

According to Berry, no other nation in the world approaches the percentage of home ownership or is as well housed.

"National Home Week is particularly significant to savings and loan associations because they are the largest group of institutional home lenders in the country."

"Savings associations annually provide more than 36 percent of America's home financing, principally on the small or medium priced homes of salary and wage earners and are the originators of the monthly pay-like-rent, direct reduction loan," Berry concluded.

All or Nothing Says State

Word was received by the city that miscellaneous city employees cannot withdraw from the state retirement plan unless all city employees (which would include firemen and policemen) vote to do so.

George Stevens, city manager, said that the communication still left unanswered whether city employees could come under the social security program if they do not wish to go under the state plan.

Kids' Day . . .

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can be purchased from any Kiwanian or Torrance merchant.

For Kids 10 to 100 Beginning at 1 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25, and continuing until 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, a numbered Pink Ticket will entitle the holder to claim one or more valuable prizes, donated by, and displayed in the windows of Torrance merchants. Any of these prizes unclaimed at 1 p.m. Saturday will be gathered and brought to El Prado Park, where the prizes will be presented to lucky ticket holders. Prizes will be awarded at 3:30 Saturday, Sept. 26. Numbered tickets will be good for both window hunting, and prizes. Prizes last year totaled over \$2,400, so buy your tickets any time from Torrance merchants or Kiwanians.

In his proclamation, the Mayor said that, "The purpose of the day is to provide, wherever possible, assistance in helping underprivileged children to enjoy some of the benefits normally accruing to boys and girls in more fortunate circumstances." He urged all residents of this area to cooperate with the local committee which is headed by Kiwanian Joe Doss.

Kiwanian Doss joined the Mayor in urging public support and interest in the fifth annual observance of National Kids' Day.

From a Los Angeles, California paper: After he was rushed to the hospital, he was examined by Dr. — who put him on a diet that involved no foods and no liquids.

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Accident . . .

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to a stop in the small of the victim's back.

Critical Bruns is still in critical condition. He suffered a broken pelvis and internal injuries the extent of which could not be determined as yet because Bruns was in no condition to be moved.

He has been in a state of shock for several days and has received plasma and sedatives.

The driver of the Hyster stopped the machine as soon as possible and an ambulance was immediately called to the scene.

Following the accident, he was taken to Park Emergency Hospital from where he was transferred to Gardena Hospital.

Dope . . .

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having been instrumental in turning Holt and Levinson in to the Torrance police following his being robbed by them. The two youths said they robbed O'Brien in order to get back money paid him for a sale of narcotics. O'Brien claimed that such was not the case and that the episode was out and out robbery.

Bike . . .

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winner, said Bobby rounded up every person he could find.

Sol Young, owner of Torrance Bootery, thanks everyone of the 600 kids who participated. As regards statistics, 3,000 pairs of old shoes were turned in. These will go to worthy charitable causes.

The six other winners, prizes, and number of votes were as follows: 2nd place, Ronnie Norton, 4171 W. 190th St., General Electric clock radio, 31,091 votes; 3rd place, David Nair, 1627 W. 215th St., camera, 16,465 votes; 4th place, Wayne Marshall, 1569 W. 220th St., tennis racket, 15,366 votes; 5th place, Gregory Clark, 21124 Hobart, record player, 11,682 votes; 6th place, Jimmy Standridge, 2359 Torrance Blvd., badminton set, 10,104 votes; and 7th place, Robert Bauman, 1504 Post ave., Roy Rogers wrist watch, 9,206 votes.

Fransif Angerer, father of the winner, told Young that his wife said that she had never received such a good fit in a shoe since she left San Francisco, which, of course, was music to Young's ears.

THINGS TO COME . . . a child's umbrella has a window of transparent plastic between two of the ribs, for safety.

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