School Vandalism Subject Of Notice

"The vandalism to public schools has been costing the taxpayers considerable amounts of money," according to Mrs. J. O. Powers, president of 259th Place school.

ROAD TO RECOVERY . . . David Bassett, 4, of Monterey Park symbolizes the accomplishments of the Sister Kenny hospital. Stricken with polio last year, David was home again for Christmas as a result of the treatments. The local fund raising appeal will continue throughout May.

Building Inspectors

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the city council for faulty enforcement of the building code.

No state investigation was ever made of the Watt tracts.

Among the alleged faults listed by the homeowners and submitted to the city council last year were: serious settling of homes; cracked and chipped bath and kitchen fixtures; hardwood floor buckling; lack of grading in rear yards, creating drainage toward the homes; cracked and warped rafters; floor joists sagging.

Charges Denied

At the time these charges were made, a spokesman for the contractor labeled them as the outbursts of a few disgruntled individuals rather than the majority opinion.

It was also maintained that "minor" defects cannot be avoided and every attempt was made to correct them.

Any responsible individual of authority is welcome to look at the company's books, the spokesman said at the time.

Miss Charlotte Elsie Anderson and Miss Eleanore Ann Lowen have each been awarded a $250 scholarship to Pepperdine College in Los Angeles.

Miss Anderson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Buena Anderson of 1230 Cota avenue, Torrance. Miss Lowen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Philip Lowen of 1820 Calamar.

District Chairman Addresses Meet

Mrs. H. E. Johnson, Tenth District elementary school education chairman, was guest speaker at the Gardena-Wilmington Council P-TA meeting held Friday, April 30 at the 156th Street school, Gardena.

Red Cross Cites Torrance Donors

The Torrance Branch of American National Red Cross this week issued the new membership cards of the Red Cross Gallon Club to Hartley Carr, Katherine M. Lane, Helen T. Bowdoin, Richard D. Wollard, Phillip E. Humphreys, Harold Essex, Jack N. Dabbs, Robert D. Barkdull, Von M. Bergen, Gerald E. Kealey, George C. Saunders, Dillwyn C. White, and Elton C. Durst.