

## Edith Smith Elected To District Post

Edith S. Smith, local realtor, was elected vice president of the 21st district of the California Real Estate Association, it was announced last week.

She was elected by the directors of the association when

Elizabeth Quinn Wolf will serve as an elementary teacher in the Torrance Unified School District.

they met in San Francisco for the 50th convention of the California Real Estate Association. Mrs. Smith attended the convention with Mr. and Mrs. Perry L. Connett. Connett is president of the Torrance-Lomita Realty Board.

Mrs. Smith's office is located at 2209 Pacific Coast Highway.

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# First Applications Received for Music Scholarships

## Noted Artists to Play at Concerts

First students to file applications for the four \$100 Music Competition Scholarships being offered to young Torrance musicians by the Youth Band-Artists Concerts Association are Jackie Johnston, clarinetist, of 2760 Gramercy ave. and Joan Vachalek, violinist, of 1622 Madrid avenue, Torrance.

Both are active in music groups at Torrance High School and are being sponsored in the scholarship contest by Marty Baum, local high school music director.

The four \$100 cash music scholarships will be awarded winners in piano, voice, strings, and wind instrument competitions to be held in April.

The winners of the four divisions will appear as soloists on the Torrance Area Youth Band's "Ninth Anniversary" concert to be held on May 24, 1955. Any student of the Torrance area under college age is eligible to compete for the scholarships. Applications must be in by November 15. Applications may be obtained by writing to the Torrance Area Youth Bands, Box 548, Torrance, or by calling FA. 8-5273.

Noted Artists  
These student music competi-

tions are being held in conjunction with the four Youth Band-Artists Concerts to be given during the 1954-55 season. The first concert will be given on Monday night, November 15 with Gary Graffman, piano soloist.

Graffman, internationally famous pianist, makes his West coast debut with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra the week prior to his Torrance appearance.

Other concerts on the current season are scheduled for February 21, April 12, and May 24. Other artists to appear with the youth band include Leontyne Price, soprano, and Camilla Wicks, violinist.

### Tickets

Holders of season tickets will be admitted to all four concerts. Around seven hundred season tickets have already been sold during the current membership campaign. Season tickets are available at the Association Headquarters, 1327 Post ave. Ethel Derouin, chairman of the Youth Band-Artists Concerts Association, points out that another three hundred season tickets must be sold by November 15 in order to pay for scholarships and the three guest artists.

## Noted Guest To Speak At BPW Dinner

Mildred Younger, Republican nominee for State Senator, will be the guest speaker at the next dinner meeting of the Torrance Business and Professional Women's club to be held jointly with the Redondo Beach club next Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. in the Fish Shanty.

For dinner reservations call Virginia Beck at FA 8-5241 evenings; Betty Massie at FA 8-1280; or Valda Wilkins at FA 8-2514 days, and DA 6-2044 evenings.

There is a Harbor Section breakfast scheduled for Sunday, October 24 at 9 a.m. at the VFW Hall in Wilmington, for which the reservations deadline was October 18.



ANNIVERSARY... Abe Robinson, vice-president of Lawson's Jewelers, announced this week that his store would feature many specials and many new lines as part of the store's anniversary celebration.

## Lawson's Jewelers Celebrate Anniversary

In conjunction with its anniversary this month, Lawson's Jewelers, 1317 El Prado, is staging the greatest anniversary sale ever held.

"I wish to thank our many customers and friends for their kind patronage throughout the year and for making this anniversary celebration possible," stated Abe Robinson, vice president of Lawson's Jewelers.

Windows have been retrimmed and the store's interior has been redecorated in conjunction with this special occasion.

"We have added many new lines in the last year, offering our customers an even larger selection of merchandise from which to choose," Robinson said.

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## Votes Cast for Bond Issues by Precincts

Precinct	Civic Center	Swimming Pool	Vote cast
1	53	15	66
2	90	22	112
3	117	24	141
4	130	13	143
5	86	20	106
6	82	12	94
7	141	22	163
8	229	7	236
9	302	17	319
10	297	15	312
11	282	40	322
12	146	63	209
13	152	16	169
14	120	9	129
15	133	29	162
16	48	7	55
17	101	20	121
18	106	19	125
19	147	21	168
20	69	16	85
21	67	9	76
22	48	14	62
23	97	11	108
24	178	45	223
25	163	44	207
26	107	52	159
27	128	81	209
28	91	23	114
29	150	51	201
30	117	32	150
31	146	61	207
32	172	42	214
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