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A four-step plan for additional parking in downtown Torrance was outlined at eek's breakfast meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

The presentation was made by Ralph T. Dorsey, internationally recognized trafarea into a parking lot.

On Cravens ave. and convert the property outlined in the Parking Assessment District plan.

NEED 2000 SPACES last week's breakfast meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. fic consultant, who has been retained by the city to study the problem.

Addressing an audience of more than 60, Dorsey made the following recommendations: 1. Demolish the old city hall

2. Purchase the Post ave. pro- 4. Increase parking meters on about 2000 parking spaces to park lot, he said.

perty (old Mayfair Creamery downtown streets from 463 to compete with shopping centers The city hall property (in and taxpayers could expect betproperty) and combine it with about 600, and hike the rates now going up or which will go cluding the old fire station, pol. ter and greater city services and he Bank of America lot for on about half of them to five up in the area, Dorsey said. cents for each 30 minutes (aver-3. Take action to acquire the age parking time of curb-side

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internationally renowned traffic expert.

eventual use as a four-deck parking building.

Mr. Dorsey Has

The Answer

Downtown Torrance's No. 1 problem-parking-

Credit for the solution must go to Ralph T. Dorsey,

Dorsey has come up with a sound analysis of the

His recommendations and accomplishments deserve the highest praise of local residents, businessmen and

Dorsey's pattern for action is bold and forwardlooking. Among its outstanding recommendations is the proposal to raze the old city hall for parking purposes. It also calls for the acquisition of property on Post ave. (next to the Bank of America parking lot) for

problem. He has defined the issues clearly. He has

proposed practical solutions. And he has expressed his ideas with the refreshing and ringing courage of con-

To get that many parking would give about 242 off-street The most immediate three spaces, it will be necessary to parking spaces, Dorsey in-

provide deck parking. Dorsey, who called the old city hall property "too valuable" district would make about 600 thorne ave., Dorsey explained.

also provide 114 off-street park-ness; 3) by increasing business Downtown Torrance needs bined with the Bank of America sales tax money; 4) by giving

dicated.

The Post ave. property would nient; 2) it would increase busi ing sites immediately if com- it would give the city more

ice station and adjoining lot) facilities. to the downtown shopping area is the new shopping center The long-range assessment going up at 174th st. and Haw-

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COUNCIL TO

MEET DEC. 6

The Torrance Coordinating council, which brings together representatives from every section of the community to try and solve community problems, will meet December 6 at the Greenwood school, 7:30 p.m.

Lieutenant D. C. Cook, and Buck Ingram of the Torrance police department, Warren Hamilton from the high schools, Reverend Hugh Percy, St. Andrews Episcopal church, councilman Nick Benstead, Joe Wilson and Miss Edith Simplaer, YMCA and YWCA, Judge John Shidler and others will participate in a panel discussion on juvenile problems.

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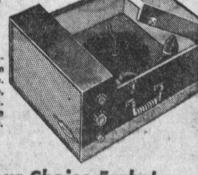
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