Eveline Palmer

PHYSICIAN HONORED

named Lomita's outstanding citizen of the year by the Lomita Kiwanis club. Dr. Racer, one of the oldest Stella Kellogg

practicing physicians in the United States, was named because he is a man who "has captured the love and respect of the Lomita people," Dr. Joseph Nebolon, spokesman of the club, said.

Dr. Floyd H. Racer, 88, was

Dr. Racer has served Lomita or 35 years.







RENEWING OLD FRIENDSHIPS

Assemblyman Vincent Thomas met with the board of directors of the Lomita Civic League last week, some of whom knew him from the time of high school. Chatting are (I-r) A. Wesala, H. Bribin, R. King, (front) Mrs. D. E. Fay and Assemblyman Thomas.—Press Photo.

GIRLS BURNED IN CLEANING FLUID MISHAP

Mrs. Carol S. Matson, 18, and Janice Binford, 13, both daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bin-

ford, 18143 Ermanita avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. were taken to Harbor General hospital Saturday for treatment Friedrich, 1632 Juniper ave., reof first, second and third degree cently was graduated with hon-

The accident occurred when arms and legs while the youngcleaning fluid was spilled on er girl received first degree the kitchen floor and fumes burns on her legs.

were apparently ignited from an Extensive flame damage was

reported throughout the kitchen, open flame in a stove. Mrs. Matson suffered second and smoke damaged most of and third degree burns on her the house.



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ors from the Army's Anti-| Friedrich completed the aircraft Artillery school in schools "Skysweeper" gun see tion leaders course. PFC James A. Friedrich, 21,



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Assemblyman omita Group

Assemblyman Vincent Thomas and Mrs. Thomas were guests of the board of directors of the Lomita Civic league December 20.

They were entertained at the Trefethen home, 2432 Chapman avenue, which was established in 1920. In 1929 the legal battle which kept Lomita smog-free centered around the Trefethen acres when an attempt was made to install a smoky industry on adjoining property.

Following a court victory for the Trefethens, the first attempt was made to incorporate Lomita. This attempt failed.

Assemblyman Thomas was able to give the group the benefit of his long experience in the legislature and his knowledge of legislation in regard to incorporations and annexations, viewed against a background of the organized forces attempting to bring about such changes.

Mrs. Hazel Fay, membership chairman of the Lomita Civic league, was a classmate of Thomas' in San Pedro high school, and members of the Trefethen family were also in the student body.

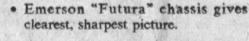
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