

Marines Hit Halfway Mark On Toy Drive

"Situation well in hand" is the report of local Marine Reservists this week as they pass the midway point in their tenth annual Christmas "Toys for Tots" campaign.

McMahan furniture stores, Shell service stations, and designated theaters and roller skating rinks are serving as collection points.

From these points, the toys are delivered to the nearest Marine Corps Reserve Center where Marine volunteer personnel label them according to age and sex of child for whom they are most appropriate.

Once sorted, the toys are delivered by Marines to the charitable agencies which will distribute them.

"Response has been encouraging," said Marine Major Robert E. McNew, "but much more must be done if this is to be a merry Christmas for all the youngsters." McNew, inspector-instructor of the Fifth Communication company, urged

earlier donations this year to allow ample time for distribution of the toys before Christmas.

More than twice as many persons are killed in traffic in the week between Christmas and New Year's than in any other single week of the year.

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ASSISTS TOY DRIVE: The Marine Corps Reserve's annual "Toys for Tots" drive get a special boost this week from a local skating rink. Owner George Anderson of the Roller Drome, 1851 Mullin ave., accepted a new or good condition toy for the campaign as the price of

admission Tuesday. Anderson and Marine PFC Jerrell Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wood, 22809 Ocean ave. accept a toy donation from pretty Donna Dunklin, 2003 Andrea ave.

Y Schedules Activities for Younger Boys

The Torrance YMCA announced that the Snow Moon Fun Club for boys 6 to 9 years of age starts Thursday, January 2. Three days of fun are planned for the boys.

Each day they will be gone from 9 to 3 p.m. and will make a trip to Disneyland, take four rides, visit Tom Sawyer's Island, and the Indian Village; go on a trip to a private camp in San Fernando Valley foothills January 3 for horseback rides, a picnic and roller skating; and tour the County Arboretum, on January 4 to see the jungle, hundreds of ducks and other wild birds.

The camp is limited to 50 boys and costs \$5. The boys will bring a sack lunch and a warm coat each day. Further information may be obtained by calling the Torrance YMCA.

Also scheduled during the Christmas Holidays, is a three day Winter camp for boys nine years of age and older. The boys will spend three fun-filled days at the Y MCA Camp Round Meadow.

Field Sets Bowl-O-Drome Pin Record

High scores were the topic of the week at the Torrance Bowl-O-Drome as Elmer Field racked up the amazing series of 738 in league play, to set a new house record.

Field's 226-226-278 sparked the C. Mayfield team in the Wednesday night Bowl-O-Drome Mixed Five. His 738 score was sanctioned.

Dan Young, in non-league play, came as close to a perfect score as possible when he tallied a 299—only one pin marred his perfect score.

League bowlers anted up sizeable sum last week, when they all contributed to the Torrance Elks Christmas baskets for the needy program.

In the Men's Commercial Handicap League, Ted's Auto Service and Mehring and Hanson tied for first place, each with a 36-20 record. L. King has the series high with 699 while W. Baxley holds game honors with his 286.

John Brysian came up with the weekly high series of 571 for the Douglas Mixed "700" Handicap. Barbara Sedlak won women's honors for her 565 series last week.



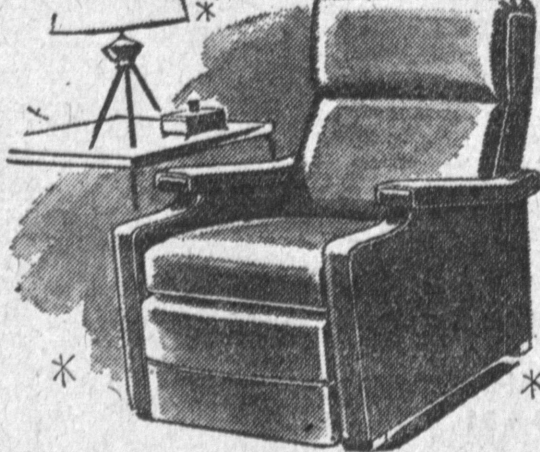
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Navy Starts New College Training Plan

F. D. Fields, Navy recruiter at the Navy recruiting station, 16422 South Vermont ave., announced this week that 500 hundred officers trained in the field of science will be added to the ranks of the Navy and Marine Corps annually under a new educational program announced by Secretary of the Navy Thomas S. Gates.

Beginning with the school year 1958-1959 that number of enlisted men will be enrolled in civilian institutions of higher learning for four-year courses leading to a degree of Bachelor of Science and to commissions in the Navy.

Emphasis in their studies will be placed on mathematics and the physical sciences. During summer vacation periods, the students will be assigned to Navy laboratories and other scientific establishments to study application of the sciences.

The basis of selection of enlisted men for this higher study will be intelligence and aptitude. Those considered qualified but who lack sufficient high school credits for college entrance will be given opportunity to earn those credits.

Students will receive the pay and allowances of their rates

while attending college. The Navy Department will pay costs of their education. They will be required to remain on active duty as officers for a period equal to the time they are enrolled in the program.

A selection board consisting of naval officers and civilians experienced in the field of education will be convened to pass upon applicants for the new program. Those selected will be offered for enrollment in colleges and universities subject

to the rules of the institutions concerned.

Y Men's Club Sells 1500 Yule Trees

The Torrance Y's Men's Club, a service club sponsored by the Torrance YMCA announced today that over 1500 trees have been sold at the lot, located at Arlington and Torrance Blvd.

Profits from the sale of the trees go toward their many YMCA youth projects in Torrance.

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