

TTING UP the family picture for Torrance High School's senior play, "Liliom" to be presented at the high school on the nights of January 17 and 18 at 8:30 p.m. is Michael During, who takes the roll of "Spider." .The play was adapted from the stage and screen musical, "Carousel." Posing as the "Liliom"

family are, front row, Rosemary Hill, Claudia Smith, who has the lead role of "Julie," and, back row, Gerry Vom Steeg, Marie Turner and George Boscom, who plays "Liliom." The pres-entation is a major undertaking, according to Von Hershey, directing and supervising the performances, since the play is rarely per-formed on the high school level.

## New Theatre Group Formed

sored by Lomita Park and will meet at the park each Monday evening at 7 p.m.

On Saturday evening, a group in the dramatic field and has of teen agers, interested in the played many leading rolls at on a play to be presented in further development of drama Narbonne High school, last the near future with Robert in Lomita, met at the home of year receiving the Best Actor Miller directing. Miss Gloria Thorpe, 25624 Esh- award.

elman ave., and formed the Lomita Park Players. The Players will be under Minor, president; Beverly Deck. Edison Co.

the direction of Robert Wilson ett, treasurer; Linda Miller, sec. Miller, who is a member of the retary; and Gloria Thorpe, pub. Anticipates the direction of Robert Wilson ett, treasurer; Linda Miller, sec-Matinee Thespian Society. He licity chairman. has had considerable experience The Players are being spor

More Growth

**Make These** Southern California Edison Company expects a population gain in its 10-county service territory of 200,000 in 1958-approximately equal to a city the size of Des Moines, Iowa was announced by G. L. Blanchard, district manager. "We expect to install about 65,000 new electric meters this year," Blanchard said. "To provide for these new customers and build ahead of mounting

Two Bowling **Physicians Hold** Volleyball Lead Leagues for

# Women Open

Volleyball team moved into sole possession of first place in the Two new bowling leagues for

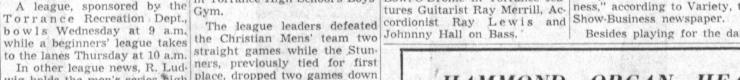
at the Torrance Bowl-O-Drome. A league, sponsored by the Gym.

In other league news, R. Lud. hers, previously inclusive place, dropped two games down place, dropped two games down in the standings by the forfeit route.

B. Slagg has ladies series top score of 459. In the high game ners opponent team for the evedepartment, two men are tied ning, lost two games for the with 211 a piece. They are B. same reason. In other games, Ellsworth and T. Bezich, A score the Beachcombers moved up a of 190, rolled by C. Clark heads notch with 15-9 and 15-8 wins over the Optimist Club. The Rothe disstaff list.

In the 18th week for Douglas tary Club moved into second Mixed "765" Scratch, Bill Cook- place on two forfeit wins over man rolled the weekly high the Harbor Interns. North Torseries of 648 for the men. Marie rance Lions and Kiwanis Clubs Lemmen came on for the wom- washed out as neither team put en to roll up a grand total of in an appearance.

530. Bill Catlett, who still holds series honors for the season, D. Mason, tied for men's series copped the top game honors for R. Morris leads the women with 625. D. Martin scored a 273 the week with a sharp 232. Holding 648s in the Ryan Air-craft League are P. Martin and a 228 for the women.



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# Harbor Resident Physicians New Trio at Bowl-O-Drome

women got under way this week after last week's games played Tuesday, January 14 at the becoming known as "one of the three are also famous for their

rills" will feature, from time to "The Musical Merrills," a mu-1 This team blends their vocal time, numbers they include in Torrance Recreation League, sical comedy trio who opens talents to produce what is fast their regular night-club act. The

ing crowd, the "Musical Mer-

having a repetoire of almost Besides playing for the danc- 2.000 songs.





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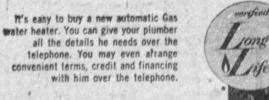
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\$130,000,000 struction and plant expansion during 1958."

electrical demands, our com-

pany has budgeted approxi-

Of this amount, approximately \$40,000,000 will be spent to add 865 miles of new distribution and transmission power lines to the system, he reported. Sometime this summer the company will complete the first 200,000-kilowatt unit of a giant new steam electric generating station at Huntington Beach-

and about the end of the year

a second unit of the same size

will go into service. At the time

of their completion, they will be

the largest generating units on

more new units now under con-

struction at Mandalay Beach,

near Oxnard. Mandalay Unit

No. 1 is scheduled for comple-

Of equal size will be two

the Pacific Coast.

#### tion in May of 1959, and the second unit is to go "on the line" in the fall of that year. Edison is investing \$58,000,000 in the Huntington Beach project, and \$57,000,000 at Mandalay, it was announced.

SIERRA DAM Hydroelectric (water) power is being expanded, also, About February 1, work will begin on the \$49,600,000 "Mammoth Pool" project in the High Sierra, requiring construction of one of the biggest earth-fill dams in the world - 950 feet long and 330 feet high.

A tunnel eight miles long and 20 feet in diameter will be dug to carry San Joaquin river water from the storage reservoir, with a capacity of 123,000 acrefeet of water, to the powerhouse. Edison expects to complete this project in time to catch the spring run-off in 1960. The Edison district manager said \$19,000,000 will be spent in 1958 to build seven new substations which "step down" high voltage electricity for redistribution to homes, farms and businesses. One of these, being built near Saticoy at a cost of \$2,500,000, will be the main switching center for the new Mandalay Beach steam station which will represent another major source of electricity for Ventura and Santa Barbara counties. So rapidly is the company's expansion progressing that it will have invested 1/2 of a billion dollars in the three-year period 1957-1959, Blanchard stated, Edison's total plant investment now stands at more than \$1,125,000,000. It took 34 years for Edison

to invest its first \$1/2 billion. Blanchard pointed out, 21 years for the second \$1/2 billion and FA. 8-444 - FA. 8-2654 five years for the final third of a billion dollars.

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