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GRADUATES—Six Torrance rookie policemen were graduates from an eight-weeks training course at the Los Angeles Sheriff's Academy last week, where they were instructed in various phases of police work. It was the fourth contingent sent by Police Chief Percy Bennett. From left are Joseph Capriotti, Thomas Lloyd, Robert Lydon, Sheriff Peter Pitches, Bennett, Capt. John Maestri, Jimmy Bell, Lee Graber and Paul Singleton.

City Tax Payment

Torrance this week received the first installment of property taxes collected by the county. Jerome I. Scharfman, director of finance, said that the first payment is in the amount of \$551,083, and represents approximately 25 percent of the amount due.



BIG TAXPAYER—Representing General Petroleum Corporation, Torrance's biggest taxpayer, Robert L. Plomer Jr. (left), manager of the company's property tax department, presents check for \$2,605,724 to H. L. Byram, county tax collector, as General Petroleum's first installment of its 1958-59 county tax bill. Of this sum, \$1,239,275 is attributable to the company's Torrance properties and will go to the various districts in the city. Of the company's total 1958-59 Los Angeles County tax bill of \$4,332,527, a total of \$1,999,736 will go to Torrance.

Holiday Program Features Choir

The Saxons of North High School assembled in the gym on Dec. 12 to celebrate the Christmas season with a holiday program by North High Choir and Band.

Under direction of vocal instructor, George Zavizian, the choir interpreted standard Christmas favorites such as "Silent Night," "Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Deck the Halls."

APPROVE TRACT

A seven-lot subdivision north of Pacific Coast Hwy. and east of Oak St., was approved by the County Regional Planning Commission. The applicant is Cor-Built Homes, Inc. of Lawndale.

WEAVER TO HEAD SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

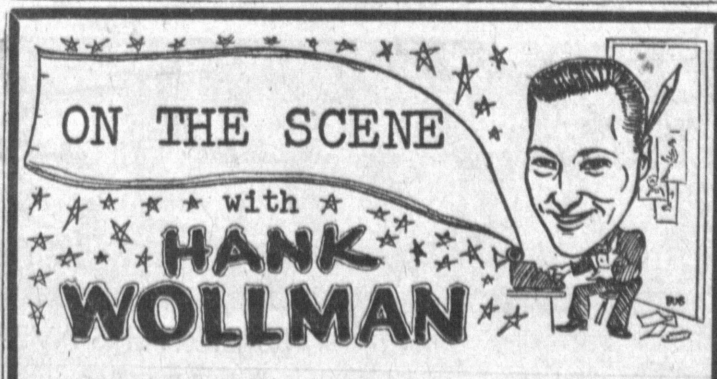
Henry Weaver, truck driver for the Torrance schools, was named president of the Torrance chapter of the California School Employees Assn. at the group's last meeting. He succeeds Don O'Farrell.

The group composed of non-teaching employees of the Torrance Unified School District, also named Orville Moody, Arlington School custodian, as vice president; Dorothea Johnson, Torrance High clerk, as secretary; John Doolittle, Fern School custodian, as treasurer; and Ethel Hiller, Walteria School clerk, as reporter.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PLANNED

The Anza PTA will hold its December meeting on the 18th at 8 p.m. The Anza band will give a concert of seasonal music. Primary students will enact Christmas tableaux with accompaniment by a choral group of uppergrade pupils. A community sing of Christmas carols will complete the program.

A meeting of the Southwest Keystone Civic Improvement Association was held Friday in the 223rd St. School.



'Tis the season to be jolly... 'tis the season of the business banquet, the holiday party and the roadblock. As television would have us believe, this is the time of snow flurries, autos suffering from bad cases of "no anti-freeze" and ears pink with frost. But that's TV. Actually, the Southland celebrates this festive season as only it can... smog permitting!

Along the Great Wide Way (from Sepulveda to the Pacific Coast Highway) the partying has already commenced. The Plush Horse for example had a big weekend with shindigs for the Kiwanis, Ryan's Aircraft and the Newcomer's Club. The Jump 'n Jack too had a busy time with a Shriner's party... owner Jack Rogers on hand to lead the fun.

At the Tai Song in Manhattan Beach the partying starts in full force this weekend. Owner Betty Sur announces that there are still a few dates available for your private party... whether it be a cozy group of a dozen or 100!

For all this partying, special attractions are being planned or are going full force. At the Jump 'n Jack for instance, the Saturday fashion shows are presented weekly now! Besides this, manager Bob Barron has arranged for an entertainment treat as a year-end attraction. A lovely eye-pleasing starlet by the name of Sherry Lou will be on hand to serenade celebrating spirits.

Lococo will feature the very popular Art Graham group in the colorful Satellite Lounge... real outer-space atmosphere, while the Marineland restaurant in Palos Verdes will present the Gallions and Ginny, a musical harmony group. This quartet will entertain nightly in the colorful and aquatic "Porpoise Room."

In the heart of Gardena rocks the Hitching Post, Jerry Duer's popular dance palace. Preparations are in the works right now for the biggest year-end celebrating since Liberace took piano lessons. The entertainment has been arranged... so stand by for the announcement.

More party news next week... too much at one time can lead to honest New Year's resolutions.

NAMES IN THE NIGHT:

Rusty Barkman, Gardena's favorite Penmaster, who gives Dante a lot of pizza trouble with his pastrami specials at the popular Italian restaurant on Crenshaw; Al Apodaca, who is taking lessons in classical music to please some fans at Del's Camino Room; Sylvester Scott, the smooth piano stylist, who moved from the Halfway House to the Open Hearth in Torrance; Helen Yue's, the Cantonese restaurant on Rosecrans, where luncheon specials are a popular feature; Dolores Patronsky, a devotee of the Polynesian restaurant, who sighed with ecstasy over some Lamb Curry as served by that wonderful South Sea spot; Dean Sunderland, the busy Torrance executive, who is currently sporting a very healthy mustache... until his wife catches up to him; Bob Martello of the Vegas Club, who is still complaining about the lack of delicious Gardena-style Mexican food in Acapulco; Anita Hanson, the Hollywood fashion artist, who won't go anywhere but to Kyoto's for her Sukiyaki.

Red Cross Hears Reports on Fire, Blood Shortage

A report on aid given by the Torrance-Lomita branch of the Red Cross was given by Mrs. Patricia Orsini Thursday at the board meeting. Mrs. Virginia Jones, pointed out that the blood bank is facing a deficit because some groups

and individuals have been lax in making replacements for with draws. Mrs. Clara Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Felker will be the Torrance representatives to the Harbor Chatterers.

Attending the meeting presided over by Dr. Warren H. Low, were Victor Davenport, Rabbi Henri Front, Henry Halverson, Marian Cowden, W. H. Haslam, George Colburn, Magdalene Bridges, Mrs. Orsini, Mrs. Conner, Mrs. Jones and Felker.

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