

CONGRATULATIONS from Mayor Albert Isen (left) are received by Mel Waisler, owner of Towne Clothiers, which, after 18 years in Redondo Beach, opened last week at 4850 West



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Pupil Expense Here Below State Average, Hull Says

The Torrance Unified School unified districts in California, school assessed valuation aver- ages in parentheses) are: District's expenses per pupil still according to figures compiled age is \$40,314, about \$3000 more Teachers' salaries, \$208 (\$251) run considerably below the state- by the State Department of Edu- than the state-wide average. operation of plants, \$36.16 (\$37.wide average, according to a re- cation.

port to the Board of Education At the same, time, Torrance Torrance currently spends age of \$8,575 per elementary pu-

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\$323.21 per pupil compared with pil, about \$3000 less than the an average of \$381.03 for other state-wide average. Its high portation of pupils of

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chunk of the budget money goes pupils, \$7.83 \$(5.67). for teachers' salaries. Here, the Torrance average is \$208, compared with the state's \$251. This High Schoolers is due in large part to the fact that the average Torrance teach-

many of the state's older districts. Maintenance costs are, Some 200 high school journalonly about half of the state-wide ism students representing 16 average because most of Tor- neighboring high schools will rance's schools are new.

schedule and as schools get old-er, Superintendent J. H. Hull Five representatives of metrosaid. Increasing emphasis on politan newspapers and Photogmath, science, vocational train-rapher Earl Thiesen of Look ing, audio-visual aids, programs magazine will address student for brighter students, and other journalists in the opening ses courses also will mean added sion of the day's activities at expenses, he said.

About three-fourths of the local 63); instructional supplies, \$18. pupils are in elementary schools. 15 (\$15.45); fixed charges, \$12.09 In 12 budget categories, Tor-\$18.68); administration, \$12.08 has an assessed valuation aver- rance was above the state aver- (\$12.77); non-teaching salaries age in only two categories-in-\$11.27 (\$13.77); auxiliary services portation of pupils. Largest \$8.03 (\$15.99); transportation of

er is newer and younger than in Event at ECC

Average costs will rise as be guests of El Camino College eachers advance on the salary tomorrow for the college's sixth

9:30 a.m. The five will serve as Avergae costs per pupil in panelists speaking on the sub-Torrance (with state-wide aver- ject, "Breaking into the Field."



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