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### City Dads Hit Cost of Rubbish Pickup

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 "More chiefs than Indians," agreed Councilman Victor Benstead.  
**Overtime Pay**  
 Another department that got a sharp look was the Municipal Bus Lines, which will show a subsidy of \$40,000 from general funds.  
 Blount said that he understands that \$25,000 has been paid in overtime premium pay in the department, and councilmen agreed to cut it out.

The Benstead Plunge will cost \$40,000 to operate and will show an income of only \$18,000 the fathers learned.  
 "But opinion on whether to raise taxes was still split.  
 "With county and school taxes going up, I'm in no mood to raise the city taxes. With economy and efficiency we can do it," declared Isen.

**New Taxes**  
 But Beasley disagreed. "We can't continue to have an engineering department like we have. If it needs new taxes, that's what'll have to be."  
 "The county and schools are going up. Mr. Hull has no compunction to raise taxes. We try to figure how to cut taxes, and here we're cutting employes and services when they're needed," said Bradford.  
 "Some employes out in the field could put in some work," he added.  
 "We've been holding the tax

### Plan Field Day

A family field day will be held by St. Lawrence Martyr Church June 7, on the athletic field, according to Greg Schiller, general chairman, and Joe Rooney, co-chairman.  
 Activities will include movies, games and races for boys and girls and softball for men and women. Refreshments will be served.  
 Line for years to save the county and schools' face," Beasley agreed.

### San Pedro PTA Council

"We Expand Our Circles of Co-operation Through Dedication" was the theme for the last meeting of the San Pedro Council of PTAs held Tuesday at the Retail Clerks Union Hall, 26949 Bellepointe Ave., Harbor City.  
 Formal installation of officers was held and historian and convention reports given.  
 The program "Down Memory Lane in Song with PTA" was presented by Crestwood Elementary School.

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**ORIGINAL DANCES**  
 Parents of students in Miss Lucette Senesac's class at Walteria School Thursday night saw their offspring perform in original dances based on the "Nutcracker Suite."

**LOMITA BUILDING**  
 Building permits with a valuation of \$6,476,575 were issued by the Lomita office of the Building and Safety Division last month. Of this amount, \$4,186,850 was for residential construction.

### Outside Help for Drain Work Asked

Recommendation that outside engineering firms design major flood control projects here out of a county-wide storm drain bond issue, was made Tuesday by Wade E. Peebles, director of public works.  
 He said that it is a necessity to expedite the work and also that his staff is not completely equipped to take on such major projects.

Peebles said there is, however, a great amount of lateral and feeder line work which could be done by the city staff provided the major projects, including Walteria, Walteria Lake and Torrance, are done by a private firm.  
 Funds for the multi-million dollar flood project are now available in the banks, waiting for the city to complete its plans, it was learned.

Former City Engineer Ronald W. Bishop, who quit two weeks ago, was originally slated to draw the plans.

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