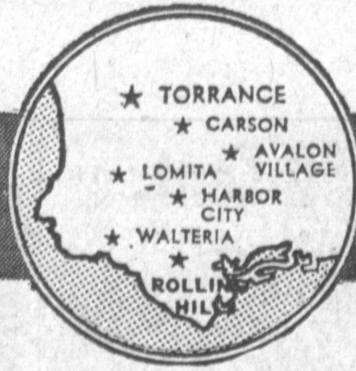


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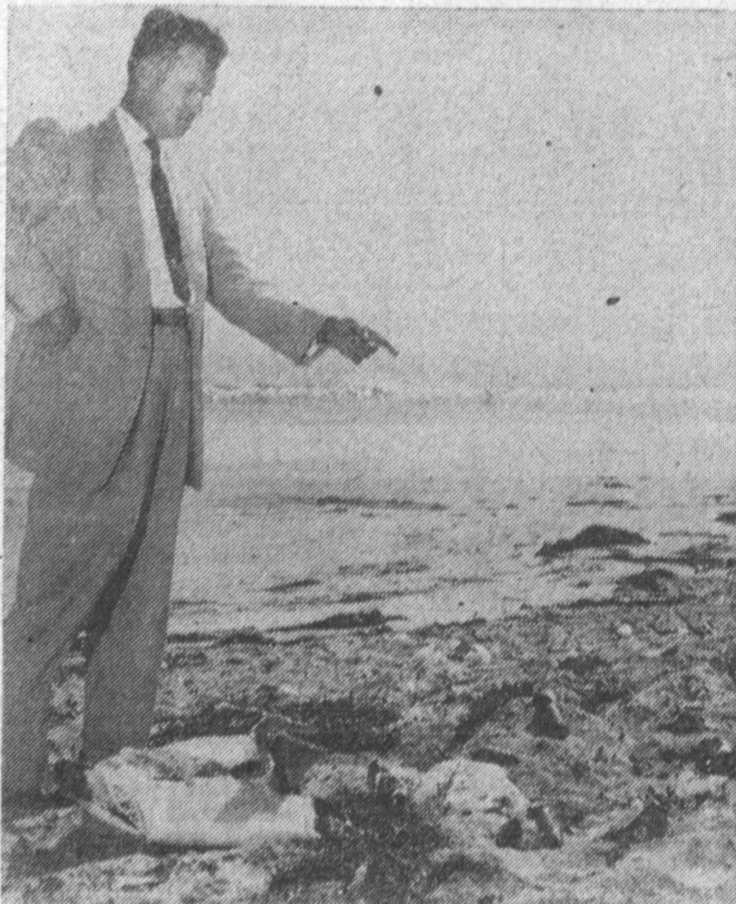
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TIME FOR CLEAN-UP—Up in arms over the "filthy" condition of the Torrance beach area, City Councilman George Vico, standing amidst broken bottles and debris, said today that the county has fallen down on its clean-up job. "We reported this condition more than two months ago, and we are still waiting for action," Vico declared.

Gov. Brown to Be Here for Prop. 1

Plans to present Governor Edmond Pat Brown here discussing the forthcoming water issue, Proposition 1, on the November ballot, were outlined today by a newly formed citizens committee.

Meeting at the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, the South Bay Citizens' Committee backing the water bill include Bill Sheppard, Hermosa Beach; Richard Pyle, Dick Fitzgerald, George Beattie, representing Gov. Brown, and John Barton.

Tentative plans focus on



UP AND AT 'EM—Proving "you can't keep a good man down," City Councilman J. A. Beasley prepares to leave South Bay Hospital today. Stricken with a heart attack recently, Beasley is rapidly recovering, according to his physician, but will need a few weeks of rest. Cards and letters are welcome to his home, 24248 Ward St., but "no visitors yet," says Beasley.

Torrance Press Boys Collecting for Month

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VOTERS DECIDE 50c TAX HIKE TUESDAY

City Planning Commissioner Says 'No Time Limit' Given, Urges 'No' Vote on Override

There is "no time limit" on the tax override proposed on Oct. 11 by the Torrance Unified School District's administration, Bert Lynn, president, Torrance Planning Commission declared today, urging a defeat for the tax.

"There is no stipulated end to the increases that would amount to \$50 per year to the average homeowner," Lynn stated. "The answer is obvious. They will always spend all the money at their disposal," he stated.

"We must have some assurance that the tax ends when the need ends," Lynn insisted. "This increase would make the override tax rate of the Torrance Unified School District the third largest of all school districts in the County," he added.

"Other districts, trusting the intelligence of their voters have put time limits on their override taxes. Their



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faith in the wisdom of the electorate was rewarded when the levies were renewed when a continuing need was shown," he declared. "Special taxes do not have

a way of eliminating themselves, as witness the still-imposed federal 'wartime' excise taxes."

"Oct. 11 is 'brain-washing day.' It is the culmination of a million dollar lobby pitching continuously in an attempt to influence parents," Lynn insisted.

"The Torrance School Administration, in doubting the future good judgment of its voters has threatened that failure on Oct. 11 would mean an end to athletics, health program, music lessons, etc. Who is kidding whom?" Lynn queried.

If the school administration cannot operate the system efficiently "without limitless high taxes, perhaps the voters should seek leaders who can manage on the present multi-million dollar annual budget," he added.

Board of Education Says 'We're Broke'

More than 37,000 registered voters, representing more than 100,000 population in Torrance, will go to the polls next Tuesday, Oct. 11 to decide the controversial school board's request for a 50 cent tax override.

Calling upon citizens and homeowners to approve the tax, school board officials have underscored the population growth here, the 27,000 school enrollment, and the fact that "the budget is depleted" as reasons for asking for the override.

"Cost of education mounts," Dr. J. H. Hull, school superintendent declared today. "Building of new homes at a record rate here, and the influx of young people mean we must keep pace by plan-

ning accordingly," Hull announced. Board budget is \$11,484,000, "and we have budgeted every cent of it," Hull announced. If the school tax override is approved, the budget next year will be more than \$12,000,000.

The last school tax override, 75 cents, was approved by voters here four years ago. As a public service, the Torrance Press is listing here the names and addresses of every school, where polls will be open next Tuesday, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Inspectors and judges are also listed:

Madison, 17515 Amie St., Genevra Dohner, Betty J. Hiner, Dorothy Stout; Carr, 3404 W. 168th St., Shirley Wolpert, Zola Larson, Mar-

tha Slack; Lincoln, 2418 W. 166th St., Dorothy Habbs, Fern M. Jensen, Barbara Knighten; Casimir, 17220 Casimir St., Dolores Long, Mary Potter, Annie Milton.

Arlington, 17800 Arlington Ave., Marian C. Sexton, Donna J. Chaille, Erma E. Haney; Hamilton, 2606 182nd St., Anita F. Griffin, Lucile M. Forsyth, Marjorie L. Betts; Crenshaw, 18620 Crenshaw Blvd., Lillian B. Adams, Dorothy G. Ton, Betty J. Escovar; Yukon, 17815 Yukon Ave., Genevieve McDonald, Barbara Hansen, Barbara Simmons; Perry, 17831 Prairie Ave., Edith G. McHugh, Mary Andersen, Betty Baillie.

Magruder, 4100 W. 185th St., Elvera C. Wright, Mary

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Groundbreaking Signals Area's Newest Supermarket

Ground breaking ceremonies today at 182nd St. and Hawthorne Blvd., has officially signaled beginning construction on the first Market Basket super market in the South Bay area.

Building is slated for an early start, with the opening of the 31,000 square foot market scheduled for early next spring. Neal D. Ramsey, president of the chain, announced today.

Present at the ceremony were Redondo Beach city officials including Mayor Lee Center, City Manager Francis E. Hopkins, Councilwoman for this district, Eunice Pat-

erson, Chief of Police Curt Richardson and Fire Chief Clarence Sneyary.

Torrance Mayor Albert Isen, State Assemblyman Charles E. Chapel and County Supervisor's Field Representative Paul Moore were also in attendance. Market Basket executives included Vice Presidents Duncan Shaw, Morris Brown and Albert J. Watson, and Chamber of Commerce managers Dick Fitzgerald of Torrance and Foster Day of Redondo Beach.

Adjacent to the market will be Zody's Department Store. The area will provide parking for 451 cars.

The super market will feature exterior panels of multi-colored mosaic set in aluminum and glass tops to provide an enduring, finish with intrinsic color, pattern and texture.

Basic construction materials in the building will include brick, tapered steel girders and built up roofing. Vinyl wall coverings will be used on the interior and floors will be terrazzo. A coordinated color scheme will be used throughout.

The store, one of ten scheduled to open next year by the chain is Market Basket's most southwestern location.

South Lions Club to Sponsor Free Eye Clinic Here

Eye make-up is one thing, but good eye-sight should never be taken for granted, members of the South Torrance Lions Club underscored this week, as they joined forces with eye specialists in the area planning an all-day free clinic.

The glaucoma detection clinic will be held at the Torrance Memorial Hospital throughout the day, next Saturday, Oct. 15.

Headed by Dr. Earl L. Lewis, 502 Torrance Blvd., and Dr. Richard Vendeland, 1304 El Prado, the all-day free clinic will be open to all age groups, Jim Matura, Lions' president, announced.

Early diagnosis, particularly for every adult over 40, is recommended by eye specialists, Lions members reminded.

Democrats Ready Plans to Honor Rep. Cecil King

A few tickets are still available for a dinner Oct. 15, honoring Congressman Cecil R. King, Democratic party sponsors announced today.

The event, at the Cockatoo Inn, 4334 W. Imperial Highway, Hawthorne, will honor the Democratic congressman for his eighteen years of service.

A resident of Inglewood, King is the third ranking member of the House Ways and Means Committee. He has represented the South Bay since 1942.

The 17th Congressional District Democratic Council is sponsoring the event.

Dr. R. Bishop, Noted Local Dentist, Dies

Dr. Richard Frederick Bishop, DDS, 54, of 1433 El Prado, Torrance, native of Colorado, resident here for 35 years passed away yesterday, Oct. 4. Rosary will be said Friday, 8 p.m. at Halverson Leavell Chapel, with Mass Saturday, 9 a.m. at the Nativity Church.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. McCarthy will officiate with Interment at All Souls Cemetery.

Dr. Bishop is survived by his wife Edna, daughter, Mrs. Ann Marie Collingsworth, and three grandchildren; Richard Earl, Gary Glen, and Donna Marie of Torrance, two sisters, Anita and Catherine, two brothers, Emmett of Norwalk and Walter of San Jose. Bishop was past president of Torrance Kiwanis Club.



EARLY BIRDS — "From a little acorn... and from your little story, my!" says Torrance Postmistress Mrs. Clara Conner, as she surveys an early turnout at the post-

office here. The post office will hire extra help for the Christmas mailing rush and the above crowd was in line for early applications.

Polio Walloped Here This Week



A SHOT IN TIME—With Torrance rolling up its sleeves in an all-out battle against polio, immunization shots are available tonight, Friday and Saturday throughout the area. Here, young "Dr." Stephen Copelin uses the wrong instrument, but the right idea on "patient" Vincent Shay.

The specter of polio, which haunts the children in a tract home as well as the youngsters in a hilltop mansion, will get a healthy wallop tonight as a result of crash programs offered here.

Eligible for these shots are minors under 21 years of age, unmarried, and not in the armed services. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Charge for the polio immunization shots is \$1 per shot.

A first inoculation under the accelerated crash program will be offered local residents this evening at Normandale playground, 22400 S. Halldale Ave., under auspices of the County Medical Association.

First, second, third and booster shots will be given tonight from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Jefferson Elementary School, 21717 Talisman St. Mrs. L. A. Ensminger is chairman of this project.

The Hillside School, 25600 Crenshaw Blvd., is also the setting of first, second, third and booster shots, tomorrow, Friday, Oct. 7, from 7 to 9 p.m. Mrs. Eric Borner is chairman.

The Robert Delaplaine Medical Center, 198 E. Carson St., is set to give first, second, third and booster shots Saturday, Oct. 8, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dr. Robert Delaplaine is chairman of this project.

A series of polio clinics will be sponsored by the Seventh Day Adventist Church, in Redondo Beach, beginning tonight, 6:30 to 9:30, at the Clark Stadium Community building, 861 Valley Drive, Hermosa Beach.

Committee of local mothers volunteering to aid in the crash programs throughout the area includes: Mmes. John Bankard, James Horne, Robert Dossey, Herbert Owens, Charles Burke, Robert Ichekawa.

Also Mmes. Joe Danford, Richard Heitmeyer, Stephen Sampson, Al Chambers, Ronald Blacker, Robert Soloday, J. Smith, Dale Frazer.

Tetanus shots will also be offered interested adults at the Normandale playground, according to Y. F. Hammett and Gloria Jensen, recreation directors.