Name Eardley to Planning Commission



CHECK FOR CAUSE-A spectacular fire in a paint booth at Air Overhaul, Inc., 22597 South Western, was quickly controlled Wednesday morning after engines from Truck Company No. I arrived. Here fireman How-

ard Schneider and Fire Marshal R. R. Lucas poke through the ruins trying to determine cause of the blaze. Damage is estimated in excess of \$5000.

ACTIVE IN COMMUNITY

Civil Engineer Appointed to Fill Vacancy on Planning Commission

Torrance City Council last week approved the appointment of Civil Engineer John K. Eardley to the vacancy on the city's planning commission.

Eardley, who has been a resident of the city since 1953, makes his home with his wife, Betty, teacher in local schools, and his two children.

He received his bachelor of science in civil engineering Scandinavian Prof from the University of Arizona and took graduate work Switches Jobs at USC. He is a certified en- Intricacies of local politics

Busy in community activi-structor Ivar R. Bjorndal. hood commissioner for the dal, who is spending the year All-American City. Boy Scouts, is a member of at El Camino on a Fulbright Toastmasters International, Exchange Teaching Fellowis a member of the Junior Chamber and the Chamber of ship from Norway. Commerce and contributes He listened to speeches,

making the appointment, the major parties in the South-bilant over the results he ob- on December 6 service that a civil engineer land. could provide for the city of "This has been a fascinating Press classified ad last week. Torrance while serving in the week for me," Bjorndal said key planning commission po- Thursday after returns in the ble selling it," he said, "I sold the subject, "Is America Fac-

storm drains for the city in keeps you guessing," he add-so many calls for the item the public, Mrs. Rosevelt will 1954-55, working for the city ed. Tucson, Arizona, building Br. Bjorndal lives with his I am most certainly pleased." jum; her lecture is one of a Dalton, Jack Knott and John department, working for the wife, Eva, and son, Arild, at Classified advertise-series being sponsored by the M. Shipley. To qualify for the and for the city of Yuma, Beach.

cated last month by the restory instructor Will Scoggins ignation of William E. King, of Manhattan Beach

Figure Stricken by Heart Attack

popular North Torrance the Torrance area. sports figure was stricken with a heart attack last week it was revealed today by Mil-health measures, a resolution ton Korchensky, President of of intention concerning the

Hospital reported last night 227th St. in Torrance. that Prior is resting well and

gineer in California, Arizona make a fascinating study for football and baseball ven-sale of bonds in the amount groups to better promote made by the South Bay sented to six adult scouters, ties, Eardley is a neighbor- It's all new to Dr. Bjorn- good sportsmanship in the Union High School District. from the area who have ex-

Praises Press's

Councilmen stressed, in the headquarters of both ercy Ave., Torrance, was jutained from his Torrance

Eardley's activities in his tle seemed nearly complete, the way to handle the sale of 6 at 8:30 p.m. profession include designing "The electoral college system an unwanted article. I had Addressing students and Torrance Press and brought

U. S. Bureau of Reclamation 1604 Esplanade, Redondo ment that appeared in the associated students. This year he switched jobs such a rush of replies, was: now available for \$1.00 each He will fill the position vawith El Camino College hisated last month by the restory instructor Will Scoggins

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periences and must then participate in five additional of Mines would map portions 20," \$15; 24", Girls 26", \$10. campus center.



Mrs. Roosevelt Commerce and contributes time and energy to church and PTA activities. He listened to speeches, two and energy to church the polling booths and visited the polling booths are polling booths a

will appear on the campus of Dr. Howard A. Wood, also of The proposal was initiated "I didn't have a bit of trou- El Camino College to discuss Torrance. nip-and-tuck Presidential bat- it right now! This is certainly ing World Leadership?" Dec.

Tickets for the public are

The series, planned by the student council, has brought

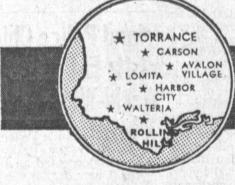
such personalities as Clement Attlee, Chet Huntley Richard Armour and Vincent Price to the campus in past semesters. Plans for the coming lecture are being directed by a

student committe headed by Rickie Fraboni, chairman. Assisting her are Phyllis Dunn, reception; Terry Harmon, transportation; Nancy Wilkie, publicity and Phil Anderson, house operation. FAMED RELATIVE

Born into the Oyster Bay branch of the Roosevelt family on Oct.11, 1884, the year Grover Cleveland was first elected president, Eleanor Roosevelt watched her Uncle Theodore rise in New York politics, help boss the Navy, emerge a hero from the war with Spain, win the governorship of New York, become the vice president, succeed to the presidency and steer the Republican party in a progressive direction.

Then she married another Roosevelt-a cousin from the Hyde Park branch and watched him plunge into politics and help boss the Navy, aided him through the agony (Continued on page 2-A

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Superior Court Post to Judge J. A. Shidler

County Board to Move-up in Local Judgeships Noted **Consider Land Acquisition Here**

A resolution to condemn land for the acquisition of property for a County Probation Department building site in the city of Torrance will head the agenda for next Tuesday's meeting of the Board of Supervisors in Los

Submitted by the County Counsel, the supervisors will be asked to adopt the reso-

Bob Prior well-known and list of recommendations for

Other items included in the list will be resolutions to adopt a specific roster of North Torrance Babe placing of sewers in the vicinity of 219th St., opening of Authorities at Gardena for road improvements in

Supervisors will also re-



Awards and special recognition for Torrance scouting El Camino College history in- tures; working with youth of \$1,000,000. Request will be executives headed the agenda. Awards of merit were pre-

Bonds will be sold to pay for emplified outstanding parti-Bonds will be sold to pay for emplined outstanding improvements within the discipation in their communities, churches and in scout-

JOHN A. SHIDLER

... Superior Court

AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS

Recipients of the order of merit award are James Jar- tion to speed up State and osch, Ronald Koiler, Delmar Federal geological surveys of Kern, Milton Huber, Lew the western Santa Monica Silverman and Jack Knott. mountains and the Palos Silverman, Huber and Kern Verdes hills was approved are all residents of Torrance. recently by the County Board Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt Presentation was made by of Supervisors.

Also recognized were other Lambie, who told the Board, adult volunteer leaders who "development of hilly and were presented with training mountainous areas in recent awards. The Scouters Key years has made geologic fac-was awarded to Ray Anderthat my phone rang all day, speak in the college gymnas-son, E. P. Brady, Kenneth L. —many of the existing are in-Key, the candidate must com- Under the contract applete three basic training ex- proved by the Board last fields of training.

> Inside the Press





WILLIAM E. McFADEN

. . . Municipal Judge

County financial participa-

by County Engineer John A

of the Palos Verdes hills with

the County funding \$3,000 of

that program during the cur-

cal Survey will map portions

of the western Santa Monica

at a cost to the County of

The United States Geologi-

rent fiscal year.

Moveup in the ranks of local judges was announced this week by Governor Edmund G. Brown as he appointed a municipal court jurist to the Superior Court bench and then appointed a Redondo Beach attorney to replace him on the municipal level. Superior Court post went to four daughter live in the Judge John A. Shidler of Tor- Hollywood Riviera area of

Redondo Beach

Attorney Will

Replace Jurist

rance, presiding official at the Torrance. South Bay Municipal Court. Shidler is the first of local Named to fill the vacancy jurists to receive an appoint- on the municipal court bench was William E. McFaden, Rement to Superior Court.

A former member of the dondo Beach attorney Torrance Unified School District Board of Education, has lived in California since Shidler is a native of Califor- 1915, attended local schools, nia and attended Torrance and graduated from Redondo public schools. He is a gradu- Union High School and the ate of Stanford. He was appointed city Los Angeles. The newly ap-

judge of Torrance in 1941 and pointed judge received his was elected justice of the law degree from Loyola Unipeace in 1947. He was elected versity. to the municipal court in 1952 and re-elected to that posi-police judge in Redondo

er in the Episcopal church. est judge. Judge Shidler is married In 1941, he became city

Beach in 1934 and 1935 while He is a member of the Ma- he was still in law school, sonic lodge, the Torrance Ro- and, at the age of 21, was tary Club and is a lay read-known as the nation's young-

The 49-year old attorney

University of California at

Judge McFaden served as

to Rosemary DeCamp, motion attorney of Redondo Beach picture, radio and television and held a similar position actress. The couple, and their in Hawthorne in 1945.

COUNTY SUBMITS

Tentative Proposal For Expanded Library Program Before Council

City Councilmen Wednesday evening agreed to a new contract with the county's library division, provided that the approval of the Board of Supervisors is obtained first.

Proposed term for the new contract, which would also provide for expanding floor areas of present libraries, would be for five

Discussions held on the community project have been tentative, Stanley Remelmeyer, city attorney, reported. Wednesday's session was held for the purpose of determining city policy on the proposal.

Appearing before the council, John D. Henderson, county librarian. stated that Torrance may be selected as the site for a regional branch if the contract is signed.

Included in a suggested future library plan for Torrance, submitted to the council by Henderson were proposals to nearly double the floor space of the El Retiro Park library. an expansion project at the North Torrance branch library, and the construction of a new building in Waltenia.

Henderson also noted that the city needed a central library building of about 20,000 square feet floor space, which would include an adult reading



SCOUT EXECS HONORED--Torrance scouting officials were honored during last week's 38th annual meeting of the Harbor district at the Hacienda Hotel. Shown receiving Awards of Merit for their scouting activities

are Lew Silverman, Dr. Howard A. Wood, who made the presentation, Milton Huber and Delmar Kern. Each of the four is from



OPENING DAY CEREMONIES—Prominent local officials and representatives of community organizations will be present tomorrow noon for the opening day ceremonies of the beautiful new Silverwoods Store in Del Amo Center, and the equal-

ly attractive Wetherby Kayser Shoe Store which adjoins. Both shops will feature exclusive and top name brand items and both will remain open until 9 p. m. following the ceremonies. (Story on page 3-A.)