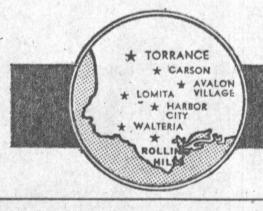
# Submit Petition to Oust Little League

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vacant position in the city's

certain extent, by civil serv-

ice regulations, elimination

of his job could force him

Other job changes sug-

gested by the council in-

cluded transfer of a elerk-

typist from the public

works office to another de-

partment and elimination

of a junior civil engineer

from the engineering staff.

This would be counteracted

by adding a civil engineer-

out of the city's service.

Although protected, to a

service.

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### SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 1961 10c A COPY City May Chop Administrative Posts from Employee Roster



BEACH WEATHER BEGINS-Torrance residents packed the sand at Torrance beach areas this weekend to stave off the effects of muggy weather and to celebrate the closing of school. Until the beginning of school and the end of summer in September, beaches will be the most popular areas in the community.

Here Janet Rader, 15, Sandy Fossen, 16, Tina Killian, 15, and Ginger Ryan, 15, find a convenient spot, close to the water and the snack shacks, and prepare to spend the first day of a care-

### **Petitioners Seek** To Oust Little League from Site

Petitions bearing in excess of 500 signatures demanding that a Torrance Little League be denied use of the Victor Tract park site was handed to jobs during budget work park and recreation commissioners during their meeting Wednesday night.

Southwood National Little League is currently playing on a parcel of city-owned property near the intersection of Spencer and Victor streets, property that has been earmarked for a future park site.

Owners of nearby property asked that the league be ousted from the land and that development of the park begin immediately, in spite of assurances from commissioners that no money was available for the development.

Recreation department and school officials reported that they had recently inspected a sump site in the vicinity of the proposed park which might be converted into a Little League field if theplayers should lose their present playing ground. The sump, reported Harry Van Bellehem, recreation director, and S. E. Waldrip, assistant sup-erintendent of schools, is on

## ment head, Wade Peebles, basis, might thus find himing assistant and a senior self without a post when last month, might have engineering aid to the same the new city manager is more difficulty finding a

**Deletion of Key Posts** 

**Awaits Council Action** 

Council could choose to

retain him as city manager

or, possibly, appoint him to

the assistant city manager's

post, vacant since Chapman,

Bone resigned last month

to take over as city admini-

SECOND POST

due for erasure is presently

held by Douglas Horlander,

who was involved in widely

publicized differences of

opinion with hisdetnosoent

opinion with his depart-

Second position reported

strator of La Mirada.

Two key administrative hired.

positions with the City of

Torrance may be eliminated

in current reshuffling of

A strong possibility ex-

ists that the positions of

senior administrative assis-

tant and assistant director

of public works may be de-

leted from the city's roster.

ger John Bramhall, who

holds the first of the two

positions on a permanent

Present acting city mana-

sessions.

senior coeds from Torrance receive apples symbolizing the fact that they are future teachers who will receive \$600 scholarships from the Torrance Education "Assn., teacher

OUTSTANDING SCHOLARS . . .

group. Here President Willard G. Andreasen presents the apples to Patricia Wallace, North High; Marilyn Flynn, South High; and Kimiye Takeuchi, Torrance High.

## school property. No action was taken on the Torrance Gas Co. Manager to Head Salvation Army Building Campaign

## **Stages Daring**

bar last week and escaped building fund drive.

that the bandit held up The Funds will be used for com-Retreat, a tavern at 3603 Paci-pleting construction and re- Dept. Warns to fic Coast Highway and or- modeling projects at Booth dered owner Sidney Nevell to Memorial Hospital for the Watch for 'Kids'

51 other cities Belding said bandit forced Nevell into a he found that the average per capita support from the clothline rope and escaped. Two Suspects in

business and professional community was 74 cents per a few minutes and called pocapita. Currently the For- lice. Bandit made his escape rance Chamber of Commerce in Nevell's automobile which has a per capita support of he abandoned about a mile from the scene.

The Torrance Council, PTA. this week warned parents of man on duty with the Los in Sacramento today. He adteenaged daughters, that an Angeles City police depart- mitted he is mindful of his

Mrs. M. H. Spaulding, di- up in progress. Belding upon his acceptance. due on July 1 and delinquent rector of communications for "Skills of business leaders on September 30. the council, stated, "We of the two suspects fled but running into the street. In financing the operations of A fifty percent penalty will Torrance Council PTA have were captured a few minutes watch out for kidestrians! their firms can readily apply be charged for licenses that been advised that a telephone later by Ken's partner, Leon Torrance area and the man outside for Kent. ber of Commerce," Belding Cost of the dog tags is \$3. making the telephone calls Pike is alleged to be the old summer time really mem-Each dog to be licensed must says he is representing the suspect who killed the offi- orable by a valiant and effec-CHAMBER'S STRENGTH be over four months old and Torrance Council. For the in-"The overall program, must have a valid rabies cer-formation of all concerned, there is NO PTA survey being SCHOOL BOARD MEET

# **Motor Vehicles**

As California schools close After taking the money the for the Harbor Light Center. for the summer, Robert Mc-Carthy State Director of Motor Vehicles, says there will be over three-and-a-half million kids in and about millions of California's motor Two ex-convicts, charged cars as they take off on the

"The youngsters feeling their vacation oats can make The two, Charles Luther distracting passengers and Pike, 27, a transient, and tour directors for parents, re-Richard D. Ceniceros, 35, of latives, and friendly hosts Monterey Park, are charged driving them about on the inwith the shooting death of numerable vacation pursuits Richard D. Kent, 30, of 18500 available in the Golden South Spinning Ave., a police- State," the Director declared own responsibility in driving

"Equally important is an street, sometimes all too for-After shooting the officer getful about the hazard of

elyn Flynn, South, will receive the awards. The scholarships are set up to the development of sound are allowed to run into the de- survey is being made in the J. Poor, 37, who was waiting ental and otherwise, can save through funds collected through the teachers' united charity drive. The winners were chosen by the T.E.A. executive board. out of the picture.

"Lets keep 'em playing all Second school board meet-summer long, with no casual- Takechui, 2076 W. 236th Tuesday evening in the dis-safety standard in our driv- class and has a straight ping up the warning signal arship Federation presi-

Teaching Scholarships Given by T. E. A. Three senior coeds from dent, song queen, member of the annual staff, news schools have been picked as editor of the student paper, winners of \$600 scholarand in various other student offices. She also has been active in Y-Teens, Girl dreasen, president of the

**Three Torrance Co-eds Named Winners of** 

Torrance High; Patrica Robert L. Wallace, 19403 Falda, Miss Wallace has been active at North in the

> WANTED CARRIER BOYS CALL CIRCULATION

Park St., has been song queen, class officer, Grid Princess, Cotton Ball Princess, and one of the top 15 in competition for Homecoming Queen. She has been active in G.A.A., Scholarship Society, and Future Business Leaders of America. She has worked as a model and for a printing firm.

the Lawrence Flynns, 23464



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### SEEKS SUPPORT . . . **Armed Bandit**

### Chamber Names Belding as Daylight Raid **Key Membership Chairman**

William E. Belding has been appointed chairman of with about \$125 after tying the membership and finance committee by William E. Shaw-up the owner. ger, president of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, it was Investigating officers said sonnel. reported last week.

"The criteria of a successful Chamber of Commerce a membership that sup-

ports its 'Program of Work' backbone of such an organi- hand over the day's reciepts Army's summer camp prowith ample funds and suita- zation is its committee on from the cash register. ble physical assistance," said membership and finance."

Comparing Torrance with 25 cents.

> "If the Torrance Chamber of Commerce is to be the community salesman it must have adequate financial support from the business and profesadequate financial support sional members of the community," Belding concluded.

### **Dog Licenses Due** On July 1, Says **Humane Society**

City of Torrance officials this week announced that questions. 1961 dog licenses will become 'Skills of business leaders on September 30.

financing plans for the Cham-linquent period.

strength and accomplish-tificate. ments of any Chamber of Licenses may be obtained made and furthermore, PTA Commerce or any organiza- at the South Bay Humane So- NEVER conducts any survey ing of the month will be held ties caused by lapses from the St., is valedictorian of her tion is based on the activity ciety, 20336 Earl St., Tor- by telephone." and work of its committees rance, or at Torrance City Police department officials trict's administrative offices, ing. This means cutting down "A" and all members, both indi- Hall, business license depart- have been notified of the 2335 Plaza Del Amo. Meeting on the speed factor, and step- served as California Scholvidually and as a whole. The ment.

WILLIAM BELDING

... Named Chairman

unknown man, representing ment. himself as conducting a sur- The police officer was shot his ten children about on holivey for the PTA, is calling by and killed when he walked day chores from time to time. telephone and asking obscene into a Los Angeles surplus "Equally important is an store to purchase flashlight alert to watch for kids as persure to the properties of the prop

Edward Gregory, manager of the Torrance office of A daring bandit staged a the Southern California Gas Company, this week was named daylight raid on a Torrance Chairman for the Salvation Army's \$2,500,000

> Gregory's first step, he said, will be to appoint key committee chairmen and per-

gram for needy children and

with murder of a Torrance highways for the holidays. man, went on trial Friday in Inglewood Superior Court.

batteries and found the hold- destrians, playing close to the

will begin at 8 p.m.

"Have kids, will travel!"

"California motorists, parlives and help make the good tive effort to keep accidents

Miss Takeuchi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shumichi

Torrance's three high

ships for future teachers,

according to Willard An-

Torrance Education Assn.,

Seniors Kimiyo Takouchi,

Wallace, North; and Mari-

teacher group.

Scouts and the Young Buddist Assn. NORTH HS GRAD Daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Future Teacher Club, G.A.A., Spanish Club, and Scholarship Society. Her father is a teacher and brother, George, is currently taking teacher training. Miss Flynn, daughter of

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