



**NAMEPLATE** ... John F. Parkinson, assistant general manager of Los Angeles Harbor, and senior pilot boat operator Capt. Ernest Zeher (far right) present the nameplate from the retired pilot boat, Stephen M. White, to the junior high school of the same name. Accepting the memento on behalf of the school are Curtis Black, student body president, and Kenny McGee, honor student who first conceived the idea of turning the name plate over to the junior high school.

### Pilot Boat Nameplate Given to Junior High

Fifteen-year-old Kenny McGee and his classmates at Stephen M. White Junior High School are beaming over the gift they received on behalf of their school from the Port of Los Angeles.

Kenny, a ninth grader, had read a newspaper report about the Los Angeles Harbor Department retiring its faithful old pilot boat after 33 years of service. What really sparked Kenny's interest was that the boat bore the same name as that of his school—Stephen M. White.

White, the man, was a California state senator called "father of the harbor," because of his efforts in the late 1800's to obtain federal funds for development of the Port of Los Angeles.

Spurred on by avid school spirit, Kenny reasoned that if the old boat wasn't going to be used again, why wouldn't it be a good idea for the Harbor to give his school the nameplate that hung for so many years from the boat's side.

When George D. Watson, president of the Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners, heard about Kenny's idea, he talked to the school's principal, Albert Cartright, to make Kenny's idea a reality.

The idea was presented to harbor officials who agreed that the halls of the Stephen M. White Junior High School would certainly be a proper place for the esteemed nameplate.

### School Board

#### Absentee Ballots Available

Absentee ballots for the April 20 Torrance school election will be issued by the County Superintendent of Schools beginning March 22.

Applicants may secure the necessary forms from the Special Services office of the Torrance Unified School District, 2335 Plaza del Arco. Applications for absentee ballots must be returned by 5 p.m. April 13 to the County Superintendent of Schools.

Requests for the ballots should be addressed to the Division of Elections, 155 W. Washington Blvd., Los Angeles 90015.

Persons who will be out of town on election day, those who are physically unable to go to the polls, and those persons whose religious beliefs prevent them from going

ENTERS HOSPITAL  
 Tod Michael McClanahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McClanahan, 1564 W. 221st St., has been admitted as a patient at Los Angeles Orthopaedic Hospital.

to the polls are eligible for absentee ballots.

Three members of the board are to be elected during the April 20 balloting.

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### Brotherhood Program on Mission Set

Members of the First Lutheran Church Brotherhood recently toured the Union Rescue Mission in Los Angeles. President Cliff Cathy led the group on the tour.

Following inspection of the sleeping, medical, kitchen, and other facilities, the group participated in an evening service. Clothing collected by the Brotherhood was presented to the mission for distribution to needy men.

The Brotherhood is planning a program around the mission for their meeting next Monday. Cathy urged all members to attend. A potluck dinner will start at 6:45, with the regular meeting beginning about 7:45.

### Elementary Students Attend Spartan Drama Production

"World of Mr. K Believe" is a production of the South High drama department, will be presented for elementary school children on the South High campus March 18 and 23. The production includes the plays "Cinderella" and "Sentimental Scarecrow." It was presented for 346 students from Waveria, Hillside, Newton, and Seaside schools last week. Reports from both students and teachers who saw the two plays were the basis for planning the two additional performances, according to Ronald Children, drama instructor. Members of the South High PTA assisted elementary teachers during the performance.

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