



BUILDING CRANE... Three fifth grade students at Arlington School will enter a motorized crane which they are building in the Arlington School Science Fair.

Port of Los Angeles Subject of TV Film

Television viewers will be presented a one-hour special of the Port of Los Angeles June 9 at 8:30 p.m. over Los Angeles Station KTLA, channel 5.

Some subjects have already been filmed and footage on several past special harbor events has been selected for inclusion in the final film story.

A SERIES of historical photographs illustrating the tremendous changes at the harbor in the last fifty years, will show the early rudiments from which today's \$185 million port complex was built.

The program will include personal interviews with Mayor Samuel Yorty and Harbor General Manager Bernard J. Caughlin.

KTLA has assigned producer-writer Tony Potter to handle production chores, according to George D. Watson, president of the Board of Harbor Commissioners.

Work Force Sets New March High

More persons were working in California last month than in any previous March, and the jobless rate was the same as a year ago.

At 6,640,000, total civilian employment was up by 179,000 or 2.8 per cent, from the previous March record set a year ago.

Main over-the-year losses within manufacturing continued to be centered in the aerospace complex, in addition, employment in the fabricated metals industry was down from last year because of a trade dispute.

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Road Work Expansion Approved

The first major thoroughfare project will have converted 223rd Street into a four-lane, 80-foot-wide "master-planned highway" between Alameda and Normandie.

First step in the project, for which the Los Angeles County Road Department has approved final plans, will be the one-mile section between Wilmington Avenue and Avalon Boulevard.

This section, which adjoins the Watson Industrial Center, will be widened initially from two to four lanes, with further widening scheduled for the near future.

The County Road Department says it selected the Avalon-Wilmington stretch of 223rd for the first phase of its road improvement project "because of the anticipated heavy traffic generated by the new Watson Industrial Center."

The center, of which the first 236 acres is now under development, eventually will have more than 100 industrial plants and facilities.

Next step in the project will be the nearly-one-mile section between Avalon and Main Street, also scheduled for improvement this spring.

When completed, the long, 17-foot-wide right-of-way to the county for the improvement between Wilmington and Avalon.

Engineering plans for the widening of this section were prepared under the direction of the William J. Moran Company, which also is directing the development and market-

ing of the Watson Center. Construction on the first section is expected to start in May and take about six weeks.

Redondo Senior Wins Zone Prize

Thomas Erik Krig, a senior at Redondo Beach Union High School, has won first place in vocational arts in zone competition of the Bank of America's annual Achievement Awards program.

Krig will compete May 12 in the County finals. He has won at least \$150 in cash and may win up to \$1,000.

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GI home loan applications increased from 1,472 in February to 1,865 in March, Mort Webster, VA's Southern California manager, has reported.

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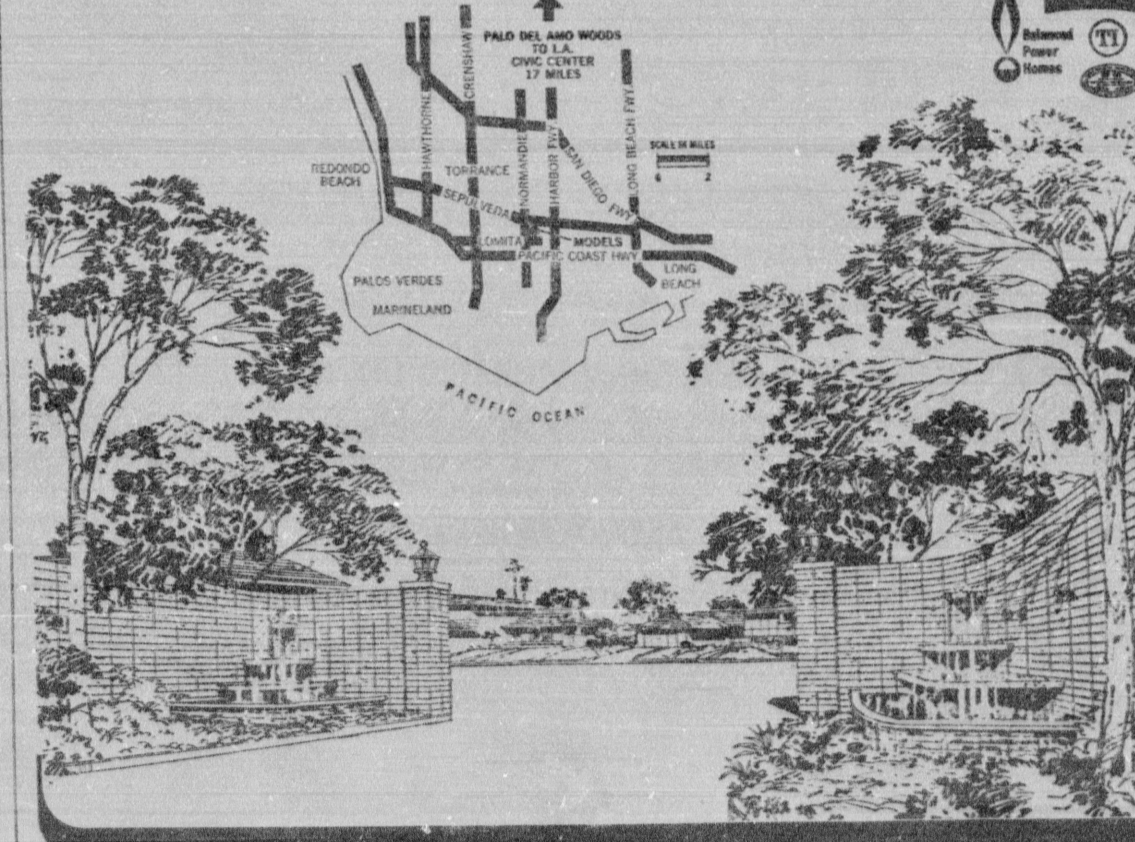
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