

NEW DIRECTOR . . . Ben Haggott, 23250 Roberts Road, is sworn in as the Tor-rance representative on the MWD Board of Directors. Administering the oath of office is Paulina Jacobs, secretary to the district's general counsel. Haggott replaces George Vico, who previously represented the city of Torrance on the MWD Board.

Welfare Law Notes Birthday

rity district manager in Tor-rance has announced. On 65 and older. Today, one that date 33 years ago, Pre-sident Franklin D. Roosevelt signed Social Security into law. In the relatively short time Social Security has changes in the program the program State of the security in the country is protected by social security. In fact each month 24 million peo-ple are receiving more than \$2 billion in benefits. ACCORDING to Davis, of changes in the program

changes in the program have been made. The orgin-al law only provided benefits for retired workers. Now, workers — and their families — are protected. And not only when they re-tire, but also if they die or become disabled before reaching retirement age.

Social Security celebrated its 33rd birthday Aug. 14, Miles A. Davis, Social Secu-Hedicare, which provides rance has announced. On best divided for the security has also been expanded to include best provided for the security has also people. Today's young work-divided for the security has also people. Today's young work-expension of the security has also people. Today's young work-dependents will be provided for in the event of an for in the event of an emergency. Therefore, the idea that Social Security is only for the elderly is a popular misconception. Anyone who would like

more information about his \$2 billion in benefits. ACCORDING to Davis, of all the recent changes in the law, the most important has been more liberal eligibility Security office. more information about ns rights under the Social Secu-rity law may write, visit, or phone his local Social Security office.

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