## **Armed Forces**

Seaman Appren. Jack A. Peres, USCG, 18, son of Mr. John Peres of 25916 Market Place, Lomita, was grad-uated from basic training at the Coast Guard Recruit Training Center, Alameda, Calif., Sept. 9.

Army Pvt. Ernest L. Enri-quez, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Enriquez, and wife, Gloria, live at 510 S. Irena, Redondo Beach, completed a general supply course Aug. 23 at Ft. Ord.

Aviation Structural Me-Aviation Structural Me-chanic Airman Christopher P. Shilinga, USN, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Shilinga of 2903 Blaisdell Ave., Re-dondo Beach. is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Hanceck on USS Hancock carrier Station off the coast of North Vietnam.



WILLIAM J. BARNES Cadet William J. Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rayson of Mr. and Mrs. Ray-mond W. Barnes of 424 W. 214th St., is one of more than 850 cadets who have entered their sophomore year at the U.S. Air Force Academy.

Pvt. Clayton C. Gorbet, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Gorbet of 2156 W. 240th St., Lomita, completed with honors a four-week medical supply procedures course at Brooke Army Medical Cen-ter, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., August. 20.

Sgt. Gary L. Parry, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R Parry of 556 Desford St., has been graduated from a U.S. chanic



Staff Sgt. Donald E. Arm strong, son of Mrs. Harold E. Ballard of 804 Crenshaw Blvd., is on duty at Da Nang AB, Vietnam, Sergeant Armstrong, an

administrative supervisor, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces Before his arrival in Vietnam, he was assigned to Vandenberg AFB, Calif.

Army Pvt. John C. Perdon, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eisse Perdon of 2244 Pacific Coast Hwy., Lomita, completed a

field communications crew-man course Aug. 30 at Ft. Ord, Calif. . . .

Fireman Appren. Roger A. Benton, USN, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Benton of 3909 W. 186th St., and Fireman Appren. Victor L. Cafarchia, USN, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Cafarchia of 2255 W. 290th Place. acc. serving W. 229th Place, are serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Hancock on Yakee Station off the cost of

North Vietnam. Army Pvt. James R. Perk-ins, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Perkins of 20709 Budlong, completed a wheeled vehicle mechanic course Aug. 23 at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

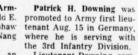
Seaman Appren. Ro<sup>n</sup>ald B. Jordan, USN, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Jordan of 108 E. 227th St., is serving with U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion Eight (MCB-8) in South Vietnam.



JEFFERY HEINTZ Airman Jeffrey L. Heintz, son of Mrs. Vir-ginia R. Heintz of 3922

cessing machine operator

Street.



Lieutenant Downing, commander of Company A, 2nd Battalion of the division's 15th Infantry near Wildflec-ken, entered the Army in 1960. He holds the Air Medal and the Combat Med-

ical Badge. The 25-year-old officer The 25-year-old officer was graduated from high school in Mobile, Ala., in 1962. His father, P. H. Downing, lives at 18404 Haas Ave. His wife, Patri-cia, is with him in Germany.

Navyman George R. Bur-chetti, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Burchette of 25212 Andrea St., Lomita, is serving aboard the Seventh fleet destroyer USS Brinklay Base in the South Brinkley Bass in the South China Sea.

ANTHONY J. GRASSO

Airman Anthony J. Gras-so, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Anthony J. Grasso of 2325 W. 182nd St., has been assigned to the U.S. Naval Station, Port

Hueneme, Calif., for spe-cialized schooling as an

Air Force construction specialist, Airman Grasso is a 1966 graduate of North High school and also studied at El Ca-

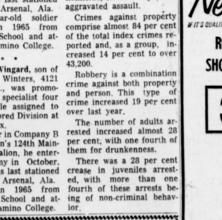
mino College.

Crime Report Given Crime statistics for the

committee.

1967-1968 period were released by Sheriff Peter J. Pitchess in his Department's Annual Crime Statistics Report. This report is a comprehensive statistical analysis of criminal activity in that portion of Los Angeles County that is the exclusive patrol jurisdiction of the Sheriff.

The total number of ma-Anthony J. Abruscato, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome G. Abruscato of 18818 Font-hill Ave., was promoted to Army specialist four Aug. 28 jor offenses reported last year was 51,300, a 14 per cent increase over 1966-1967. Crime increased in all seven major categories with forcible rape and robbery leading the way.



## Area Entrants Win **Fair Blue Ribbons**

domestic arts show at the knitted skirt and overblouse Los Angeles County Fair and knitted dress; Viola H. which opened recently in- Wheeler, 2442 West 235th cludes exhibitors from Tor- St., women's crocheted slip-

St., antique majolica plate; Ann Kustich, 915 Beech Ave., antique glass celery.

tray, pitcher and spoon holder; Mrs. Lucy M. Matson, 4322 West 176th St., cotton quilt; Sandor Mildovich,

LAUNCH CAMPAIGN . . . Assemblyman L. E. (Larry) Townsend (second from left) is flanked by top campaign leaders as he launches his bid for re-election to the 67th Assembly District seat. With the Torrance Democrat are Torrance Councilman J. A. Beasley (at left), Redondo Beach Councilman David K. Hay-ward, and Redondo Beach City Manager Francis Hopkins. Hayward was host for a kickoff luncheon attended by some 23 members of the Townsend campaign committee.

First-place winners in the son, 1502 East Carson St., er scarf, pillow cases, table runner, and tray cloth.

First place winners from omita were:

Helen Chitwood, 1908 West 261st St., chair seat on chair; Joe Kuska, 24201 Walnut, antique Tiffany glass; and, Mrs. Nellie Kuska, 24201 Walnut, Parian or

For nearly a decade, the great debate between broadcasters and politicians has centered on two little words: equal time. The law says if broadcasters let one on, they must let 'em all on.

Assignment TV

By TERRENCE O'FLAHERTY

Many people were under the impression that the Presidential election of 1960 was between the Democrats and the Republicans but there were 17 other parties with candidates — including the Greenback Party's Whitney Harp Slocomb and the American Vegetarian Party's Symon Gould.

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## . . .

THE NETWORKS say the equal-time rule should apply to major parties only. Had it not been for a special amendment to the rule., the Nixon-Kennedy debates of 1960 would have been impossible and the networks would have limited the Pres-idential broadcasts to paid political programs to avoid harassment by the 17 other parties.

There are those who dis-agree because they believe the need to listen to all arguments is a vital part of the process of self-govern-ment. Many educational stations have effectively oper-ated on this principal for many years — even when faced by dozens of candi-dates for local office. But educational channels aren't involved in the intricacies that face the maior commer-

that face the major commercial networks In 1961, CBS's Frank Stanton expressed the network view: "It is not a question of what is in the interest of a particular candidate. It is

not a question of what is in the interest of broadcasters. The one, the only, valid standard is whether the public was served."

IN THIS presidential elec-tion there will be George

Wallace's "third" party, the Peace and Freedom group and there's the possibility of another party now that the Democrats have demonstrated they can't please everybody in the country on the same ticket.

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It won't be easy for the networks this fall, whether the equal-time ruling is suspended or not, but their past record in the area of political information has been a good one. The executives who guide their poli-cies are far more careful when it comes to news than they are when deciding what kind of entertainment

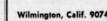
to put on the air. It is generally agreed that any suspension of the equal-time rules lies in the hands of Lyndon Johnson and the Democratic C on g r e s s — neither one of whom have been enthusiastic about Humphrey's television image.

## Singing Lessons

A new series of "Bel Canto" singing lessons are currently being offered by voice teacher Adrian Rosati,

Free lessons are offered on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Lomita Recreation Center; Tuesdays from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Tor-rance YWCA; Wednesdays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the San Pedro-Peninsula YMCA; and from 1 to 2 p.m. a Rowley Park Gardena

at Rowley Park, Gardena. LUZIER COSMETICS 830-0629 P.O. Box 843





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rance and Lomita, it was an- pers; and, Margie Woelp, nounced today by Fair of- 23821 La Mour Court, dressficials. First place winners from Torrance are: Mrs. Lenora Bradley, 1000 West Carson St., petit point pictures, two firsts; Edwin H. Kimball, 117 East 220th

Bisque article.

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