

ON DISPLAY... A painting of the Lomita Railroad Museum, painted by Pat Patterson of Lomita (left) has been purchased by Gateway National Bank in Lomita for permanent display. Admiring the painting in its new place of honor are Dale C. Williams (seated), manager of the bank, and O. Rey Rule (center), president of Gateway National Bank. (Press-Herald Photo)

Anti-Los Angeles Views Got Thomas Into Office

Thomas, who has served the tion. 68th Assembly District 28 years in the legislature and is seeking another term, told a San Pedro Chamber of Commerce luncheon last week of his introduction to

Speaking at San Pedro Hacienda, Thomas said he got into politics after he had failed his bar examination. It was 1940 and he was one in a field of 10 candidates, given little chance of coming near the top in the

"But I think I drew blood when at a meeting I was asked what I was for and I said I was against Los Angeles," he quipped.

He briefly recounted some

Construction of the Vincent Thomas Bridge linking the San Pedro mainland with Terminal Island was the culmination of a 1940 promise. With opening of the Gerald Desmond bridge between Long Beach and Terminal Island it com-pletes a round trip freeway circuit from civic center to the harbor area and back, via the Harbor Freeway, the two bridges and Long Beach

Fuel tax for ships bunker ing in port here was repeal ed; \$125,000 has been appro Since that time Thomas priated of the Drum Bar-

Assemblyman Vincent has had only token opposi-racks in Wilmington as a state and national monument and completion of the

of the high points of his ca- Harbor Freeway is due in



A crowd in excess of 400 attended the dimner in the Grand Ballroom of the Inter-

national Hotel, according to Chairman Ronald Moran. A political satire written by Dr. Frank Sullivan was offered by Sullivan and tele-

vision star Rosemary De Camp. Music was furnished by the society orchestra of

The State Division of Highways has issued a call for bids for construction of a 3.1-mile section of the Ar-

The project, scheduled be-tween Atlantic Boulevard and Lakewood Boulevard, will cost an estimated \$8.7 Bids are to be opened Dec. 19 in Los Angeles.

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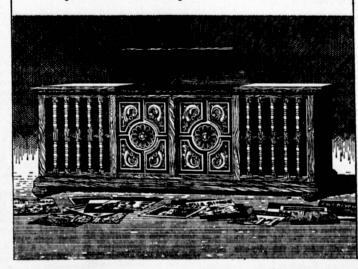
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Glenn Anderson has received the endorsement of veteran Congressman Cecil King at a dinner honoring Among the sponsors were Andre the Honoroble Mayor Al rance. Congressman King and Anderson. Anderson is seeking the Congressional seat in the 17th District being vacated by King. King served as Congressman for 28 years. :05



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