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THE LIBRARY at Banning Mansion was one of the most complete, during the lifetime of Phineas Banning, than pro-sibly any other private home library in the harbor area. The more we read the old books there, the more grateful we are to be the curator in charge. From these books, magazines, newspapers and reports we learn much about the past, and much more about Phineas Banning's contemporaries by pro bin g through the leaves of these his-torical gems, than from most an old diary giving dates and names of clipper ships and prigs that came to the Wilming-ton-San Pedro docks from ports throughout the world, and we found other pertinent facts which were of value to Phineas Ban-ning, and now of utmost impor-tance to us and to this column. In future articles we shall quote more and more from this li-brary than from save, the Hum-THE LIBRARY at Banning dent dissent, and of student rad-

In future articles we shall quote more and more from this column. In future articles we shall quote more and more from this library than from say, the Huntington Library in Pasadena, which has served well, and is still serving scholars, research, and others who have been using the same material over and over, therefore Huntington Library attracts us as it once did.
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THE BRILLIANT scholar, Dr. Robert M. Bersi, author of the songe and informative reports on education that this writer has ever, and informative reports on education that this writer has ever. Bersi reported on the early 19th century campus rallies of stu-

Annual Ceremonies Mark Bill of Rights Week

The 22nd annual com-test to Proclamation" was the memoration of Bill of Rights Week was presented at 10:30 Monica High School.

a.m., Tuesday at a public cere-mony in the Hall of Adminis-tration. Students of Santa Monica High School presented the program this year under ioint snonsor, to the Constitution in 1701 this year under joint sponsor

ship of the Board of Supervisors and the Board of Education. "Bill of Rights - From Pro-

The program also included se-lections by the high school choir and orchestra, followed by spe-clai presentation governing citi-zen responsibility under the Con-stitution.

"Through these programs, the Board of Supervisors is privi-ous school districts in directing public attention to the priceless heritage of human rights which we all enjoy," Supervisor Bar-ton Chace declared.

coach Don Shula after seeing the Chicago Bears down the Rams 17-16 Sunday to hand his Colts the Coastal Division Champion-ship in the National Football League. Barrier "The way I feel about it we

deserved everything we got We've had bad breaks. Now this appointments."

Fantastic,

Says Colts'

Don Shula

Shula said the emphasis will be on the game two weeks hence when the Colts play the Central Division winner in Baltimore.

twision winner in Baltimore. "That game is the only thing hat means anything now," he for another unit of the Donu-tor another unit of the Donu-

But he added, "we want to keep our momentum going next Sunday against the Rams. But on W. Chace said today.

Estimated cost of the unit is placed at about \$400,000.

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praced at about \$400,000. Contractors' offers will be opened Dec. 20 in the offices of the County Flood Control Dis-trict. Award of the contract by the Supervisors is expected about 10 days later, Chace said. The wife of a Torrance engi-neer discovered her husbands body early Monday morning in-side the family car, parked in their garage. The car engine was still running. Dead of approximately one mile of disposal ine. The supply line will provide water for recharge wells or other

side the family car, parked in their garage. The car engine Dead of apparent carbon monoxide poisoning was George D. Darragh Jr., 44, of 18347 Van Ness Ave. Police listed the death Darragh's wife Irene toil po-lice she had last seen her hus-band alive the night before. He had been watching television when she retired. Mrs. Darragh said her hus-band had been depressed lately. Her sea vater encroachment into fresh supplies, Chace said. Purpose of the disposal line is to remove dirty water when wells are flushed. Site of the work lies generally within the boundaries of Pacific Coast Highway on the north, the Harbor Freeway on the south, and Nameda Street on the east.