

SECRETARIAL COURSE

This Cape Cod's Colby Junior College is out in front of most girls' schools in offering an unique aviation course. Listed among the college subjects is an "Aeronautical Secretarial Course." This course will familiarize students with aircraft parts as well as prepare them to become trained secretaries.

State Fair Waits On Vets' Home Needs

Whether or not the 1946 California State Fair can be held without the use of building materials urgently needed for veterans' home construction will be decided by the directors at a special meeting here May 3. The recent order freezing building materials and manpower for veterans' housing precipitated the possibility that the fair might not be held.

Directors of the exposition which was dormant since 1942 when the army took over the fairgrounds were told by Manager F. M. Sandusky that the fair has fled with the Civilian Production Administration requests for permits to make several major improvements which can be completed without the purchase of critical materials but that it would be about two weeks before a decision is expected.

Governor Warren met informally with the directors and gave his views on a fair for 1946. He said the fair should not be considered if use of critical materials would conflict with the veterans' housing program but agreed with the directors that the public wants a fair after five fairness years due to the war.

"If we do have a fair," said the governor, "I want it to be a good one." Many features of the fair will probably be eliminated if the directors find they can stage a fair without the use of critical materials.

Newspaper Ads Credited For Fat Drive Gain

Newspaper advertising, utilizing rationing, succeeded in doubling the amount of fat salvage collected by the red-point bonus system.

A report of the America Fat Salvage committee, agency in charge of collecting the valuable by-product of cooking, indicated that housewives brought in 8,577,000 pounds of used fats last November. By March the total had risen to 16,077,000 pounds.

The raise in collection was attributed to the power of advertising as a public medium. The fat drive will continue in force to prevent possible soap shortages.

For sufficient stopping space, a motorist should allow a distance of one car between his and the car ahead for each 10 miles of speed.



When Patti Morgan, pretty Hal Roach starlet, took her personal housing problems to Lawrence B. Gibbs, president of the Southern California chapter of the National Association of Home Builders, she learned why new homes are not being built as rapidly as most folks would like. Gibbs cited the lack of sufficient labor in factories making building materials as a chief obstacle in solving the housing shortage problem.

Airpower As Instrument of Peace Described By Speaker At Kiwanis

Air power which demonstrated its terribly destructive force by winning two widely separated simultaneous wars is also one of the most effective instruments of peace, prosperity and international understanding, Harvey Stowers, assistant to the President of the Aircraft Industries Association of America, declared in addressing the Torrance Kiwanis Club at the Men's Bible Class' Building last Monday night.

Speaking on "The Air Age—What It Means to America and You," Stowers pointed out that the dire necessities of war had brought revolutionary changes in aeronautical service and in air passenger and air freight techniques, so that man has had to change his entire conception of time and space, adjusting it to transports that can span the continent in five hours and oceans in ten. He predicted that four-hour transcontinental trips will soon be a reality and that equipment now projected will make it possible to have breakfast in Torrance, luncheon in New York and dinner in London.

Stowers predicted that air freight rates, already reduced to one fourth original rates, will again be quartered as soon as equipment now on aviation industry drawing boards is put into service.

"When the time comes," he said, "and we are rapidly approaching it—millions, instead of thousands, of people will be flying from country to country, generating foreign trade and increasing international understanding to the point where another war will be almost inconceivable."

Describing the new 50, 100 and 200-passenger planes, some of which are already in service and others of which will be in service in the next two years, Stowers said that these great transports, representing air commerce and backed by a strong, rapidly expandable aircraft industry and an always-modern air force, constitute one of the greatest instruments for peace in existence today.

"Air Power is Peace Power," he said.

Speaking of personal planes, that is, planes used for non-scheduled flights for business

Registration Closes Today

Recalling that "the right to vote one's own convictions is a principle of democracy for which millions of young Americans recently offered their lives," Governor Earl Warren has urged all California citizens to register.

"Believing that every American, regardless of political affiliation or conviction, has a duty as well as the right to vote, I hereby urge immediate participation by California citizens in a campaign to increase registration for the State primary election to be held June 4th.

"California is now the third state in population in the United States, but its registration does not yet properly reflect its recent growth. Thousands of California residents have so far failed to place themselves in a position to participate in the determination of the postwar policies of our State. The right to vote one's own conviction is a principle of democracy for which millions of young Americans recently offered their lives. Through military victory they preserved this right for all and made it more than ever a patriotic duty to be fulfilled by every citizen.

"I hope that April 25, the last day on which to register for the June state primary election, will find our total registration reflecting more completely the willingness of all our citizens, new and old, to participate in the determination of our State policies."

ation in aviation. Unless we maintain our aeronautical team, we will fall behind other nations in aeronautical science.

"It is largely up to you."

Eisner Placed On Probation For Child's Death

Maurice Eisner, 65, former accompanist for violinist Fritz Kreisler, was placed on probation for two years after pleading guilty to a misdemeanor manslaughter charge in the traffic death Feb. 15 of Michael Schermhorn, 4, in Harbor City. Eisner, who said he was athletic, testified he could not move his legs fast enough to brake his car and avoid hitting the child at a school crossing.

Superior Judge Leslie E. Still granted probation on the condition that Eisner never own or operate a car again.

FIRST NATIONAL CAPITOL

The original capitol building of the United States was 332 feet 4 inches in length and 229 feet in width. It was built of Virginia sandstone and quarried from government-owned quarries. The House and Senate wings were commenced on July 4, 1851.

Advertisement for U.S. Army Recruiting Station. Text: "A GOOD JOB FOR YOU! Here's a real opportunity for the young man who wants a good job with a future. An Army job is a steady job offering good pay, the highest security, every opportunity for promotion and a chance to see the world. You get valuable training in technical skills, good food, clothing, quarters and medical care free. If you go overseas, you get 20% extra pay. You can retire at half pay after 20 years or retire at three-quarters pay after 30 years. And you get a 30-day vacation at full pay every year! Many other advantages not offered elsewhere. If you are 18 to 34 and physically fit (or 17 with parents' consent), you can enlist now and qualify for one of these fine jobs in the peacetime Regular Army. You owe it to yourself to get all the facts NOW! Apply at U. S. ARMY RECRUITING STATION Post Office Bldg. — San Pedro"

Want-Ads Accepted Via Telephone

Starts Next Thursday... Bargain Matinees Every Week Day at 1 P.M.

Advertisement for Warner's Tomorrow Is Forever. Text: "SHE DARED TO LIVE IN THE SHADOW OF ANOTHER MAN'S LOVE! The human story of a woman who sought to escape from her past!... TOMORROW IS FOREVER... with Lucile Watson, Richard Long, Natalie Wood, John Wengraf, Sonny Howe. JUNIOR PROM With JUNE PRESSLER"

Advertisement for Grand Theatre. Text: "GRAND THEATRE PHONE TORRANCE 269 NOW—ENDS SATURDAY SHOW STARTS 8 P.M. FRIDAY ROBERT DONAT in 'VACATION FROM MARRIAGE' ALSO BING CROSBY in 'Sing You Sinners' SUN. - MON. - TUES. SHOW STARTS 1 P.M. SUNDAY SONNY TUFTS and VERONICA LAKE in 'MISS SUSIE SLAGLES' ALSO 'The Hidden Eye' NEXT WEEK—STARTS WED. 'Song of Old Wyoming' ALSO 'Abilene Town'"

Advertisement for Torrance Theatre. Text: "TORRANCE THEATRE PHONE TORRANCE 132 Starts Thur., Ends Tues. NOW HERE CLARK GABLE and GREER GARSON in 'ADVENTURE' EVERY WEDNESDAY A Wild West Show Two Features"

Advertisement for Garden Theatre. Text: "GARDEN THEATRE A NOW—ENDS SATURDAY 'OKLAHOMA KID' ALSO 'Sunbonnet Sue' SUN. - MON. - TUES. 'THE HARVEY GIRLS' ALSO 'Red Dragons'"

Advertisement for Hoffman Radio. Text: "Here! Now! HOFFMAN RADIO Styled in California YOU'LL enjoy the greatly improved performance of this new Hoffman model, featuring: 1 - 5-Tube AC-DC superheterodyne 2 - New Alnico 5 speaker 3 - Hoffman rejection filter 4 - Convex slide-rule dial 5 - Plastic cabinet 6 - Fresh new styling The SOUND Buy \$23.55 WALNUT (UDVY \$24.85) M & H HOME Appliance Co. Authorized dealer HOT POINT APPLIANCES and GENERAL ELECTRIC and HOFFMAN RADIOS 1341 EL PRADO PHONE TORRANCE 2099"

Advertisement for Dick Richards. Text: "Hey Gang!! Let's Dance To Who??? -Why to Dick Richards AND HIS MODERNAIRES Every Friday Night 8 P.M. to 12 Torrance Civic Auditorium Sponsored by V.F.W. Post 3251, Torrance"

Advertisement for Royer's Cafe. Text: "DANCING NIGHTLY with Johnny and His Stardust Serenaders The Best Little Dance Band in Southern California Cocktails No Minimum No Cover Charge ROYER'S CAFE HAWTHORNE AND REDONDO BEACH BOULEVARDS"

Advertisement for Southern California Telephone Company. Text: "Sue has a birthday party and... HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU... IT WAS SWEET, BUT I WISH I'D GOTTEN A GOOD JOB AS A BIRTHDAY PRESENT! WHY DON'T YOU AND CAROL VISIT THE TELEPHONE COMPANY? YOU KNOW THEY'RE TRAINING GIRLS FOR SWITCHBOARD WORK. THINK OF IT CAROL! PAY WHILE LEARNING, REGULAR RAISES AND PAID VACATIONS! GIRLS! YOUNG WOMEN! HERE'S CHANCE FOR TELEPHONE CAREER EARN AS YOU LEARN! We are now training new operators for permanent positions! No experience necessary. Wages highest in history. Pay begins at once, increases regularly. Pleasant work in pleasant surroundings, with helpful, friendly people. Vacations with pay. Excellent opportunities for advancement; security for the future. Go to any telephone now and ask Operator for Chief Operator. She'll be glad to give you the address of the employment office nearest you. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TELEPHONE COMPANY"