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**Red Cross Workers
Plan Branch As
Campaign "Kick-Off"**

A brunch at Red Cross headquarters, scheduled for 10:00 a. m., Monday, March 3, will mark the "kick-off" for the annual fund campaign in Torrance, according to Helen Miller, branch chairman.

At this time Betty Jeane Miller, area supervisor, will be present to instruct those who will assist Dean L. Sears, fund campaign chairman, in conducting the drive.

Plan Demonstration

A representative group of Torrance Red Cross workers will attend a fund campaign demonstration and official proclamation of Red Cross month to be given at 11:00 a. m., Saturday, March 1 at the Spring street entrance of Los Angeles City Hall.

A portion of the program will be broadcast, music to be supplied by the Roosevelt Navy Base band. Motion picture celebrities and radio artists will participate.

**COMPANY ASKS
LOCAL FRANCHISE**

The Standard Gas Company, of San Francisco, Tuesday night asked the City Council for a 40-year franchise to lay and maintain a pipeline in the City of Torrance.

The matter was referred to the legal department for checking.

**Bungalows Being Taken From City
By L.A. Needed Here, Says Lynch**

Torrance city schools will need every class room and bungalow available for handling of the school population of Torrance next year, due to the rapid increase in attendance, according to James L. Lynch, vice chairman of the Torrance Charter Committee and a candidate for election to the first Torrance City Board of Education.

The enrollment in the five schools in Torrance has increased this year to a point which requires three additional classrooms, it was pointed out.

"While Los Angeles schools are moving bungalows from the Torrance Elementary school grounds, claiming that they are moving children from outside of Torrance as well, they still are inaugurating more half-day sessions," Lynch declared.

"The people of Torrance have expressed themselves on this whole issue at the polls twice in recent months," he said.

"They are able to back up their claims with the record. We fall to see why Los Angeles should move bungalows from Torrance Elementary school and then put more students on half-day sessions."

While Los Angeles is reported to have removed some of the development school children to Gardena with the two bungalows recently moved to that community from Torrance, the enrollment at the local school has increased to 1,099 students this year, a gain of 73 over that of last year.

"This increase alone," Lynch declared, "requires that the two bungalows be returned to Torrance for use of the children of Torrance."

"We must be in mind," he said, "that school funds expended in a community are spent for the welfare and education of the children of that community."

"It is not in keeping with the spirit of the Education code nor of the Constitution for one community in a district to deprive another of the equipment and facilities needed to carry on the educational needs of this community since the whole tax-paying body of the district must be considered one unit."

"If Torrance did not need the equipment which Los Angeles intends to move away from Torrance, there could be no objection," he declared, "but figures show that Torrance does need the buildings and equipment and

**Lady Routs Man
Attempting To
Force Her In Car**

A Torrance woman, Mrs. Calvin Wheatley, 1920 Torrance blvd., Saturday evening reported to local police that while empty-

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ing trash at the rear of the above address a man seized her by the shoulder and attempted to force her into a waiting automobile.

Mrs. Wheatley told officers that she broke free of the man and ran. She revealed that she caught a quick glimpse of a second man seated in the rear seat of the vehicle who yelled:

PSYCHOLOGISTS
Clinical psychologists for work in Veterans Administration hospitals are being trained on the Berkeley campus of the University of California.

"What's the matter, Babe?" Police made a quick search of the neighborhood but was unable to locate the molesters.

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