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Variety of Learning

Adults Learn to Run Lathes, Cook Or Sell in Torrance Classrooms

"People in our community are finding their personal needs realized in adult education classes," is the contention of Donald Manashaw, director of the Torrance School of Adult Education.

In the machine shop class one student—well over 60 years old—was building the leg for a cot, another was learning to operate a lathe so that he might find a place in the complex economic world. In copper tooling and leathercraft, there were a variety of individual needs being satisfied. Most women were working on pocketbooks and handbags; men had leather belts and watch straps in mind.

In child psychology classes, the age of the students' children varied from just a few months to past 20 years. Some want instruction in bringing up their own children; others their grandchildren. In blueprint reading and engineering drawing, one young man said he was interested in the electrical phase and wanted to know how to read blueprints for installations, while two ladies in the class said they were expert in reading blue-

prints and wanted to know how to draw.

In a kitchen course, most women agree on one need: making better meals cheaper. Others, however, variously expressed the view of preparing for guests, cooking three times a week instead of seven, learning the different cuts of meat.

Each woman's aim was governed by her own home. In the lampshade and rugmaking class they all had one aim in common—to make a home more attractive for themselves, their husbands, their friends.

In salesmanship, the students varied from a young girl running a hardware store to a seasoned automobile salesman.

Orchestra members range in age from 18 to 68, from violinists to sousaphonists, from teachers to stevedores to doctors.

Manashaw announced that a wide variety of adult classes are now in session at Torrance, and are free to adults 18 or over. Prospective students are invited to visit the school on telephone Torrance 645 for information.

Kids Launch Drive to Create Teen Age Center

The VFW-sponsored Teen Club this week prepared to send letters to all local organizations urging the selection of delegates to a city-wide council which would draw up ways and means for the creation of a Torrance Teen Age Center.

According to members of the Teen Club, who meet again tonight at the local VFW Hall, need for a Teen Age Center is constantly becoming apparent.

More than 35 'teeners between the ages of 13 and 19 crammed the veterans hall Thursday night for an enjoyable evening of dancing, ping pong and check-

Local Hospital Authorities To Attend Meet

Exploration of the various effects of the shortened period patients are currently confined to hospitals will be undertaken by two local hospital authorities who will be attending the convention of Hospital Administrators in Santa Barbara on November 16 and 17.

Miss Elsa Hammerstrom, superintendent and Mrs. Viola Anderson, assistant superintendent, of the Torrance Memorial Hospital will attend the meeting, according to a spokesman from the Board of Directors of the hospital.

The average length of confinement, it is pointed out, at the turn of the century was about 30 days. This was reduced to about 10-12 days during the '30s and still newer techniques have lowered the time to about seven days.

Methods of lowering still further the time spent in hospitals will be discussed. This will reduce substantially the cost to patients requiring hospitalization, it was indicated.

AIR CONDITIONERS

Trees often lower the temperature as much as 10 degrees around houses during summer.

Alumni Group Plans Event, Names Leader

At a recent meeting at El Camino College, the school's alumni association elected new officers for the coming year. Named were Bob Wright, president; Bill Saur, vice president; Loren Reed, treasurer; Pat Riddle, Ross Haigh and Karl Averal are executive board members; Toshio Hondo is historian.

Plans are currently being made for El Camino's first homecoming, to be held November 25. The event is scheduled with a football game on Thanksgiving Day as the kickoff for a festive open house to be held on the campus Nov. 26. The affair will be climaxed with a dance.

It is hoped that all graduates of El Camino College and students who attend the college will be present for the Homecoming.

The fete will mark the opening of the new El Camino Stadium.

North Torrance Group Names First Officers

Sixty-five members of the newly created North Torrance Civic Improvement Association elected Frank Lush, 2715 West 174th street, to the post of president during elections held at the group's first regular meeting Monday night.

The session was held in the patio of Higgins Brick Yard, 174 and Casimir streets.

Others elected to office were Mrs. Mary Berry, vice president; Burt Johnson, recording secretary; W. G. Blount, treasurer; H. R. Black, auditor.

After elections were held, members officially adopted "North Torrance Civic Improvement Association" as the new group's name.

NICKELS
Nickels have been used as legal tender for 81 years.

DEADLY HOUSEFLY
A house fly carries more than 6,000,000 germs.

OLD POLES
The average telephone pole comes from a tree 60 years old.

TURKEYS
Red Fryers
Trunnell's Poultry Ranch
25324 Oak St., Lomita
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AVOCADOS
Grow an abundance of delicious butter rich avocados on your own trees, winter or summer. Write now for information on fall top-budding, top-grafting, pruning or personal advice to SMARCEL, Avocado expert, 1212 East 4th St., Santa Ana, Calif.

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Hunts - Halves 2 1/2 Can **PEACHES 19¢**

COLUMBIA RIVER **SALMON NO. 1 TALL 37¢**

SODA **CRACKERS 1-LB. BOX 17¢**

PLUCKY **Dog Food 2 FOR 20¢**

Rich Sudsing **TREND 2 FOR 26¢**

Johnsons - 1/2 - Price Sale - Pts. **GLO-COAT 2 FOR 89¢**

Globe - A-1 Lge 2 1/2 Lb. Pkg. **BISCUIT FLOUR 39¢**

Garden Fresh

CORN

2 Ears For 7¢

Fancy Snow Ball CAULIFLOWER

5¢ lb

Red Delicious APPLES

5¢ lb

D'Anjou - Eating

PEARS

5¢ lb

WHOLE OR SHANK HALF **Skinned Hams 49¢ lb**

WHOLE - FULL CUT **Lamb Shoulders 35¢ lb**
Neck Roast - 29c lb.

NECK BREAST - SHANK **VEAL STEW 17¢ lb**

BABY BEEF **T-Bone Steaks 65¢ lb**

NEW YORK DRESSED FRYING **CHICKENS 39¢ lb**

BULK - COUNTRY **SAUSAGE 35¢ lb**

SHOULDER-WHOLE OR PART **VEAL ROAST 19¢ lb**

SLICED **BEEF LIVER 53¢ lb**

BEST QUALITY **Skinless Wieners 37¢ lb**

FULL CREAM **Long Horn Cheese 43¢ lb**

OLEO

19¢ lb

BLUE-SEA CHUNKS

TUNA

25¢

JEWEL - 3 LB. TIN

SHORTENING

69¢

Rock Fish

FILLET

19¢ lb

PINBONE CUT

SIRLOIN STEAK

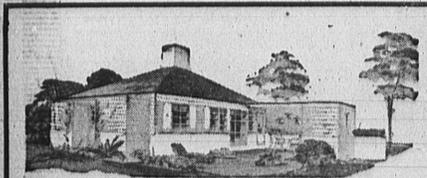
45¢ lb

BEST QUALITY

BEEF BRAINS

15¢ lb

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