

Dimes Gathered In Polio Drive Taken By Thief

The general fund of the March of Dimes was lowered slightly Jan. 19 when thieves entered the Walteria Elementary School and stole two or three dollars from the March of Dimes funds, Principal D. Boone Kirks reported to police.

Entry to the school was gained through the kindergarten room, the police report showed. Several tools were reported missing from the supply room as well as some toys. Some keys that were reported missing earlier from the school might have been used to gain entry, it was surmised.

The fact that some toys were stolen leads to the theory that the theft may have been perpetrated by juveniles.

Social Studies Expanded At Local Jr. High

The seventh and eighth grades of the Torrance Junior High School, in attempting to carry out an effective social studies program, has undertaken two projects recently that will carry the students through the year, according to a statement from E. W. Eckert, principal.

The seventh grade students are engaged in a program showing how industry has changed life in the modern community; whereas the eighth grade is concerned with the story of democracy.

Presidents Studied
Edmund Powell's eighth grade class has been having panel discussions on cabinet members and the Presidents of the United States. They secure the information about the presidents from the booklet entitled "The Presidents of the United States." The group of students who are on the panel sit in the front of the room. After they have held the discussion, the rest of the class asks questions.

Mrs. Vera Robertson's eighth grade class keeps quiz books. In the books, which the student makes himself, are questions on various subjects. During class discussion these questions are answered, and the topics of the various quizzes range from "Landmarks and Monuments" to "Plant Life." This provides expression in the written language as well as information about science, geography, literature and subjects that are of interest to the students.

Story of Oil
The seventh grade class of Darrel H. Slocum has been making a scrapbook. They have their life stories, the story of their school and the story of oil already included. When the class finishes the study of an industry, they will add another story to their scrapbook. During their art period they make their own scrapbooks with the help of Mrs. Evangeline Morros, art teacher.

Some of the other seventh grade classes have made murals for their rooms depicting some phase of the industry that was being studied. Mrs. Esther Crandall has beautified her room by placing the murals that were made in connection with the cotton industry on the walls.

BROKEN LINE AT GENERAL FLOODS CRENSHAW BLVD.

A broken steam line, running between the entrance gates of the General Petroleum Corp. on Crenshaw boulevard flooded the street with hot water over the weekend causing some speculation as to whether or not the hot water would vulcanize the tires of passing motorists. Police erected barricades until the damaged line was repaired.

'Y' Week For Torrance Set By Unit Here

Jan. 5 to Feb. 1 has been designated as Y.M.C.A. Week in Torrance. In recognition of the fact that the Young Men's Christian Association through its youth program has been a potent influence for development of good citizenship and moral courage for hundreds of boys and young men in Torrance, several service clubs and churches have planned special programs for the week.

Harold Wagner, general manager of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Y.M.C.A., will be guest speaker at the Rotary Club.

L. Milton Isbell, secretary of the Torrance Y.M.C.A., will speak to Kiwanis and Lions clubs, presenting youth from various Y.M.C.A. program activities.

During the past year the Torrance Y.M.C.A. has sponsored 42 different group activities including clubs, athletic teams, teen-age socials, special interest groups and group councils in 450 different sessions and a total attendance of 27,565. Other special events attracted a total attendance of 5,678 for the year. The "Y" has also served hundreds of individuals in private counsel and has cooperated with other youth organizations in joint projects.

Students Fix Scholarship Eligibility

Eligibility requirements for membership in the Scholarship Society of Torrance High School was decided upon in a meeting held Jan. 19 in room 213 at the high school.

Student President Barbara Lisman and Herbert Irwin, sponsor, presented the following recommendations for points to the club members for approval:

One point for student play leads, student body president, senior and junior class presidents, commissioner of finance and athletics, student body secretary, girls' ad boys' self government presidents, outside school music, school letters, service awards, captains of G. A. A., Tartar, Knights and Ladies, F. H. A. Annual heads, junior statesmen president, yell leaders and T. N. T. heads.

One half point was given for freshman and sophomore class presidents and any other student body office not mentioned.

The items listed above are the points to be considered on students' eligibility to the society. Every student must have four semesters of scholarship membership to receive the scholarship torch pin and six semesters to receive the life membership pins. To be eligible for this society a student must have three A's and one B or the alternative three A's and two points.



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