



QUEEN CROWNED . . . Sally Hardy, El Camino College's homecoming queen, was crowned yesterday in pre-game rally ceremonies held in the Warrior gym. Student Body President Bob Morgenson (next to Sally) officiated. Princess Elaine Tilmann is on the left with escort Joe Link, while Princess Lois Weber is on the right with escort Bill Gray.

45 Local Students Attend Long Beach State College

Forty-five Torrance students now are attending Long Beach State College, Clarence Bergland, admission officer, revealed this week.

Enrolled for the fall semester are the following: Ben Baer, Frank Bentwood, Jeanne Bentwood, Bernard Berkowitz, Verne Verry, Luella Bowlds, Marine Bunch, William Campbell, Carol Clark, William Clayton, Pat Clere, Ruby Clere, Joan Donald, Beverly Dyer, Earl Ekers, Lois Ferry, Eunice Gesing, Pauline Hartley, Walt Hillier, Pat Jamison, D. Boone Kirks, Beverly Lilley, Clayton Lilley, Alan Moore, Joyce Notter, Do-

OUR STEAKS ARE The Talk O' the Town!

Dance to the Music of **Gene David** (Formerly at "Silver Slipper" in Las Vegas)

FRI. & SAT. NITES
9 till 1:30

Del's STEAK HOUSE
15520 S. Crenshaw
Near El Camino

SANTA SAYS

"SEE THIS BARGAIN CHROME SET"

For Children While They Last Reg. 19.95 **\$14.95** FOR ONLY

TABLE AND CHAIR SET

Chrome plated legs of heavy 1" steel tube. Feminine table top in pearl design that matches the heavy gauge scratchable plastic upholstery. Padded seats and back. Available in Red, Grey, Yellow and Green.

LOWEST PRICES IN TORRANCE

TRACTORS — SCOOTERS — AUTOS
WAGONS — HOBBY HORSES — ROCKERS
TRICYCLES — DOLL BUGGIES

BURKES BARGAIN SPOT
2113 TORRANCE BLVD. PH. 1726

LETTERS To The EDITOR

Legion Doffs Hat
Editor,
Torrance Herald:
Bert S. Crossland Post No. 170 of the American Legion wishes to thank you for the aid given the members during the drive for new members. The drive will continue each week-end for the next month in order to give all veterans an opportunity to join before Jan. 1, 1953.

Veterans who cannot find an opportunity to sign up during the day may come to the clubhouse any Saturday night and will find a membership chairman on hand to take their membership. Norm McGuire and his Texas Band also will be on hand to play western music for the veteran, his wife, and his friends who accompany him. As an experiment, the Legion is making available the club rooms for a public dance on Saturday nights during the winter.

Sincerely yours,
GORDON ARNOLD
Membership Chairman

Frank Bigler Promoted To Guard Lieutenant

Promotion of Frank A. Bigler, 23, graduate of Torrance High School and Korean veteran, to the rank of second lieutenant from sergeant in the medical detachment, 578th Engineers, National Guard, was confirmed yesterday.

Bigler, who was with the Engineer Combat Battalion as a medical sergeant in Korea, has been a member of the National Guard since 1949.

Previously he had three years service with the Air Force and was stationed in the South Pacific. He resides at 20422 El-Hot St., Torrance.

Shop Now For Xmas GIFTS FOR YOUR HOME

Bronze Base Floor Lamps—6 Way	\$10.95 Up
China Base Table Lamps	\$ 5.95 Up
Blonde or Walnut Finish End Tables	\$ 4.95 Up
Blonde or Walnut Finish Coffee Tables	\$ 4.95 Up
Beautiful Lined Oak Modern Step Tables	\$17.95 Up
Beautiful Lined Oak Cocktail Tables	\$17.95 Up
Modern Lined Oak Desks	\$34.95 Up
Round Plastic Hassocks	\$ 4.95 Up
Ceramic Planter Television Lamps	\$ 5.95
Brass Base Television Lamps	\$ 3.95
Plastic or Frieze Contour Chairs	\$69.95
Modern Occasional Platform Rockers	\$27.95 Up
Blonde or Mahogany Finish Bookcases	\$19.95 Up
Framed Pictures (Various Subjects)	\$ 7.95 Up

OPEN EVE'S TILL 9 TILL CHRISTMAS

Bronson's Home Furnishings
HOME FURNISHINGS
2180 SANTA FE (At Hill St.)
LONG BEACH Phone L.B. 621248

Special Offices Announced for Receiving Christmas Mailings

Special offices to receive Christmas parcels for mailing were announced this week by Mrs. Clara Conner, Torrance postmaster.

In addition to the main post office and the regular stations, five temporary stations have been set up to receive parcels throughout December, Mrs. Conner said.

The offices are:

WHERE TO MAIL CHRISTMAS PARCELS
Main Post office, 1433 Marcelina Ave. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
December 10 to 23 inclusive 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

REGULAR STATIONS
Station "A," 23433 S. Western Ave. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Carson Station, 21732 S. Avalon Blvd. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
El Camino College, Crenshaw and Redondo Beach Bldgs. (Except Saturdays) 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

TEMPORARY STATIONS
1927 W. Carson St., Dec. 8-24 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
1114 Crenshaw Blvd., Dec. 8-24 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Manor Market, 17316 Crenshaw, Dec. 10-23 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Tract Office, Between 178th and 179th on Hawthorne Dec. 10-23 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Seaside Ranchos Market, 23254 Robert Road 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ALSO
Walteria Post Office, Newton-at-Hawthorne, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Xmas Mail

(Continued From Page 1)

and for local delivery by Dec. 15. Last-minute gifts should be dispatched by air parcel post to distant points.

Size and Weight
A—There are several size and weight limits for parcel post packages:
A—There are several size and weight limits, depending on the destination of your Christmas gift packages:
1—Between First Class Post Offices.
Not over 72 inches—length and girth combined.
(Length plus twice the width, plus twice thickness).
Not over 40 lbs. if shipped to First or Second Zone.
Not over 20 lbs. if shipped beyond Zone 2.
2—Between post offices, at least one of which is not First Class:
Not over 100 inches—length and girth combined.
Not over 70 lbs. in weight.
3. Exceptions: (a) 100-inch, 70-lb. limit applies to matter mailed between First Class post offices if:
(a) the parcel is mailed from, or addressed to a Rural or Star Route.
(b) Addressed for delivery to any Territory or Possession of the United States, or to any Army or Fleet Post Office.
(c) The parcel contains books, baby food, live plants, trees, shrubs, or agricultural commodities.
Q—May the "Do Not Open Until Christmas" stickers be used?
A—Yes, they may be placed on the address side, but other stickers or seals should be placed on back of the package, so the address is not covered. The address, incidentally, should be written again inside—for emergency use.

Rome Cable Votes New Dividend for Dec 2

Holder of record at the close of business on Dec. 3 will receive a dividend of 30 cents per share on the common capital stock of Rome Cable Corp., payable Dec. 24, John F. Dyett, corporation secretary, said this week.

Payment will be made on the same date at the 30-cent rate per participating share to employees eligible under the Employee Dividend Sharing Plan.

Holder of record at the close of business on Dec. 3 also will receive a dividend of 30 cents per share on the 4 per cent cumulative convertible preferred stock of the corporation, payable Jan. 2, Dyett said.

Frank Rivera Now Serving On Alaskan Post

Army Pvt. Frank C. Rivera whose wife, Lily, lives at 21207 Shearer Ave., is now serving at Fort Richardson, the largest Army installation in Alaska.

Troops based at Fort Richardson are part of the security force along the northern frontier.

Although the climate of southern Alaska is relatively mild, Fort Richardson units receive thorough winter training.

Private Rivera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rivera, of 21213 Shearer Ave., entered the Army last April and was stationed at Camp Roberts before receiving his Alaskan assignment.

Brushed Off

The Fuller Brush man really "gave away" free brushes in Torrance Tuesday.

Marvin Kennedy, 417 E. Ott St., Wilmington, reported to police that his car was entered and between \$50 and \$60 worth of brushes and cosmetics stolen while it was parked in front of 18404 Ashley.

Tartar Teen Talk

By SALLY HICKMAN

The annual Bay League dance was held Wednesday evening at Inglewood. Bay League teams were announced and Torrance brought home the Sportsmanship trophy awarded for the sportsmanship at all games. Torrance tied with Santa Monica for the trophy.

The Junior class sponsored a dance last Friday following the first basketball game of the season. Profits will go to pay for this year's Junior-Senior prom.

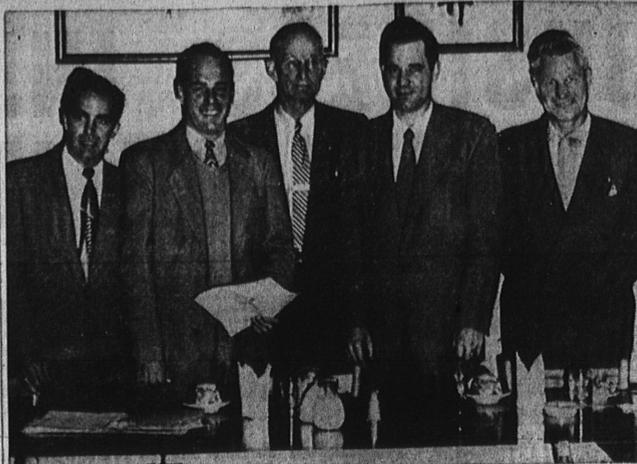
Torrance sent four representatives to Leuzinger to represent the school at a Bay League forum Wednesday afternoon.

The Variety Show "Mardi Gras," sponsored by the Girls' and Boys' Leagues at Torrance will be presented Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 3, 4, 5. Everyone plan to attend. This is the biggest and best variety show ever!

The Snow Ball dance sponsored by the Varsity Club and GAA will be held Saturday evening, Dec. 6. Everyone is invited. The dress is semi-formal. A surprise birthday party was held for Berta Long Friday evening at Sally Hickman's house. Those attending were Pam Diekey, Pat Penton, Joan Leech, Sandy Sanders, Sandy

Money Stolen

Peter D. Kelly, a resident of the Plaza Hotel, reported to Torrance police that his room was prowled sometime Tuesday night, with a resultant loss of \$7 or \$8 in his wallet. The wallet, containing his personal papers, was returned, but the money was gone.



NEW OFFICERS . . . Torrance's new Toastmasters Club installed officers at Monday's noon meeting, with Bill Evans (center) district deputy, along to give them a helping hand. Going into office were (left to right) Walt Inman, secretary; Walt Schaefer, president; Bob Owens, vice president, and Roy Peterson, treasurer.



ENDS COURSE . . . Second Lieutenant George A. Carley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay B. Carley, 1515 Arlington Ave., has just completed a 15-week associate infantry company officer course at Ft. Benning, Ga., and is returning to the Sixth Infantry Division at Ft. Ord, La. Carley's father is mechanical superintendent of the Torrance Herald.

Christmas St. Lights to Glow Dec. 3

Torrance's Christmas trimmings will glow Wednesday, Dec. 3, Frank Dominguez Jr., chairman of the decorations committee, said yesterday.

Scrolls will be illuminated on Sartori and El Prado Aves., and silver trimmings will swing overhead from power poles.

The hangings are being put up by Jones Decorating Co., same firm which provided them last year. For 1952, the cost will run about \$2000.

Textile Painting Classes Featured in Adult School

Modern textile painting techniques—how textiles are made, painted on fabric, shading of textiles, methods used in China—are all a part of the free instruction given by Wanda Ecton, importer and artist, at the Torrance School of Adult Education on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7 to 10 o'clock.

Students may enroll at any time because the instruction is on an individual basis. Those planning to enroll should bring with them articles of clothing such as ties, shirts, dresses, or napkins, towels, and tablecloths.

"A wide variety of designs, cartoon characters, flowers, animals, and landscape scenes are used to enhance the appearance of these personal items and household effects," Mrs. Sexton said.

"As cost of materials is low," she continued, "most of our students are planning to make Christmas gifts inexpensively, and in so doing, they will make other people happy and at the same time learn a useful hobby and trade."

A free class in knitting is also offered by the Torrance Adult School of Education each Tuesday evening beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Phyllis Henderson, the instructor, is at present employed by a large department store, where she designs and charts custom knit dresses.

"The purpose of this course," she said, "is to teach you to knit things that are ordinarily too expensive to buy. Furthermore, where instruction books are not adequate, you can participate in the program."

Harvey Workers Go Over the Top On Chest Drive

Collections among employees for the Community Chest at the Harvey Machine Co. plant here have more than doubled last year's totals, it was revealed yesterday.

Al Hinz, of the Harvey personnel department, was chairman of the drive in the plant. He attributed the increase to the high morale developed by close management and employee cooperation of the campaign.

More than 90 per cent of the company's personnel have contributed to the total of \$2066.49 which had been collected up to last Wednesday. Hinz reported. Money is still being turned in for the Chest at the plant, he said.

According to Community Chest officials, about 50 per cent of the industries in the area have met their quotas.

Newberry's

6 p.m. to 9 p.m. SPECIALS
Monday, Dec. 1st to Sat., Dec. 6th

DOORBUSTERS

Reg. 69c 100% NYLON
White, Pink, Blue — Sizes 5-6-7

LADIES PANTIES

2 PAIR FOR \$1.00

Special 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. ONLY

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE WILL BE

OPEN NIGHTLY
UNTIL 9 P.M.
MONDAY, DEC. 1st and UNTIL CHRISTMAS

J.J. NEWBERRY CO. 5¢ 10¢ 25¢ STORES

CORNER SARTORI & EL PRADO — TORRANCE
FREE PARKING ACROSS FROM POSTOFFICE

Torrance Herald
Established Jan. 1, 1914

Member Publishers' Association
California Newspaper Association

1619 GRAMERCY—PHONE 444

Published Semi-Weekly
Thursday and Sunday Morning
Torrance, California

Grover C. Whyte
Publisher

Jack O. Baldwin, Assistant Publisher
Clay B. Carley, Production Mgr.
Rud Burey, Managing Editor
W. E. King, Advertising Manager
Winthrop Bowie, City Editor
Jerry Wecker, Circulation Manager

Adjudicated a Legal Newspaper
By Superior Court,
Los Angeles County.
Adjudicated Decree No. 218470
March 23, 1927

Subscription Rates
By Carrier, 30c a Month
Mail Subscriptions,
\$3.60 Per Year

NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION
ACTIVE MEMBER