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**FEW SENATORS**  
There were 39 senators in the first Congress of the U. S.

Notes on Narbonne

# Many Gauchos Like Half Day Sessions

By ADRIENNE SIDWELL  
Half-day sessions have gone over big with the Senior High Gauchos. Many kids really like it as they have the rest of the afternoon to go to the beach, work, or anything else. But it's 50-50 with the Junior High students, who go in the afternoon. Some like it and others don't.

Miniature golfing was thoroughly enjoyed by a group from the Westminster Fellowship at the Shady Acres in Long Beach last Friday evening. Participating were: Jim Barum, Joan Armstrong, Dennis Hudson, Gwen McCann, Danny Marsh, Jean Wetzell, Stan Weiss, Sandy McArthur, and Mrs. Weiss.

Congratulations are being extended to Don Myers, A-12, who won an honorable mention award in the recent science research contest.

The first issue of the Green and Gold will be distributed during fifth and seventh periods today. If you haven't bought your subscription, dash over to any member of the Green and Gold staff and pay only 25 cents for nine issues, pronto.

There was a Junior High Banquet held at the Western Avenue Baptist Church last Friday

evening. All the kids reported that it was really swell. The Senior High group will have their banquet tomorrow night.

Two new clubs have been formed at Narbonne. One is the Tropical Fish Club in Bungalow 6 which is sponsored by Mr. Langan, and the other is the Mathematics Club sponsored by Mrs. Bright in 221.

Let's see what some of the new graduates are doing these days: Some of the kids attending Harbor Junior College are: Carmen Ochoa, Darlene Doepfing, Carol Reimers, Shirley Welsh, Pauline Denson, Betty Zankle, Martha Goar, Sandra Kattila, and Linda Chambers. Roy Ogden, Mark Tracy, and Vernon Arbuckle are joining the Navy. Mary Hatheway is taking a four-month course at Howell Dental School.

All senior high girls are urged to join the Tri-Y Club which meets every Monday evening at 7:30 in the Torrance YWCA Building. This semester's new officers are: Elaine Baxley, president; Flora Hammetman, vice-president; Jane Pfifer, secretary; Jeanette Pearson, treasurer; Leona Blanchette, and Louise Chavez, sergeants-at-arms.

Tomorrow evening the Job's Daughters will hold their big dance at the Lomita Masonic Temple.

Hey boys, have you asked that favorite gal for the big Senior Aye Dance Feb. 26 in the boys gym? The attire will be sports clothes. Tickets are on sale for \$1.50.

As a reward for bringing three feet of newspapers or 5 lbs. of rags, a great movie, "The Day the Earth Stood Still," will be shown. The newspaper and rag drive was rated a success, thanks to you, Gauchos!

There are 78 new members, 56 girls and 22 boys in the National Junior Honor Society, according to Miss Sara Vaubel, club sponsor. To get in this highly honorable junior high club, a student must have 21 grade points, A's count 4 points, B's count 3, and C's count 2 points. Only one C is allowed. At least nine E's are required, and no U's are allowed.

Bill Butler was elected president of the A Cappella Choir recently. Assisting him will be Bill Griggs, vice-president; Janice Chambers, secretary; Zona Hammond, treasurer; Beverly Dean, historian; and Evelyn Trece, Betty Williams, Audrian Rozendal, and Elanin Baxley, librarians.

Well, the Senior GAA is running in full gear now. A sign-up for basketball, tennis, archery, and dance was held Monday evening. Don't forget girls, the eligibility deadline is the 26th of this month.



L. L. McLELLAN To Speak to Realtors

## Prexy of Real Estate Group To Visit Here

L. L. McLellan, president of the California Real Estate Association, will visit the Torrance Lomita Realty and San Pedro Realty boards at a dinner meeting to be held Feb. 19 at 6:30 p.m. at the Palos Verdes Country Club, according to Perry L. Connett, president of the local board.

The reality official will be accompanied by Eugene P. Conner, state secretary. He will speak on "Better Business—Our Challenge for '54." McLellan has recently returned from an extensive tour of eastern financial centers and conferences with officials of the National Association of Real Estate Boards in Washington, D. C., following his installation as president earlier in the year.

"We feel extremely fortunate that Mr. McLellan is visiting our community during his busy schedule of travel to local realty boards throughout California," Connett said. "We intend to show him the exceptional growth taking place in this area in order that he may incorporate information about our community in his survey of realty progress being made in California."

## Local Homemaker Wins Radio Appliance Prize

Just for having a can of coffee opened in the house and answering correctly the quiz question of the day, Mrs. J. W. Quigley, 1003 Arlington Ave., is richer today by a new electric roaster.

This was her prize in the annual Doorbell Ringing Promotion conducted by KBIG Catalina on its morning newscasts. Mrs. Quigley's name, address, and good fortune were broadcast by KBIG on its Feb. 1 newscast. She was called on by a representative of the J. A. Folger Coffee Co. and immediately awarded a Westinghouse roaster when she showed her Folger's coffee can and answered the quiz question.

## Appeal Out for More Red Cross Volunteer Help

With six of the nine city communities which comprise the southwest region of Red Cross still lacking in majors to bring the organization up to date, Southwest Regional Fund Chairman Frank H. Afton this week issued a region-wide appeal for more Red Cross volunteers.

The call was echoed in Torrance by J. Hugh Sherfy, local fund campaign chairman who asked that all men and women who can work in any capacity respond immediately. Afton also announced—and congratulated—city-communities Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills and Portuguese Bend, Lomita Harbor City and El Segundo—which have solid organization through majors to date. Emphasizing the importance

of making calls early in March, Afton stressed that scores of workers still are needed, as major leaders and door-to-door volunteers, before the kick-off date, on March 1.

"Experience has repeatedly shown that when we have enough workers, they will bring the money in," Afton said. Sherfy added that Torrance abounds in graphic examples of people helped. In time of emergency, by the people of Red Cross. Latest occasion was the supplying of Red Cross-donated blood to save little Diana Griffin's life, when she was critically burned.

Needed this year is \$3,000,150 to carry on the blood program and other Red Cross services. Afton and Sherfy joined to urge that all who will work call local campaign headquarters, FA 8-4233, immediately.

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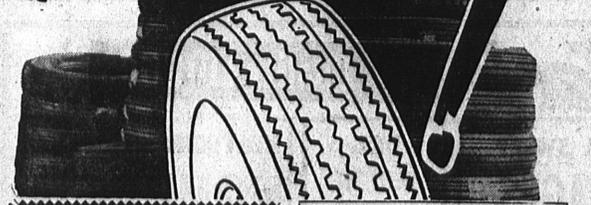
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