



NOTHING THERE—YET . . . But wait until Saturday when the Jim Dandy Market will have goodies flowing in front of the building as part of a free smorgasbord. Assistant Manager Duncan Verelloni, left, and Ida Hanapel, Jim Dandy checker, roll out the carpet for the occasion. Smorgasbord will be served to public from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Torrance High Lass First Entry for Miss Torrance

A petite young brunette is the first contestant to enter the 1955 Miss Torrance contest, sponsored by the Torrance Area Youth Bands, James Van Dyck, band director, announced yesterday.

She is Diane Trimiew, of 18429 Della Ave.

Diane, a sophomore at Torrance High School, stands barely five feet. Other statistics: 34-23-33.

The curvaceous, raven-tressed

miss is planning a career as a fashion illustrator. Her hobbies include golf, tennis, and swimming.

Diane is being sponsored by the Lewellen Press, 1615 Gramercy Ave.

Van Dyck said upwards of a score of entrants are expected to participate in the beauty pageant on July 29 at Torrance Civic Auditorium. This is the fourth year the band has sponsored the contest, open to unmarried Torrance girls between 15½ and 30 years of age.

Entry forms may be secured at the Torrance Press, 1406 Cravens Ave., or the Torrance Herald, 1619 Gramercy Ave.

8 Local Lads Win Trophies For Shooting

Torrance area youngsters walked off with a lion's share of trophies and medals at the junior rifle matches of the National Rifle Assn. of America held Sunday on the 50-foot course.

Jay Scott was winner in the open class, while Norman Rees took the expert class trophy. Donald Fogg won a bronze club medal. Jimmie Hansen won a sharpshooter cup. Gary Evans was given marksman trophy. Jerry Newman got the Cloak Trophy in the tyro class. John Van Deventer took the Winged Victory Trophy, and Bill Smith won the Parkway Trophy.

All completed the National Rifle Assn. of America basic training course and the Hunter Safety Course taught at the San Pedro Police Pistol Range by Miss Ann Friedman, NRA certified rifle and pistol instructor. Classes are held Sundays at 1 p.m.

Every 21 Minutes -- A Wreck!

Speeding motorists are involved in an average of one traffic accident every 21 minutes in the unincorporated areas of California.

"This proof of the truth of the old adage 'Haste Makes Waste' comes from the statistical analysis of traffic accidents made by the California Highway Patrol. The records show that the results of speed are often vicious, crumbling steel and crushing human bodies beyond recognition.

"If you could stand by and hear the reports of these tragic traffic collisions and sudden death come in over the wire, you would have a more realistic picture of the results of speeding in today's traffic," said State Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell.



DIANE TRIMIEW
... Enters Beauty Contest

Clerks Hold Dance

More than 1000 persons attended the second annual dance sponsored by the Retail Clerks Union.

A door prize of a \$50 war bond was won by Catherine E. Voorhes, of 1103 Acacia Ave.

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Retirement Age Gets Study by Educators

A resolution which would require all employees of the Torrance Unified School District—both teachers and other workers—to retire at 65, received first reading at the Board of Education meeting Tuesday.

School administrators feel that it is in the best interests of the district that all retire at 65. Superintendent J. H. Hull told the board. It will be acted upon at the next meeting.

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Tournaments Scheduled

A series of tournament days championship awards will be made to the boy and girl summer champions.

All tournaments will be held on Fridays.

Hopped Up' Car Stolen

A "hopped up" automobile was stolen Tuesday night from Kenneth Drake at his residence, 1434 W. 222nd St., the police department was informed.

he will prefer a gift he can wear

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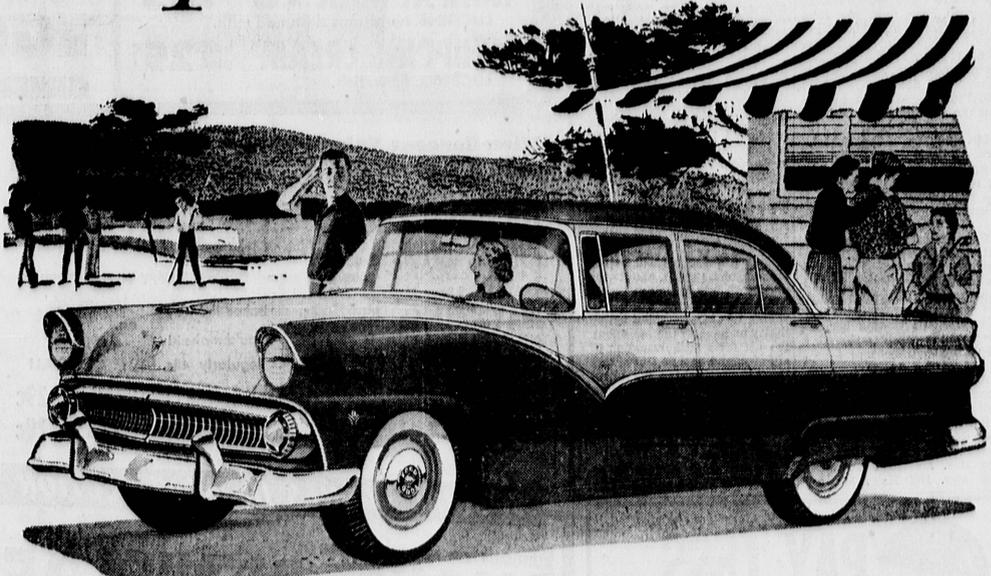
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