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TAP Sergeants Named At Recent Meeting

At a TAP meeting held Wednesday evening June 21, 1950 at 7:00 P.M. in the City Hall Court Room, the Chief announced the results of a recent TAP Sergeants examination and made the following appointments. Joel Friberg, promoted from the rank of Sergeant to "Acting Captain" for the boys.

New Sgts. appointed for the boys were: Jerry Farrar, Tom Webb, Gary Carter and Rudolph Bowen.

New Sgts. appointed for the girls were: Wanda Holloman and Lois Saulsbery.

Nalbro Miller is "Acting Captain" for the girls. Other TAP Sergeants are: girls, Phyllis Stevens and Elizabeth Middleton, boys, Ted Chlanda.

The Torrance Auxiliary Police now have a total of sixty-five members, thirty girls and thirty-five boys.

New Dance Group Forms

A new social group formed last Saturday when over fifty couples gathered at the American Legion Hall to enjoy an evening of dancing and entertainment.

Organized by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schwartz of Levy Department Store, the group included many of the old timers generously mixed with the newer residents of Torrance Seaside Ranchos and Hollywood Riviera.

Orchestra was under the di-

New School Board to Take Office

July 1 will mark the date of installation of the new Torrance Unified School District Board members, according to reports issued this week.

A special meeting will take place July 1 at which time board members A. L. Jackson and William H. Tolson and Judge John A. Shidler will be installed.

A. L. Jackson, former councilman was the only candidate on the ballot with three incumbents, and received an overwhelming majority as did incumbent Shidler. Tolson, former mayor, was elected on a surprise write-in campaign announced in the Press the day before election.

First meeting with the new board will be held July 5 at 8 p. m. at which time the budget will be the main item on the agenda.

The group plans monthly meetings with a yearly dinner dance.

Depot Shut Down Has No Local Effect

Closing of the Navy Supply depot on E. Twenty-second street in San Pedro, will not affect the Torrance Depot, according to Lt. Comdr. Born at Terminal Island.

"We are merely moving the depot to the Island for economy reasons," said Born, and it will in no way have any bearing on the Torrance Depot.

The Depot in Torrance has been subject to some discussion in recent years due to its proximity to the High School. It has been pointed out that highly inflammable items are being stored there, and an explosion however small would seriously endanger the school children.

Mrs. Paul Howey, Welfare Chairman for Las Vocinas, announces that there will be a Teen Canteen dance Saturday evening, July 1, 8:00 p.m. in the El Retiro Park Building.

All teen agers from Seaside Ranchos and Hollywood Riviera are invited to attend.

Mr. R. W. Cosby will be in charge of the dancing. Ping-pong and other forms of recreation will be provided.

Teachers Hired

The following have been employed as substitute Elementary Summer School teachers at a wage rate of \$10.00 per day: Clerk, Mrs. Ruby; Dean, Mrs. Lillian; Verdell, Mrs. Jean.

Vic Teer To Head Local 1414

United Steel Workers of America, Local 1414 held their annual election of officers this week with Vic Teer heading the list as 1950-51 president.

Other officers include Nick Drale, vice president; Tex Hoelting, recording secretary; Roy Constance, Financial secretary; Mike O'Ready, treasurer; H. Cooke, Guide; Alkin and Ackerman, guards; McNally, jr., Frank Smith and George Nelsen, trustees; and George Berran, the Fulton McNally, jr., Ellis and Alex McJannett as grievance committee.

Installation of officers will be held July 13. Retiring president is Alex McJannett.

Airport

"T" had not been turned around, and he, too, was reprimanded.

Lack of courtesy is being shown visitors as well as men on the field, according to investigation.

As a result of the reputation the Torrance field is getting, none of the planes from the North Torrance, airport were transferred to the municipal field when the North Torrance field closed down several months ago. An investigation by the City Council, may result from the reports of discourtesy and poor management at the field.

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Harriett Hardy

(Continued from Page One) years, Miss Hardy extended warm thanks to the many friends who have worked during the past weeks to retain her services in the Torrance School system; and to the many hundred signers of the petitions asking for her retention here.

In a statement yesterday, Miss Hardy said, "I feel that even if the new board did ask me to stay on in the same capacity, I could not accept as long as the present administration is here. "No one can be happy or do good work under tension."

She went to to say, "There must be close cooperation between all heads in order to achieve the best working conditions for the students. Where there is friction or tension or distrust among teachers or in the administration, students are the one who suffer most."

"I hope that someday I will be able to return to Torrance."

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Noted Metropolitan Opera Stars Will Sing Leads in "Faust" Opening Hollywood Bowl 29th Summer Season July 7



Hollywood Bowl's 29th season of Symphonies under the Stars will open July 7 with a gala performance of Gounod's dramatic opera "Faust," with Metropolitan Opera stars in the principal roles and Dr. Arthur Rodzinski conducting.

Nadine Conner, soprano; center in the picture above; Richard Tucker, tenor, left and Jerome Hines, bass; right, will sing the leading roles and Vladimir Rosing, well known for his many staging triumphs in the East, is stage director. Amelie Colantoni is coordinator. The opera is being produced by James A. Doolittle for the Hollywood Bowl Association and will be offered three nights, July 7, 8 and 11.

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