

Five School Bids to be Opened in July

Bids for four planned Torrance Unified School District schools and the additions to the Torrance High School will be opened in July, it was revealed by school officials.

Bids on the planned Crenshaw and El Nido School are scheduled to be opened July 6, 1951. The Crenshaw school site was formerly known as the Strawberry Tract site. Architects Daniel, Mann, Johnson and Mendenhall report that the plans were in the hand of the State Division of Architecture as of June 21. Immediate approval is expected.

Scheduled to be opened July 17 are bids for the Madrona, and Hollywood Riviera Schools and the Torrance High School addition.

Architects for the high school job are Daniel, Mann, Johnson, and Mendenhall. G. F. Schreiber and J. L. Peterson, are the architect-engineers for the \$140,000 Hollywood Riviera school and the \$188,000 Madrona school.

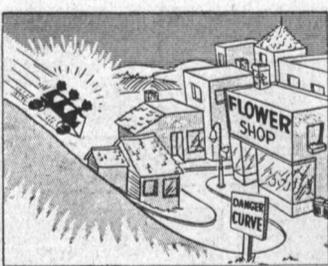
District Hires Summer School Instructors

The School Board Tuesday night employed 23 elementary teachers for the summer school sessions from July 1 to July 27, as needed.

Teachers hired at the indicated salary are: Marion Austin, \$230; Dennis P. Murphy, \$200; Mary F. Gilliland, \$230; Gilda L. Benstead, \$210; Eldora V. Gray, \$210; Sharon Dexter, \$233.34; Garth Belknap, \$216.68; Catherine Gauld, \$190; Rowena Lawson, \$233.34; Doris Kent, \$190; Gilda Oliveri, \$210; Olive Marshall, \$233.34; Jennings R. Davidson, \$233.34; Doris Crozier, \$230; Dorothea Balloch, \$233.34; Jean Verdell, \$233.34; Esther Theriault, \$233.34; Ruby Clere, \$210; George Marich, \$233.34; Cathryn Chisholm, \$233.34; Lynn Shidler, \$220; Margaret Pelland, \$230; and George A. Zavislan, \$233.34. Salary is for the period of July 1 to July 27.

Also hired for the two week period of June 18 to June 30 were Marion Austin, at \$115 and George A. Zavislan, at \$116.66.

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20 Local Youths Graduated El Camino College

El Camino College graduated 258 students with associate of arts degrees Friday, June 15, at 4 p.m. in the college stadium. Included are 17 Torrance youths, two Lomita students and one Harbor City youth.

Baccalaureate services for all graduating sophomores was held Sunday, June 10, in the Redondo Methodist Church. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. in the church located at the corners of Torrance and Broadway avenues.

The graduates marched on to the field to Grundman's "March Professional" conducted by Hamilton Maddaford and played by the El Camino band. Invocation was given by Rev. Francis N. Arant, pastor of Ingewood Heights Christian Church.

Dr. Hugh M. Tiner, president of George Pepperdine college, addressed the class on the topic "The Challenge of Leadership in Today's World."

Following, Forrest G. Murdock, president of El Camino College, made the presentation of the graduating class and recommendation of candidates for degrees.

Awarding of diplomas was done by Robert Russell, president of the El Camino Junior College district board of trustees.

Benediction was offered by Rev. Francis N. Arant, after which the graduates will march off the field under Galliet's "Recessional March."

The local youths on the graduation lists are as follows: Eugene H. Anderson, 1527 W. 214th street; Ronald Robin Bingham, 2354 Sonoma street; Robert A. Carrow, 1342 West 218th street; Phyllis Patricia Clere, 1837 Juniper avenue; Joan E. Donald, 1028 Crenshaw boulevard; Ian Kinloch Gately, 3408 185th Place; William Wallace Haley, 1509 Greenwood avenue, Apt. B; Robert Sachio Horii, 18400 Crenshaw boulevard; Donna Lee Mauk, 1218 Acacia; Mark Gerald Melvaine, Box 177, Torrance; Robert Frederick Metzler, 4802 W. 182nd street; Clarence Edward Miller, Jr., 1520 Manuel avenue; Ray T. Miller, Box 1062, Harbor City; Paul E. Miller, 619 Harbor Hills, Lomita; John Max Robinson, 2321 Maricopa; Ronald Holmes Rowlin, 1415 Post; James Dudley Seymour, 430 Harbor Hills, Lomita; Richard Turner, 1008 Acacia; James Donald Underwood, 1917 Border avenue, and Robert Thomas Young, 2355 El Dorado street.

Overseas Work Still Available

Many positions with the Army in overseas installations are still open to qualified civilians, Mrs. Winona Ellis, manager of the Torrance office of the California State Employment Service, said today.

The local office of the California State Employment Service is participating in a nationwide campaign to acquaint the public with the need of hundreds of civilians to fill these positions. Directing the national recruitment drive, in conjunction with the Overseas Affairs Branch of the Department of the Army, is the United States Employment Service, with which the California Agency is affiliated.

More than 70 job categories are included in the listing of employment for which qualified persons are sought, Mrs. Ellis said. Included are accountants, lawyers, economists, medical officers with public health background, veterinarians and geologists. Many kinds of engineers are wanted, as are radio technicians and repairmen, cable splicers, foremen and code clerks. Office workers such as typists, stenographers, tabulating machine supervisors and operators are also needed.

Pay is on the same scale as governmental positions in the United States, with 25 percent additional for employment in Alaska or Okinawa and 10 percent additional in Japan. Housing is free in some places, or supplied in nominal costs. Medical and dental care is furnished at nominal cost and the customary community services are available in most places, Mrs. Ellis said.

Men and women interested in overseas positions should present their qualifications to the Torrance office of the California State Employment Service at 1628 Cravens Avenue, Torrance. Applications will be forwarded to the Overseas Affairs Branch of the Department of the Army immediately.

Mrs. Winona Ellis said that candidates may choose employment in any area where jobs are available for which they are qualified. Whether dependents may join civilian employees overseas depends on the area. Information about dependent regulations and other aspects of overseas employment is available at the California State Employment Service office.

Varied Summer Play Program At High School

Teen agers are urged to avail themselves of the special facilities offered at Torrance High School by the Recreation Department during the summer.

Each Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1-3 p.m. archery, tennis, softball, and golf lessons are offered while from 3-5 p.m. touch football, basketball, ping-pong, badminton, chess, and checkers are among the special activities. Rex Welch and Doris Avis are supervising.

On Monday and Wednesday Torrance teens may take advantage of the Hollywood Riviera pool and beach area. Ted Meier, popular youth leader, will give instruction at the beautiful pool from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. From 1-4 p.m. volleyball and other beach games will be organized under the direction of Welch and Avis.

Davis Miller Wins P. V. Fifth Purchase Award

Members of the Palos Verdes Community Arts Association voted Davis T. Miller's oil painting "Tower and Surf Boards" the most popular oil painting in the Palos Verdes Fifth Purchase Prize Exhibit.

Miller's painting will be hung in the Palos Verdes Library with other purchase prize paintings, by Dorothy Jordan, Dan Lutz, Paul Lauritz and Fulton Fitch.

The Palos Verdes Community Arts Association this year invited only young southern California artists who had been attracting the attention of critics and teachers in the various art departments of our colleges and in the art schools.

Miller's paintings have been shown in the Greek Theater, the National Orange Art Exhibit, the Los Angeles County Fair Exhibit and in California Water Color Society shows.

Organization Of Local Air Force Vets

A meeting of Air Force veterans, both enlisted and commissioned, in this area will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock at the Hollywood Riviera Club, Torrance. The meeting is being sponsored by the South Bay Squadron of the Air Force Association, and all Air Force veterans are urged to attend. Their wives and guests are also welcome.

To handle any individual inquiries which might be made between meetings, the local AFA group has appointed a Mobilization Service Officer, Eric Rafter, Hermos Beach attorney, has been named to this position. He can be contacted at 2625 Manhattan Avenue, Hermosa, telephone number FR 4-3998.

According to William Zdanoff, Squadron Commander, this meeting is the first of a series to be called by the local AFA group for the purpose of keeping Air Force veterans up to date on regulations and policies pertaining to mobilization and recall to active duty.

He stated that he would like to make one point clear — the attending these meetings, or any other AFA activities, or affiliating with the Air Force Association, in no way puts anyone closer to military service. "Our Association is civilian, and is in no way directly affiliated with the military, nor subject to military jurisdiction. But we do serve the Air Force veteran and feel he will be interested in knowing all the answers regarding our mobilization procedures, Zdanoff explained.

One of the objectives of this organization is to preserve and foster the spirit of fellowship among former and present members of the Air Force, and to perpetuate the identity and group solidarity of wartime Air Force units large and small, according to Zdanoff.

Unemployment Here Remains On Even Keel

With unemployment in this area remaining on a fairly even keel for the last three months, figures released by Torrance office of the State of California Department of Employment show that 1240 local persons are seeking employment as of this date, according to Winona Ellis, manager. For the month of April, 1951, statistics reveal that 1237 were seeking employment through the local office.

In addition to Torrance these figures include Gardena, Lomita, Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach and adjacent territories.

Of the total for this month, 690 are women and 550 are men. Most of the men are over 40 years of age and 30 percent of the men are veterans. Many of the women are housewives re-entering the labor market for defense work.

Available applicants are classified as follows:

April	May	June
55	44	59
222	186	189
80	85	82
203	190	187
106	90	133
219	190	178
160	151	210
192	199	202
1237	1135	1240

"Christian Science" Sun. Lesson Text

The Sunday Bible Lesson in all Christian Science churches shows that Christian healing of sickness as well as of sin is available today to all who know the truth and abide by Scriptural rules.

This declaration from Habakkuk (2:14) will be the Golden Text: "The earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea."

A Scriptural selection from Matthew's Gospel relates that "great multitudes came unto him, having with them those that were lame, blind, dumb, maimed, and many others, and cast them down at Jesus feet; and he healed them . . . and they glorified the God of Israel" (15:30,31).

These correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will be read: "If the student adheres strictly to the teachings of Christian Science and ventures not to break its rules, he cannot fail of success in healing." "This system enables the learner to demonstrate the divine Principle upon which Jesus healing was based, and the sacred rules for its present application to the cure of disease" (pp. 448,147).

Seaside Sewer Bid Let to Northwest Excavating Co.

The bid of Northwest Excavating Company, who submitted the low bid for the installation of sewers in the Seaside Sewer District, in the amount of \$65,885.83, was accepted and all other bids were rejected by the City Council Tuesday night.

Mother of Local Dentist Passes

The funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Marie Fossum, 92, mother of Dr. O. E. Fossum, local dentist, was held at an Ingewood mortuary under the direction of Stone and Myers Monday, June 25, with Rev. Charles Guthrie, of the Lennox Methodist Church officiating. Interment was at the Pacific Crest Cemetery.

Born in Burgan, Norway, the deceased was a resident of Ingewood for the last 30 years and a member of the Methodist Church of Lennox for about the same period of time.

Mrs. Fossum passed away on June 21 at 1633 Cota avenue, the home of her daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Morse.

Besides her son, Dr. Fossum, other survivors are: a son, Herbert M. Fossum of Minneapolis; daughters, Mrs. Ivah Knopper of Ingewood, Mrs. Myrtle Morse of Torrance, Mrs. Dorothy Hagenson of Richmond, and Mrs. Camilla Dahlin of St. Paul, Minnesota; sisters, Caren Murbeck of Minneapolis, and Dorothy Olsen of Hollywood, California; thirteen grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Torrance Ladies Like Burgundy

The state of Washington is represented by the 42nd star on the American flag.

It was revealed today that many of our sedate Torrance housewives are Burgundy lovers. The charge was made by Jack Vinik of this city. He asserted that a good percentage of his customers seem to prefer the Burgundy colored fabrics, despite his wide selection of beautiful modern materials. Mr. Vinik respectfully reminds you that his priceless work is priced less. The phone please—Torrance 1157, the firm name Torrance Upholstery, 1927 West Carson Street—It's an ad.

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"No, Sam! I want footsteps coming downstairs."

City Accepts Signal Oil Gasoline Bid

The bid of Signal Oil Company, who submitted the lowest bid for gasoline, in the amount of 15.52c per gallon for regular and 17.52c per gallon for premium grade delivered in truck and trailer, was accepted and all other bids rejected by the City Council Tuesday night.

An agreement was entered into with the County of Los Angeles for the operation of the Torrance Library for the year 1951-52, in accordance with the budget estimate submitted by them in the amount of \$16,319.

The first plate glass was ground and polished by rubbing two plates together by hand.

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