

(Continued from Page 1) school, Sept. 14. Registration is going on now at all schools on weekdays during what would be the normal school hours. There will be no registration on Labor Day, Sept. 7, Hamilton stated.

To be eligible for enrollment in kindergarten, children must be born on or before December 2, 1948 to conform to California state law which specifies that children must not be younger than four years and nine months old on the first day of school.

Parents enrolling kindergarten students must bring their children's birth certificates or furnish other proof of birth, according to Hamilton.

In the meantime, new high school students from the ninth grade through the twelfth grade who have come from other districts or who did not register last spring may do so now at Torrance high school weekdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., according to Ivan Malam, boys' advisor. Counseling will be provided with the registration.

There will be no changes in school district attendance zones from those in effect at the close of school in June. Changes will be made when the schools un-

der construction are ready for occupancy. Orientation Two orientation programs are slated for new high school students, according to Principal Bruce Magner.

One is scheduled for Friday, Sept. 11 from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. This is for all new freshmen who had their programs made out in spring and received cards inviting them to this assembly. The other assembly, to be held Monday, the first day of school, is for all new students not yet enrolled.

Construction Of the three schools under construction, Madrona is the only one ready for occupancy. Prospective Carr School students will still attend North Torrance Elementary where double sessions will be held.

Thirty-six classrooms are under construction now and it should not be too long before they are available. A request which would provide 22 more classrooms in addition to these is now awaiting State approval. When this space has been provided Torrance should be quite adequately equipped to handle its increased enrollment, Emmett Ingram, assistance superintendent, stated.

Teachers, too, are being given an orientation program. They are meeting at the high school daily starting next week Tuesday thru Friday, Sept. 8 thru Sept. 11, inclusive.

(Continued from Page 1) area sometimes only twice a week.

Overloaded Routes It has been stated that overloaded routes are responsible for this. If the routes were adjusted to an eight hour day, the regular carrier could give regular and scheduled service.

With the routes being overloaded, the regular carrier cannot cover his whole area at times, requiring temporary carriers to help out. Since these temporary carriers are not scheduled regularly for any particular area, those areas serviced by them receive their mail at unpredictable intervals. A few more regular carriers to handle the surplus routes is what is needed.

The majority of the local routes are said to be overloaded and the argument that budget limitations prevent the proper adjusting of the routes is considered unsound since the Postmaster General wishes to maintain first and foremost a policy of scheduled service. By contacting him, the necessary adjustments can be brought about.

It has been suggested that local residents affected by poor postal service write to Washington in order to have the situation remedied, inasmuch as local officials state that nothing further can be done from here for lack of funds and because these officials believe that the postal service is running

(Continued from Page 1) music and the singing of lovely Pat Manners. Or perhaps they just stood and watched.

The street dance got under way with a formal presentation of the new neon sign to Mayor Mervin Schwab by Robert L. Plomert, president of the local Chamber of Commerce. The mayor accepted the sign on behalf of the city. Plomert also presented Mrs. Schwab with a bouquet of flowers which action of appreciation was reciprocated by the mayor when he presented Mrs. Plomert with a flower bouquet as well.

Those who had not seen what the new neon sign looked like were able to get a bird's eye view of it from the miniature, made from plexiglass by Jack White displayed at the North Torrance Civic Association booth.

on as economical a basis as possible.

Letters may be addressed to Arthur Summerfield, Postmaster General, Washington, 25, D. C. Letters or carbon copies may also be sent to this paper, the Torrance Press.

In the meantime complaints have also been heard that third and fourth class mail have received first class handling, contrary to postal regulations.

(Continued from Page 1) specific conditions under which a variance for the erection of oil drilling facilities on a tract located between 236th st. and Highway 101 might be granted.

Conditions Attorney for the Revo Company this week submitted oil drilling conditions to the Planning Commission in response to the Commission's request that greater safety measures than now existing be required before granting the Company a variance.

The points which were submitted for discussion were as follows: that no wells be drilled within 500 ft. of existing residences; no oil or brine sumps of any sort to be allowed; all tanks are to be on or above the ground; no derricks allowed except for actual drilling operation (only portable ones are to be used and to be removed when operation is finished); all guard rails as required by state law are to be covered by steel mesh for the protection of animals and children; portable derricks must be the type approved by CAA to protect airport activities; mud sumps are to be drained and back-filled with the completion of drilling operations.

An ostrich does not bury its head in the sand when frightened, as is commonly believed.

Dope ...

(Continued from Page 1) the story told Captain Ashton. O'Brien attempted to be evasive about the whole matter.

The two Los Angeles youths admit stealing car radios in order to raise money for their

Guilty ...

(Continued from Page 1) April in connection with the \$30,000 robbery of Joseph R. Alden, manager of the National Supply Company's Employees' Credit Union.

McNally gave himself up to local police while Madlung was taken into custody near the Canadian border.

Embezzling Alden is serving a six months jail sentence on being proved guilty of embezzling \$7,628 of the credit union funds. Judge William Neeley, who committed Alden to the Los Angeles County jail, also reprimanded the National Supply Employees Credit Union. He stated that Alden "was overworked and underpaid," and said that the employees were as guilty as Alden. Records indicate that Alden's take-home pay averaged \$269 a month.

Judge Neeley praised Alden for having built the organization's fund from the original \$40,000 deposit to \$250,000.

Alden was robbed of \$30,000 he was carrying to cash employees' checks April 2. The robbery took place in front of National Supply.

Takes Over

Camera Shop Herbert Agid has taken over the Riviera Camera Shop at 1404 So. Pacific Coast Highway. Agid, formerly photography instructor for the Army Air Forces, was also in charge of theatrical photography for the University of Southern California for two years.

Ostriches swallow their food whole, like the chicken, and have no gullet and no teeth.

expensive habit. They have spent as much as \$800-\$400 a week for heroin.

Rodriguez, they told the detective, was only an occasional "user," whereas O'Brien is a habitual one. O'Brien goes to Tijuana where he picks up \$11-\$200 worth of heroin and cuts it into 12-15 caps which he resells here.

One Likes It, Other Doesn't Levinson, who is a three-year user, stated that he wants to be sent to a narcotics hospital in order to get rid of the dope habit. Holt, who just emerged from the L. A. county jail on a 15-months

narcotics charge, said, "I want to be a dump-head ... I want to be a dope fiend ... I like it ... and I hope that the price will come down some day to the price of a shot of whiskey," according to the remarks made to Captain Ashton.

Ashton, who searched a Long Beach motel at which the two were staying under an assumed name, found two complete hypodermic outfits and heroin. The two will be released to the Los Angeles or Long Beach Police Department.

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