

**Dental Health Week To Be Observed Here**

The 7th annual Dental Health Week, stressing the prevention of dental disease and devoted to building increased public awareness of sound dental health principles, will be observed in Harbor and inland district communities March 7-11, under the sponsorship of the Council on Dental Health of the Third District, Los Angeles County Dental Society.

Dr. John Whitaker of San Pedro will serve as overall district chairman, with Drs. Arthur Berke, Maurice Tyler and Clifford Brown, serving as co-

**Optometrist Appointed to National Post**

Dr. A. F. Kline, local optometrist associated with Dr. Soss, was appointed assistant program chairman of the National Association of Optometrists at the regular business meeting held last week in Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Mason, of 4527 Narrot St., announce the birth of a daughter, Maria Jean, weighing 7 pounds.

Chairmen for Torrance, Gardena, and Long Beach, respectively.

**School Board Creates 3 High School Zones**

Three high school zones were created at the last meeting of the Board of Education. These zones will go into effect as the second and third high schools are completed, thus creating a high school in north, central, and south Torrance.

With the completion of North Torrance High School, the new set-up calls for the following:

1. No south Torrance student now attending Torrance High school would be transferred. This affects about 500 students.
2. All north Torrance students now attending Torrance High school would be transferred. This affects about 725 students.
3. All central Torrance students will continue to attend Torrance High school.
4. All south Torrance students entering high school after this September would go to North Torrance High school until South Torrance High school is ready for use.

Elementary schools were assigned to the following districts:

North Torrance—Carr, Crenshaw, El Nido, North Torrance, and Steele.

South Torrance—Riviera, Seaside, WALTERIA, Meadow Park, Hillside, and Newton (Pacific).

Central Torrance—Fern-Greenwood, Torrance Elementary, Wood, and Madrona.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas Kuhn, of 18312 Regina Ave., announce the birth of a son, Claude David, weighing 8 pounds and 11 ounces.



PERSONAL APPEARANCE... Billie Watkins and his famous dog team will appear in person at Clark's market in Manhattan Beach on Friday, January 28 at 4:30 p.m.

**MOVERS MASTER MUD...**

Moving a 2-ton, 113 foot long refinery unit is child's play, as a rule, for the Owl Trucking Co. That is, until they tried it last week in Torrance when they attempted to move it from one end of the General Petroleum plant to the other.

The villain in the plot was good old-fashioned "mud." Sheer determination, winches, and a couple of dozen men did triumph in the end.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry J. Brown, of 4501 Highgrove Ave., announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Jayne, weighing 7 pounds and 2 ounces.

**Famed Dog Act To Stage Appearance**

Billie Watkins and his famous "Major Dog Family" will appear in person at Clark's market in Manhattan Beach, Friday, January 28 at 4:30 p.m., it was announced.

The dog act consists of five highly trained, German shepherd dogs.

This act has been brought from Hollywood, California under the sponsorship of Red Heart Dog Food. These dogs have appeared in many movies, the most recent of which was "The Caddy" featuring Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis.

Watkins has been training dogs for twenty-three years. Major, "the dog with the human mind" and star performer of the show, teaches boys and girls traffic safety rules, and amazes audiences with tricks of human intelligence.

The trainer claims the dogs can read. Fruits and vegetables are picked out by the dogs when the words are spelled out. In a "robbery stunt" Major never makes a pass at the gun of the would-be-burglar while it is pointed at him, but the moment Watkins permits himself to be distracted the dog leaps in the air to seize the weapon from his hand.

Watkins and the dogs will be making a series of free appearances at schools, orphanages, hospitals, and retail grocery stores while they are in Manhattan Beach.



A. N. SEMMELROTH... New Manager

**Semmelroth Gets National Electric Post**

Albert N. Semmelroth has been appointed manager of the Torrance plant of National Electric Products corporation. He succeeds A. D. Freshman, recently retired.

In making this announcement W. C. Robinson, president, said Semmelroth will assume his duties at Torrance on February 1. He currently serves as chief engineer of the company's Busway division at the Elizabeth, N. J., plant.

In his position as plant manager, Mr. Semmelroth will be responsible for the company's production of electrical conduits and supervision of warehousing facilities of National Electric's general line of electrical distribution systems located at this plant.

A graduate of Cooper-Union college, Semmelroth received his Master of Science degree from Stevens Institute of Technology in 1932. During World War II he served as a radar observer and navigator for three years with the rank of first lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Force.

**Red Cross Leaders Plan Drite**

Initial and basic plans for conducting the forthcoming Red Cross campaign in Torrance were discussed by area chairman, Albert Isen and top volunteer aides at a meeting held this week Tuesday at the home of the residential chairman, Mrs. Grover Whyte, 1620 Post avenue.

New Red Cross leaders present at the first organizational meeting were the following who have volunteered to serve as colonels under the direction of Mrs. Whyte: Mrs. Glenn L. Amos, 1215 Felbar; Mrs. Elmo Reese, 20938 LaSalle; Mrs. Clem J. Bols, 1851 Reynosa drive; Mrs. John F. Hunt, 24236 Adolph avenue, WALTERIA; and Mrs. William Barnard, 924 Calle Miramar; Hollywood Riviera chairman.

Current project of the fund-raising group, as set forth by Isen, will be the "rapid mobilization of a complete volunteer unit necessary to carry out a

productive campaign program for the Red Cross service." M. Schwab, commerce and industry chairman; and Mrs. Murr-ray Rudnick, business chairman. Also present at the first round up meeting were volunteer officials: W. A. Felker, ad-

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