

### Mrs. Jack Carrell Elected President of Hillside PTA

Mrs. Jack Carrell was elected to the presidency of Hillside PTA at the regular association meeting. Other newly elected officers are: Mrs. Bert Mennes, first vice-president; Mrs. Maurice Tyner, second vice-president; Mrs. W. C. Thompson, secretary; and Mrs. Robert Trimble, treasurer.

Robert Allen is auditor and Mrs. W. Allen is historian. These officers will be installed at the monthly meeting in May and will take office June 1.

Mrs. Susan Waters, 5th grade teacher at Hillside school, and students from Frank Demeyan's 7th grade were featured in the program on "Promoting International Relationship."

The 7th grade girls showed hand-made life size cardboard dolls which they had painted in the dress of different countries and nationalities. Boys from the class gave a short talk as each doll was shown.

Mrs. Waters then showed color slides of Central Europe.

### High School Plans Unique Productions

The Festival presents a group of three one-act plays which are written by the students themselves.

Two of the plays, "150 Years to Learn" and "The Clock," were written by Tom Quaggin, a Torrance high junior. The third play, "Change of Heart," was written by Jim Weyant, a sophomore.

The plays are picked on the basis of originality and writing style by Rosemary de Camp, motion picture and television actress; and Von Hershey, Torrance high drama director.

The cast of "150 Years to Learn," the comedy production for this year, includes: Eddie Shaw as Napoleon, Alice Mewborn as Josephine, Dianne Cook as Marge, and Richard Bentwood as Mike.

Others in the cast are: Berta Rogan as Joan, Bob Hanks as Bob, and Howard Mathews as Mr. Abacrombie.

Tickets will be on sale at the school.

### Young April Will Make School History In March

The senior class of North Torrance high school will celebrate another milestone in this history-making year when the Senior Play opens tomorrow night, March 23, at the Torrance high auditorium.

"Young April," the play to be presented, will be the first senior class play to be done by North high.

The seniors have been aware of the unique responsibility placed upon them this year, said Arlene Lesar, student director of the show. The seniors graduating this year are members of the first senior graduating class at North Torrance high, therefore their activities one by one will make school history and set standards for the future.

Mrs. Betty Lou Warren is the director. Jim Hoffman will stage manage the production and the technical director is Bernard Hofer.

Tickets will be available at the door.

"Young April" is a sequel to "Growing Pains" and tells about the experiences of the McIntyre family. The play, which is enlivened by frequent bits of humor, is about the inter-reactions of parents and youngsters.

Some of the seniors at North High in the play are: Ray Davis, Nora Cummings, Joan Reed, Jim Powers, Ed McNamara, Gerry Terhaggen, Judy Okada, Arry Willemse, Billy Sellers, Carole Fair, Johanne Parker, and Jeanne Shifferd.

The understudies are: Carole Sue Jackson, Linda Lawton, and Pattie Bucholz.

### Brewer Gets Republican Endorsement

Thomas C. Brewer Jr., insurance executive of Torrance, has been endorsed unanimously by the Republican Candidates Committee of the 68th Assembly District as Republican candidate for the State Assembly in the June primary.

Meeting Tuesday night in Torrance, under chairmanship of Frank S. Selover, who also is chairman of the Republican Central Committee for the 68th district, the committee considered the names of several potential candidates and endorsed Brewer as the standard bearer in the race against Vincent Thomas, incumbent Assemblyman, who is a Democrat. Brewer said that he will cross-file on both tickets.

A resident of California for 26 years, much of this time in Torrance, Brewer resides with his wife, Mildred Mary Brewer, and their three children at 18423 St. Andrews Place, Torrance.

Their next match is with Beverly Hills on the North high field.

**Snoopin' Around**  
Jim Thomas joined the Marines and has left the Saxon campus. Gale Rogers was hostess at a St. Paddy's day party last Saturday. The party was given in her gaily decorated garage. Those attending were, Mike Schneider and Sarah Gazay, Jeff Lindsey and Celia Stinger, Terry Baker and Bonnie Williams, Rosemary Francis and Bob Morgan, Julia Pace and Earshal Ward, Julie Widmark, Gene Horwhitze, and Gale.

### I Have Something to Say About Real Estate:

The Torrance Herald on April 3, 1952, states, among other things, the following:

"We, the reporters, editors and the publisher, are in accord that real estate men should not be councilmen. . . . We believe the best interests of the city are not served when a councilman is called upon to represent the city as a buyer of land or property while simultaneously acting as an agent of the seller. It is further questionable whether a real estate agent, ANY real estate agent, can use unbiased judgment when voting for the approval or disapproval of tract maps and other matters pertaining to new home subdivisions. This situation . . . would arise if any real estate salesman, agent, or broker were to become a city councilman."

**I AGREE!!!**

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**What Are the Steel Companies Doing About It?**

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of a 36-million-ton expansion in the last 10 years. Note that the new expansion is at the annual rate of 5 million tons, against about 3½ million tons since World War II.

**How Much Will Expansion Cost?**

Billions will be needed. Building furnaces and steel mills is only a part of it. There must be ore, coal, limestone and other raw material supplies, plus the necessary railroad and shipping facilities. Rising costs make it difficult to estimate the bill for expansion. But clearly it will exceed \$1 billion annually in years to come.

**Where Will the Money Come From?**

That's the Billion Dollar Question! Of course, the only continuing sources of revenue which the steel

companies have are the sums they get from their customers and the money the public invests in steel companies.

Out of money which a steel company gets from its customers, it must pay for materials, wages, employee benefits, interest, taxes and all the other costs of doing business. What's left over is profit — and the size of that profit determines the ability of each individual steel company to attract the capital it needs for expansion.

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