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Oil drilling rigs, often as high as a 15-story building, are reported by the National Automobile club to be so skillfully engineered that they can lift and lower equipment weighing as much as five locomotives.

THE DENTIST SAYS:

ERNEST J. TARR, D. D. S.

USE OLD TEETH FOR NEW PLATES

Question—
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If you have any questions concerning dental problems, you want answered in this column, write to:

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Pvt. Daligney In Colorado

Army Pvt. Robert B. Daligney, whose wife, Georgia, lives at 1034 Le Courveur ave., Wilmington, is receiving basic training with the 9th Infantry division at Fort Carson, Colo.

A 1955 graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles, he is a member of Sigma Pi fraternity. His mother, Mrs. Frank F. Vogt, lives at 1650 W. 214th st.

FEW THINGS are impracticable in themselves, and it is for want of application, rather than of means, that men fail of success.—Rochefoucauld.



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Yule Plans Announced For Parks And Playgrounds

The following schedule will be in effect during the Christmas vacation, according to Recreation Director Harry Van Bellehem. Five parks and nine elementary schoolgrounds will be opened on December 19 and will remain open December 19 to 22 and December 26 to 29 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. on most areas.

Park areas with night lighted facilities will remain open during the evening. All areas will be closed on December 24 and 25.

Areas in which supervised recreation will be offered include El Retiro, McMaster park, Sea Aire park, Torrance park, Waleria park, Carr school, Crenshaw school, Carl Steele school, Greenwood school, Hillside school, Newton school, Riveiera school, Sepulveda school and Waleria school.

CRAFT PROGRAM FEATURED

A handcraft program will be featured at the parks, with the exception of Torrance park, and at the schools with the exception of Sepulveda school where a supervised play program will be held. Simple gift items and Christmas decorations will be made at all other areas. The play "A Christmas Leg-

end" will be presented in the Civic Auditorium, corner Cravens and El Prado, on Wednesday, December 20 at 1 p.m. and on Saturday, December 22, at 7:30 p.m.

This program is under the direction of Mrs. Pat Bennett, a teacher at Perry school, and a frequent participant in local theatrical productions. The cast ranges in age from 6-13 years.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

The only activity in the Torrance high gym during the vacation period will be on Wednesdays when the girls' gym will be open from 7:30 p.m. for teen-age coed volleyball under the direction of Miss Doris Avis and Joan Wooten.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AT McMASTER AND EL RETIRO

Area directors have planned a variety of activities and special events for the vacation period. For further information contact the directors on these areas for exact times and dates for the events.

GET YOURSELF in the "know." Don't rely on unauthorized information on your social security. It may cost you money. See your local social security office at 1318 Pine avenue, Long Beach for advice on the best time to file for benefits.

Contract Signed By National's Toledo Plant

The Toledo plant of the National Supply company has signed a new labor agreement for a three-year period with the United Automobile Workers of America—the terms of which followed the general pattern of the recent steel industry agreement.

The average wage increase of 4.4 per cent at Toledo yielded 8 cents per hour at the lowest labor grade to 12 cents per hour at the top job class.

The wage adjustment was made effective November 12, which date had been set by a previous agreement with another union at the Toledo plant, the M.E.S.A.

The group insurance plan was adjusted to conform to the steel industry pattern, which included the Blue Cross-Blue Shield program with the \$300 surgical schedule.

DEFEAT NEVER comes to any man until he admits it.—Joseph Daniels.

Garden Club To Sponsor Contest In Allied Gardens

The Greenthumbers Garden club is again sponsoring the Christmas Home Decoration contest for Allied Gardens. Displays may be entered under one of three categories, Lighting (outdoor or visible from the window), Religious and Children's Theme.

Judging, which will take place Monday evening, December 17, will be based on beauty, originality and ingenuity. Three leading Torrance citizens will act as judges for the club.

Prizes fall into three classifications—sweepstakes trophy, cash awards and gift certificates. A merchandise award or gift certificate is being donated by stores in Allied Gardens.

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