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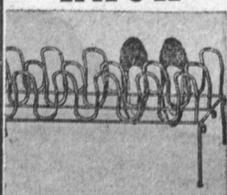
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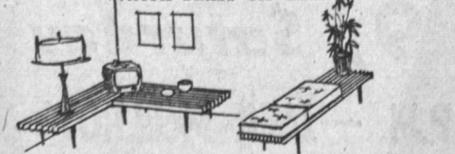
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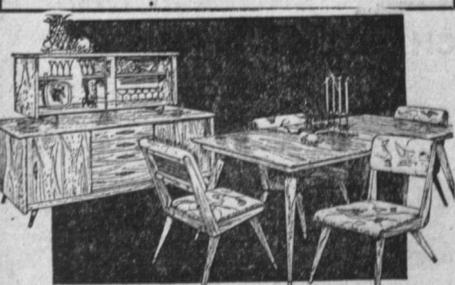
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The Lomita Civic League will hold its regular bi-monthly meeting tonight at 7 p.m. in the Little Theater at Fleming Junior High School.



Plans for a Victory Banquet honoring Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ross for their outstanding work in the recent campaign will be discussed, and all those interested are urged to attend. For reservations or further information contact Mrs. M. S. Goodwin, DA 6-4575.

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Letters to the Editor

Question for 46,000

Editor,
Thank you for your comprehensive coverage of the recent bond issues for a better airport and for park improvement and expansion.

Good government depends upon participation of everyone. Had the majority of our people voted, I am sure the results would have been substantially different. Too many depend on others to successfully carry the worthwhile issues.

Over one-half of our 92,000 citizens are children. What I want to know is this: What do we tell them when they ask where they are going to play?
Albert Isen, Mayor

Tax 'Pearl Harbor'

Editor,
Torrance Press
10:15, Saturday morning, Nov. 1, was tax-Pearl Harbor. Opened my mail and found my tax bill, 10:17 a.m. Recovered from the shock of reading my tax bill: 10:20, figured and refigured. No error, tax bill correct. Contacted friend at 10:30 a.m. Same story.

Friend and I congratulated each other on voting at the recent bond election. Conclusion: taxes on vacant lots and the land on improved property increased 100 per cent; improvements 25 per cent. Rate increased from 6.813 to 7.3511 or a total increase in one year of 134 per cent.

Elections for councilman coming this April. Time for a change and new faces in our city government. Bless the voters who exercised their vote at the last bond election.

Howard Percy

So Long, Not Farewell

Editor,
Torrance Press

As I am leaving Torrance to take up my new duties in Lynwood, I wish to thank you for your wonderful cooperation with me and the Catholic people of Torrance.

The "All-America" award winning City of Torrance has been near and dear to me for 13 years and I know that I will miss it greatly. I have seen it grow from 13,000 people to 93,000, and I can bear testimony to the tolerance and charity of all of its citizens — Catholics, Protestants and Jews alike. I wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone without exception who has made my stay here such a pleasant one and I ask forgiveness for my many shortcomings and imperfections.

I also wish to thank you for your assurance of support on the matter which means so much to us, namely: Taxation of private religious schools.

Rev. Patrick McGuinness

New York's La Guardia Airport is undergoing a \$32 million expansion program. Among the improvements will be tripled passenger terminal space, 50% increased parking space, rebuilt runways.



CHAMPION FUND RAISERS for the 50-bed \$1,100,000 Bay-Harbor Osteopathic Hospital to be built on a six-acre tract on Lomita Blvd., east of President Ave., are Dr. Roger Thill and his wife, Dr. Eleanor Thill of Torrance and Waleria. They have turned in more than \$40,000 in pledges to the new hospital according to Mrs. Alice Quiros, left, who prepares to accept some additional pledges from Dr. Thill, as Dr. Frederick Stange second from left, looks on. Dr. Roger Thill is a senior student at the Osteopathic college. Both he and his wife are Optometrists.

Drive For Bay-Harbor Hospital Nears Goal

Success of a community wide "Hospital Day" service in churches of Lomita and Harbor City was hailed this week as total pledges soared over the \$300,000 mark and to within \$75,000 of the total needed to assure a \$1,100,000 Bay-Harbor Osteopathic hospital for this area.

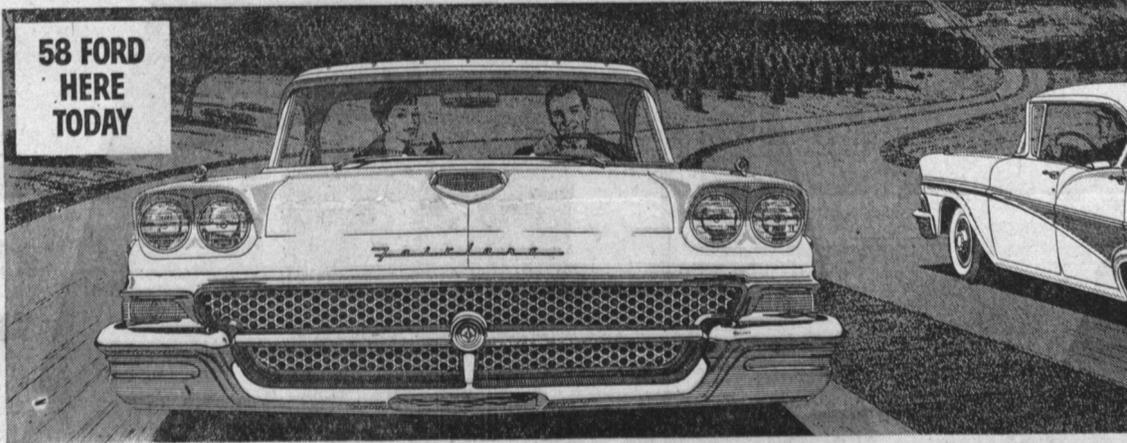
Osteopathic doctors of the district turned out to church services throughout the area and members of the Harbor City-Lomita Ministerial Association delivered special "Hospital Day" sermons.

Taking part in the Sunday program were the First Baptist Church of Lomita with Rev. J. W. Hardin, pastor and Dr. J. H. Putnam and Dr. Donald O. Donay in attendance; Narbonne Avenue Southern Baptist church, Rev. Robert A. Wells, pastor, with Dr. Merle H. Boyce in attendance; Western Avenue Baptist church, Rev. Walter Graham and James Burnett, pastors with Dr. Donald Cortum in attendance; Harbor City-Lomita Methodist church, Rev. Howard A. Rosine, pastor, with Dr. George Wall in attendance. Lomita Missionary church, Rev. Roy Whittum, pastor, with Dr. Frederick Stange attending; Lomita Community church, Rev. Frank H. Peters, pastor, with Dr. John P. Hutchins attending; Lomita Calvary church, Rev. Eugene C. Williams, pastor, with Dr. Glen Mahoney attending; Revival Tabernacle, Rev. Fred Martin, pastor, with Drs. Otto Frantlich and Robert M. Patterson attending and the Lomita Church of God, Rev. Clifford Hitchcock, pastor, with Dr. Bryce Pizey attending.

FINAL DRIVE
Coupled with the "Hospital Day" at churches will be a series of "coffee hours" planned by church members and other residents of the area, as volunteer fund drive workers launch final phases of the drive. All fund raising activity for the Bay-Harbor Osteopathic hospital is on a volunteer basis. It is pointed out by Mrs. Alice Quiros, Redondo Beach, volunteer headquarters director. Rev. Marian Piles of the Harbor City Foursquare church and Rev. Eldon Durham of the Presbyterian church of Lomita also gave special Hospital Day services.

Champion volunteer fund raisers for the new 50-bed facility are Drs. Roger and Eleanor Thill of Torrance and Waleria. Dr. Roger Thill, an optometrist, now a senior student at the Osteopathic college, and Dr. Eleanor Thill, also an optometrist, have raised a total of \$42,000 in pledges for the hospital project. Both are outstanding in civic and social work of their area. Dr. Thill, who will complete his college work this year will have one year of internship and then plans to open offices in the Bay-Harbor area. Practicing osteopathic doctors have pledged \$206,000 toward the hospital, according to Mrs. Quiros. Pledges from organizations, industry and the general public have accounted for nearly \$100,000 more to bring the drive within \$75,000 of the necessary amount to insure final approval of a \$594,882 Hill-Burton grant for the district. Deadline for the drive is December 9.

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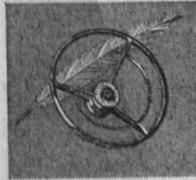
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He described FHA as a time-tested system enabling Americans to buy their own homes with a modest equity investment. Second mortgages, he said, were among the weaknesses FHA was set up to eliminate from home financing practices that wrecked the mortgage market in the early 1930's.

Norman Lyon, Director of the FHA Los Angeles Insuring Office pointed out that FHA, in its role of insuring lender against loss or mortgage loans, permits no secondary financing.