

Hearing on New Cat Ordinance to Be Held Tuesday

Public hearing on a proposed law to license cats and to set a limit of two felines to each family, will be held before the city council Tuesday at 8 p.m.

The new law would require payment of license fees, and unlicensed animals would be subject to seizure by the poundmaster.

Another feature of the ordinance will be to bar non-domestic cats, such as cheetahs and ocelots from the city.

Patricia Payne Gets High Junior

Patricia L. Payne, 16, a North High School junior was one of four students in Los Angeles to receive the Executive Award, the highest recognition bestowed by Junior Achievement.

The presentation was made to her last night at the Hollywood Palladium.

Miss Payne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Payne, of 2339 W. 239th st. She is a member of Perma-Lite, a J.A. Industry sponsored by Mission Applique. The junior company makes decorative candles.



WORKS FINE—Judie Tye, Miss Torrance Chamber of Commerce, pulls pie out of one of new ranges in Torrance Civic Auditorium which were recently purchased by city. Pie and Miss C. of C. both look good.

Church Bldg. Damaged

Two teen-aged girls were questioned by deputy sheriffs, following a malicious mischief report at the Lomita First Baptist Church, 26334 Hillcrest, on Thursday.

The girls, aged 12 and 13, allegedly turned over a coffee urn and damaged a Sunday school classroom.



LLOYD C. PILLSBURY

Douglas Reveals Torrance Plant Safety Change

Appointment of Lloyd C. Pillsbury as administrator of the Safety and Conservation Department at the El Segundo Division of Douglas Aircraft Co., was announced last week by division vice president-general manager H. G. Hynd. He succeeds Mr. L. Andrews, who resigned to accept a position on the Douglas Thor missile program.

Pillsbury, a Douglas employee since 1951 and a resident of 3908 Via Solano, Palos Verdes Estates, assumed the post after two years as safety engineer in charge of safety-conservation at the Torrance plant. Succeeding him in Torrance is Ben Boyce, Costa Mesa, also a seven-year man.

Neal Denies Fee Due on Airplane

(Continued from Page One) Tuesday, arose after Councilman Willys Blount asked whether free tie-downs are special privileges of airport commissioners.

Personal Program

After the question was raised, Councilman J. A. Beasley made a personal investigation, and reported that he had found no evidence that any city official was given free parking privileges since the city took over airport management.

Blount said that he can produce evidence that a plane allegedly owned by Neal, has not been charged tie-down fees of \$10 a month.

Neal has been a commission member since last July.

WINS BANK AWARD

Thomas L. Carter of Torrance High School won a \$100 prize in the Bank of America Achievement Awards in science and mathematics.

SWIM CLASSES SLATED

Learn to swim classes at Alondra Park will open for registration on June 23.

Plane Parking Costs May Be Hiked at Airport

Recommendations for higher tie-down fees at Torrance Municipal Airport will be submitted shortly by Airport Manager Jack Egan to bring prices in line with those charged at other fields.

He said he will suggest the basic fee of \$10 per month be raised to \$15 for light aircraft.

He said about 95 per cent of the 173 planes now parked at the airport will fall into this category.

The fees will range up to \$50 per month for all aircraft weighing between 21,000 and 51,000 pounds.

Burglary Victim Chases Suspect for Several Blocks

A Harbor City longshoreman chased a burglar whom he discovered in his house for several blocks Thursday before the suspect eluded him.

Paul William Gerhart, 44, of 26407 Alta Vista told deputy sheriffs that his wife, Delma, entered their home first and encountered the thief in the hallway.

Gerhart chased the suspect out of a window and grabbed him from behind as he climbed the rear wall. He pursued him for several blocks to Western ave. and Palos Verdes Drive North, before losing him.

The thief got away with 12 silver dollars.

Cortum Heads Osteopathic Harbor Group

Plans for one of the most active years in history for the Bay Harbor Osteopathic Association were outlined yesterday by Dr. Donald G. Cortum of Torrance newly elected president.

Dr. Cortum succeeds Dr. Clark B. Walsworth at head of the Bay Harbor organization.

Assisting Dr. Cortum during the coming year as vice president will be Dr. Otto Frantzi of Gardena. One of the new officers of the Osteopathic Association and members of the executive committee and the board of directors of the Bay-Harbor Osteopathic Hospital, which is to be built at Lomita Blvd. and President ave. in Harbor City.

Final plans for the new \$1,100,000 facility are now being completed by Hugh Davies, Long Beach architect and bids for the new hospital are expected to be sought within the next two to three months according to Dr. Cortum.

Dr. Cortum was re-elected secretary of the hospital board of directors.

Newly elected officers of the Osteopathic Association were installed at the annual meeting of the group at the Palos Verdes Country Club.

Leila Santor Gets Outstanding Student Award

Leila Santor, North High senior, was selected to receive the outstanding student award given by the California Savings and Loan Association. With her award she will receive a check for \$100, a medallion and an opportunity to enter an essay contest for \$1000 to be held May 24.

The award is based on scholarship, student activities and personality. Miss Santor is former vice president of the student body, commissioner of publicity and club coordinator. She is a life member of the California Scholarship Federation and is an officer of the Scholarship Society in her school.

She has been editor of the North Wind, the school newspaper, and intends to continue her work in the field of journalism after going to college. Leila has been accepted at the University of Southern California and the University of California at Berkeley.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Santor, 17029 Ermanita ave.

Dance Instructor

"Dancing for fun and graceful living" was the subject of Mrs. Yvonne Boynton, dance instructor, at the meeting of the Torrance Y-Wives May 21. She demonstrated basic steps and had the members practice them.

Mrs. Gladys Nauman presented rhythmic exercises at 9:30 a.m. also.

All women in the community are invited to attend, membership in the YWCA being the only requirement for membership. A nursery is provided.

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As specialists in real estate, they offer many services for the public such as free notarizing, rental service, loan counseling and advice on general real estate problems. This probably accounts for a great deal of their repeat business. One of their specialties is the handling of exchange sales. One exchange deal included a trailer park, a motel and a trust deed, with a total consideration of a quarter of a million dollars.

Members of the firm credit referrals for the fact that within four months their sales have increased 40 per cent over last year, the referrals being the result of service which made satisfied customers in the first sale. In one case, eight subsequent sales were the result of two satisfied customers.

From Oklahoma

Paul Hill was born in Tulsa, Okla., and came to California in 1941. He went into the real estate business in 1952 and had an office in Inglewood for five years. He has been in Torrance since 1957 and likes our All-American city very much. He is married and has two sons, Paul Jr., 14½, and Henry, 16.

Paul is past president of the DAV L. A. Chapter 3, a member of the Southwest Los Angeles Toastmasters Club, was formerly on the board of education of the Lutheran Church and is a notary public.

He was a promoter of the new photo listing service which has been a major factor of increased real estate sales in this area.

Salesman Brown

Stan Brown, salesman for Paul Hill Realty, is a native Californian. He has lived in this area since 1952 and was a builder until two years ago, when he entered the real estate business. He belongs to the Torrance-Lomita Realty Board and has been with Hill since opening of the present office.

He is married and has three children, Garry, 15, Barbara, 13, and Setve, 12.

Torrance High Elects New Officers

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Heading the incoming junior class will be Stanley Gonta as president, assisted by Mike Walker, vice-president; Vicky Hippik, secretary; Charlotte McComas, treasurer; Susan Hammack, the girls' court representative; Charles Johnson, boys' court representative; Vi Lucero, girls' league representative; and Ken Heiphand, boys' league representative.

Judy Sherwood was elected president of the incoming sophomore class. Her cabinet will consist of JoAnne Isbell, vice-president; Diana Gamboa, treasurer; Grace Commett, girls' court representative; Pat Walker, boys' court representative; and Joanne Carr, girls' league representative.

Warrior Coach to Head Mat Group Award Program

David J. Hengstler, El Camino wrestling coach, was named president of the Western Division of the newly organized Southern California Amateur Wrestling Coaches and Officials Association as an organizational meeting conducted this week on the El Camino campus.

Twenty-five representatives of Southern colleges and high schools attended the initial meeting of the group. The Western Division comprises the area west of Whittier to the coast and from Costa Mesa north to Santa Monica. Hengstler stated.

Promotion of amateur wrestling to the degree where membership schools and colleges may offer increased strength in national and Olympic competition is the primary purpose for founding the new group, the El Camino coach added.

Carson Group to Invite LA Dodgers

The Los Angeles Dodgers will be happily invited to use the Dominguez Hill area, the Carson Civic Betterment Association announced.

The organization will make a formal offer to the ball club to use this area if the Chavez Ravine deal falls through in the June 3 election, according to J. R. Gately, publicity chairman.

At a future meeting, the group will also invite speakers to tell them the advantages of incorporating. The next meeting will be held June 4 at 8 p.m. in the Stephen White Junior High School.

Scouts Hold Court of Honor

Girl Scouts of Troop 270 held an investiture service and court of honor May 3 in Torrance Park. Mrs. Robert Ortis is leader and co-leader of the group.

Invited were Mary Jane Bates, Linda Bruggerman, Jean Clemens, Jean Miller, Jean Shack, Dorothy Thompson.

Karen Warner received her one-year pin. Receiving one-year pins badges for second class and skating were Dolly Neff, Jackie Pfeiffer, Diana Sandgren, Diana Walker and Ruth Casey.

Second-year pins and badges for second class outdoor cooking, skating, cooking, backyard camper and adventure were Patricia Clemens, Darlene Sutton, Donna Lynn Martin, Barbara Ortiz, Helen Sutton and Joan Robinson.

A wild rose troop crest was a gift from Mrs. Ortis.

Games were played and a picnic enjoyed by the girls and their families.

In the presence of many friends and relatives, 16 members of Girl Scout Troop 240 received their fly-up wings and became official Girl Scouts May 16 at the Newton Street School cafeteria.

As each girl received her wings and made her promise, she passed through a gateway arbor decorated with pink flowers and white crepe paper. A lovely candelabra was placed in the center of the stage and the 12 candles lighted by the girls signified their acceptance of the 10 Girl Scout laws and the motto and slogan.

Members of the troop are Sally Benedict, Joyce Christensen, Judy Elliott, Judith Hampton, Barbara Hardy, Dianne Mel, Barbara O'Kain, Carolyn Peck, Deena Perry, Linda Jean Rogers, Donna M. Schenk, Patricia Smith, Jean Tripaldi, Donna Van Camp, Rebecca Walker, Lynne Zerkie.

In conclusion of the year's activities, the girls have two more events to which they are looking forward, the first, attendance at the Saturday showing of "Around the World in 80 Days." They will have an overnight camp-out June 13 in the yard of their leader, Mrs. George Peck. Mrs. Peck is assisted by Mrs. Roland Rogers as co-leader.

Dancers Invited by Yardbird Group

Beginning square dancers will have a chance to try out their skill at a beginners round-up square dance tomorrow night at the Roosevelt School, 3533 W. Compton Blvd.

Sponsored by the Traveling Yardbirds square dance club, the dance has been specially planned to appeal to novice dancers who have had 12 or more lessons, according to club president Charles Bargrover.

Club caller Barner Finrock announced that he has planned a dance program at the fun level and all square dancers are invited to attend.

A number of guest callers including Al Majors, Lucky Rich, Bob Ritcher, and Fred Hawthorne, are expected to be on hand to give the dancers a good workout.

A "box supper" social is to be combined with the dance with each couple bringing box lunches. Coffee and other refreshments will be provided by the club.

Council Supports Superior Court Transfer Request

Torrance has no objection to sending its criminals for trial to Inglewood but it doesn't want to lose its chance for a Superior Court right here in town.

The City Council approved a request by Inglewood to transfer criminal trials from Los Angeles to Inglewood.

But Councilmen decided that by approving Inglewood's request, they did not want to eliminate the future possibility of establishment of a regional Superior Court in Torrance.

Camp Sessions Listed by YMCA During Summer

The Torrance YMCA unveiled a full and varied schedule of Summer "Y" camps for boys and girls to enjoy this year. The YMCA lists 10 different camp sessions for boys 6 through 18 and girls 8 through 12.

Charles Stewart, YMCA Camp Committee Chairman, stated that our local YMCA is operating one of the largest camping programs on the west coast. He praised the YMCA staff on providing such a wide variety of camping experiences for local youth.

Stewart stressed that all YMCA camps are open to all boys or girls in the proper age brackets. Membership in the Torrance YMCA is free of charge.

More than 200 local children are helping to earn their own way to "Y" camp by selling canned peanuts in their neighborhoods. Stewart, who is one of their biggest customers, said that the children appreciate camp a great deal more when they have helped earn their way.

Camps range from day camps here in Torrance for the younger boys and girls up to a back pack trip along the John Muir Trail for boys and men over 14 years of age.

Three new features this year are girls camp under the direction of Miss Wanda Mitchell at YMCA Camp Moomard; family camp at YMCA Camp Big Pines, and a seven-state caravan to Yellowstone, Grand Tetons, Salt Lake City, Jackson Hole, and other exciting points of interest.

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