

Home Savings to Open New Office on Site of Old City Hall Dec. 28

The new Home Savings and Loan Association office in Torrance at 1511 Cravens Ave. is scheduled to open Dec. 28, it was announced today by Howard Ahmanson, board chairman.

Home's new Encino office also will open on that date.

Embarking on a \$5,000,000 expansion program, Home is constructing eight new permanent offices.

Millard Sheets of Claremont, noted artist-designer, has been commissioned to blueprint the program.

The money being spent in new construction and improvement will better accommodate thousands of savers, Ahmanson said. Arcadia, Buena Park, Garden Grove, Lakewood, Whittier, and Victorville are listed on the new program.

Ahmanson credited the association's rapid growth as the reason for the construction program.

"Since our Beverly Hills office was completed three years ago, this single office has grown beyond \$100,000,000 in resources," said Ahmanson. "We believe this is prima facie evidence that our savers appreciate both fine facilities and the ultimate in beautiful and efficient offices and we are determined to provide them."

Home's Torrance office is located on the site of the old City Hall.

Lioness' Plan Party

The North Torrance Lioness' made plans for a New Year's Eve party, at their meeting last Monday. Florence McLaynes was appointed chairman for the event.

'Equality'—the Dirtiest Deal Given Our Children

In every office, business, agency, or department there is bound to be dissatisfaction, and if phone calls to The Press are any indication, the Torrance school system has plenty for its share.

The chief gripe with the complaining teachers, usually too gutless to elaborate at any length, appears to be a tendency on the part of leadership to make a fetish out of equality, both in teaching and reporting.

Teachers calling The Press are upset enough about the system to make a complaint, to declare they are on the verge of quitting, but when asked for details they chicken out for fear of being fired.

Three observations are immediate: The Press is not obliged to disclose its sources of news. It is frightening that persons with so little courage of convictions can be teaching our children. Teaching must be a pretty good job if they are afraid of being canned.

But no one needs the complaint of a disgruntled teacher to recognize that the concept of equality is carried to absurdity not only here but throughout the nation.

The theory of equality has its roots in a ridiculous statement that all men are created free and equal, a notion nurtured for generations by the unfortunate misfits who are in no sense equal to those around them.

It would take some doing to convince a low-caste Indian leper that he is free and equal with the child born into health, happiness, and abundance. Yet in our schools the pretense of equality is maintained in the face of all evidence to the contrary.

Effort and enterprise were engendered by the early-day system of report cards. If a pupil didn't pass, he flunked. And he could flunk until he grew a beard, as far as the school board was concerned. Under that system a child soon became alive to the value of his own efforts.

An ugly or disagreeable child soon discovered that he would remain an outcast until he made himself attractive. The school board cared only that he was learning, not that he was "integrated," "adjusted," or a docile square floating in an unprotesting blob of sheep to whom the school boards would entrust the destiny of the future state.

The concept of equality is the biggest gyp foisted on an unsuspecting child today. The sooner he learns to the contrary, the better equipped he will be to battle the cold, merciless, greedy world.

Yet who has heard of a student either flunking or learning very much today? He learns in spite of the school system, not because of it.

Those who are appalled by the prospect of socialized medicine defend with equal vigor the socialized school.

What ever happened to excellence? Is it to be replaced for all time by equality?

When a person is in trouble — when he needs a doctor or a lawyer or a policeman — does he call for an equal? or does he want a better?

The earlier a child learns that he is inferior or superior — and does something about it or with it — the more certain he will be of a full, happy, and productive life. To withhold this information, under the holy cause of equality, is to drop him into a jungle without a gun.

Co-op Gallery Has New Exhibit

The Artists' Co-op Gallery has initiated a continuous group show of members' work for the coming holiday season. The new exhibit, will feature paintings, prints, sketches, sculpture and jewelry. Individual works of art in the group show will be changed periodically.

The exhibit will include the work of four new artists, Louis Monza, Gordon Wagner, Bob Neathery and Howard MacIntyre. New gallery hours are 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and 1 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

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STOCKS TOPIC FOR CHAMBER BREAKFAST

The president of the Los Angeles division of the Pacific Coast Stock Exchange will address the Nov. 24 breakfast meeting of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce at the Masonic Lodge, 2326 Cabrillo Ave., at 7:20 a.m.

Thomas P. Phelan has been obtained as speaker through the efforts of Hanley Rogers (Diversified Mutual Funds, Ltd.), it was announced by chairman George Vico and Marvin Lucoff.

Reservations are being made with the chamber.

Drale Will Attend L.A. Trash Meet

In response to a request by Mayor Isen that the city be well represented at a Los Angeles meeting on county-wide integration of rubbish collection, Councilman Nick Drale said he will attend as head of the council's trash committee.

Others indicated they will try to go. The gathering is scheduled for Nov. 23.

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Dorothy Varney Guest Speaker

Raymond's Steak House, Hawthorne, was the setting for the Welteria Business Women's Club dinner Wednesday. Guest speaker was Dorothy Varney from the Latter Day Saints' Church in Palos Verdes.

Mrs. Maze Maton vice-president presided. Sample ballots of new club officers were presented to members. Election of officers will take place at the December meeting.

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