

**HIGH PRICE OF GAS**

Just about every motorist, at one time or another, kicks about the "high price of gasoline." What he should be kicking about is the "high price of gasoline taxes."

Today—with the allegedly "temporary" fourth cent that was added to the federal gas tax last October—the combined national average of federal and state taxes is more than 10 cents a gallon.

**Executive Post for Loan Officer**

Promotion of Robert Jacobson, loan officer at the Torrance office of Home Savings and Loan Association, to assistant vice president has been announced by Kenneth D. Childs, president of the association.

Jacobson, who heads the Home Savings staff which makes loans for the construction, purchase and refinancing of homes in Torrance and the surrounding area, has been at the local branch since the loan facility was initiated there last May. Home Savings office in Torrance is located at 1511 Cravens Avenue.

The Home Savings official and his wife, Bette Lou, make their home at Buena Park with their three children—Nancy, 9, Lu Ann, 7, and Matt, 4.

**YOUNGEST WOMEN**

Frances Folsom Cleveland, at 22, was one of the youngest women to become First Lady. She was the former ward of Grover Cleveland, according to World Book Encyclopedia.



ROSE BOWL game tickets are displayed by (left) Franchone Garner, while John Mulvihill, president of the North Torrance Civic Association, reminds that the annual dinner is set for Nov. 5 at the Western Club Cafe, 15516 S. Western Ave., Gardena. Tickets may be obtained for the affair at the Camino Oil Station, corner of Crenshaw and Redondo Beach Blvd.

**Santa Fe Seeks Western Pacific Stock Control**

The Santa Fe Railroad today filed application with the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington, D. C., seeking approval for the Santa Fe to acquire control of the Western Pacific Railroad through purchase and exchange of stock, according to announcement by Ernest S. Marsh, president.

Marsh stated that 20 per cent or 365,000 shares of all outstanding Western Pacific stock is held by Chanslor-Western Oil & Development Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Santa Fe.

"Western Pacific stockholders will be offered one and one-fourth shares of Santa Fe common stock in exchange for each share of Western Pacific stock," Marsh said, "subject to ICC approval of the application."

"The proposed acquisition of control of Western Pacific," Marsh emphasized, "would not affect the interests of the employees of either carrier," Marsh said.

**First Place Ratings Won by El Camino Yearbook**

The 1960 Warrior, El Camino College's student yearbook, this week won the first place award among college yearbooks from two national yearbook associations.

Columbia Scholastic Press Association, a service of Columbia University, awarded the Warrior a first place certificate in ceremonies last weekend in New York City.

According to CSPA Director Joseph Murphy, the book is "attractive and interesting with special commendation to photography, sports copy and creativity."

In a similar action this week, the Warrior was rated "A (Excellent)" by the National School Yearbook Association.

The NSYA is located in Columbia, Mo., and is affiliated with the University of Missouri.

ACP ratings list the El Camino annual at the head of its class with the highest point total among junior college yearbooks.

Editor of the Warrior was Mrs. Lois Howsley, Walteria. Her staff included Miss Verne Christofferson, Torrance, associate editor; Dave Stinson, Hermosa Beach, art editor; Dick White, Hawthorne and Danny Heum, Gardena, sports editors; Bob Olfson, Inglewood, organizations and activities editor; Miss Sylvia Nicholson, Manhattan Beach, fine editor; Miss Barbara Zelazny, Torrance, student editor and sales manager; and photographers: Raymond Deurloo, Walteria, Ken Whitney, Torrance; Ken Huthmaker, Hawthorne; Gary Owen, Lennox; and Bill Mitchell, Inglewood.

Stinson is the editor of the 1960 Warrior. Holdovers from this year's staff include Whitney and Huthmaker.

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**ON CAMPUS**  
VALERIE SIMES  
Narbonne HS Correspondent

Holland's educational and social customs were revealed last Tuesday by Richard Bernard to members of the California Scholarship Federation at the second meeting of the semester.

A full-bright scholar who taught American Government last year in a Netherland's university, Bernard was well qualified to discuss the parallels and differences between the United States and the Netherland's school systems.

Noel Toombs and Valerie Simes, Narbonne's two advance placement students, presently taking psychology at Harbor College, were included in an honor group that visited Patton Mental Institution in San Bernardino, Nov. 1. The students received a conducted tour of the institution and an opportunity to talk with some of the patients.

Attending USLA's Journalism Day and Football Game (UCLA vs Air Force) on Saturday, Nov. 12, will be Valerie Simes, editor of the Green and Gold; Len Clark, managing editor, Debbie Albritton, news editor; Larry Mitchel, feature editor and Mary Beth Higman, editorial editor. These staff members will attend Journalism Day and the game under the supervision of Mrs. Vivian Skilling, staff advisor.

"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," Narbonne's senior play to be enacted Nov. 17, has entered the final stages of rehearsal under the direction of Mrs. Lisbeth Ludwig. Joan Ford who plays the part of Cornelia and Shelly Maurice, that of Emily, shed the protective environment of their homes to make a grand tour of Europe. Judging by the second act which was given at the talent show of last month, this comedy will be the hit of the season.

Report Cards will make their first appearance this semester at Narbonne on Nov. 15. Students' feelings about this prospect, it appears, range between mild apprehension to outright panic.

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