

TEA Tells Annual Scholarship Plans

List Local Youngsters Who Have Benefited from Aid-to-Education Program

Scholarship activities of the Torrance Education Association were described to the Board of Education by Al Phelps, member of the TTEA executive board last week.

The scholarship committee of the Torrance Education Association prepared the report on progress and achievement in the scholarship program as its contribution to American Education Week, celebrated nationally and this year in Torrance on Nov. 5 to 11.

Each year the association offers a \$600 scholarship award to a graduating senior from each of the high schools in Torrance. Students recommended should be members of the future teachers club who expect to continue in teacher training in college. Awards are based on the following: scholarship, leadership, and citizenship.

PROGRAM

Scholarship program, started in 1956, has increased until today there are ten graduates from Torrance high schools in universities and colleges in California and other parts of the country.

This year William Lee, North High '58, is a senior at University of California at Berkeley, and Richard Ryon,

Torrance High '58, is a senior at University of California at Santa Barbara. Also, in the program at the present time are two sisters, both graduates of Torrance High — Kiyoko Takeuchi, '59, now attending Long Beach State College, and Kimiye Takeuchi, '61, now attending UCLA.

Other active scholarships to the present time are: Sonja Pesola, North High '59, California State Polytechnic College; Carol Johnson, Torrance High '60, Wartburg College, Waverly, Iowa; Mizzi Yoshioka, South High '60 UCLA; Robert Bereskin, North High '60, USC; Marilyn Flynn, South High '61, UCLA; Patricia Wallace, North High '61, El Camino College.

Scholarship recipients who have completed their college education are: Barbara Bielefeldt, Torrance High '56, graduated from University of California at Berkeley '60, and is doing student teaching this year. Judy Okoda, North High '56, graduated from USC '60, and is now teaching general science and biology at the Palos Verdes High School. Mary Yoshioka, Torrance High '57, graduated from UCLA '61 and is now doing her student teaching.



TRAVEL CENTER OPENS — G. L. Fladland, Automobile Club of Southern California South Bay district manager, demonstrates club services to guests at official opening held last Friday. Looking at the booklet are: seated from left, Francis Hopkins, Redondo Beach city manager; Mrs. Patricia Gazin, Hermosa Beach mayor; and Fladland; standing from left, Paul Moore, field deputy to Supervisor Burton Chace; Fred Tourtellot, Rolling Hills Estates Chamber of Commerce past president; Nick Drale, Torrance councilman; Norman P. Thompson, Auto Club executive vice president; Claiborn A. Saint, Auto Club vice president; and Knox Farrand, Auto Club board member.

Supervisor Tells Plans For County-Wide Shelters

Supervisor Kenneth Hahn yesterday announced that at last Tuesday's meeting of the Board of Supervisors he introduced a motion calling for a special election to be held on Tuesday, February 6, 1962 on whether or not the County should build fall-out shelters on school grounds for the protection of the 6,000,000 people of Los Angeles County.

Proposed construction plan would provide fall-out shelters within 15 minutes walking distance of the home of each resident of Los Angeles County and would cost \$400 million.

Supervisor Hahn pointed out that the maximum cost to the average family would be ten cents a day for a four year period and that "a dime a day will keep fallout than 100 are Sacramento, 161; Fresno, 136; Contra Costa, 130; San Joaquin, 128; San Diego, 127, and San Bernardino, 103.

Bonded indebtedness for the districts amounted to \$992,051,000.

The districts spent \$143,490,600 for capital outlay, away!"

According to Registrar of Voters Benjamin S. Hite, the total cost of the election would be \$897,363. Of this amount, \$315,000 can be saved if precinct election boards contribute their services, polling places, leaving the remaining cost at \$382,364 — or approximately one-half cent per person.

Approximately \$65,000 of the total would be for paper and preliminary printing, and the balance would be for maintenance and operations.

South HS Student Receives Award For Second Year

Douglas Foerster, a South High School senior, received the highest award presented at the Fall Student Congress held at Juniper Serra High School last week.

Foerster, acting as the president of the top Senate, was elected the outstanding chairman of the day by his colleagues. He was presented with a chairman's gavel by the president of the Southern California Debate League, Larry Mushrush.

This is the second year that the youth has received an award at the annual congress. Last year he was presented with a gavel for being the outstanding chairman of the House of Representatives.

Foerster, along with other top students, will represent South at the National Forensic League Student Congress to be held at the Los Angeles County Courthouse in February.

Lotte Goslar's Troupe At El Camino on Nov. 21

Presenting her comic version of "For Humans Only," Lotte Goslar and her pantomime circus will appear at El Camino College in the Campus Theater at 8:30 p.m., November 21.

Miss Goslar's program combines dance, pantomime, music, clowning, parody, circus, cabaret, music hall, and an element of the grotesque.

This is done as the performers feel like doing it, without rule, but has been written in German newspapers as "rich in fantasy and growing in its spiritual and dance-wise inventions."

All seats for her El Camino College appearance must be reserved. Tickets are now on sale at the Student Store at \$1.50 for the public or \$1 with a student activity book.

In Amsterdam, Lotte Goslar's dance parodies were described as "hitting the heart and laughter muscles at the same time."

'ORIGINAL'

European reviews have written that "Lotte Goslar and Ensemble are showing something entirely new and original... unprecedented and completely original in art form... ending in an enchantingly unforgettable evening."

In Switzerland critics noted "The program is chockful of ideas, humor and wit. Lotte Goslar does not speak all evening, but she says a thousand times more and better what words try to say. She speaks with a twist of the wrist, twinkling of her eye, hidden giggle, or only with a little finger."

Many other praises have been written of Miss Goslar in both the European and American press. The performance lasts for as long as two hours.

Torrance High Seniors Present "Our Town" on December 1 and 2

"Our Town" is back! Thornton Wilder's play, "Our Town," chosen as the senior play by the class of 1962 at Torrance High School, will be presented in the auditorium at 8 p.m. December 1 and 2. "Our Town" uses little scenery in its presentation, the audience supplies the scenery imaginatively. Sixty-five hopeful Thespians are cast in "Our Town."

Among the leading "passengers" are Jerry Roberts, Carol Echols, Marvin King, Carol Porterfield, Dave Mullen, Beverly Anderson and Ron Kling. Buddy Ashbrook, teacher of English and drama, is directing "Our Town." Kerry Sumowski is his student director. Top supporting roles in "Our Town" are taken by Jimmie Lawrence, Carol Steenbock, Larry Kulp, Tim May, Ron Heller, Eugene Denny, Jeffrey Carpenter, Rich Rayls, Larry Gibson, Betty Lou Kautto, Kay Wieman, Darlene Meeker, Bob Emrich, Tom Cooper, Connie Zimmerman, Joann Portlock, Toni Jensen, and Bill Cosby.

Torrance High School patrons are reminded the performance is scheduled for December 1 and 2 in the Torrance High School auditorium. Tickets will be available in the foyer of the auditorium on the night of the performance.

Cal-Vet Homes Covered By New Insurance Plan

Veterans purchasing homes through the Department of Veterans Affairs today are "protected by the most economical, full coverage insurance program ever drawn up in California."

This was the statement made yesterday by Joseph M. Farber, director, California Department of Veterans Affairs, as he outlined the program being handled by the department and the National American Insurance Company, largest writers of insurance on homes in California.

"Contrary to popular belief, the State of California, and not the veteran is owner of the property being insured," Farber stated.

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"The Department" he said, is dedicated to arranging the best available insurance for the veterans—and we believe we have scored a ten-strike for them. Last December 1, the Department awarded the exclusive contract to National American. This company's bid represented a potential saving of \$5,000,000 to the insured, at the same time offering broader coverage, lower rates and protection unmatched by the unsuccessful bidder — a combine of 238 insurance companies in California.

"The individual members of the combine, much to everyone's amazement, came up with identical bids for the program — even to the penny," Farber disclosed. However, each company's bid was slightly over \$5 million higher than National American.

Under the National American program, the department is able to offer for the first time to California veterans a homeowners package policy, heretofore only available through separate purchase by the veteran, Farber said.

Young Students At Anza School End Campaign

Student government officers were elected to the Student Congress at Anza Elementary School recently.

Candidates campaigned vigorously for these offices with the assistance of managers, posters and campaign speeches.

Elected officers are as follows: Margaret Osborn, president; Tony Wachtler, vice president; Blythe Cheney, secretary.

Student Congress at Anza School consists of two representatives from each room in grades four through eighth.

In addition to planning special school projects and activities, they conduct a weekly business meeting and hold individual room meetings on the following day.

Encouragement of active citizenship and the learning of responsibility involved in representative government are two of the major aims of the Student Congress.

Harbor College Prexy Heads Area Chest Drive

Wendell C. Black, president, Los Angeles Harbor College, will serve as Community Chest chairman of the campaign in Los Angeles city junior colleges, William R. Ruess, principal, Bell High School, and schools campaign chairman, announced this week.

Mrs. Marie N. Lorenz, principal, Two Hundred Twenty-Third St. School, will serve as South Area chairman for elementary schools campaign.

The campaign for all school personnel, including students, begins Nov. 13.

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PATRONS DONATE—Bub Thomas, owner of the "Roaring 20's" is shown presenting a check for \$184 to North Torrance Lions Club president Sal Perez and White Cane drive chairman George Webb. Money represents tips received by Thomas for caricatures of patrons of his night club. Lion Thomas' donations have sparked the North Torrance club's drive to aid the needy for the past three years. The money is used for eye examinations and glasses for local residents who need assistance.



20-YEAR PIN—Golda Schweizerhof, who has served for the past 20 years as cashier for the Torrance J. J. Newberry Store, was awarded a pin commemorating her long service at a surprise party Tuesday evening at the Wayfarers Inn. Pin was presented by Merle Shoemaker, manager of the local store. Above, she compares pins with Maxine Coffey, right, who has served with the firm for more than two decades.

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