

COLLEGE DECISION PUT OFF 30 DAYS

'We've Won a Victory,' Says Rev. David Beadles

A decision on the location of the new four-year college has been put off another 30 days by the site committee of the Board of Trustees of California State College which met Thursday and Friday in San Jose.

The next meeting of the board is March 7 and 8 in Sacramento.

"We've gained a victory," said Rev. David O. Beadles, chairman of the Citizens Advisory Committee to bring the college to Torrance, on his return Friday night by air from San Jose.

Rev. Beadles credited the massive report prepared by the City of Torrance for the postponement.

That report, said Rev. Beadles, opened questions in the minds of the members of the site committee and "they want more time to study those questions."

The Thursday night session was a closed "executive" meeting, and the members of the Torrance delegation waited outside in the hall, available to answer questions.

"Thursday afternoon, we saw that things were not going our way," said Rev. Beadles, "and we hoped for, and worked for, a postponement."

Rev. Beadles feels that the big stumbling block to bringing the site to Torrance is the attitude of the Santa Fe railroad, and the Santa Fe's contention that it will cost \$4.2 million to move the oil wells on the proposed site to selected platforms.

"That \$4.2 million 'scared' the trustees," said Rev. Beadles. "As long as the Santa Fe says it will cost \$4.2 million to relocate the wells, the trustees feel they must accept that figure."

"However," said Rev. Beadles, "the members of the site committee and the board of trustees are willing to listen to us. We've been impressed by this."

The report of the city of Torrance questions that figure of \$4.2 million.

On page 33 of the report, it is stated that the cost of relocation could be as low as \$1.2 million or as high as \$1.6 million depending upon the number of acres embodied in the college site.

The challenge of the Torrance report to the figures

of the Santa Fe is one of the questions opened by the report that will require more time for study.

The Torrance report goes on to say that the figure of \$4.2 million to relocate the oil wells would be correct, if it was necessary to abandon all the wells and to re-drill them as offset wells from two-drill sites.

"However," the report argues, "it is at once apparent that it is not necessary to abandon all the wells on the acreage chosen."

The report states that, with proper design, a college could be built on either side of Sepulveda Blvd. so as to minimize the number of wells that must be moved.

Under a proposed plan, the report said that many of the oil wells could be placed "in planting areas or in the parking lot, from which they could be serviced without interference with the college operation."

The success of integration of oil wells into the residential Southwood tract and the Del Amo shopping center are cited in the report as proof that oil wells could be operated in the same manner on the college site.

Pictures of oil wells in both the residential area and the shopping center are contained in the report as proof of the Torrance argument.

Among the others of the Torrance delegation to San Jose are Councilmen Nickolas Draie, chairman of the City Council's college committee, Ross Sciarrotta, Sr., Ken Miller, Mayor Isen and City Attorney Stanley Relmeyer.

New Speed Limit OK'd For Crenshaw Blvd.

Motorists driving Crenshaw Blvd. between Palos Verdes Dr. North and Crest Rd. are advised by Supervisor Burton W. Chace to watch for new 45-mile-an-hour speed limit signs.

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Bartholomew Last Rites Monday at 11

Funeral services for C. W. Bartholomew will be held tomorrow, Monday, Feb. 11, at 11 a.m. at the First Christian Church, Torrance.

Mr. Bartholomew died in the tragic air disaster over Ankara, Turkey, Feb. 1. He is survived by his wife, Mary, and children, Karen, 16, and William, 14, who reside at 2759 Onrado St., Torrance.

Other survivors are his father, William F. Bartholomew, of Durango, Colo., and sister Marget Bird, Compton.

Rev. H. Milton Sippel and Rev. Odell Myers will officiate. Burial will be in Green Hill Memorial Park, with A. M. Gamby Mortuary, Lomita, in charge of arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to a scholarship fund for the American Field Service students. Checks should be made payable to the First Christian Church, of Torrance.

Pack 372 Observes Boy Scout Week

To observe Boy Scout Week, Pack 372 of the Cub Scouts have a window display in Jumbo's Toy Store in North Torrance this week.

Sunday, the whole pack, which includes four dens, will go to Jungland in Thousand Oaks, at one in the afternoon.



CAR'S FLIP-FLOP Friday night at Hawthorne Blvd. and W. 190th St. pinned the legs of Driver Peter B. Brandt, 31, of Palos Verdes, under dash. When Torrance police arrived, about 20 persons were holding car in air off Brandt, whose back was injured. Above,

he is shown being taken to Little Company of Mary Hospital. Yesterday, hospital authorities reported that Brandt was "considerably better." The Fire Department was called because of danger from leaking gasoline. —PRESS Photo by William Schell Jr.

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Game?
Yes, See It
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South High Loses 53-35 To Inglewood

By GLENN FISHER

The Inglewood Sentinels Friday night took a seven-point lead in the first quarter then went on to take a lopsided 53-35 decision from the South High Spartans.

The Sentinels' attack was well-balanced with deadly outside shooting by Dick Padrick and Steve Roth.

Padrick and Roth alone combined for 36 points, to better the Spartans' total by one. Six-foot-nine Roth's and six-five Padrick's continual rebounding made the going rough for the Spartans all evening.

Dick Padrick received high scoring honors for the night with 20 points. Steve Roth followed with 16 points. Roth was fourth in Bay League scoring, going into Friday night's contest.

The Spartans had a cold night from the floor. Don Denson notched 14 points to lead the Spartan scorers. He was fifth in Bay League scoring going into Friday's game.

The win marked the Sentinels' 11th win with only one defeat. The Sentinels are tied with Mira Costa for the top spot in the Bay League. The Spartans remain in 7th place with three wins, eight losses.

Part Two:

Real Life Adventure . . .

A real-life adventure began for Vinciane Clesse one day in a classroom in Brussels, Belgium, as she listened to another girl tell of her experiences as a high school senior in the United States.

"I, too, should like to go to the United States," thought Vinciane, as she listened attentively.

Today, nearly a year later, Vinciane attends Torrance High School and will return later this year to Belgium to visit several classrooms to tell about her own experiences as a high school senior in the United States.

You can get some idea of what she might say by visiting Vinciane in the large and comfortable living room of the George Crabtree, at 1753 Gramercy Ave., in Torrance.

Vinciane now is "Vincy," a warmly-loved member of the Crabtree family.

She speaks easily and naturally of Mrs. Crabtree as "mother."

She is like a sister to Sandra (Sandy) Crabtree, also a senior at Torrance High.

"We're more than sisters," says Sandy. "It seems as though I can't remember when Vincy wasn't here."

But, for a little while back in Belgium, nearly a year ago, it seemed to Vincy that her dream wasn't going to come true.

gram of the American Field Service, which brings 2700 students here from other countries and, in return, sends about 1500 Americans to attend school abroad.

Monique soon knew that she had been chosen to come to the United States.

"She wouldn't tell me," said Vincy. "She knew I would be disappointed. I knew right away, though, because Monique was so excited."

During the long wait, Vincy had many doubts. "I didn't speak English very well," she said.

Sandra laughed. "When Vincy arrived," she said, "all she could say was 'I don't understand.'"

Good news finally came to Vincy, only two weeks before the day she was to board the ship. "I was going shopping every day," she said.

Once aboard ship, Vincy found 800 other students from all over Europe. At first, those who spoke the same language clung together, but not for long.

"We had so many things to do," said Vincy. "Each student had to decorate some part of the boat. Each spent a part of the time answering questions about our country, and our customs."

Once they began to mingle, friendships were made which shall last as long as life itself.

Says Vincy, "I have so



AS CLOSE AS SISTERS, Vinciane Clesse (left) from Torrance and Sandra Crabtree from Belgium are shown at home studying together. —PRESS Photo

many friends from all over the world. If I go to Spain, to Italy, to Greece, to Germany . . . oh, to so many countries . . . I shall know some one there."

Once in New York, Vincy was whisked by air to Los Angeles. "Everything was so big. The cars were so big, the freeways were so big," she said.

As this delightful child speaks in her intriguing accent, you see Torrance and the U.S. in a new light. Foods take on new appeal. (Continued on Page A2)

Torrance Hockey Fans Get Own Team; Olympians Open Against Bakersfield

Hockey fans in Torrance have got a semi-pro team of their very own — the Torrance Olympians — whose home ice will be the Olympic Ice Arena, 23770 Western Ave.

Tuesday will be hockey night in Torrance. The Olympians play their first game against Bakersfield, Feb. 12, at 8:30 p.m.

Boys who are registered for Little League baseball will be admitted free at that game, when accompanied by their dads.

All they have to do is to show their Little League registration card to gain admittance.

"We're extremely happy to bring this fast, semi-pro hockey to Torrance," said Bill Harvey, the general manager. "We anticipate bringing new talent from Canada through our contacts there."

Player-coach Ken Watson, a veteran performer in California and Canadian leagues,

Bishop Montgomery's Cagers Win, 61 to 53

The basketball team of Bishop Montgomery High School, Torrance, Friday night was victorious over that of Pater Noster High School, East Los Angeles, by a score of 61 to 53.

High scorer of the game was Jim Halbur, of Pater Noster, with 22 points. Paul Deyden, of Bishop Montgomery, was second with 18 points.

also emphasized that he intends to bring in additional players to bolster the Olympians' squad.

However, he feels there are several right in this area. Tryouts for those players with previous organized hockey experience will be held Saturday, Feb. 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the Olympic.

Watson is the league's second highest scorer and is a former member of the Los Angeles Monarchs. He also played with the St. Mike's of Toronto, Ontario, and the Sault Ste. Marie entry in the Ontario League.

Goalie Jack Kennedy of the Torrance team holds the league record with 67 saves in one game.

The Torrance franchise previously was held by Los Angeles, as the Canadians. The team looks forward to playing in their new home, and developing a strong following among the many hockey fans in this area.

National Little League Registers 193 Boys

One hundred and ninety three boys are registered for the Torrance National Little League. Another 100 are expected to register at the tryouts on March 9 and 16, which will be held at Reynolds Field, Jefferson and W. 223rd St.

Sponsors for teams are needed. Any business or firm interested can contact Don Cook, FA 8-3789, or Lee Simpson, DA 6-1932.

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