

A Letter to Russia . . .

THE MODERN COLD WAR

(Third in a series) Dear Ivan: Each generation of men are convinced that their own times are unique in human history. It is possible to sit in a library in the United States and, in a very short time, to leaf through one hundred years of daily news-

Teacher 'School' Held Yesterday

Teachers of the Torrance Unified School District and interested citizens had an opportunity yesterday, March 2, to observe an array of teaching practices in the classrooms presented by Torrance teachers whose combined teaching experiences would total more than 700 years.

It was held in classrooms at South High School, where 82 teachers presented the fruits of their educational experiences.

The idea for this type of conference was born in the minds of Torrance teachers several years ago after observing teaching techniques going on in many of the Torrance classrooms.

With the belief that teachers many times "don't see the forest for the trees," it was decided in 1961 to conduct Torrance's first teaching conference, which was one of the first to be held in the state.

Since that time, conferences have been held each year. Almost every teacher in the district voluntarily attends, though the events always are held on Saturday.

The demonstrations ran the gamut, including art, basic skills, industrial arts, kindergarten, language arts, mathematics, music, reading, science, social studies, foreign language departmentalization, communication interest centers, special education, work study skills, physical education, home making, and team teaching.

Many demonstrations included classroom instruction of actual students. Technique demonstrations have been planned in secondary as well as elementary areas.

General chairman for this year's conference was Gerald Mays, Waleria teacher, with the following persons on his committee: Gertrude Aldershof, curriculum consultant Irma Wilson, TEA president; Al Phelps, TEPS chairman; Martha Sumner, social chairman; Lee Woelfert, Helen Carpenter, Sally Pritchard, Helen Carlock and Connie Rifkin, tickets and registration; Keith Wiedman, bus schedules; Willard Morgan and Jack Lucas, South High School building arrangements; Dr. Bruce Magner and Dr. A. N. Posner, advisors; Hal Widney and Lysie Albro, publicity.

Women Scatter Pins

Several women have cracked the 200 mark in league play at Gable House Bowl. Betty Donahue had 222 and 235 in a 616 series, while Mary South had 233 in 612. Other high games: Evelyn May, 224; Janelle Hunt, 228-222; Grace Santa, 219-201; Inge Matlock, 210-207; Edith Gompary, 203; Dee Smith, 206; Jenny Geren, Doris McGrury and Dolores Wick, each 202; and Bonnie White, 200.

Long Attends Meeting

Wilfred H. Long, 22504 Warmside Ave., Torrance, is among 193 Parke Davis and Co. sales representatives who will attend the company regional meeting in San Francisco, March 8th and 9th.

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papers and see that theme repeated over and over again. Our own times are said to be unique because of the cold war that your country is waging against mine. Yet, it is the simple truth that since this nation of ours began, we Americans have been living in very unique times, indeed. Our one hundred and eighty six years of national existence are unique in that during all of those years a nation has existed which declares that all men are

created equal, and that government are instituted among men by the consent of those who are the governed. This is unique indeed. Those ideas have been opposed by governments since time began, and we are the only nation in all of human history which ever has declared them to be true. After our Independence was declared, those ideas were violently opposed by the kings of a hostile world in a struggle which ended on Jan. 8, 1815, when Andrew Jackson defeated the British at New Orleans.

After four years of quiet, significantly known in our history as the Era of Good Feelings; opposition to the

ideas of the equality of man and his right to govern himself arose again in the struggle over slavery which opened with Missouri's application for admission into our Union. Now, we are again faced with opposition to those ideas by totalitarian governments, such as yours, in a worldly largely hostile to them, and we call this modern struggle the "cold war."

Your government is hostile because your Russian rulers cannot subjugate you and keep you self-conquered through fear so long as the ideas of the equality of man and the right of men to govern themselves exist in the world as an example for

the subjugated to see. Abraham Lincoln said in 1858 that slavery and freedom could not exist in the same nation, and that our nation must either become all slave or all free. To illustrate his point, Mr. Lincoln repeated the simple truth of Christ that "a house divided against itself cannot stand." The cold war is the same question applied to the world. The world must eventually become all slave or all free. The contest is to see whether our ideas of freedom of the individual prevail, or those of the philosophy of your government, which opposes, and even denies them. The cold war is a war of

ideas. Our secret weapon is the Declaration of Independence and its ideas, and ideas are what your rulers fear most of all. Your rulers fear ideas most of all because ideas cause men to think and, when men begin to think about freedom, they soon decide that they want to be free. Our task in this war of ideas is to find the most effective way to spread those ideas around the world so that we can infect people like you, Ivan, with freedom so that you, too, will decide that you want to be free. Your Friend, Tom Torrance

(Next: The Declaration of Independence)

Ron Dennis Wins First

Ron Dennis, of Torrance, has been awarded the first place certificate and ribbon of the Lawndale Junior Coin Club.

Ron's award was for an outstanding display of coins, medals and articles that have been issued in honor of Presidents George Washington and Abraham Lincoln.

He is the son of Wayne Dennis, president of the Torrance Coin Club.

The coin club is open for membership to all young people of the South Coast area and meets the fourth Sunday afternoon of each

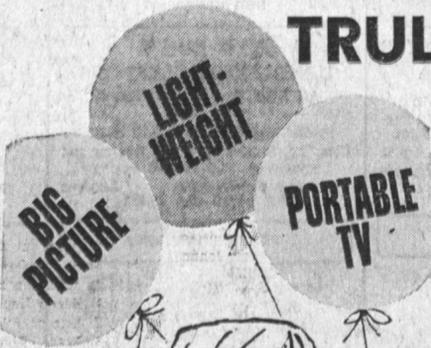
month in the crafts room of the Rowley Park building, W. 132nd St. and Van Ness Ave., at one in the afternoon.

Information can be obtained by calling Mrs. Jackie Berland at FA 1-8735.

Mobil Names Swerz F. C. Swerz has been named manager of operations for the West Coast Marketing Division of Mobil Oil Co. He succeeds George N. Ramseyer, who will retire in June after 40 years of service with the company. Swerz started with the company in 1947.

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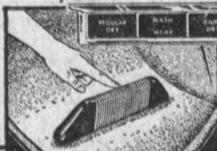
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