

UCLA's Woellner to Speak At Harbor College Exercises

Dr. Frederick P. Woellner, UCLA professor emeritus, will be the featured speaker at Harbor College's graduation exercises Thursday, June 20, at 6 p.m. A total of 122 students will receive diplomas in the Campus Quad.

The invocation will be delivered by the Rev. Bert W. Bruggett, pastor of the First Christian Church of Wilmington. Laurel B. Baker, chairman of the construction and art technology division, who is retiring, will confer degrees on the students. A reception will be held after graduation.

Also on June 20 the sophomore breakfast will take place at 9 a.m. in the cafeteria.

The vocational nursing class will hold its capping ceremony in the student union at 1 p.m. on June 19. Graduation of vocational nurses will take place in the San Pedro Baptist Church, June 21.

Ralph L. Beckett, Harbor English instructor and co-author of the new English textbook "Writing College English," will be going on a sabbatical leave next semester. He has received a \$3,000 fellowship from the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation to study for his doctorate in speech pathology at USC.

Karl Michelson, an honor French student at Harbor College, won third place in a French essay contest held at Pasadena City College.

Speakers for the next semester's Forum Series were announced at Harbor College recently. They include Sen. Paul Douglas of Illinois, Alec Waugh, author of "Island in the Sun" and "Fuel for the Flame," Don Rogan, social science professor recently traveling around the world; the Rt. Hon. Mario Amedo, Argentina's minister of foreign affairs; and the Occidental College choir.

Torrance-Lomita Realtors Set for CREA Meetings

Many local realtors, members of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors, will attend committee meetings and a directors' meeting of the California Real Estate Assn at South Lake Tahoe Thursday to Saturday, it was announced today by Kenneth Peters, president of the board. Sessions will be at the Wagon Wheel Hotel.

Home trade-ins, exchanges, and the growing interest in resort property are some of the subjects to be discussed at the gathering, Peters said.

1,500 to Attend
According to L. H. "Spike" Wilson, president of the 39,000-member association, more than 1,500 realtors and real estate salesmen from 171 real estate boards throughout California will attend.

On Thursday a home trade-in clinic, discussing ways a property owner can upgrade his housing without first selling his present dwelling, will be moderated by David Stone, San Jose realtor.

Other conferences will study real estate exchanges and real estate multiple board listing services. Thirty-one committee meetings are scheduled. On Saturday the board of directors (over 8000 members) will hold its 340th session.

Special opportunities in resort properties will be the subject of a special conference Friday with Roy St. Leon of Palm Desert, committee chairman, presiding. Charles Beardsley of Tahoe City is to be moderator.

The home trade-in conference will be addressed by Jerome Blank of Albany, Lou Von Dyl of Van Nuys and Robert C. Westmeyer of Long Beach.

Subdivision Laws Topic
Legislation affecting subdivisions will be the subject of a talk on Friday by Earl Sachs, vice-president of the Title Insurance and Trust Company, Los Angeles.

A group especially interested in real estate exchanges will hear specialists in that field during certified property exchangers' education.

Riviera Hospital Chief Attends Data Seminar

Robert W. Lyons, administrator of Riviera Community Hospital, Torrance, attended a special management seminar on June 12 and 13 in Hawthorne on data processing, it was announced today.

Lyons attended a program at the National Cash Register plant, which provides a basic course in data processing.

Miss Virginia Fox, R.N., director of nursing services, at Riviera Community Hospital, will attend a repeat of the program on July 10 and 11, Lyons said.

He pointed out that data processing is becoming a more and more important aid to hospitals in helping to hold the line on rising costs of health care.

Riviera Community Hospital is a 96-bed, non-profit, general voluntary community hospital, serving the entire South Bay area.

tional program Friday with Frank Curry, San Diego, presiding. Ellison D. Smith of Santa Monica will discuss syndication. W. R. Broadbent of San Luis Obispo is to review advance exchange techniques, and James McMichael of Pasadena, J. W. Levine of Los Angeles and Robert Snell of Henderson will discuss multiple exchanging.

At 2 p.m. Saturday, Milton G. Gordon, California real estate commissioner, will conduct a State Division of Real Estate Commission meeting.

Golf Tourney Set
The three-day conference schedule also provides entertainment events for realtors and their wives, including a golf tournament at the Lake Tahoe Country Club on the opening day.

Official hosts of the convention are Charles P. Beardsley, president of the Tahoe-Sierra Realty Board; William Karl Lowe, president of the South Lake Tahoe Realty Board; and Reid McClatchy of Sacramento, CREA vice president.

'Shoestring' Project Work Gets Boost

Construction of a project of great benefit to the Shoestring Strip area near Torrance was ordered today by the Los Angeles board of public works.

District Councilman John S. Gibson Jr. said the project contemplates the opening at grade of the 208th Street, Denker Avenue crossings of the Pacific Electric Railway Company's line on Torrance Boulevard.

The contract was awarded by the board to H. E. Baker for \$16,081.73, the sole bidder, whose offer was 10.9 per cent under the city's estimate of \$18,042.89.

This improvement, said Councilman Gibson, will facilitate the flow of traffic through the three-ply intersection, thus benefiting the residential section and assisting in the development of the commercial and industrial enterprises in the area.

Denker Avenue is an important north-south collector street, while 208th Street provides access to the Harbor Freeway.

Construction items will include bituminous pavement, concrete curbs and gutters, traffic islands and street lights.

The board pointed out that by an agreement with the city the Pacific Electric will prepare the tracks for the crossings and will install crossing protection signals.

The contract calls for completion of the work in 75 days.

RURAL BUILDING, IRAN
A recheck in a 10-block area in rural Iran showed that with CARE tools villagers built 11 bathhouses, nine bridges, and nine sanitary toilets. Three villages are installing electricity. In other areas people are building roads and making doors, windows and furniture for their homes, all with the use of CARE tools.

HAHN RIPS FREEWAY BOTTLENECK

The bottleneck on the Harbor Freeway, Southbound as well as northbound, at the Santa Monica interchange is intolerable, Supervisor Kenneth Hahn charged today.

He suggested these possible solutions to Los Angeles City Traffic Engineer Sam Taylor and State Metropolitan District Engineer E. T. Telford.

1. Close the southbound on-ramp of the Harbor Freeway at 23rd street coming from Figueroa. (This would provide safer, uninterrupted flow of traffic southbound on the freeway, and would avoid many collisions caused by automobiles shifting lanes.)
2. Close the northbound on-ramp of the Harbor

Freeway north of Adams on Flower street. (This would prevent automobiles shifting lanes.)

3. Close the northbound on-ramp of the Harbor Freeway north of Adams on Flower street. (This would prevent automobiles from causing major traffic tieups, since this on-ramp is so close to the Santa Monica Freeway

turn-off.)
Hahn also urged Telford to reserve the southbound number four, or "slow" lane of the Harbor Freeway at the Santa Monica interchange so traffic coming from the Santa Monica onto the Harbor would have safer entrance. "Jiggle bars" between the number four and three lanes would accomplish this.

What is basically wrong, Hahn believes, is that the freeway was poorly designed in the beginning, and mistakes were poured into concrete. "It is difficult to change the mistakes made in design many years ago," he said.

"More accidents occur each week at this interchange than on any section of freeway in Los Angeles County, let alone the continual traffic tieup every evening at the rush hour," Hahn said.

Hahn sent copies of his suggestions to Taylor and

Telford to Councilmen John Cassidy, John Gibson, Gilbert Lindsey, and Gordon Hahn, chairman of City Council's State, County and Federal Affairs Committee.

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