

'Expensive' Carpet Really an Economy

Members of the Board of Education decided Monday that there's a difference between being cheap and being economy-minded.

The question came up during discussion of the monthly purchase order report. One of the items calls for installation of a new carpet in the board room — approximately 100 yards of carpet which will cost \$1,160.

John W. Judd, president of the Southwood Riviera Homeowners Association, objected to the expenditure and suggested a cheaper carpet might be installed. "Where do you draw the line?" he asked. "Do you want carpeting or classrooms?"

S. E. Waldrip, assistant superintendent of schools for

business, said cheaper carpets were available, but added that they would not wear so long. The present carpet, a synthetic fiber, has been in use for five years and has worn out, Waldrip said, pointing out several holes on the floor.

Waldrip said the proposed carpeting could be expected to give good service for 10 years or more.

Trustees approved the purchase, noting it is not an economy to install cheap carpeting in a public building which is in constant use.

Six Injured In Traffic

Six persons were injured early yesterday when a 19-year-old driver lost control of his car on Carson Street near Evelyn Avenue.

Ferendo Maldonado of Hawthorne was westbound on Carson Street about 2:15 a.m. when he lost control of the car, hit a utility pole, and careened into a parked car in the 4700 block of Carson Street.

The impact turned the Maldonado vehicle around and resulted in major damage to the parked car. Maldonado's car was a total loss, police said.

Maldonado and five passengers were taken to Little Company of Mary Hospital by ambulance.

Hospitalized were: Everado Rosiles, 24, George Garcia, 21, and Heberitto Lopes, 27, of Hawthorne; Hector Villagas, 22, of Inglewood, and Ramon Verdin, 22, who gave no address.

Police blamed the accident on excessive speed. Officers called for fire trucks to wash gasoline off the streets.

Kiwanians Take Toys To Tijuana

Kiwanis Clubs from Torrance and the Southwest area made their annual trip to Tijuana, Mexico, Monday to deliver Christmas toys, candy, and food to youngsters in that city.

H. Ted Olson, Torrance councilman and president of the Torrance Kiwanis Club, said more than 10,000 toys, 8,000 bags of candy, and 4,000 bags of rice were distributed by the Kiwanis Clubs in District 19.

Dr. Paul St. Amand of Palos Verdes lieutenant governor of the district, headed the delegation to Tijuana.

The toys and other items were distributed in cooperation with the Tijuana Kiwanis Club, which supports programs to aid blind, crippled, and poor children in the city.

... Transit

(Continued from Page 1) immense for one city to do the planning and find solutions," Ferraro commented.

"We are a regional center and we can't solve all our problems by ourselves."

HE ALSO told Isen joining LARTS would be in line with the council's policy of maintaining home rule.

Isen, however, questioned possible financial obligations which might be imposed at some future date. The entire agreement was referred to City Attorney Stanley Remeyer for an analysis of its possible future impact on the city.

It will be resubmitted to the council at a later date.

IN OTHER MATTERS, councilmen:

- Approved a policy to charge businessmen for sandblasting charges incurred when the city revises pavement markings requested by the individual businessmen.
- Voted to create a three-member Parking Place Commission to regulate the two new parking lots in the Downtown Torrance Parking District. Members of the commission, which is required by state law, will be appointed at a future meeting.
- Approved a questionnaire submitted by the city's Library Commission. The questionnaire will be sent to patrons of the library system and results used to evaluate library services.
- Approved the final tract map for an 11-lot subdivision located near Spencer Street and Osage Avenue.
- Petitioned the State Public Utilities Commission for reimbursement of funds expended to install signals at Carson Street and Sepulveda Boulevard intersections with Madrona Avenue. The city may be reimbursed for one-fourth of the total cost of the signals.

... Brakes

(Continued from Page 1) toward Torrance. The truck rammed a pick-up truck just after crossing Palos Verdes Drive. The pick-up truck, driven by Nicholas Pica, was forced over a 25-foot bank and came to a stop in a cabbage field after shearing off a utility pole. The truck broke into two parts.

The pole was connected to another pole across the roadway and both crashed to the street. Debris hit two moving cars and a parked vehicle. None of the occupants, including a two-week-old baby, was injured.

Motorcycle officer Lee Turner attempted to outrun the speeding truck at Hawthorne Boulevard and Pacific Coast Highway. Kelly piloted the truck safely across the busy intersection against a red signal.

WITH THREE lanes of traffic blocking the entrance to 238th Street, Kelly whipped the truck across a center divider and rolled over a curb into the Christmas tree lot. He finally stopped the truck just short of a drainage ditch which is 15 feet deep.

A passenger in the truck Frank O'Donnal, who gave a Los Angeles business address, told officers he could remember nothing about his long ride. He complained of some pain, but was not taken to the hospital.

Officer Turner told Kelly he had done "extremely good in driving," Turner added, "due to good judgment and clear thinking a much worse disaster was averted."

Pvt. Ernest Burciaga Jr., whose parents live at 433 N. Prospect Ave., Redondo Beach, completed a three-week airborne course at the Army Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., Nov. 27.

During the course Burciaga received training in proper jump techniques, safety procedures and equipment maintenance. He also underwent an intensive physical conditioning program.

Council Eyes Pay Hike For Clerk, Treasurer

Ordinances to raise the salaries paid the City Clerk and the City Treasurer were ordered drafted for consideration by the Torrance City Council last night.

Councilmen acted on Monday.

Auditorium

(Continued from Page 1) the council's Public Buildings Committee, chaired by J. A. Beasley.

POSSIBLE construction of the auditorium in increments was suggested by Ken Miller. He told councilmen he knew it would cost more, but wants the committee to explore the possibility.

The auditorium complex would cost between \$3 and \$5 million as recommended by the committee. Financing would be through general obligation bonds, which require voter approval, if the committee's findings are upheld.

Mayor Albert Isen, who suggested the salaries be set at \$1,025 per month. Isen said action by the council to increase the salaries must be completed before the April municipal election if they are to be effective during the next term of office.

It was first thought any increase in salary for the clerk and treasurer would have to be approved by the voters, but research of the City Charter has turned up other evidence.

The Torrance League of Women Voters, after a study of the charter, said the council does have the power to increase salaries for both positions. The League's findings have been confirmed by City Attorney Stanley Remeyer.

Councilmen, while approving the Mayor's suggestion, warned they were not committing themselves to the pay increase or to a specific figure.

Scholl in India With Peace Corps.

Phillip L. Scholl, son of William C. Scholl and the late Mrs. Romelda Scholl of 3450 Emerald St., has arrived in the State of Kerala, India, to serve in the Peace Corps.

Scholl is a 1958 graduate of Torrance High School and attended the University of California at Los Angeles. He earned a bachelor's degree in history and hold a California state teaching credential.

Prior to his new assignment, Scholl spent 12 weeks at the University of Wisconsin undergoing training for his Peace Corps work.

Marine Cpl. James W. Hurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hurley of 22713 B Maple St., is serving in the Da Nang sector of Viet Nam with the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, a major infantry element of the 3rd Marine Division.

Conference Scheduled In February

Four members of the Board of Education and a trio of top school administrators will attend the annual convention of the American Association of School Administrators in Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 12 through 16.

William J. Hanson, Bert M. Lynn, Dr. Kurt T. Shery, and Dr. Donald E. Wilson will represent the trustees at the annual meeting.

Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of schools, two assistant superintendents — as yet unnamed — also will attend the sessions.

Airman 2/C David A. Lucas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Lucas of 20327 Regina Ave., has completed a special U. S. Air Force course at Goodfellow AFB, Tex., for communications technicians.

Airman Lucas, who received advanced radio training, is being assigned to an Air Force support unit at, Kadana AB, Okinawa.



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<p>NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH 1447 Encinala Ave., Torrance Phone: FA 6-2776 Rev. John P. Cramina, Pastor MASS SERVICE Sundays: 6:30, 8:00, 10:15, 11:15, 12:15 and 5:00 p.m. St. Joseph's at 5:30 A.M. SATURDAY CONFESIONS 10:30 to 11:30 A.M.; 3:30 to 5:30 P.M. St. Joseph's at 7:15 P.M. BAPTISMS Every Sunday at 1:45 P.M.</p>	<p>CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. B. Christiansen, Pastor Rev. J. Wilker 2706 W. 182nd St., Torrance Phone DAVIS 3-8821 Rev. DAVIS 8-8455 ● Divine Worship 8:00 a.m. ● Divine Worship 11:15 a.m. ● Sunday School 9:15 and 10:15 a.m. Nursery care provided at both services.</p>	<p>FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST 215th St. and Manuel St., Torrance, Calif. Church Services—8 a.m. Wednesday Eve. Meetings—8 p.m. Sundays 10:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Children under 10 years of age must be accompanied by parent or guardian for enrollment. Reading Room—1408 Cravena Court 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily except Sunday and Holidays. Also 7 to 9 Monday and Friday evenings. All are welcome to attend our services and to use our Reading Room.</p>
<p>SOUTH BAY BAPTIST CHURCH 4488 Sharynne Lane, Torrance, Calif. Pastor, Dr. J. C. Brumfield Rev. R. Romler Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Church Services at 11:00 a.m. Junior and Primary Church 11:30 A.M. Baptist Training Union 8:00 P.M. Evening Worship 7:00 P.M. Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 P.M. Nursery and toddler care—All 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free transportation service.</p>	<p>DEL AMO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH 3915 W. 382nd at Ocean Torrance Sunday School—9:45 A.M. Training Union—9:45 P.M. Worship Services—10:15 P.M. Wednesday Eve. Services, 8:00 P.M. Teachers 7 P.M. Pastor Services—7:45 P.M. Choir Rehearsal—8:00 P.M. Prayer—Daniel E. Weaver Jr. FR 7-4400—FR 1-8300 MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion—First Sunday Lutheran League and 4th Sunday. Christian Elementary School—Kindergarten through 8th Grade</p>	<p>CENTRAL CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN Marceline and Arlington Rev. Walter M. Stanton 9:30—Sunday School 11:00—Morning Worship 7:00—Evening Worship 7:30—Worship Service Midweek Worship Service 7:00 Wednesday Evening</p>
<p>FOURSQUARE GOSPEL CHURCH Corner Allington and Sepulveda Tel. FA 6-3073 Rev. and Mrs. P. Lowan SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 Bible Study 10:00 a.m. (P.P. Cadets, Defenders) Evangelistic 7:30 P.M. a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. MIDWEEK Wednesday—Bible Study at 7:30 p.m. PUBLIC INVITED</p>	<p>FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH 1728 Flower Street Phone 320-4121 William J. Roderer, Pastor Phone FA 6-3073 Philip C. Hiller, Assoc. Pastor Phone 320-4121 Worship Services 8:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m. 9:30 and 11 a.m. 10:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion—First Sunday Lutheran League and 4th Sunday. Sunday. Christian Elementary School—Kindergarten through 8th Grade</p>	<p>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missouri Synod) 708 Knob Hill Ave., Redondo Beach 1000 Southwood Park Sunday School—9:45 A.M. Worship Service 8:45 A.M. 10:15 A.M. and 11 A.M. Pastor A. L. Schueta FR 7-9535 or 5-7535</p>
<p>WALTERIA ASSEMBLY OF GOD 24404 Hawthorne Blvd., Walthers Rev. Edw. L. Hughes, Pastor Frontier 6-7788 Sunday School—9:45 a.m. Morning Worship—11:00 a.m. Children's Church—11:30 a.m. Evangelistic Service—7:00 a.m. Tune. Prayer Meeting—7:30 a.m. Thurs. Young People—7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Torrance Carson and El Prado Phone FA 6-8242 Rev. Arthur Nagel, pastor Rev. Phone FA 8-8281 Rev. Richard Hansen, associate SUNDAYS: Two Worship Services 9:30 and 11 A.M. Two Complete Church Schools 9:30 and 11 A.M. All ages—nursery through adults. Fellowship Meeting 6:30 P.M.</p>	<p>ST. CATHERINE LABOUR CHURCH 2846 Redondo Beach Blvd., Torrance Phone DAVIS 3-8900 Sunday School 9:30, 10, 11, 12 Weekday Masses: 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Confessions Saturday 4:00 to 5:30 7:30 to 9:00</p>
<p>ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 1629 Encinala—FA 8-9781 Rev. Hugh H. Goring, Rector B.A. B.D. Rector 7:00 a.m. Holy Communion 9:15 a.m. Family and Social Services followed by Church School and Coffee Hour 11:30 a.m. Morning Worship (Choral Eucharist on 1st and 3rd Sundays) (Child care and Nursery provided at 9:15 and 11:30 services). Weekdays: Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Thursdays and 6:30 a.m. on All Saints' Days.</p>	<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH at Carson & Manuel St., Torrance, Calif. Rev. H. Blain Durbin, Pastor Rev. Robert Coburn, Pastor SUNDAY—3 Morning Services 9:15 A.M., 11:00 A.M., 7:00 P.M. First Junior, College and Adults thru 10:45—Jr. High and High School Fellowship Training—6:15 P.M. Evangelistic Service—7:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY—Bible Study 7:30 P.M. Communion Service and Prayer Nursery provided for all services, also sound proof nursery room. ALL WELCOME</p>	<p>ST. MARK'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 24027 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita DA 8-6088 Sunday Church School 9 a.m. (All ages including adults) Church Worship 10:30 a.m. (Nursery care provided) Youth Fellowship 8 p.m. The Rev. Blain Durbin, Minister</p>
<p>ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH 1900 Prospect Ave., Redondo Beach. Monignor Daniel J. Collins Mass 7, 8, 10, 11:15, 12:15 FR 8-4087</p>	<p>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE (Disciples of Christ) 3981 El Dorado, FA 8-2850 Rev. H. Milton Sipes, Minister Rev. Phone FA 8-4488 Rev. Robert Neil Jones, Minister of Education Tel. Phone 976-8586 Two Sessions of Church School and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Nursery provided at both sessions. CHI BIBLE Fellowship—5:30 p.m. Christian 7 p.m.</p>	<p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF GARDENA 1987 W. Redondo Beach Blvd., Phone DA 4-1064 Dr. R. Murray Jones, Minister 1492 W. W. Gardner St., Gardena DA 8-5218 Sunday Worship Service—11 a.m. (Nursery care provided) Sunday Church School 10:30 and 11:00 a.m. Senior High Fellowship and Junior High Fellowship Sundays at 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p>FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 1301 West Carson R. Wallis Krossing, Pastor FA 8-8000 9:45 Sunday School 10:30 Morning Worship 7:00 p.m. Evening Service</p>	<p>NARBONNE AVENUE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH 24730 Narbonne Ave., Lomita Phone DA 8-6089 Church 8:30 A.M. Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 7 P.M.</p>	<p>THE BIBLE SPEAKS TO YOU Sunday, Dec. 26th 7:45 A.M. - KFI - 640 This Week's Christian Science Program #195 "WHAT HAS CHRISTMAS MEANT TO ME?"</p>

St. James Church
417 Vincent Street
Redondo Beach
CHRISTMAS 1965
Confessions
Thursday, Dec. 23
7:30 to 9 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 24
9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Christmas Eve
Dec. 24, Friday
Midnight Mass
Christmas Day
Saturday, Dec. 25
6:30 Low Mass
8:00 Low Mass
9:00 Low Mass
10:30 High Mass
11:15 Low Mass
12:30 Low Mass

St. Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church
1950 Tulita
Redondo Beach
CONFESSIONS
Thurs., Dec. 23
10 A.M. to 12 Noon
3 P.M. to 5:30 P.M.
7 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
Dec. 24, Friday
CHRISTMAS EVE
6:30 A.M. Low Mass
8:00 A.M. Low Mass (Children's Choir)
9:00 A.M. Low Mass
10:45 A.M. Solemn High Mass (St. Lawrence Parish Choir)
11:20 A.M. Low Mass
12:30 P.M. Low Mass (Followed by Solemn Benediction)
Christmas is a birthday celebration; let us not neglect the One whose birth it commemorates.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
1551 El Prado
Torrance, California — FA 8-3242
Rev. Arthur Nagel, Pastor
Dec. 24—Christmas Eve Services
7 P.M.—Family Services
Caroling and Holy Communion
11 P.M.—Candle Light Services (Choir Will Sing)
Lighting of the Candles
Message by the Pastor
(The public is most cordially invited.)

Christ the King Lutheran Church
Christmas at Christ the King
2706 W. 182nd St., Torrance
Rev. Elmer E. Christiansen, Pastor
CHRISTMAS SERVICE
Christmas Eve
7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.
God Son Comes
Christmas Day
10:00 a.m.
Gospel for Man
South Bay Church of God
17661 Yukon Ave., Torrance, California
Rev. Clifford Tierney, Pastor
Friday, Dec. 24
Christmas Eve
11:00 P.M. Candle Light
Communion Service

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church
1122 ENGRACIA TORRANCE
REV. HUGH R. PERCY, R.A. BP RECTOR
Dec. 24 Friday
7:30 P.M.—Family
Choral Eucharist
(Nursery Care Provided)
11:15 Midnight
Choral Eucharist
Christmas Day
Dec. 25
8:30 A.M.
Holy Communion
Dec. 26th
St. Stephen's Day
7:30 Holy Communion
9:15 a.m. Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

First Lutheran Church
Carson & Flower Avenue
Torrance, California
(Blue Tower—East of Del Amo Shopping Center)
Rev. William J. Ebeleier, Pastor
Rev. Phillip C. Hiller, Assoc. Pastor
Dec. 24, 11 P.M.
Christmas Candle Light Service
"The Light of the World"
Dec. 25, 10:00 a.m. Festival
Worship; Manger Services