

Supervisor Seeks Study of Truck Accidents on Freeway

The problems created by carelessly loaded bottle and beverage trucks dropping their cargo on the freeways is under study at the direction of Supervisor Kenneth Hahn.

In a motion before the Board of Supervisors, Hahn asked County Road Commissioner Irv Morhar to suggest steps to prevent the problem and report within 30 days.

He suggested a county ordinance may be needed to require locking devices on trucks carrying bottles.

"There are frequent incidents of trucks carrying water bottles and soft drinks losing their cargo while making sharp turns, causing accidents and serious traffic tie-ups on our freeways," Hahn noted.

"A device to lock the crates of bottles onto the truck could solve this increasingly dangerous problem," he added.

Sept. 12 Is Deadline for Voters Who Must Register

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County Supervisor

There appears to be some confusion among citizens as to their eligibility for the Nov. 5 General Election if they did not vote in the June 4 Primary.

Perhaps I can shed some light on this matter. It is not necessary to re-register if you missed the Primary balloting. Only those who do not vote in the general statewide election in even-number years (such as the November election) will have their names removed from the voter rolls.

And even these citizens can retain their registration if they respond to a post-card which is mailed them by the County Registrar of Voters after the official canvass.

FOR THOSE of you who must register or re-register, be advised that Sept. 12 is the last day to do so for the November election. Possibly this election is one of the most important in our country's history, and it would be a shame if every eligible voter did not make his position known through the ballot system.

You can help the registrar's office by registering as quickly as possible. At the same time, you'll be "beating the crowd" which usually floods to register at the last minute.

In addition to the eligibil-

Photo Show Will Open On Friday

More than 100 photographs will be on exhibit at Bullock's Fashion Square Aug. 9 through 13 as part of an Art and Camera Days event, Donald Boker, general manager, announced today.

As a joint effort of the South Bay Camera Club and Bullock's Fashion Square, the photography show will feature three classes of pictures (black and white, junior and open, and color) to be displayed at La Casita, the community building just north of Bullock's, according to Rennie Weber of Torrance, outgoing president of the club and chairman of the exhibit.

Winners of the show were selected July 27 by judges Ray Erickson of Manhattan Beach, Rudy Flores of Inglewood, and Harry Pollak of Los Angeles.

WINNERS are: (Open black and white) Forencel Harrison, Redondo Beach; John Arden, Torrance; Hal Spring, Los Angeles. (Junior black and white) Theresa Villa, Lawndale; David Stubbs, Torrance; and Steve Dawson, Palos Verdes Estates. (Color) Donald W. Heit, Torrance.

Heit's entry, a 16-by-20-inch photograph entitled, "Pink Hat," also was named best in the show.

Awards ranging from \$15 to \$40 and a number of honorable mentions donated by Bullock's Fashion Square will be presented to winners Aug. 16 at 8 p.m. The program that evening also will include a color slide showing of the South Bay Camera Club top slides of the year.

A climax of the exhibit will be a special showing of the Vigeland Photography Exhibit from the city of Oslo, a group of 40-by-40-inch award-winning photographs. This special exhibit will be on display August 22 and Sept. 3.

ALSO FEATURED for the Art and Camera Days event is a Sidewalk Sale of some 100 paintings by local artists from the Inglewood Art League, Lawndale Art Association, Gardena Valley Art Association, Pacific Art Guild, South Bay Art Association, and Hawthorne Art Association, according to F. C. Douglass, coordinator of the painting show.

Paintings will be exhibited at Bullock's and other Fashion Square stores. Windows exhibiting paintings will be judged for their color coordination and theme. All paintings will be on sale.

ity rule mentioned above, all persons who have moved must re-register. Voters who have retained the same residence but have changed mailing addresses should notify the registrar in writing so they will receive a sample ballot.

The location of the deputy registrar nearest to you—and there are some 6,000 in the county—may be obtained by telephoning 628-9211, extension 63231, or by telephoning your city clerk in City Hall.

ANOTHER key street on the Palos Verdes Peninsula is being improved by the county in an effort to keep up with the fantastic growth of that area.

Supervisors have awarded a \$520,640 contract for the improvement of Crenshaw Boulevard between Silver Spur and Crest Road.

Only recently, Crenshaw was improved between Palos

Verdes Drive North and Silver Spur, and other related projects also are under way. In the past five years, several million dollars in county gas tax revenues have been spent on the Peninsula in full cooperation with the cities.

INDUSTRY and the county have come up with amendments to the county fire code to insure greater safety in the use of in-ground oil storage reser-

voirs.

Supervisors recently amended the fire code to provide for maximum fire protection and a mutual assistance program among the oil companies. The changes came out of several meetings between the county fire chief and representatives of the oil industry.

The plan has the full support of both groups. Specifically, it provides that wood-covered oil reservoirs

may be continued for storage if they are covered with a fire-retardant roof and extensive lightning protection.

IN ADDITION, full fire suppression facilities must be provided by the companies.

Oil firm officials have pledged that the changes will be observed not only in unincorporated sections of the county, where the amendments prevail, but within cities, too.

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