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**MUSIC MEN . . .** The Torrance Area Youth Band, shown here marching in the 1968 Veteran's Day Parade in Long Beach, was awarded second place in the civilian music division in the parade. The band won the sweepstakes award in the 1967

parade. Several thousand people lined the streets of downtown Long Beach for the salute to the nation's veterans. The parade is one of the largest of the nation's Veteran's Day observances.

# Chamber Honors 11 City Buildings

## Annual Awards Given

Architects and owners of 11 buildings in the city were honored yesterday as the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce presented its annual Architectural Merit Awards.

Buildings ranging from the huge Del Amo Financial Center to a small commercial building in Downtown Torrance were honored during the annual event.

William Burchfield, a Torrance architect and chairman of the Chamber's Architectural Awards Committee, presided at the presentation.

Awards were presented to:

- Butler Buick Co., 18800 Hawthorne Blvd., which was designed by William Howe Designs of Hawthorne. The award was accepted by Charles Butler Sr.

- Castellana II Apartments, designed by Earl Mason of Redondo Beach. George L. Schuler accepted the award.

- Copa Pacific Apartments. Roland DeLong, a Torrance architect, designed the complex, which was built by Tornio Construction Co.

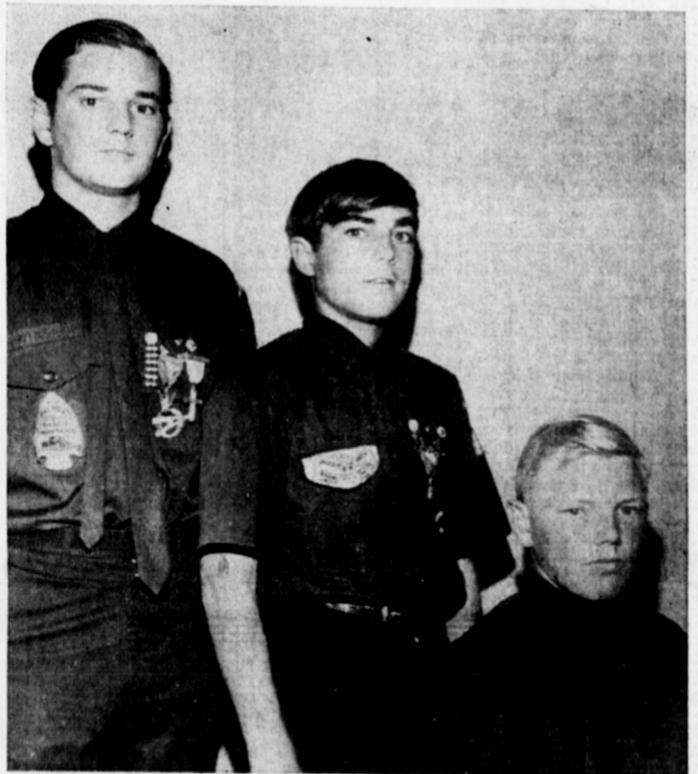
- Del Amo Financial Center, designed by Victor Gruen & Associates of Los Angeles. General Manager Harry Gorman accepted the award.

- Harris Industrial Park, a complex of industrial buildings on Lomita Boulevard designed by Raymond Kappe of Santa Monica. Ted Sparks of the R. G. Harris Co. was present to accept the award.

- Hiebert, Inc., a furniture manufacturing firm located on Lomita Boulevard. J. Timmons, president, received the award.

- Mobil Oil Corp. service stations at 190th Street and Crenshaw Boulevard and at Hawthorne Boulevard and Newton Street. The "in-the-round" stations were designed by Eliot Noyes & Associates. Maury Muehle, South Los Angeles district manager for Mobil, accepted the award.

- A commercial building at 1321-1323 Sartori Ave., (See AWARDS, Page A-2)



**BECOMING EAGLES . . .** Three members of Explorer Post 65X have received the coveted Eagle Scout rank. They are (from left) Bill Oglesby, 17, and John Oglesby, 15, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wil Oglesby of 2855 W. 235th St.; and Dennis McDonald, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald of 22629 Fonthill Ave. The trio, all Torrance High students, were honored Tuesday during an Eagle Scout Court of Honor. To complete the community project requirement for Eagle rank, the boys worked for one week assisting the Ranger at San Jacinto Peak last summer. (Press-Herald Photo)

## 'Create New Environment'

# Public, Private Sectors Must Cooperate on Plan

By JERRY REYNOLDS  
 Press-Herald City Editor

A noted architect and city planner yesterday called for the nation's private and public sectors to "work together to create a new environment" for the future.

Ki Suh Park, vice president and director of planning for Victor Gruen & Associates of Los Angeles, told members of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce the nation is facing tremendous growth in the next 40 years.

He said projections indicate a doubling of the population — from 200 to 400 million — by the year 2010, but added the nation has the

forces and resources to guide that growth for optimum advantages.

**PARK.** A graduate of the University of California, Berkeley, holds master's degrees in architecture and city planning. He is in charge of master planning for the Del Amo Financial Center being developed here.

"The challenge today is to find the optimum way to accommodate changes in population, the use of automobiles, and increased leisure time," he told Chamber members.

The 36-year-old architect and city planner said two

choices are available for the future: scatterization through continuation of the present trend to merely extend urban areas into the countryside or growth and speed by planning.

**PARK SAID** he feels the second choice is the only practice solution to the problem of growth. He described the principal objectives of future planning as the formulation of new cities coupled with a "new effort to reorganize existing communities."

He also noted no new cities have been started in the United States since the turn of the century.

Goals of a plan for controlled growth would be to:

- Take up the pressing metropolitan population increase and provide the needed housing.
- Provide a variety of choices of housing, jobs, and recreation facilities.
- Provide laboratories for creative experiments in planning.
- Reduce traffic congestion and shorten distances between homes and jobs.
- Develop cultural and recreational facilities.
- Give people a sense of political identification.

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## School Board Schedules Meeting at South High

The Torrance Board of Education will meet at South High School Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the first of a series of four meetings to be held in the current school year.

Purpose of the communi-

ty meetings, which are held at the four high schools each year, is to encourage residents to attend a board session in their neighborhood, according to Dr. Owen Griffith, board president.

Throughout the year the board meets at the school district offices, 2335 Plaza del Amo, on the first and third Monday of the month. The public is invited to all meetings.

Agendas are available at branch libraries throughout the city the Friday preceding each meeting.

## Wiretap Charges Lodged

The rejected suitor of a glamorous Torrance model has been arrested on felony wiretap charges after police and telephone company officials found wiretapping equipment leading from her lines to his.

Jailed Tuesday was Donald E. Barber, 35, of 21005 Donora Ave., Apt. 6, a teacher with the Los Angeles City Schools.

Filing the complaint was 32-year-old Sally Lee Walker of 21019-C Donora Ave. Miss Walker told police Barber had been harassing her for the past several weeks.

She first suspected the wiretapping, she said, when she heard tapping and static on the line.

## TIM HETZEL NAMED CARRIER OF MONTH

Twelve-year-old Tim Hetzel today was named Press-Herald Carrier of the Month for October.

Young Hetzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hetzel of 4809 Jacques St., joined the Press-Herald junior dealer staff last August along with his twin brother, Richard.

Clint Davey, Press-Herald circulation manager, praised Tim for his efforts in building up his list of Press-Herald subscribers through careful and dependable service to his customers.

A seventh-grade student at Sepulveda Elementary School, Tim also belongs to the Junior H-Y at the Torrance Family YMCA. He enjoys hiking, baseball, and building models. Tim also has a gas powered model airplane which he enjoys flying.

The Hetzel family, resi-



**TIM HETZEL**  
 Top Carrier

dents of Torrance for 14 years, also includes Tracey, 18 months; Kevin, 5; Scott, 6; Mark, 7, and Becky, 8.

## Story of Baseball Bat Topic

Local educators and industrialists will have an opportunity to hear how the unemployables are being employed in the ghetto at a meeting to be held next Thursday.

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## Reagan, State Chamber Leaders Set Meeting

J. Walker Owens, executive vice president of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce, has been extended a personal invitation by Governor Ronald Reagan to meet him and his Cabinet members to discuss California State Government.

Owens will join with several other Chamber of Commerce executives Tuesday in Sacramento for the conference.

Governor Reagan, in his invitation, stated that there is a great potential for a

close-working relationship between California Chamber of Commerce and the Administration in working together in pursuit of common goals for California citizens.

The meeting will include presentations by each of the Governor's five Cabinet secretaries, as well as from senior members of his personal staff. The Chamber executives also will have the opportunity to meet with department directors.

## Victim Undergoes Surgery . . .

Still in critical condition at Little Company of Mary Hospital is 17-year-old Pamela Fischer, badly injured Nov. 6 when her small foreign car collided with a dump truck on Van Ness Avenue. The daughter of Torrance Police Lieutenant Hyman (Mickey) Fischer suffered a broken leg and pelvis, and burns over 65 percent of her body. Her car was completely gutted by flames. Miss Fischer underwent surgery this week to pin her broken bones into place. She is expected to remain in the hospital three or four months.

## .34 Inches of Rain Fall . . .

A weakened Pacific storm finally hit the Southland Thursday night, dropping some .34 inches of rain on Torrance during the night. The rainfall brings to .78 inches the total recorded during the season. The forecast is for continued scattered rain today, with clearing tonight and tomorrow.

## Career Marine Killed . . .

Marine Staff Sgt. Rodney A. Kiaha, a career Marine formerly of Torrance, was killed in Vietnam Nov. 6, it was reported here this week. Kiaha, who entered the service in May, 1957, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tome Agapay of 1627 W. 216th St. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his widow, Bonnie; three children; four brothers; and two sisters. McNeerney's Mortuary in Lomita is in charge of funeral arrangements.