



TOP LION . . . Don E. Banker was named "Lion of the Year" at the West Torrance Lions Club banquet Saturday. Banker is a past president of the club, and is the perennial Lions South Bay All-Star Football Game chairman.

Guild Plans Benefit For Child Clinic

"Dance to Buy a Truck" will be the theme of a dance scheduled Sunday by the Guild of the South Bay Children's Health Center. The event will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. at Eagles Hall, 128 S. Catalina Ave., Redondo Beach.

The Guild is opening a thrift shop and will need the truck to pick up used items. Proceeds from the thrift shop will support the hearing and dental clinic as well as the child guidance clinic.

Dance music will be provided by the Fabulous Footnotes.

Tickets may be purchased through the South Bay Children's Health Center.

. . . Park

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IN ANNOUNCING the grant, Congressman Anderson said the city "is to be congratulated for moving so rapidly to take advantage of (the open space) program and I am extremely pleased to be able to have been of some assistance in this development."

Development proposals for the park were at the center of several battles in the city council and led to the city's joining the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG). Membership is SCAG reportedly was a condition of the grant.

COUNCILMEN first approved the proposal for Columbia Park in July, 1968, and then refused to reconsider that action. Six weeks later, councilmen voted 4-3 to join SCAG and continue with plans for the park.

The application for federal funds was approved by councilmen July 23, 1968.

Lomita House Burned

A one-story frame house in Lomita was badly damaged by fire Sunday evening.

Seven units from the Los Angeles County Fire Department responded to the alarm. Firemen took nearly two hours to contain the blaze, which destroyed the house at 25351 Oak St.

Investigating officials said the fire apparently started in a bedroom closet. Damage was estimated at \$7,500. No injuries were reported.

Dr. Ford To Study Activism

Dr. Robert R. Ford, principal of West High School, has been selected to participate in the fourth annual IDEA Fellows Program for School Administrators. He will attend a one-week session, dealing with the mounting problem of student activism and curriculum relevancy, to be held at Mills College in Oakland.

Each year the Institute for Development of Educational Activities, Inc., selects 400 outstanding educators from throughout the United States to participate in these professional workshops, which are scheduled at four separate locations in the country. The participants are chosen from among thousands of applications submitted each year.

This professional development program for administrators is unique in the educational field in providing both the opportunity to hear recognized authorities speak and the opportunity for interaction with other professionals during this one-week period.

. . . Heroin

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lot, but her husband entered the apartment.

OFFICERS Snodgrass and Reyes identified themselves and Spafford then pulled a gun. He fired two shots at the officers while running away from the apartment.

Officer Snodgrass fired one shot from his gun, while Reyes fired six more shots. Two officers waiting in the parking lot fired six times—for a total of 19 shots by officers at Spafford.

The suspect was hit six times, officers said.

POLICE said one kilo of raw heroin was found in the Spafford apartment, along with several half-ounce packages which had been prepared in balloons for sale. In addition, narcotics paraphernalia, a blender filled with white powder believed to be heroin, and several dozen Seconal tablets were found in the apartment.

Officers also said they found \$2,300 in cash in the apartment and on the two suspects.

POLICE, who had been investigating the case for a month, said Spafford is believed to be "fairly high up" in a narcotics ring operating in the area.

More arrests are expected.

One official said the heroin found in the apartment was enough "to keep all heroin addicts in the South Bay in stock for several weeks."

The raw heroin, light brown in color, is mixed with dextrose for sale, officials noted. A half-ounce has a street value of about \$250.

New Unit Seen by Donors

Representatives of TRW's Employe Charity Organization (ECHO) toured the coronary care unit at Little Company of Mary Hospital this week to see the newly installed telemetry unit.

The telemetry system, for which the employe group contributed funds, allows nurses in the unit to monitor electrocardiograms of patients in various rooms on the floor.

Harry O'Connor, ECHO chairman, presented a check for \$4,244 to Sister M. Magdalen, hospital administrator. It was the second large contribution the group has made for the telemetry system.

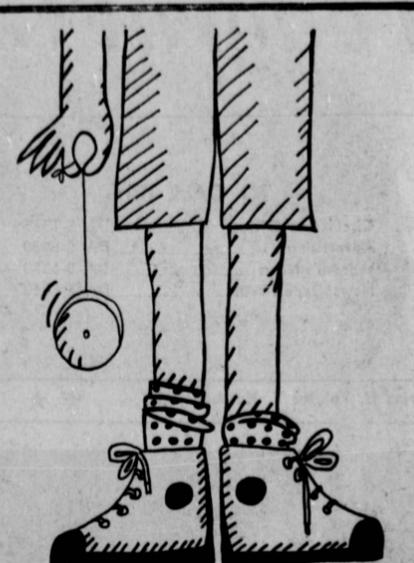
Sister Magdalen and Sister M. Terrence, coronary care unit supervisor, demonstrated the advantages of the constant monitoring possible with the new system for patients outside the unit itself.

Burglars Take Guns, Stereo

The home of George Willis, 33, of 17122 Wilton Place, was burglarized Saturday night to the tune of \$1,200.

Willis told police he arrived home at 9:50 p.m. to find that suspects had removed a screen and crawled through an unlatched window.

Missing were a color television set, a console stereo, a .38 caliber revolver, and a rifle.



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Obituaries

Maxine M. Shaffer

Funeral services were held yesterday at the Stone and Myers Mortuary Chapel for Maxine M. Shaffer, 79, who died Saturday after living in the Torrance area for 22 years.

Formerly of 21513 S. Berendo, she is survived by her husband, Ralph L.; three daughters, Fern Cox of Torrance, Georgia Nieman of Gardena, and Helen Harrison of Florida; also nine grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Officiant at the service was Bishop Robert Fernley of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Torrance Ward. Interment is at Roosevelt Memorial Park cemetery.

Nelda F. Duncan

Funeral services are scheduled tomorrow at the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel at 11:30 a.m. for Nelda F. Duncan, 27, who died Saturday.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Simmons; a sister, Rita Jelsman; two sons, Larry and Randy; and a daughter, Shery, all of Torrance.

Also her paternal grandparent, W. E. Noles, of Texas; her maternal grandmother, Jaunita Reddock of Escondido; and three nieces and nephews.

The Rev. James Morton will officiate at the services and interment at Green Hills Memorial cemetery.

Fred Bever

Fred Bever died Saturday at the age of 68. He had lived in the Torrance area for 46 years, and formerly resided at 2520 El Dorado St.

Masonic funeral services were held yesterday at the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel by Masonic Lodge No. 447.

Self-employed in the oil-producing business for 36 years, he is survived by his widow, Roline; a daughter, Joyce Holmka; a grandson, Gregg Holmka; three brothers, George of Westminster, and Albert and Orval of Michigan; and three sisters, Addie Wilson, Iness Mitchell and Grace Loveall, all of Michigan.

Interment was in Inglewood Park Cemetery.

Jessie Bolerjack

Funeral services were held this morning at the A. M.

Gamby Mortuary Chapel for Jessie E. Bolerjack, a 23-year resident of the area who died Monday. She was 80.

Formerly of 3506 Ridgeland Road, she is survived by a daughter, Velma Jean Beezley of Torrance; a brother, Charles Ogle of St. Louis; and several nephews and nieces.

The Rev. Joel Rivers of Lomita Christian Church officiated at the service and interment at Green Hills cemetery.

SHRIMP CAMPS . . .

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