

### Rome Cable Corp. Reports First Quarter Earnings

A "before tax profit" of \$2,363,925 was reported to share owners of the Rome Cable Corp. this week by John H. Dyett, vice-president of the firm. In a letter to share owners, Dyett, who is chairman of the board of directors, said that the first quarter earnings of the company were \$562,925 (after taxes) equal to \$1.05 per share. He added that with the end of the steel strike, the company was hopeful that it will be able to get sufficient steel during the balance of the year for satisfactory production at the Torrance plant.

### North American Workers Get Wage Increases

A two cents an hour cost-of-living increase which will boost the monthly payroll for 29,000 North American Aviation, Inc. employees in 22 Los Angeles area facilities by 101,000 showed up in pay checks Friday. The two cents raise is the result of an increase in the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer's Price Index for large cities, and was effective July 28 for all hourly, weekly and salaried employees. This brings the total cost-of-living allowance figure to 15 cents since the escalation clause, which is in all company contracts with the union, went into effect in October, 1950.

### Contest Winners At NT Revealed

Cowboy Week winners at North Torrance Elementary playground were announced yesterday by playground director Art Anderson. Winners of a western "drawing" contest were Julie Widmark, Tommy Stoffer, Marilyn Tow, Dana Walker, Diane Liken, Annabeth Blount and Marilyn Halsted. Winners for the best dressed boy and girl were Gary Stoffer, Ray Edmundsen, Arielle Bybre, June Carol Halsted and Marilyn Halsted. Mary Blount, Marilyn Low and Judy Hannah won the jump rope contest held last Thursday.

### Moose Lodge Inspects New Adult Center

Officers and members of the Torrance Lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose, led by Governor Marvin P. MacArthur, made the first formal inspection tour of the Torrance Adult Recreation Center by a local service or fraternal group Monday evening. Endorsement of the Center by Governor MacArthur was witnessed by Mayor Mervin M. Schwab and George Powell, assistant director of civil defense for the city. The Recreation Center tour was part of the civic affairs program of the Torrance Moose Lodge.

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ATTEND ART SCHOOL . . . Shown at their drawing boards during one of the outdoor classes at the Art Center School in Los Angeles are Eric Gately, 3408 W. 185th Pl., and Caroline Hartline, 24263 Los Codona, Waveria. They received tuition-free scholarships to the school for the summer session because of their outstanding ability in art. Eric is a student at El Camino College and Caroline is a Torrance High School student.

### Famed Choral Group Seeking New Singers

Los Cancioneros, prize-winning amateur mixed chorus of Hollywood Riviera, will meet again Tuesday evening, Aug. 19, at El Retiro Park, resuming its regular schedule for the coming year.

Purpose of Tuesday's meeting will be to welcome all interested singers who wish to try out for the coveted places in this successful group.

There are limited openings in each of the four sections—soprano, alto, tenor and bass—according to Mrs. Barbara Mabin, director. A trained voice of one with great range is not necessary, she says. Blend and quality are the prime requisites for the continued outstanding performance of the group.

Los Cancioneros recently celebrated their third anniversary as the only community chorus of the area. The group gave its second annual concert in June.

Mrs. Mabin is particularly interested in adding new male voices to the group, she says. All residents of the South Bay and surrounding communities are eligible. For further information, call Mrs. Raymond Hold, chairman, at FRontier 5-2349. Mrs. Mabin at FRontier 5-3635 or Mrs. Holloway, FRontier 5-1633.

### Gary Coon At Army School

Pvt. Gary K. Coon, son of John O. Coon of 21314 S. Vermont Ave., is attending an eight-week Army leadership school at Camp Caffe, Ark., with the 5th Armored Division.

Students receive instruction in leadership and acquire the police required in a combat leader, according to the Army. During the final three weeks of the course students apply their leadership knowledge by serving as instructors in basic training companies.

### Court Dismisses Burglary Count; Victim Missing

Burglary charges against Donald L. Campbell, 22, of 917 Sartori Ave., were dismissed Monday by City Judge Otto H. Willett, who accepted a recommendation of the district attorney's office.

Deputy D. A. Charles Woodmansee recommended dropping the charge as the alleged victim, Gerald Duer, has left town and could not appear in court to testify. Duer is Campbell's father-in-law. However, police officials said Campbell is being questioned by sheriff's deputies regarding possible forgery of a check at a Mrs. Mabin at FRontier 5-3635 or Mrs. Holloway, FRontier 5-1633.

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