

Coming Events

Wednesday, July 14—"Strawberry Festival," St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 7 p.m.
 Friday, July 16—Pacific Hills Homeowners Association Queen contest, Civic Auditorium.
 Saturday, July 17—Lions-Lioness Club installation dinner dance, Western Club.
 Friday, July 23—Pacific Hills Homeowners Association queen's coronation ball.
 Sunday, Aug. 1.—Allied Garden Picnic, El Retiro Park.
 Wednesday, August 11—First day of Torrance community fair, sponsored by Torrance Chambers of Commerce, Civic center area. Also to run August 12, 13, 14 and 15.
 Friday, August 27—Women's Society of Christian Service rummage sale.



GLASSY LASSIES... These eight young beauties are preparing for the oncoming "Miss Torrance" contest, sponsored by the Torrance Area Youth Bands, Inc. From left to right they are: Jackie Galda, Shirlee Garner, Sue Mayers, Joan Davey, Barbara Whitley Shirley Salzman, Beverly Bisbee, Norma Qino and Darleen Craig. Not pictured is candidate Nancy La Duke.



LINEUP... Some of the most unusual pets at the Recreation Department show line up with their owners. Left to right they read, Robert A. Carter, 10, and pet tortoise; Bill Roeder, 12, white rat; Wanda Sue Williams, 9, duck; and Marvin Watkins, 7, rabbit.



UNIQUE... A few more years and Gwen Hull, 14, of Walteria, won't be able to hold her pet as she does above without running the risk of losing a few fingers. The reptile is an alligator, which live for many years and grow to a rather large size. Gwen's pet took the "Most Unusual" laurels Friday at the city-wide Recreation Department sponsored pet show at Torrance Park.



BUDDIES... Marvin Watkins, 8, likes rabbits. Marvin and his pet formed an inseparable duo at the Recreation Department pet show Friday. Even though the furry bundle won no prizes, Marvin seems happy anyhow.

Lomita Man Assigned

Airman second class Stuart L. Spratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Spratt, 24800 Woodward Ave., Lomita, has recently been assigned to Clark Air Force Base, 60 miles north of Manila, P.I.

A graduate of Torrance High School, Spratt was assigned to the headquarters of the 6200th Motor Vehicle Squadron. He enlisted in the Air Force in February, 1952.

SIZE COMPARED
 With an area of about 386,000 square miles, Egypt is more than three times the size of the British Isles.

SUNSPOT DECLINE
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