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**PLAN HEALTH MEETING . . .** Thomas C. Owan left, Harbor area field representative of the Los Angeles County Tuberculosis and Health Ass.; Mrs. Miriam Fay Furlong, Harbor district supervisor, Los Angeles County Health Department, public health nurses; Dr. B. A. Kogan (standing), Torrance district health officer; and Dr. William P. Mill, Harbor District health officer, discuss plans for the second annual Community Health Conference to be held at Harbor Junior College on Saturday, April 21.

## Prominent Health Authorities To Be Featured at Conference

Eminent authorities in the field of health will serve as panel and workshop experts at the Harbor Area's Second Annual Community Health Conference, according to Mrs. Miriam Fay Furlong, Harbor district supervisor of public health nurses for the Los Angeles City Health Department and head of the conference planning committee.

The public conference, an all-day session with registration beginning at 9 a. m., is set for Saturday, April 21, at the Harbor Junior College, 1111 Figueroa St., Wilmington.

Speakers at the luncheon symposium will be Monsignor Patrick Roche, assistant superintendent of Catholic Schools for the Los Angeles Archdiocese; K. H. Sutherland, M.D., assistant county health officer for the Los Angeles County Health Department; Earl D. Donaldson, D.D.S., president of the Harbor District Dental Society; Robert G. Lehman, M.D., member of the board of the San Pedro Community Hospital, and Mrs. Hazel Newman, immediate past president of the Harbor Area Welfare Planning Council.

Symposium subject will be "Responsibilities of the School Administrator; of Official and Voluntary Community Agencies; of the Private Physician; and of the Citizen" in meeting community health needs.

Workshop moderators will be J. C. Rogers of the occupational health division of the Los Angeles City Health Department; Miss Helen Stout, chief psychiatric social worker of the California State Department of Social Hygiene; Max H. Schoen, D.D.S., of Wilmington; and Lillian Kozita, M.D., director of maternal and child health for the City of Los Angeles.

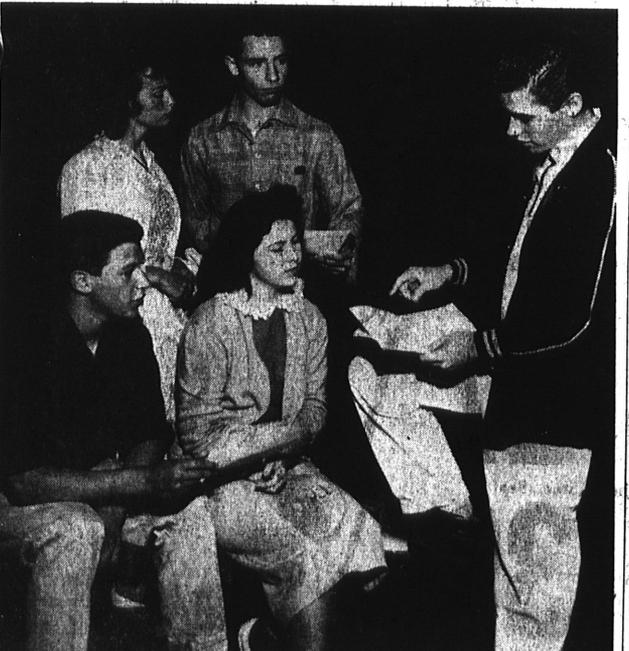
Preceding 4 p. m. adjournment, Dr. Ralph Sachs, director of district services of the Los Angeles City Health Department will summarize conference findings and present panel resolutions to be adopted for future action.

Sponsors of the conference include Los Angeles City and Harbor General Hospital.

## Supervisors Assure New Hospital Clinic

Approval of an architectural contract for the planning of a \$685,000 out patient clinic at Harbor General Hospital was approved Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors.

The new building will include examination rooms, patient waiting rooms, laboratories, a pharmacy, and other general facilities to provide improved service to patients not confined to the hospital.



**REHEARSING ONE-ACTS . . .** Author Jim Weyant (right) interprets script for four members of the cast in "Change of Heart," one of the three one-act plays to be presented April 20 at Torrance High School. Left to right in the foreground are Ollie Lessin and Georgia Sanford. In the background are Claudia Smith and Jerry Garver. Other members of the cast not shown include Jeanne Wool and Steve Smith.

## One-Act Play Presented in Pasadena Show

A one-act play written by Tom Quaggin entitled "The Clock" was presented during the Pasadena Playhouse's one-act play festival and will be repeated here during the one-act festival on April 20.

A tour of the buildings at the playhouse was given members of the cast by a former Torrance High School student, Steve Peters, who is attending there now.

The cast included Bill Evans, Herm Cobree, Harold Mathews, Clyde Denham, Don Kelley, Pat Bernhardt, Pat O'Gara, Karen Brunel, Jim Smith and Jerry Dalandorfer.



**GOOD CITIZEN . . .** Award naming M. L. "Shorty" Modeland as one of 500 winners in Good Citizenship judging held by National Assn. of Food Chains is being presented here by Mayor Albert Isen (right), Modeland, manager of the Jim Dandy Market here, is in the middle, while W. W. Frankenberg, Jim Dandy district manager, looks on.

## Market Manager Given Citizen Award by NAFC

M. L. "Shorty" Modeland, manager of the Torrance Jim Dandy market at Crenshaw and Torrance Blvds., was one of 500 chain market managers given a Good Citizen Award for 1956 by the National Assn. of Food Chains.

Modeland was given an engraved certificate by Mayor Albert Isen recently at the market as token of his award. He also was qualified for a national Good Citizenship Award, winners of which will be announced in the fall.

Citizenship qualities and extent of participation in civic and community affairs are factors determining the NAFC awards. Modeland was in competition with personnel from 12,000 supermarkets for awards.

He has been active in local affairs as a member of the Torrance Optimist Club, various PTA groups, Torrance Elks Lodge and merchants groups. Modeland was one of the first to offer donations of food when the recent floods inundated large areas of the city and also regularly sets aside baskets of food for the needy at Christmas.

He also has worked on the Red Cross fund-raising drives and was active in the drive to construct the new civic center on Torrance Blvd.

## McQuerrey New Faculty Club Leader

John F. McQuerrey, chemistry and mathematics instructor at El Camino College, will serve as president of the college Faculty club for the coming year, succeeding Lyle Tussing.

Elected to serve with McQuerrey are Bill Davies, vice president; Miss Betty Jewhurst, secretary; Tom Wilson, treasurer; and Dr. George Gerbner, California Teachers' Association representative. The latter was named for a 2-year term.

Retiring officers are Dr. Tussing, Jack Hileman, vice president; Miss Marjorie Burrill, secretary; and Robert R. Thompson, treasurer. Dr. Tussing will also complete a 2-year term as CTA representative this spring.

## Board Okays Avalon Blvd. Crossings

Construction of crossings over the center section of Avalon Blvd. at 182nd, 184th, 186th, and 189th Sts. was approved by the Board of Supervisors Tuesday at a cost of \$4600.

The crossings are needed to provide residents of the Victoria Park area better access to their property, according to Supervisor Kenneth Hahn, on whose recommendation the construction was approved.

Work will begin within 30 days, Hahn said.

## Camp Roberts Site of Guard's Summer Drill

Summer field training for Torrance's E (Bridge) unit of the California National Guard, will be held Aug. 11-26 at Camp Roberts, it was announced yesterday by Capt. Robert Horlander, commander of the local National Guard unit.

Capt. Horlander estimated 76 officers and men will journey to the central California military post with the local unit. Strength of the Engineer Company currently stands at 76.

This will be the fourth summer encampment for the unit and other elements of Southern California's 40th Armored Division since its release from Korean combat duty in 1952.

Capt. Horlander said the combined facilities of Camp Roberts and nearby Hunter-Liggett Military Reservation offer one of the finest training areas for armored units in the nation. Camp Roberts serves as an op-

erational base, with its excellent recreational, living and administration facilities, while Hunter-Liggett provides approximately 45,000 acres of hilly terrain for field training. Additional off-duty recreation is available in nearby Paso Robles and King City, he added.

Local guardsmen participate in 48 drills per year of several hours each, for each of which they receive a full days Army pay for their grade. Military skills acquired during the weekly armory drills are then put to actual use during the 15-day summer encampment.

Youths in the 17-18½ age bracket gain a particular advantage in service with the local unit, said Capt. Horlander. They may fulfill national military requirements at home, without interruption of school career, and be paid full Army pay for their training, he said.

Full information on the new Armed Forces Reserve Act and on service in the local unit may be obtained any week day or Tuesday evening at the Armory at 2905 Cabrillo Ave., by phoning FA1rfix 8-5533.

El Toga Shrine Club to Hold Dinner Tonight

The El Toga Shrine Club will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at the Western Club cafe, 15516 Western Ave., Gardena.

The social hour will start at 6:30 and dinner will be served at 7:30 under the supervision of Noble Emil Schmidt.

President O. H. 114 Burrill promises an outstanding show for the membership. Members of all Shrine clubs and their family friends are invited to attend. Phone Burrill at FR 2-3605 for reservations.



**VISITING NATIONAL SUPPLY . . .** Checking some huge castings during pre-open house ceremonies at the National Supply Co. last Friday are (seated) Tom Watson, manager of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, and Donald Mansfield, assistant city manager, and (standing, left to right) Councilman Mervin M. Schwab, Councilman Nicholas O. Drake, HERALD Editor Reid Bundy, and Police Chief W. H.

Hasiant. About 1600 persons went through the huge plant here on Saturday, the first open house there since 1950, according to Industrial Relations Manager Scott Albright. The program was arranged by Clyde Field, coordinating chairman for the Management Club, and Pat Calderon, president of the Employees' Club.