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Signal Oil & Gas Co.'s concluding leasing campaign in West Los Angeles has acquired more than 6000 lots around Rancho Park and Hillcrest Country Club, it was reported by James K. Wootan, director of the company's land department.

Signal has signed up the following percentages of property owners in these areas: east of Beverlywood, 82%; Rancho Park-Westwood Gardens, 85%; Palms Mar Vista, 81%; Cheviot Hills, 57%; area north of Beverlywood, 70%.

AIME Elects Howard Pyle, Oilman, Pres.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 — The American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers announced the election of Howard C. Pyle of Los Angeles as president to take office for one year beginning at the AIME annual meeting in San Francisco in February, 1959.

Pyle is president of Monterey Oil Co. He will succeed Dr. Augustus B. Kinzel of New

York as president of AIME. Dr. Kinzel is vice-president of research for Union Carbide Corp.
