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\*\*\*\*\* day with Mr. and Mrs. John Walte of Highland Avenue. \*\*\*\*\* LOMITA NOTES \*\*\*\*\* Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Adams have moved from Narbonne Avenue and Brethren Street to Narbonne Avenue and Poppy Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Butte of Benton, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. William Young of Los Angeles were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hess of Poppy Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sands and children, of Los Angeles, spent Friday at Glendale with Dr. Shidler.

Mrs. Alice Otterson of Woodard Avenue is visiting relatives in Riverside.

Thomas Beach of Huntington Park, formerly of Lomita, was the guest of relatives here Friday.

Mrs. Alfred Prince of 260th Street is recovering from an illness of several days.

Mrs. E. B. Schriver of Eshelman Avenue was a recent luncheon guest of Mrs. G. H. Crittenden of George Street.

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The American Torrance

TOWNE ALKE "Just for Fun" By RAS BERRY

We was in to the city to see a man and was driving in the L. A. downtown section in W. Post's auto and a L. A. Railway car sneaked up on us from the rear and mashed in a fender but that auto of W. Post's was so stalwart that it clipped the front steps right off of that car. The motorman came out and handed us all slips to sign and we tells W. Post that he should ought to carry a stock of them slips in the car all the time so as not to have his guests embarrassed by the importunities of no motorman.

Up to Glendale with Dr. Shidler Sunday his brother-in-law who runs a hotel says a woman guest come back the other day after checking out and says she left her false tooth bridge behind and they looked all over the room and couldn't find them and they went out and looked in the hotel incinerator and there they was all destroyed by fire and Doc says well she is one that burns her bridges behind her.

In L. A. this wk. they has adopted a new system of measure and is selling cherries and peanuts and icecream by the fezful.

If you want to know who this happened to why you will half to ask Dick Malone: A bozo here in town has got two prs. of socks, one woolen and one silk and he works with the woolen ones on and dresses up with the silk ones on and he goes to bed the other night and both his woolen and his silk socks is on the floor and a mouse runs off with one of the silk ones. And Dick says he can't go noplace but to work now until pay day.

I hears two boys talking the other day and one of them says Well the show let out after 9 o'clock and they was four policemen downtown but when I come out of the show I slides up alongside a woman and walks right along with her just like I was her little boy and them cops never says a word. Thus does the spirit of law evasion permeate the social structure even into the little boys.

The linotype operator says the proponents of the child labor amendment might have put it over if they had tacked a tennis court onto it.

It took Ed Kelly two hours to drive five miles down near Capistrano Sunday night. Ed says things were speedier the other side of San Diego.

When a bozo decides not to buy a new straw hat this year and dons his old one and then accidentally sets down on it why he sure is happy that he, practiced Spring economy.

Sam or Sam or Ed or Si is bound to get you anyway.

I had left my money in my other pants and went in to Harry Dole's to buy some flags to decorate the puddle jumper and I bought six and they come to 90 cents—flags is high this year—and I says charge em to me Harry and Harry says all right but that's what I call ractive patriotism, giving you credit for flags.

Well I says, Europe is doing some heavy flag wavin on credit.

If you don't pay no quicker than Europe, says Harry, gimme back them old stories.

Rev. Zeller was pretty much worried Fri. nt. because his pants was down to Sam Levy's to be pressed and Sam was out late and Rev. Zeller was to make a speech at the Memorial Day Service Sat. a. m. and was afraid Sam wouldn't get back. When Sam drove into his garage the night police force met him and says Rev. Zeller wants his pants. So Sam he gets up early in the a. m. and takes the britches up to Rev. Zeller because he said it wouldn't be very nice for anybody to have to make a speech without no pants on.

One bright Torrance lady seeing a high mogul of the Shriners all dolled up in his rig says There goes one of the grand put-and-takes.

CHURCH OF THE FOUR-SQUARE GOSPEL

Helen Bopst, Evangelist. Tuesday, 7:30, prayer, praise and testimony; also evangelistic sermon. Thursday, 7:30, Mrs. Anna Britton, who has had charge of the divine healing services in the 500 room at Angelus Temple every day for the last two years, will bring a message on divine healing. She will also pray for the sick. If you are sick or afflicted in any way, come to Jesus, the Great Physician—Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today, and forever.

Mr. and Mrs. Loree Perry of Imperial Valley are guests at the home of the former's brother, Morris Perry, of 257th Street.

Guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Parsons of Poppy Street were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Riordan of Pasadena.

Mrs. A. Rosenberg of Walnut Street entertained at dinner Saturday Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reeve and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McDonald, of Los Angeles.

SCHOOL NEWS

HIGH SCHOOL

Wednesday of last week the student body forum meeting of the presidents and secretaries of the Student Bodies of the Venice, Santa Monica, Huntington Park, Inglewood and Redondo Schools held a meeting at the Torrance School with an interesting business session in the morning.

A delicious luncheon was furnished by Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Buck and served by the girls of the domestic science class.

The eighteen visitors enjoyed an educational trip through the Union Tool Company in the afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon the student body enjoyed the long promised treat, a one-act play given by the freshmen and sophomores. The sketch was "The Ghost Story" by Booth Tarkington. The cast included Marie Carlin, Kathryn Fordice, Lillian Rathbun, Francis Wilson, Beatrice Huddleston and Glendora Fielder.

Commencement will be on Thursday evening, June 25, at 8 p. m. A detailed program will be given later.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

From June 9 to 12 the psychology department will conduct a spelling survey in all the schools. June 10 will be a minimum day, all classes being dismissed by 1 p. m., and the teachers will spend the afternoon tabulating and scoring the results.

Bertha H. Breckenfeld of the primary manual arts department has called for exhibits of children's hand work from the first and second grades, to be exhibited in Los Angeles. Special credit will be given for anything made from scraps. Torrance pupils will send an excellent exhibit.

Anyone wishing to give cut flowers for the civic floral parade will please pick them with long stems and send them to the school with the children on Thursday morning, May 4.

A glee club has been started among the girls and boys of the fifth and sixth grades who have good marks in music. The club is under the direction of William Bell Jr., principal, assisted by Miss Mabel Ella Brown.

Both the boys' and girls' indoor baseball teams played the Lomita teams at Lomita on Monday afternoon. The Lomita girls won and the Torrance boys won. This was the first game for the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy F. Farquhar of Redondo Boulevard were business visitors in Los Angeles Thursday.

Mrs. H. G. Randles of Pennsylvania Avenue and Mrs. G. M. Randles of Arizona Street were entertained by San Pedro friends Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hussey of Arizona Street were business visitors in Santa Ana Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tranchel of Applian Way were recent guests of Mrs. E. Tranchel, of Los Angeles.

Tom Brashears of Boise, Idaho, was an overnight guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tonkin of Beacon Street.

Recent dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Hess of Poppy Street were Mrs. Lawrence Hess of Kalamazoo, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Stout and mother, of Orange.

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'Sally' at Torrance Theatre



Colleen Moore and Leon Errol in "Sally"

All the charm that marked Ziegfeld's stage production of "Sally" is caught and enhanced in First National's screen version of the same play, with Colleen Moore in the title role. It will be shown at the Torrance Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

Curwood Film at Lomita for Three-Day Run

Anita Stewart to Show in "Baree, Son of Kazan"

Opening Tuesday, June 2, for a three-day run, the Lomita Theatre is showing one of the strongest pictures of the season. Anita Stewart in "Baree, Son of Kazan," by that master of writers, James Oliver Curwood, will hold Lomitans and others in this district spellbound. Wolf, wearer of the French War Cross, who has the title role, is a dog that thinks and acts more intelligently than many men. "Baree, Son of Kazan," can be seen this week, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reese of 700 Border Avenue were Mr. and Mrs. Barron Beckham of Lomita.

Eat lunch with Hughey at the American, Carson St., Torrance. Adv.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Balding and family, of 252d Street, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover McEwen of Whittier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boecker and daughter Josephine, of 2156 Weston Street, attended the opening ceremonies of the Roosevelt Memorial Park on Memorial Day.

A dinner guest Thursday evening at the home of Scoutmaster and Mrs. Aspitte was Scout Executive J. C. Peck of the Carson Section.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Green and son Lee, of Garden Acres, called on friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jones and family, of 254th Street, left Saturday for a weekend camp at the Santa Ana Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gearhart and daughter Leah, of 255th Street,

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motored to Los Angeles Memorial Day and visited the former's brother, C. D. Gearhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aspitte and sons Clarence and Stanley attended the memorial exercises at Long Beach on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Charlton and daughter Avis, of 259th Street, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. Baily of Los Angeles, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. Charlton's sister, Mrs. Thomas Watton, of Pomona.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Skeels of President Avenue returned from a visit with friends in the mountains near Sandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tuttle of Redondo Boulevard spent the weekend at San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Balding and family, of 252d Street, motored to Burbank to attend the Memorial Day exercises.

TORRANCE THEATRE THE BIG SHOW TONIGHT! Toby's Country Store \$35.00 Wrist Watch—49 Other Prizes Marie Prevost—Norma Shearer Huntley Gordon—Louise Fazenda In "THE WANTERS" WED. AND THURS. COLLEEN MOORE in - SALLY -

LOMITA THEATRE Phone Lomita 266 The Little Theatre with the Big Show TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY JUNE 2-3-4 THREE BIG DAYS Anita Stewart in "BAREE Son of KAZAN" By James Oliver Curwood Wolf, wearer of the French War Cross, who has the title role in "Baree, Son of Kazan," is the dog that put the "he" in "hero." Russia used to be called "the bear that walks like a man." Wolf, the Baree of "Baree, Son of Kazan," is a dog that thinks and acts more intelligently than many men. A PICTURE YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS!

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