



SOCIETY

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MOTHERS' AUXILIARY NEWS

The Mother's Auxiliary to Troop No. 3, Boy Scouts of America, will hold a card party in Torrance Social hall, corner of Torrance boulevard and Portola avenue, Tuesday evening, June 29.

Prizes will be awarded for high scores in bridge, pinocle and 500. The regular meeting of this group will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Coyle, Marcelina avenue, Monday evening, May 28.

WILL STUDY AT COLUMBIA

Rev. and Mrs. Eugene A. Hessel, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Hessel's parents, Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Wonder, during the month of May are leaving Friday for Davis, California, where Rev. Hessel will preach during the months of June and July. After this they will proceed to New York City where Mr. Hessel will study at Columbia University.

PHILATHEA CLASS PICNIC AT BANNING PARK

Members of the Philathea class of the Methodist church school entertained members of the Young Men's class, of which Rev. Kemp J. Winkler is teacher, with a picnic dinner in Banning Park, Wilmington, Saturday evening. Those who attended were the class teacher, Mrs. E. N. Tomkins and grandsons, Junior Glenwood and Ernest Tomkins; Rev. and Mrs. Kemp J. Winkler and son, Monty, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Jones and family, Mr. Harold, Mr. and Mrs. F. Snodgrass and daughter, Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Glidden and daughter, Mrs. Margy Curley and son, Herby; Misses Marion Wright, Hazel Lewis, Katherine Roberts, Rose Paige, little Nancy Ann Whyte and Elaine Beck, Messrs. George Morgan, Stewart Holland, John King and Walter Zuver.

Mrs. Young Appointed Chairman of Education

Mrs. Juliet M. Young, past president of the National Business and Professional Women of Torrance and president of the Bay Section of the Los Angeles district, was elected a member of the state board of directors of the California Federation of Business and Professional Women at their convention held Saturday and Sunday, May 19-20, at the Hotel Biltmore, Los Angeles.

Constitutional amendments were adopted and Mrs. Young was appointed state education chairman. Mrs. Maude Empey, of San Jose, was chosen president.

Convention proceedings began at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and closed late Sunday afternoon with the installation of the new officers. Mrs. Gellie McDonald, Bowman, of Richmond, Virginia, national president, who was an honored guest of the session, acted as installing officer.

Entertainment provided for the delegates and visitors included a banquet Friday night for the outgoing officers, luncheon and banquet on Saturday, breakfast and luncheon on Sunday, with programs of widely varied and very interesting character at each function.

Delegates from Torrance were Mrs. Lilla P. Bowen, past president; Miss Beatrice Hughes, president of the local club, and Miss

Lute Fraser, past state director at large. Torrance members who attended the banquet and evening program Saturday were Mrs. Ruth Haggard, Miss Esther Z. Maxwell, Miss Ethelwyn Niles, Miss Margaret Richhart, Mrs. Addie Montague, Miss Edna Mullin, Mrs. Orda Pletzke and Miss Clementina de Forest Griffin.

The four Los Angeles clubs, including the Business and Professional Women of Los Angeles, the National Business and Professional Women, Junior National Business and Professional Women and the Women Lawyer's Club, were hostesses to the convention. Miss Jane Humphries was general chairman, ably assisted by Miss Grace Stocmer and the presidents of the four clubs, Mrs. Margaret Clark, Miss Helen Hughes, Mrs. Gertrude Westing and Miss Margaret Holcomb.

Calendar

Friday, May 25
9:00 a. m.—Mother's Educational Center at Woman's club-house.
7:45 p. m.—Loyal Order of Moose.
8:00 p. m.—Masons.
Y. L. and Y. M. Mutual Improvement Ass'n., L. D. S.
Sunday, May 27
Services in all the churches.
Monday, May 28
6:15 p. m.—Kiwanis at Earl's Cafe.
8:00 p. m.—American Legion, 2252 Carson street.
7:45 p. m.—Scout Mothers' Auxiliary to Troop No. 4.
Tuesday, May 29
8:00 p. m.—Odd Fellows.
Wednesday, May 30
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts of Troop No. 5.
Thursday, May 31
12:30 p. m.—Rotary at Earl's Cafe.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts of Troop No. 4.
Modern Woodmen.

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR MISS LOTAN

Mrs. Clyde A. Totten and Mrs. W. C. Andrus were co-hostesses recently at a bridal shower given at Mrs. Totten's home for their cousin, Miss Polly Lotan, superintendent of the Valley hospital at Downey. Decorations were in pink and white and the refreshments carried the same color motif. Miss Lotan received a number of lovely gifts. Her marriage to G. Harvey Elder, of Los Angeles, will take place on June 2, and after a two-weeks stay at Catalina they will make their home in Long Beach.

FERN AVENUE P. T. A. INSTALLS OFFICERS

Mrs. E. M. Mosher of Lomita, installed the newly-elected officers of Fern Avenue Parent Teachers Association at their meeting in the school auditorium, Tuesday afternoon. The following group were installed: Mrs. Chas. Arzilli, president; Mrs. E. C. Nelson, first vice president; Mrs. A. R. Jones, treasurer; Mrs. J. E. Hitchcock, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Greaves, historian; Mrs. Lillian Johnson, auditor.

MOTHERS' EDUCATIONAL CENTER MEETING

Mother's Educational Center will meet Friday morning, May 25, at 10 o'clock in Torrance Woman's club-house, 1422 Engracia avenue. Mrs. Charles Schultz will be in charge of the meeting.

JUDGE ARTHUR CRUMB ADDRESSES MASONS

"Financing Masonic Homes" was the subject chosen by Judge Arthur Crumb of the Los Angeles municipal court when he spoke before 50 local Masons at their meeting last Friday evening.

ATTEND HOSPITAL COUNCIL MEETING

Miss Esther Maxwell, Mrs. Willis M. Brooks, of the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital, and Mrs. Isabel Henderson, attended the monthly meeting of the Southern California Hospital Council, held Tuesday at the California Lutheran hospital, Los Angeles.

BETSY ROSS BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Fifty ladies attended the Betsy Ross Star Club luncheon in the Masonic temple Monday. Prizes for high scores in bridge were awarded to Mrs. Elizabeth Brod and Mrs. Bert Dye.

MRS. PRESTON HOSTESS TO L. AND T. CLUB

Spring blossoms decorating the tables, tallies representing bouquets of Spring blossoms, and luncheon plates so arranged as to suggest flowers, was the novel manner in which Mrs. L. B. Preston, 714 Sartori avenue, entertained members of the L. and T. Bridge Club at her home Tuesday. Covers were placed for Mesdames Robt. J. Mills, Phoebe Sykes, Susie Renn, J. W. McQuaid, Val Brown, M. Luce, Shelton Davis, Mrs. Floyd Bohon of Houston, Texas, and the hostess.

TUESDAY CLUB MEETS AT YORK HOME

Mrs. Leo York, Portola avenue, was hostess when she entertained members of the Tuesday Afternoon Club at her home Tuesday. Bridge furnished entertainment and awards for high scores were captured by Mrs. John Fess and Mrs. L. L. Fordice. Others who attended the affair were Mesdames Paul Kasper, Loraine Ulrich, Archer Lewis, J. O. Moore, J. W. Allen, Anna McFarland, Lillian Shriner, Francis Smith and Florence Evans.

TEXAS FOLKS VISIT McQUAIDS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bohon of Houston, Texas, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McQuaid, 1511 Post avenue. Mr. Bohon is the manager of the D & M offices in Houston.

Interesting Program Closes P. T. A. Year

Marking the close of a most successful year, officers of the elementary school Parent Teachers Association with the principal and teachers of the school set for their annual luncheon in the school auditorium Tuesday.

Yellow and white formed the table decorations and the luncheon, which was most delicious, was served by Mrs. Bowen, her niece, Miss Louise Bowen, and girls from the A-6 grade. Covers were placed for William Bell, Jr., Mrs. J. O. Bishop, president of the group; Mrs. L. A. Stump, of Lomita, president of San Pedro-Lomita Council Parent Teachers Association; Mrs. Lyle Louise Husted, Mrs. Tom Watson, Miss Madeline Murphy, Mrs. A. E. Keiser, Mrs. Juliet M. Young, Mrs. M. J. Edwards, Mrs. James W. Leach, Miss Bernice Lloyd, Mrs. E. F. Banks, Mrs. W. Rufus Page, Mrs. R. F. Hogue, Mrs. A. S. Haskin, Mrs. Louise Jensen, Mrs. O. E. Fossum, Mrs. Phoebe J. Milburn, Mrs. E. G. Rowell, Mrs. T. P. Waters, Miss Lovena Boudinot, Mrs. A. Stegelmeier, Miss Alma Bliss, Mrs. E. A. Schwartz, Mrs. O. E. Hall, Mrs. Lila Deleiseneguer, Mrs. A. J. Maskrey, Mrs. R. J. Rogers and Mrs. R. S. Steeth.

American Legion Auxiliary News

Saturday, May 26, is poppy day. Be sure to wear a poppy.

Past presidents of Bert S. Crossland Unit 170, American Legion Auxiliary, are planning a benefit card party, Monday evening, June 18. Reservations for this affair must be made with members of the past presidents' party, as only a limited number of tallies will be sold.

Our Juniors

Our Juniors will not meet during the summer months.

KEYSTONE WOMEN HOLD GARDEN MEETING

The lovely garden at the home of Mrs. George Koeller, corner of 23rd and Grace streets, formed the setting for an all-day meeting of the Keystone Woman's Club Wednesday.

Business affairs were conducted and after a tour of the garden luncheon was served. Following the luncheon officers were installed in a most effective manner by Mrs. Thomas Squires of Long Beach, past district chairman of homemaking. With the American flag in the background and before a wishing well, the following officers were installed: Mrs. C. E. Harshman, club president; Mrs. John Hilbert, first vice president; Mrs. S. C. Sauer, second vice president; Mrs. Chas. Forest, recording secretary; Mrs. E. W. Banks, treasurer; Mrs. Thos. Cowan, federation secretary; Mrs. Cowan, federation president, was presented with a past president's pin. Mrs. George Nalmenis, ways and means chairman, was presented with a linen set in appreciation of her splendid work during the year; Mrs. Lucy Myers, district garden chairman, was the guest speaker.

HONOR RETIRING OFFICER AND ELECT NEW

Mrs. A. R. Jones was elected president of the Methodist Woman's Aid Society, at their Tuesday afternoon. Other officers elected at this meeting were Mrs. W. F. Burgener, first vice president; Mrs. Dye Turner, second vice president; Mrs. R. F. Hogue, third vice president; Mrs. Jack Keefe, fourth vice president; Mrs. Homer Morgan, recording secretary; Mrs. Robt. Bartlett, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Eugene Graham, treasurer; Mrs. Earl Robinson, finance officer.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET

Thursday night, 8:30 o'clock, at the Methodist church, is the occasion of the big Father and Son Banquet. Elaborate preparations are under way to make this one of the finest and most interesting programs of the entire year. Many features are being planned that will be of special interest to the boys and men. The speaker of the evening will be Dr. Clyde Ford, newly appointed, deputy superintendent of Los Angeles city schools. Mayor Ludlow will represent the city of Torrance on the program. The committee hopes to have around 200 men and boys sit down to dinner for this unusual evening. All men and boys interested are invited. It is suggested that men having no sons of their own, invite some boy for the evening.

SANTA BARBARA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte, 1620 Post avenue, have as their house guests this week, Mrs. Whyte's sister, Mrs. Fields Benton Arthur, and daughter, Janet, of Santa Barbara. Mr. Arthur was a week-end visitor at the Whyte home.

ATTEND RED CROSS ANNUAL STUDIO TEA

Mrs. Mildred Evans and Mrs. Pearl Steppy attended the Studio Tea in Los Angeles, Tuesday. This tea is an annual affair at which every branch of the Red Cross in the district makes its report. Rabbi Magin was the afternoon speaker.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Mrs. James Crumrine of Key-stone, had as her luncheon guests Friday, Mrs. F. H. McMahon of Glendale, and Mrs. Lola Barlow of Pasadena. This group of ladies are the committee in charge of entertainment at the Baylor College alumni meeting in Pasadena, June 29.

MRS. DYE HOSTESS TO CLUB MEMBERS

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TED WERTZ DELEGATE TO CONVENTION

Ted Wertz, 1328 Anapola avenue, is a delegate to the Knights of Columbus convention, which is being held in the Long Beach civic auditorium this week.

Following the luncheon and meeting of the executive board, the general meeting was held in the school auditorium. Yearly committee reports were given chairmen. Officers for the new year were installed with Mrs. Stump as the installing officer. Mrs. J. O. Bishop was installed as president; Mrs. R. F. Hogue, first vice president; Mrs. W. Rufus Page, second vice president; Mrs. O. E. Fossum, recording secretary; Mrs. James W. Leach, treasurer; Mrs. Ed Schwartz, auditor; Mrs. J. R. Jensen, historian; and Mrs. R. S. Steeth, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Hilda Powell gave a demonstration of puppetry, which was most fascinating. A large number of puppets made in the school bunlows. Mrs. E. C. Bekerson, vice president of Fifth District Parent Teachers Association, gave an inspiring talk on "Preparing Ourselves For the Time in Which We Live." Phyllis E. Sweet sang a group of two numbers. Mr. Bell gave a short talk and presented Mrs. Bishop with a past president's pin from the organization.

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