

200 Attend Eastern Star Installation at Masonic Temple Wednesday Night

JANE SCOTTON IS EIGHT YEARS OLD
Peppermint stick candy with cellophane pompons and miniature houses served as table decorations at the party at the J. B. Scotton home, 1438 El Prado, Friday afternoon, when diminutive Jane invited a group of her little friends to help celebrate her eighth birthday.

Those included in the party were Lewis Kelsey, Chester Acree, Dolores Ubright, Ann Marie Bishop, Arlene Atwood, Juanita Richie, Nancy Ann Whyte, Marilyn Magglin, Doris Lee and Marlene Quiggin, Leona Hendricks of Wilmington and Jane.

MME. BILLINI HEARD AT AFTERNOON TEA
Madame Teala Billini appeared as guest artist at the tea honoring Mr. and Mrs. Leland Atherton Irish and held in Hollywood Riviera clubhouse Sunday afternoon.

Madame Billini played Schubert's "Impromptu in B-flat," "Waltz Brillante" by Moskowski and as an encore "Little French Waltz" by Lachante.

FERN AVENUE P. T. A. MEETING FRIDAY
At a recent meeting of Fern Avenue Parent Teachers' Association executive board Mrs. Cecilia Smith was elected first president succeeding Mrs. W. J. Bowers, now serving as president.

The December meeting of Fern Avenue Parent Teachers group will be held in the school kindergarten room Friday, Dec. 17, at 2:00 p. m. Rev. C. M. Northrup will be the speaker with pupils of Miss Hollenbeck's room presenting a short program.

Articles left over from the bazaar held Saturday in the Civic Auditorium will be placed on sale at nominal prices.

AMARANTHUS HOLD PLUNKETT DINNER
Members of the Lomita Amaranthus lodge entertained a large number of people last Monday night at a Plunkett dinner served in the Odd Fellows hall. Mrs. Lottie McClair was in charge of the affair.

KOSMOS ENTERTAINED AT OLD-FASHIONED DINNER
The 12 members of the Lomita Kosmos club were treated to an old-fashioned dinner by Miss Birda Paddock at her home, 25028 Narbonne avenue Saturday night and afterwards held a regular current-events discussion session. The table was a red tablecloth that had been in the Paddock family for 75 years. Silverware, castors and chinaware also were heirlooms. The menu featured genuine Boston baked beans, topped off with spiced fruits for dessert. Mrs. Alvine Ulman is president of the club.

N. B. P. W. CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY
Torrance Club National Business and Professional Women will hold their annual Christmas dinner party at McDonald hall Monday evening, December 20, at 7:00 p. m.

Members are asked to bring a gift not exceeding 25c. These will be exchanged after the dinner.

STUDENT DANCE AT CIVIC AUDITORIUM
The regular Harbor District young people's dance will be held in the Civic Auditorium Friday, Dec. 17 at 8:30 p. m. Student tickets 15c and 25c per couple. Adults 25c each. The dance is sponsored by Torrance Co-ordinating council and the Torrance high school student body.

During intermissions special numbers of singing, dancing or novelty skills will be presented by visiting schools. Patrons and patronesses at the Friday evening dance will be furnished by the Rotary club.

RELIEF CORPS PARTY AT EVANS HOME
Stephen A. Phillips Relief Corps will meet for a potluck luncheon and their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Emma Evans, 1024 Portola avenue, Thursday, Dec. 23, at 12:00 noon.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY
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Social Welfare Outlined For Parent Teachers Assn.
Looking on organized social service work as one of the first vocations in our country today and with the demand for workers growing yearly Clarence Edwards, member of the local relations committee of Los Angeles county in speaking before the High School Parent Teachers' Association Monday urged parents to help guide children, who seem anxious to lend a helping hand into this field of work. "Don't be afraid," he said, "look on the black side of things, rather try to visualize the good that one can do and be happy because of it." Mr. Edwards recommended the co-operation of all relief groups working through one clearing house as local groups recently agreed to do.

Most impressive was the Christmas musical, presented by the Madrigal singers under the direction of Mrs. Marjorie Eichen. Tea and Christmas cookies were served at a table beautifully decorated with poinsettias. Mrs. Paul Watson, L. G. Barkdull and J. E. Hitchcock served as hostesses.

Host of New Officers Are Inducted by Grand Matron
In an impressive ceremony held in the Masonic temple last evening Jean Mosher of Lomita was seated as worthy matron of Torrance chapter No. 380 Order of Eastern Star. Some 200 attended. Mary Isabelle Warner, worthy grand matron of the grand chapter of California as installing officer was assisted by Gwendolyn Knudsen, past matron of the local chapter who served as installing grand-marshal. Lillian Dye, also a past matron was installing grand chaplain and Alvine Ullman of Lomita was installing grand organist.

Willis Brooks, worshipful master of Torrance Masonic lodge, acted as master-of-ceremonies. Other officers seated at the meeting were: Fred Bever, worthy patron; Sally West, associate worthy matron; Ray Hoover, associate worthy patron; Theresa Hill, conductress; Lola Hoover, associate conductress; Rosearnold Winters, secretary; Jennie Moore, treasurer; Leell Berber, chaplain; Frances Buckley, marshal; Beatrice Hughes, Ada; Elizabeth Brod, Ruth; Maude McNeil, Esther; Helen Wilson, Martha; Dorothy Prince, Electa; Mary Edith Wertella, warder; Alice Ruppel, sentinel.

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HUMMING BIRD by Eleanor Farjeon
Two stories, one Victorian and one laid at Versailles, in the age of Louis 14th, are intertwined in the author's charming tale. Little Lisette, who had a miraculous vision of the past while dreaming in her aunt's shop, lives again some of the experiences of the favorite of the Sun King. The Watteau fan and the jeweled hummingbird are links between the "Then and Now" and create an enchanting story in Watteau colors of strange and lowly happenings. The mingling of the real and the unreal exert an unforgettable fascination upon the reader.

THE OUTWARD ROOM by Millin Brand
It is a distinctive first novel. It is the love story of Harriet Demuth but is an unusual novel for another reason as it tells the story of the regeneration of a mind lost in encephalic insanity. Against an excellent background of lives and work and struggle that might be in any city, the reader becomes more and more engrossed in the lives of Harriet and John and the gradual restoration to normality by the steady rhythms of work and love.

DAMIAN THE LEPER by John Farrow
Common knowledge of this great figure is generally confined to that gained from a letter by Robert Louis Stevenson who wrote an impassioned defense after an attack upon Father Damian by an irascible clergyman of Honolulu.

The story of the Belgian priest who dedicated and sacrificed his life in behalf of the lepers of Molokai is as engrossing as fiction and powerful as reality. The author, a Hollywood scenarist, has challenged our admiration and made Damian live for us again. Written with sympathy and knowledge of the South Seas, his dramatic and fluid narrative recreates that heroic figure and pays tribute to a brave man. Only at Damian's death did the world awaken to the great campaign to stamp out leprosy and adequately care for its victims.

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Calendar

TONIGHT, DEC. 16

6:30 p. m.—Rotary at Legion Hall.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 217.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.

7:30 p. m.—Townsend Club at Elementary school.

7:30 p. m.—O. E. S.

8:00 p. m.—Modern Woodmen.

FRIDAY, DEC. 17

8:00 p. m.—Loyal Order of Moose.

8:00 p. m.—Masons.

SUNDAY, DEC. 18

Services in all churches

3:00 p. m.—Children's Christmas Party at St. Andrew's Episcopal church.

MONDAY, DEC. 20

12:30 p. m.—Betsy Ross Star Club.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis at Daniels Cafe.

7:00 p. m.—N. B. P. W. Christmas party.

8:00 p. m.—Community Christmas Pageant in Civic Auditorium.

TUESDAY, DEC. 21

7:30 p. m.—Job's Daughters.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 211.

8:00 p. m.—Odd Fellows.

8:00 p. m.—American Legion.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 22

1:30 p. m.—St. Cecilia Guild.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 218.

7:45 p. m.—Rebekahs.

8:00 p. m.—A. O. U. W.

8:00 p. m.—V. F. W. at Lomita.

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