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By Phil Gibson

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NOT SUN VALLEY . . . This may look it, but it's really a Rolling Hills slope which ski-enthusiasts Jackie Short, left, and

Jeanne Brewster came all the way from Manhattan Beach to enjoy. (Herald photo by Arthur Willey.)

Legion Post Meeting Set

Bert S. Crossland Post of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday, Jan. 18, at the VFW clubhouse at 8 p.m. The commander urgently requests all members to attend, as this will be an important meeting.

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- FRIDAY, JAN. 14
Mrs. Mabel Webb, and guest, Park Hotel.
- SATURDAY, JAN. 15
Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Fouts, 1943 W. 236th St.
- SUNDAY, JAN. 16
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harrington, 1634 Amapola Ave.
- MONDAY, JAN. 17
Mrs. Mildred Burns, and guest, 1328 Elm Ave.
- TUESDAY, JAN. 18
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Franz, Torrance Hotel
- WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19
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Factory Site Test Borings Are Finished

Test borings have been completed on the Torrance site of the new paint plant to be erected by the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company at Crenshaw boulevard and Dominguez street, and the information now is in the hands of engineers who are assisting the architects in completing plans for the structure, it was learned yesterday.

Agreement also has been reached between the architects and the city building department as to certain features of construction, it was also learned. Location of the plant is in the north sector of the "V" formed by the Santa Fe railway and Crenshaw.

John C. Martin and Associates are the architects on the project. Actual construction may not get under way until March, it is understood.

'School's On!' Torrance to be Host to 100 Teachers at Saturday Meeting

The Torrance Education Association will be host to a California Teachers Association conference on Saturday, Jan. 15, at Torrance High School. One hundred representatives from teacher clubs in this area are expected to attend.

Dr. Lionel De Silva, executive secretary of the CTA Southern section, Mrs. Anna Garner, assistant executive secretary, Ted Bass, and Mr. Harry A. Fosdick, field representatives, will be discussion leaders.

Other speakers include Robert McKay, director of field service, Harold W. Kingsley of the public relations department of CTASS, and Dr. Ethel T. Andrus, who is assisting in the campaign for the expansion of the CTASS Home. Mrs. Amanda B. Bonwell, president of the CTA southern section, will open the general session at 1 p.m.

Following the general session, there will be section meetings on public relations, legislation, professional welfare, retirement and salary.

Mrs. Gertrude Powell, Mrs. Isabelle Shower, Floyd Andrus, Rudolph Saitzer, and George Marich will be chairmen, respectively, of these section meetings.

Tea will be served during the afternoon. After the professional meetings the conference will adjourn for dinner. Entertainment during dinner will be provided.

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KIWANIS LEADERS—Dr. Howard A. Wood, newly installed president of the Torrance Kiwanis Club seems to be appreciating what Ernest Lohbeck, Lt.-Gov. of the California-Nevada District, has to say about Dave Colville, at left, who completed his term of office as president of the local club last Saturday night. (Herald Photo).

Kiwanis Club Set to Mark Anniversary

The Kiwanis Club of Torrance will observe the 34th anniversary of Kiwanis International during the week of Jan. 16 to 22, with a program based on the service organization's 1949 administrative theme, "Aggressive Citizenship—Our Individual Responsibility."

Dr. Howard A. Wood, president of the club, said today that plans for the anniversary meeting, to be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 17 at Daniels Cafe, have been completed.

A feature of the anniversary observance here will be a talk by Jim Wallace, past lieutenant governor of California-Nevada district of Kiwanis International. Founded in Detroit immediately previous to World War I, Kiwanis International now embraces nearly 8000 clubs throughout the United States, Canada, Alaska and Hawaii and a membership of 190,000 business and professional leaders.

During the past year, Kiwanis clubs have compiled an outstanding activity record. Among other projects, they have raised \$9,820,000 for cancer, heart and other campaigns, \$6,665,000 for the Community Chest; provided 255,632 luncheons and 285,862

quarts of milk for needy children; financed the treatment or examination of 116,193 youngsters at clinics; gave vocational guidance to 266,053 boys and girls; sponsored 2865 go-to-church campaigns; entertained 135,268 farmers at rural-urban meetings; assisted 13,200 veterans to find housing, and spearheaded 1524 get-out-the-vote drives.

To promote the individual enterprise system, Kiwanis International during the past year distributed 16,000,000 pamphlets in a nationwide campaign to combat complacency and the spread of Communism.

Bike Owners to Register Wheels Today

Starting today the Torrance Police Department will inaugurate a plan to register bicycles at the various schools throughout the city, according to John Stroh, police chief.

Charges for licensing for the first time is 50 cents, Stroh said. A renewal will cost 25 cents.

Following are the places and dates where owners may bring their bicycles to be registered:

- Ferry School — Today, Jan. 13.
- Walteria School — Jan. 15.
- Fern Avenue — Jan. 25.
- Torrance Elementary — Jan. 28.
- Parochial School — Feb. 4.
- High School — Feb. 9.

It is planned that a suitable location in the Seaside Rancho area will be selected for registering of bicycles on Jan. 22.

Owners should bring their bicycles to the above locations between 9 a.m. and 12 noon if they wish to avoid bringing them to the Torrance Police Station on Saturdays, Stroh said.

WILL PRESENT PLAY
"Arsenic and Old Lace," a three-act comedy, will be presented by the dramatics class of El Camino College at 8:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 14 and 15, at the Adolf Leisinger High School auditorium on Rosecrans Blvd. in Hawthorne.

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