

### Memorial Planned for Mrs. Lilley

A memorial service for the late Elizabeth Lilley, teacher at Orange Street School for nearly 25 years, will be held Friday morning May 27 at 10 o'clock at the school. Mrs. Lottie Hill, member of the faculty, announced at the meeting of the Orange Street PTA Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert L. Hultz, president, introduced President-elect Mrs. Robert Kellogg and Mrs. A. D. Scott, vice-president-elect, who gave their impressions of the recent state PTA convention held in Los Angeles.

The president announced that an anonymous donor had contributed fifty dollars to the association for their welfare fund.

Because of the activities during the last school month of the year, the June executive board meeting has been set up to June 3 and will be held at the school. Coinciding with this meeting, the regular association meeting to be highlighted by installation of the officers-elect will be held Thursday, June 9. Voting to present another honorary Life Membership at the last meeting of the year, a committee comprising Miss Frances Dastarac, principal, Mrs. R. L. Hultz, Mrs. A. D. Scott and Mrs. Charles Hawley will meet with Mrs. D. O. Jones, Life Membership chairman.

Byran Jones, talented son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Market place, was presented during the program hour, playing piano selections. Byran recently won second place in the Atwater Kent contest, conducted at Anderson Memorial in San Pedro. Carrying out the May, Day theme, members of the faculty decorated the tea tables with a Maypole and at the end of the colored streamers were attractive story-book dolls. They served dainty wafers, tea and coffee.

### Variety Show Plans Set by 186th PTA

Plans are being completed for the variety show sponsored by 186th Street PTA scheduled for 7:30 p.m., tomorrow in Gardena High School auditorium.

To be featured on the program are Bettie Thomas and her Accordionettes; Len Ward, caricature artist; a magician act by Dudley Gray, young Gardena attorney, whose knowledge of magic helped him earn his college tuition.

The last meeting featured Mrs. Eleanor Bramhall, psychologist from the school guidance center, whose topic was "Helping a Child Grow Up."

Continuing with the report card series, Mrs. Lois Coil talked on, "Habits of Health." Songs by the school glee club augmented the enjoyable program and refreshments were served by Mesdames Wayne Thibault, Harry Funderburk, Leroy Shore, Wilbur Attebury, Clifford Bennett, and J. Baxter.

#### NEW RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. F. Feider and daughters Marjorie and Barbara, of Ohio, are new residents at 2327 Sonoma avenue.

## Women's Activities . . .

By MARY VONDERAHE



NARBONNE PTA OFFICERS PLAN WORK . . . Newly-installed officers of Narbonne High School PTA make plans for year's program. Seated (left to right) are Miss Elizabeth Parks, second vice-president; Mrs. Minot Rugg, president; and Mrs. E. G. Spratt, first vice-president.

### Toloha Club at Enjoyable Evening Meet

Fifteen members of the Toloha Club attended a business meeting Friday night at the home of Mrs. Polly Myerscough on Pacific Coast highway, Harbor City. Plans were made for a card party June 3 at the home of Mrs. Ruth Buth, 2339 W. 239th street with Louella Elder, Daisy Smith Handle, Marjorie Lovell assisting the general chairman, Ann Hight.

The television show held close competition with the business agenda and finally won out. Enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Myerscough were Mesdames Ann Hight, Kathryn Flynn, Ruth Buth, Marie Anderson, Merle Osborne, Mary Towler, Daisy Smith Handle, Olive Phillips, Sally Jenkins, Marjorie Lovell, Inez Ambill, Mabel Slover, Edith Marriott and Pauline Dowling.

### Theta Rho Girls Hold Initiation

Joy Chandler, president of Theta Rho Girls, and her officers exemplified initiatory work at their last meeting held at the social hall of the Community Presbyterian Church.

New members include Gail Gowdey, Sandra Baratta, Kay Curry, Shirley Kastrop, Lucretia Snyder, Doris Russell and Myrna Bacon.

Several Rebekahs of Lomita Lodge No. 240 attended the meeting which was followed by the serving of delicious refreshments by Joy Chandler, Mary Montonye and Malvina Norton.

But now tell me, my dear, since when have the young people become so absurd? I can tell you exactly, my friend; it is since you were forty-five. —Alphonse Karr: Quoted in a Cynic's Breviary.

### PTA Officers Inducted at Narbonne PTA

Mrs. Herbert Johnsten, retiring president of Gateway PTA Council, installed Mrs. Minot Rugg president of Narbonne High School PTA and her staff at a combined meeting and flower show conducted in the school library.

Others inducted into office included: Mrs. E. G. Spratt, first vice president; Miss Elizabeth F. Parks, second vice president; Mrs. John Nelson, secretary; Mrs. John Boyd, treasurer; Mrs. J. J. Harris, auditor; Mrs. Gale Gowdey, parliamentarian; Mrs. H. T. Seemañ, historian.

Chairman and members of various committees are to be announced at a forthcoming meeting. Mrs. Rugg indicated.

Flower arrangements were displayed by both adults and high school students with a group of judges making the awards in the various classifications.

#### MOTHER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones, 1612 Cota avenue, entertained as their house guest her mother, Mrs. William Shoop, of Riverside Thursday and Friday of last week.

### CLUB SETS PROGRAM FOR INSTALLATION

"Prelude in G Minor," (Rachmaninoff), "Ave Maria," (Bach-Gounod), and "Malaguena," (Lecuenca), have been selected by Beverly Luster and Eldridge Walker, for their duo piano program to be presented for Torrance Woman's Club's concluding program of the year, Wednesday afternoon, June 1. The popular young guest artists, outstanding pupils of Kathryn Buffington, pianist teacher, of Torrance, will be introduced by Mrs. Ambrose H. Silligo, past president.

The occasion will mark the 28th annual installation of officers with Past Presidents Mrs. R. R. Smith and Mrs. Earl A. Miles conducting an appropriate ceremony.

Officers to be installed are: Mesdames S. V. Rauss, president; B. T. Whitney, first vice president; Dean L. Sears, second vice president; J. E. Sivert, third vice president; G. C. Vandeventer, recording secretary; Charles Sherwin, corresponding secretary; Roy S. Ashley, federation secretary; A. E. Ewalt, treasurer; Raymond Rogers, as-

### 'RITUAL OF JEWELS' INSTALLATION HELD

The home of Mrs. Frank Lane, 1531 El Prado, was the setting for an impressive ritual of jewels installation recently when Beta Sigma Phi jeweled pins were received establishing their recipients as full members of the national sorority, and members of Theta Nu Charter Chapter No. 3160.

Mrs. Lane, sponsor of the group, was assisted in performing the effective candlelighting ceremony by Mrs. Evelyn Newman, member-at-large.

Receiving their pins were: Mrs. Willis M. Brooks, social sponsor; Mrs. Katie Lane, Adoree Thom, Dorothy Sandstrom, Hazel Rossiter, Elsie Miller, Aleta Hale, Vera Ruth Fouts, Jean Meenan, Doris Lee Tolson, Nadine Moyer, Vivian Caultkins, Mary Ellen Crawford, Wanda Abati, Joan Pierce, Lorene Littrell, and Ruth Speck.

Officers recently elected to serve Theta Nu Chapter include: Adoree Thom, president; Oleta Hale, vice president; Joan Peirce, secretary; Elsie Miller, corresponding secretary; Jean Meenan,



MISS ELEANOR WALKER

### Parents Tell Of Betrothal

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Eleanor Walker, of San Jose, to Mr. Creed Jenkins, of Torrance, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reklaw Walker, of San Jose.

Wedding of the couple has been set for Sunday, May 29. Miss Walker attended San Jose State College, and her fiancé is a student at University of Southern California.

### Couple Plans July Wedding

The engagement of Miss Dorothy Pauline Leming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Leming, 2439 W. 255th street to Richard Ray Roberts, son of Mrs. John A. Shiell, 20947 Denker street, Torrance, has been announced.

Now attending the University of California at Los Angeles, Miss Leming is a graduate of Narbonne High School. Mr. Roberts received his education in Pennsylvania and is employed at the Texas Oil Company refinery in Wilmington.

The wedding will take place July 2.

### Election Is Meeting Highlight

Election of officers was the principal business conducted at the meeting of Torrance Bethel No. 50 held Tuesday evening in Masonic Temple.

Unanimously elected to serve for a six-months period are:

Joy Oursler, honored guest-elect; Pat Clero, and Beverly Luster, princesses.

At the conclusion of the session light refreshments were served to officers, members and their parents, by Mrs. Rolive Bever and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schooley.

The majority degree will be conferred on eligible daughters during the meeting scheduled for June 7.

A Job's Daughters Press Club meeting was held Monday evening at the home of Donna Wolf.

The ham dinner, served Saturday evening in Christian Church social parlors, as a ways and means project for Job's Daughters was a splendid success, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schooley. Serving were Joann Sandstrom, honored queen and Bethel members.

Members of the Mothers Club who assisted include: Mesdames Ruby Clero, Lois Louche, Oma Lee Gossett, Hazel Luster, Wilma Johnston, Hilda Booth, and Anna Sandstrom.

Donna Wolf, guide; Marian McDonald, marshal; Shirley Booth, Ann Olson, Mary Ann Lenton, Barbara Raymond, and Dora Ritko, messengers; Ann Bishop, musician; Helen McBride, chaplain; Luana Johnson, librarian; Elsie Booth and Jane Fischer, custodians; Emily Burchfield and Ann Stevens, guards; Mary Lou Hovild and Claudette Buckley, recorder and assistant recorder; and George Lynn Thatcher, treasurer.

The installation ceremony has been scheduled for the evening of June 11 in Masonic Temple and will be open to friends of the Bethel.

### Couple Feted at Wedding Reception

A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Compton, 1677 W. 254th street, Harbor City was held Saturday in honor of their son, James V. Lewis and his wife, the former Dorene Louise Wyatt of Compton who were married in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Attending the couple at their wedding were Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams of Compton, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. The new Mrs. Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert G. Wyatt, 12727 So. Waldorf Drive, Compton, is a graduate of Lynwood High School and Compton College. Her husband was graduated from Narbonne High School and Compton College and is a member of Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

### Rebekah Women Meet in Torrance

The Past Nobel Grand Club of Trio Rebekah Lodge met at Christina Ferguson's home in Torrance Wednesday.

President Olive Veatch presided at the business meeting and co-hostesses were Mary Sana and Olga Brown.

Mrs. Hattie Schroeder will hostess to the club next month with Georgia Tapin and Thelma Whitaker assisting.

### Delphians Set Year-End Meet

Sigma Rho Chapter of Delphian Society will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in Torrance library lecture room.

Topic for discussion will be, "On Being Human," the object of which is to intensify our realization of the privileges and responsibilities involved in our human status.

Topics will be presented by Mesdames F. A. Lincoln, C. E. Ward, Paul Vonderahe, H. E. Carr, Von M. Bergen, C. M. Rohring, and Don L. Hyde.

Mrs. Hyde, newly installed president, will conduct the business meeting, which will feature a report on the May Delphian Assembly, held Friday in Ambassador Hotel.

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