

Fern Avenue PTA Inducts Mrs. G. J. Derouin, Staff

"Looking Ahead with Our Youth," was the topic chosen by Mrs. J. S. Bruce, State historian and past president of First District PTA when she installed Mrs. Gilbert J. Derouin and her staff of officers who will serve Fern Avenue PTA during 1949-50. The Fern Avenue PTA-sponsored Brownie Troop No. 398 led the salute to the flag and formed the color guard. Music for the occasion featured songs written and presented by Mrs. Young's first graders.



MRS. GILBERT DEROUIN

Officers installed to assist Mrs. Derouin during the ensuing term are:

Mrs. John Rice, Albert Posner, and Mrs. V. T. Vanderpool, vice presidents; Mrs. W. Higdon, recording secretary; Mrs. E. Smith, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fred Mead, treasurer; Mrs. P. Shinoda, historian; and Mrs. Rufus Sandstrom, auditor.

Mrs. Vanderpool was recipient of a past residents pin and Mrs. Helen Selover received a gift of appreciation from the association for her assistance during the year. Corsages were presented to Mrs. Ballock and Mrs. Goswami, who sang at State convention with the Torrance Mothersingers; Mrs. Hilton, who wishes to make her home in Pennsylvania, also was presented with a gift.

Members of the faculty, as hostesses for the afternoon, provided each member with a plastic lapel rose and a baby orchid. A May Day theme was followed for the lovely tea table with a Maypole as the centerpiece.

Final board meeting of the year is set for this afternoon at Mrs. Derouin's home and will be preceded by a pot luck luncheon.

Summer health round-up is set for June 9 at the school, when children entering school next

fall will be examined alphabetically, A-G, 8 to 10 a.m.; H-M, 10 to 12 noon; and M-Z, in the afternoon hours.

ADULT CLASS STAGES SUMMER FASHION SHOW

Midsummer Fashions for vacation days ahead will be the theme of a style show to be presented Thursday evening, June 3, at 7:30 p.m. at the Villa Riviera Hotel, Long Beach, by graduates of the Fashion Modeling Class, Wilmington. Smart, new designs in sportswear, casual and travel wear for the summer months from California and eastern markets will be shown. The garments having been personally selected in the markets especially for this showing.

Peggy Mason, instructor of the fashion modeling class will direct the program—which is open to the public.

Seaside Ranchos

Mrs. Lola Suter

Bingo! Bingo! Bingo! These games are getting bigger and better. We're going to have our street lights yet, and what's more, we're having seeds of fun doing it. There were TWO parties Saturday night to top all parties. One was given at the Haegle residence on Doris Way, and the party givers were Marie and Carl Larkins, Dottie and Bill Haegle, and Pauline and Leonard Doyle. Among those "contributing" to the evening's entertainment were: Jane and Carl Carlson, the Ross Hansons, the Carl Nalls, Paul and Eleanor Murray, Mary Lou and Russell Hopkins, the Charles Robinsons, Mrs. George Carey, Mary Jane and Bud Sidebotham, and Faye and Bill Scanlon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arndt were host and hostess of the second party of the evening at their home on Shaylene Lane. Among those making merry were the Clinton Starks, the John Dallons, Lt. Com. and Mrs. Paul Frazier, the John Whytes, the Byron Burtons, Mrs. Louis Gandsey, Mrs. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carlton, Mrs. Margaret Flahive, the Bud Newboms, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller. Many of the players moved from one party to the other, doubling up on fun for the evening.

Early morning kidnappings look place Sunday in Seaside Ranchos with the victims being rounded up at the Ed Jeffrey homestead on Doris Way for a waffle breakfast. Some of those present . . . John Kirby, H. D. Horne, the Dick Lawrences, Robert Spies, Warren Boggs, Robert Mease, Sanford Patton, Fred Heald, Byron Burton, the Frank Hancock, Harry Wood, the Frederick Keeshans, Dorsey Grover, Sam Drumright, John Whyte, the Granville Hicks, the Robert Cottons, Walter Daniels, Mrs. Anthony Schroder, the Arthur Arndts, Mrs. Leonard Doyle, Dr. Harvey Cole, Max Sobelman, James Herbison, Jim Hall, Paul Barth, the Tom McNarys, the Willard Wankes, and the William Cantys. Margaret (Mrs. Ed) Jeffrey was hostess-supreme and those assisting her were Mrs. Byron Johnson, Mrs. Paul Barth, Mrs. William Schmitz, and Mrs. Edward Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morris of Reese Road entertained Mrs. Morris' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George McCabe of Long Beach, for the week-end. The McCabes were celebrating their 14th wedding anniversary. Dinner guests for Saturday night also included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cinquanti of Gardena, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conaty of San Pedro.

Plans for another Square Dance are shaping up fast with committee volunteers including Mrs. Jack Pomeroy, Ev Rowan, Mrs. Harvey Spelman, Mrs. Edward Faye, Mrs. William Canty, and Mrs. William Schmitz. The dance is scheduled for Friday, June 10, at the Hollywood Riviera Beach Club and plans call for a Box Supper. A professional square dance caller will give the signals, and help will be provided for beginners. Following the dancing is the Men's Baking Contest will be judged and prizes awarded. So snag yourself a baby sitter and plan early to attend this shindig.

The PTA Summer Roundup—a free examination by a doctor for all children starting to school for the first time—will be held Friday, June 3, at the Walteria Recreation Hall. Dr. V. Markham will be on hand for the examinations. Parents may also register children for the fall semester at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson Wolfe of Reese Road had company on Monday to help celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary. From Los Angeles came Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thomas and their four children, Tommy, Orsene, Michael, and Steven. From Redondo Beach were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mallot and their children, Joanie and Kenny. Roberta Wolfe helped her parents celebrate the occasion as did Nick Perras, also of Redondo Beach.

Seaside Ranchos' Girl Scout Troop 1055 will be the guests of the Torrance Girl Scout Troop on a two-day camping trip to Camp Archie Shields in Portuguese Bend this week end. The girls will leave tomorrow night and return Sunday morning. Troop leaders Mrs. Evelyn Hyder of Seaside Ranchos and Mrs. Rose Jones of Torrance will accompany the group.

Las Vecinas held its regular monthly meeting Thursday at the Hollywood Riviera Beach Club. Those attending from Seaside Ranchos included Mesdames Sam Drumright, George Honzik, C. A. Mewborn, Paul Roettger, Paul Barth, Eugene Hurst, Al Conover, Edward Jeffrey, Warren Boggs, W. M. Carlton, Arthur Arndt, E. L. Spies, Jack Pomeroy, Everett Rowan, Quinton Johnson, Harvey Spelman, Donald Hall, James Hall, and William Schmitz.

The Junior Parade Monday afternoon gave us all a good idea of the number of our pint-sized



TELEVISION ARTIST . . . Miss Harriet Lorraine Pegors, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Pegors, 1723 Martina avenue, is currently appearing in song and dance selections on the Dalton-Walker show, New York City on NBC channel. Miss Pegors, since she left Torrance following her graduation from the local high school, has been featured as a professional entertainer on the east coast. Her special talent lies in her appealing contralto voice and personality to which she adds upon occasion some catchy dance routines.

residents. Quite a gang, wasn't it? From Bicycles through doll carriages, baby carriages, and strollers, it made an impressive sight. George Honzik led the parade and did a good job of general in the field of march.

Now that vacation time is here, let me know what sun-fun you are planning and when and where. That number once again is Frontier 45481. Call me soon.

The only thing heated argument ever produced is a coolness. —Coleman Cox.

Righteous Indignation: Your own wrath as opposed to the shocking bad temper of others. —Elbert Hubbard.

Tact: Making your company feel at home, even though you wish they were. —Anon.

Club Sets Installation Reports Fiesta Success

Torrance Junior Woman's Club sponsored a delightful progressive dinner Wednesday evening. The cocktail course was at the E. G. Cole home, 1639 West 219th street. Hostesses were Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Gerald Grubb.

The salad course was given by Mrs. C. H. Bennett, 1609 Post avenue, with Mrs. Regis C. Jones as co-hostess. The main course with Mrs. J. R. Klink and Mrs. E. V. Winklebauer as hostesses, and the dessert course with Mrs. William Lightenberg and Mrs. Albert Posner as hostesses were held at the Christian Church, 1415 Engracia avenue.

At the short business meeting after dinner the following guests were presented to the members: Mmes. John R. Patrick, Henry K. Booth Jr., Walter J. Cavanaugh, Francis P. Foley, Victor K. Kilburn, Howard M. Hinz, Roy E. Dawson, Harry Henderson, Milton Isbell, James W. Withycombe, Henry Puskoff Jr., Marvin L. Kent, and R. C. Taitworth; the Misses Erica Thebes, Gilda Oliveri, Dorothy Johnson, Joan E. Graziani, Elaine Crowe, Mildred Snell, Edna May Snell, and Dolores Hanks.

On Friday evening the club held their annual Fiesta. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of Miss Edna May Snell as "Miss Torrance." The beautiful gifts presented to the contest by the Torrance merchants were distributed among the contestants.

Mrs. Merle Richardson, chairman, introduced the contestants and then presented Mrs. John A. Shidler (Rosemary DeCamp), who crowned the queen. The club was honored to have so busy a person as Mrs. Shidler for this event. Those who attended the Fiesta also enjoyed a Spanish dinner

and the many booths set up for their entertainment. The club wishes to thank the Torrance Herald for its wonderful cooperation in the Queen contest and the following merchants for helping make the Fiesta a success: Safeway Market, A&P, Torrance Hardware, Lovelady Hardware, Grubb's Meat Market, Greater Torrance Market, Burke's Bargain Spot, Parish Stationers, Torrance Plumbing Company, Newberry's, Alton's Bakery, and Cabrillo Mart.

Last major event of the club year has been scheduled for Wednesday evening, June 8, in the clubhouse. This will be a banquet honoring the mothers of the members, and will feature installation of the new officers who will serve during the coming year. A fine program has been engaged for the evening, providing a fitting closing for a most successful year.

We estimate ourselves in our Sunday clothes: our neighbors reckon us in our shirt sleeves. —Dr. Watkinson

Diplomacy: The art of letting someone else have your way. —Anon.

Things are worth on what we make them worth. —MOLIERE

A prejudice is a conviction not shared by you. —Anon.

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