

**'THEATRE NIGHT' IS SUCCESSFUL  
NEW ACTIVITY OF TORRANCE 'Y'**

On Wednesday evening of last week YWCA members and their guests attended the play "Sweethearts" at the Philharmonic Theatre. This was the third evening of entertainment in the new series of activities called "Theater Night".

"Sweethearts" had two special attractions for the group. Foremost was the well known and loved music of Victor Herbert, which was usually appreciated by the listeners. Then, the hilarious performance of Bobby Clark, outstanding comedian, was thoroughly enjoyed.

Attending the performance were the Misses Myrtle Musselman, Lorene Littrell, Jean Rideout, Jean Meenan, Vera Fouts, Alberta Fouts, Elsie Miller, Oleta Hale, Connie Pilato, Joan Pierce, Ardy's Bowerman, Evelyn Lewis, Doris Shaklee, Helen Lockwood, Esther Maxwell, Mar-

tha Swaffer; Mesdames W. T. Tillotson, E. L. Thornburg, Kathryn Buffington, Harry M. Abramson, Maybel C. Banks, Dorothy Beaman, C. Douglas Smith, and Messrs. and Mmes. J. F. Brossart and H. P. McCool.

Information regarding Theatre Night may be obtained from Miss Helen Lockwood, telephone TORRANCE 1356 or Mrs. Myrtle Musselman, Lomita 946-J.

**STORK SHOWER  
HONORS MRS. V.  
ROSE RECENTLY**

The home of Mrs. Ted Perkins on 248th street was the scene of a lovely baby shower complimenting Mrs. Vernon Rose recently.

Beautiful gladioli in bright colors decorated the Perkins home and the guests were entertained with a group of interesting games. Lovely refreshments and favors followed the opening of the gifts by Mrs. Rose.

Attending were Mmes. David Shank, H. P. Osborne, R. M. Jones, J. LaPorte, B. Vivian, Stanley Stanton, J. M. Robinson, John Griffith, Rhoda Moore, May Davidson, W. W. Jones, Al Trefethen, Charles McHatten, A. L. Parkins, John Sellens, Glenn Armstrong and the Misses Miriam Haire, Marjorie Haire, Verena Whisler, Sharon Davidson and the honoree, Mrs. Rose.

**CHURCH FAMILY  
TAKE PART IN  
ALTADENA WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Church and family of 2419 W. 251st street attended the wedding Saturday evening of Miss Eleanor Mae McKay, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Church and Dr. Benton Laramie Corley which took place at St. Mark's Episcopal church in Pasadena.

Miss Doris Church attended the bride as maid of honor and Miss Elsie May Church was a bridesmaid. Elsie May sang the solo "Because" preceding the ceremony and assisted by her sister, they sang the lovely duet "Seal Us, O Holy Spirit."

The wedding was attended by a large number of guests and the reception was held in the garden at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. N. H. McKay at 533 E. Calaveras street. Mrs. Church assisted with the reception, cutting the large cake which was served with punch.

**REBEKAHS PLAN  
INSTALLATION  
FOR JULY 14**

Installation of officers will be held by The Rebekah Lodge No. 240 on July 14th according to plans outlined at Wednesday night's lodge meeting.

Olive Veatch, chairman, Marshall Tappin and Lola Neilson will be in charge of decorations and refreshments will be in the hands of Loudine Roberts, Julia Keys, Retta Nelson and Edith Marriott.

Dorothy Rogers was chairman of the refreshment hour following the meeting and was assisted by Tannie Russell, Nora Luck, Mabel Quinn, Lola Neilson, Mary Sanna, Frances McKnight and Charlotte Deck.

**GERHART BABY  
IN TORRANCE**

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gerhart of 26003 President avenue are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of their second daughter born on Father's Day, June 20th, at the Seaside Hospital in Long Beach. The little girl has been named Patsy Margene and weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz. at birth.

Their first little girl Peggy Nadine, is nearly two years of age.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herb Jacobs and Mr. and Mrs. R. Gerhart are Mr. Gerhart's parents.

**GUY SPRINGMAN  
ENLISTS FOR 3  
YEARS IN ARMY**

Guy S. Springman, 19, of 23816 Eshelman avenue, enlisted at the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station, 1337 El Prado, Room 6, Torrance, for 3 years in the Air Force.

Springman, the son of S. H. Springman, 23816 Eshelman avenue, is a 1947 graduate of Narbonne High School.

According to local Recruiter M/Sgt. James Callison, Springman will go to San Antonio, Texas for processing and basic training prior to receiving his initial duty assignment.

**Gold Star Mothers  
Plan Meeting For  
Wednesday, July 7**

Next scheduled meeting of Torrance Memorial Chapter of Gold Star Mothers will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 7 in St. Andrew's Guild hall. A full attendance is requested.

Mrs. Anna Held will preside. Members are looking forward to her report on the national convention held in Atlantic City this past month. Accompanying Mrs. Held to the convention was Mrs. Violet Brooks, of this city.

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS REPORT INTERESTING  
STUDY CLUB MEETING AT FORRESTER HOME**

Mrs. Frances Forrester was hostess to the study club of Court St. Catherine, No. 1378, Catholic Daughters of America, Monday evening at her home, 1416 Fern avenue. This was the first meeting of the new session, and Mrs. Rose Jones, newly appointed study club chairman was in charge.

Following roll call Mrs. Joan Donald gave an interesting review of the book, "St. Anthony of Padua, His Life and Miracles," by Mabel Farnum. Excerpts from the "Standard Catholic Library" from the pens of the Paulist Fathers, were read by Mrs. Agnes Babbitt.

The Reverend A. F. Kuhn, S. J., professor of History, University of Detroit, a guest, and Rev. P. J. McGuinness, Court chaplain, held an informal discussion, answering questions regarding the history of the Catholic Church, and points in connection with the book which was reviewed.

gent. and Mrs. Rose Jones, study club chairman, presided at the tea table, attractive with the hostess' lovely china and silver, and centered with roses and carnations.

Members and guests in attendance also included Miss Opal Yorker and Mesdames Mary Alford, Anna McIntier, Clara Godson, Margaret Misitz, Marge Estes, Theresa Murray, Muriel Gately, Evelyn O'Hara and Regina Cunningham.

July 19 is the next scheduled meeting date of the C.D.A. Study Club.

**ST. CECILIA'S GUILD HONORS RETIRING  
PRESIDENT AT COLORFUL EVENING PARTY**

Honoring Mrs. Jean Davis, retiring president of St. Cecilia's Guild of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, members entertained at a beautifully arranged buffet pot luck supper and evening party last Wednesday.

Party arrangements were completed by Mrs. Dorothy Post and Mrs. Betty Turner. Tables were lovely with chiffon Shasta daisies and tall white tapers in matching holders.

Hot casserole dishes, decorative and delicious molded sa-

lads and home made pies were enjoyed by the honoree and approximately 40 members of the guild. Bridge and games furnished the evening diversion following the presentation of a handsome large planter lamp to Mrs. Davis.

IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Mrs. Jessie Fritz of this city and her sister, Mrs. Bertha Hoag, of Santa Barbara, were recent visitors at Oakland and the Bay area.



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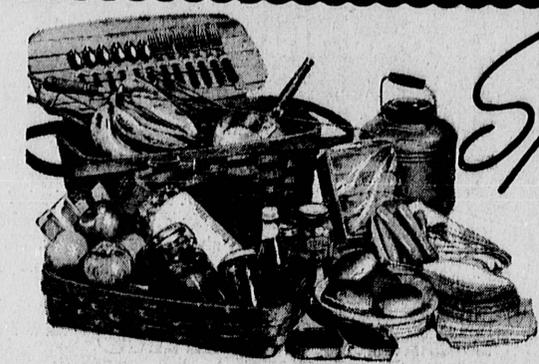
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GOLDEN VALLEY—2-lb. Box <b>CHEESE</b> <b>89<sup>c</sup></b>	GOOD-N'-RICH—lb. Box <b>SODA Crackers</b> <b>19<sup>c</sup></b>
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RANCHO <b>Tomato Soup</b> 2 cans <b>15<sup>c</sup></b>	C & S—13 1/2-oz. Can <b>PORK &amp; BEANS</b> 3 for <b>25<sup>c</sup></b>
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**GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** **17<sup>c</sup>**

CHB SWEETMIX <b>PICKLES</b> <b>29<sup>c</sup></b> Large 24-oz. Jar	Colgate's Fabulous Suds 1c SALE <b>FAB</b> <b>2 for 33<sup>c</sup></b>	CHB HAMBURGER <b>RELISH</b> <b>11<sup>c</sup></b> Large 24-oz. Jar
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Eastern Tenderized—Whole or Shank Half  
**PICNIC HAMS** **49<sup>c</sup> lb**

BOSTON BUTT <b>PORK CHOPS</b> <b>49<sup>c</sup> lb</b>	LEAN <b>SPARE RIBS</b> <b>43<sup>c</sup> lb</b>
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Eastern Grain-Fed Picnic Shoulder <b>PORK ROAST</b> <b>37<sup>c</sup> lb</b> Whole or Shank Half	<b>BACON SQUARES</b> <b>35<sup>c</sup> lb</b>
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**PIG TAILS**  
Pork  
**NECK BONES** **15<sup>c</sup> lb**  
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