



MISS COLETTE NANCE
Brilliant Concert Pianist

Collette Nance Presents Concert Sunday Evening

Collette Nance, concert pianist, delighted an audience of invited guests Sunday evening in her Hermosa Beach home with her power, brilliance and exquisite tone. Her playing, always a delight to listen to, was especially well received, her Chopin group, particularly being most enthusiastically applauded.

The concert at Miss Nance's home was the first of a series of renditions by herself and Miss Jane Ellis, who Sunday evening displayed her clear and beautiful voice with notable dramatic talent.

Both of these artists have had wide experience in concert work. Collette Nance has appeared in concerts throughout the east, and in numerous recitals in Southern California. Miss Ellis is a former musical comedy star, having toured both the United States and Canada.

Mrs. M. B. Millar Heads Elementary PTA Board

Election of officers who will serve during 1950-51 highlighted the business meeting of Torrance Elementary PTA, held Thursday evening in the school auditorium. Mrs. Melville Millar will serve as president and assisting her will be:

Robert Genter, first vice president; William Clinkenbeard, second vice president; Mrs. Edwin Hill, recording secretary; Mrs. W. H. Wood, treasurer; Mrs. Kenneth Ruffell, auditor; and Miss Bethel May, historian.

The meeting was opened with songs by the fifth, sixth, and seventh grade chorus, led by Mrs. George Bradford and accompanied by Mrs. Kathryn Buffington.

Mrs. Neal Stevenson, Elementary Extension Chairman of First District, speaker of the evening, discussed "What Makes a Good Home."

Following the program, Emmett Ingram, assistant school superintendent, spoke on the school bond issue and answered questions from the audience.

Second grade room mothers, headed by Mrs. L. H. Voien, served refreshments.

Next meeting will be held April 27 in the school auditorium when "Public Schools Week" will be observed. The Student Council will conduct the meeting.

Birthday Is Party Incentive

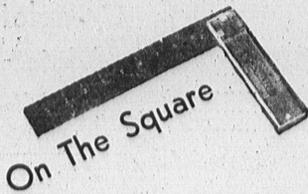
Honoring her daughter on the occasion of her tenth birthday, Mrs. J. Turkman entertained with a gay St. Patrick's party in the family home, 2454 W. 203rd street.

Patricia Ann was the recipient of many cards, and gifts, and a telegram from her grandmother in New Jersey.

Following a group of games, dainty refreshments were served to the honoree and Kathryn Schott, Ellen Schott, Nancy Harris, Connie Kulp, Audrey Terkmany, Marion Terkmany, Diane Powers, Freida Blanchard, Patty Cusler, and Armen Turkman.

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