

### 186th PTA RATIFIES CHAIRMEN

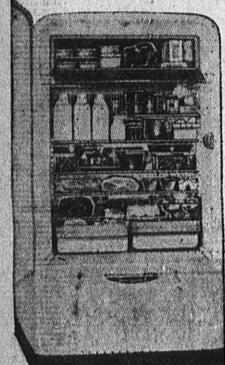
Mrs. Samuel Dow, president of 186th Street PTA has announced the ratification of the following chairmen:

Program, Mrs. J. A. DeJafré; Membership, Mrs. Walter Rutherford; and Mrs. Harold Sprankle; Men's Membership, Walter Rutherford; Publicity, Mrs. Evelyn Gauley; Parent Education, Mrs. Curtis Cash; Magazine, Mrs. Vernon Gilligan; Music, Mrs. Robert Fullerton; Health, Mrs. Claude Hill; Life Membership, Mrs. Ronald Powell; Child Welfare, Mrs. W. D. Earley; Milk Bowl, Mrs. Oliver Lang; Home Service, Mrs. Howard Fletcher; Community Youth Services, Mrs. B. J. Brannon; Room Mother, Mrs. Leon McMillan; Newslette, Mrs. Ernest Tanner; Aways and Means, Mrs. Adren Clemson, and Mrs. J. W. Hight.

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### Ice Follies To Open In Pan-Pacific

The Ice Follies begins a new cycle when the 15th edition of the Shipstads and Johnson show has its world premiere at the Pan-Pacific September 7.

First and foremost is Aya Vizana, the Czech Beauty, who won the world's empanishment two years in a row, before turning pro. Then there is Richard Dwyer, the "boy wonder" from Burbank, whom Roy Shipstad has selected as his successor. Young Richard will be one of the standouts in the new show, predict the experts.

Two sets of comedians — Bill Cameron and Dick Rasmussen, Ole Ericson and John Mulvey — have been carefully groomed by the "old masters" themselves, Oscar Johnson and Eddie Shipstad as their replacements.

Other great skating names include Frick and Frack; Betty Schalqw, Harris Legg, Mae Ross, Phyllis Legg, Les Hamilton, Virginia Morrison, Marilyn Ruth Take, Alice Quassy, Montel Phillips, Jim McNaney, Marie Crimmins, the Scottold twins, the Leduc brothers, Hugh Hendrickson, Narena and Norris, and many others.

Tickets are on sale at the Pan-Pacific, Southern California Music Co., all Harris and Frank stores, Patents Wintergarden and all Mutual agencies.

### Verse Moods Entertain Writers Guild

Variety keynoted the meeting of the San Pedro Writers Guild held Tuesday in the teachers room of the Leland Street School.

With Gladys Thompson presiding in the absence of vacationing Mabel Cory, the guild read and criticized five pieces of light verse . . . a story . . . the preface and first chapter of a book . . . and a monologue.

Four items of verse were contributed by Edna Jiles.

Contrasting moods were found in the drariness of her "November Rain" and the colorful warmth of "Contentment," a picture of a bright kitchen.

In "Beyond the Hill" Mrs. Jiles stressed spiritual vision.

"Dear One" by the same author was Lord Byronish in slant.

A lengthy discussion on the requirements for book writing developed from the reading of "This You Should Know," being written by Adele Karolin.

Wary of the ethereal quality of guild poetry, Francois de la Roche, story writer and non-poet, requested that someone do something realistic about pigs feet and sauerkraut.

In response Beatrice Newhard's contribution to the program was "To Each His Own." A short story, "The Old Conspirator," by Edgar Edwards and Mrs. Jiles "The Girls at Cards," previously read before the group, were rewritten and reread at this meeting.

The San Pedro Writers' Guild welcomes all harbor area writers to its meetings, according to Miss Newhard, correspondent.

186TH PTA AT BOARD MEETING  
Board members of 186th PTA met recently in Torrance City Park for a pot luck luncheon which was followed by a business meeting.

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