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Walteria News Notes

By BETTY MITCHELL Phone Lomita 2635-4V

Miss Rachel Hanvey of Los Angeles was guest of honor at a birthday dinner party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mosley, Ward street, on Sunday, December 16.

Going to San Francisco for an early Christmas celebration were Mrs. Marguerite Sanders and sons, Stevie and Danny, Ward street. They left on Wednesday, December 19, for San Francisco, where they will join their husband and father, Gilbert Sanders Jr., for their Christmas party, as Gilbert's ship will leave for the action in Korea before Christmas.

Expected home for Christmas are the two young Deurlous who

will join their family on Park street in the holidays. Alice Deurlou and Raymond Deurlou are both with the United States Air Force. Alice has been stationed in Arizona, while Raymond has been in Texas. Here's wishing them a happy holiday season.

Congratulations are due for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills, Danaha street, upon the arrival of their son, Stephen James, on December 20, at 2 a.m. The boy, weighing in at seven pounds, five ounces, was born at the Cedars of Lebanon hospital in Hollywood.

Mrs. Margaret Dowd, Walteria librarian, was the guest of Mrs. Dorothy Jamieson, Torrance librarian, at the annual Author's breakfast, held at the University Women's Club, Wednesday, December 19.

The Pamela Club held their annual Christmas meeting at the Recreation Hall on Thursday, December 20. A novel idea was tried in that each brought a sack lunch and then exchanged lunches. Gifts were also exchanged, after which they played bingo. Thirteen women enjoyed the meeting, and were entertained by their guest, a young baby brought by a proud mother. Decorations were gorgeous bouquets of double poinsettias, furnished by Mrs. Bigelow.

The Cub Scouts of Walteria held their annual pack meeting and Christmas party combined at the Walteria School auditorium on Thursday, December 21. Many of the boys were there accompanied by their families, and enjoyed an evening of gift exchange, songs and games. All of them agreed that they had had a "swell" time.

Airman Helps Plan Party

Pfc. James Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Foster, 1300 1/2 West 218th street, was one of a group of Air Force men who set up plans to play Santa Claus to Japanese children in an orphanage near Tokyo.

Foster was in on the planning of the event, but got transferred a few days before Christmas, so didn't get a chance to see how successful the party was.

The 21-year-old former Torrance high student is now stationed in Tokyo. A teletype mechanic, he has been in the service for a year.

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