

# Play Togs in Style 'Spot' Next Friday

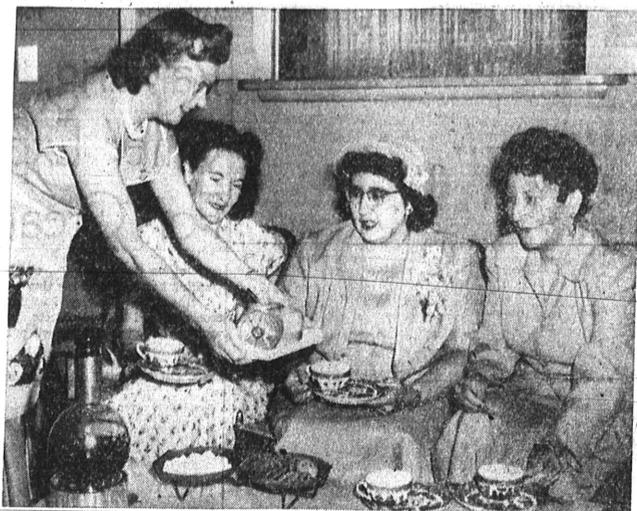
Play togs, summer sportswear and casual cottons will highlight the fashion scene next Friday, May 7, at the Walteria Recreation Hall.

Sponsoring a style show that evening at 7:30 o'clock will be the "Firedames" (Ladies Auxiliary of the Torrance Fire Department), who will make final plans for the event when they meet tomorrow night, 7:30 o'clock, at the 2083 Reynosa Dr. home of Mrs. Jay Nielsen.

Both women's and children's wear will be featured, according to Mrs. Ray Flagg, chairman, who is being assisted by Mesdames Don Alford and J. V. Agapito. The show is free to the public, she said, and refreshments will be served.

## Torrance Church Calendar

- NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
1447 Engracia Avenue  
Rev. Patrick McInnes, Pastor  
Telephone FAirfax 8-2776  
Seven Sunday Masses—8:00 (Irish), 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 12:15. One Mass at 9:30 in St. Joseph's Church, 814 West 202nd Street, (Dumblo) Torrance, Wednesday Evening Devotions at 7:30 p.m. Confessions Three Times On Saturdays—9:30 a.m. to 10:30, 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Baptisms Saturdays and Sundays at 2:00 p.m. Children's Instructions and Bible Study—Saturdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at 2571 W. Carolee, Nativity Catholic School. There are five groups beginning with first grade of Elementary School to the last year of High School.
- CENTRAL CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
1447 Engracia Avenue  
Rev. Walter M. Stanton, FA 8-3010  
11:00—Morning Worship  
6:30—Youth Fellowship  
7:30—Evening Worship  
Midweek—Worship Services 7:00 Wednesday evening
- FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Carson and Wende  
Rev. Paul Wende, pastor  
Phone FA 8-5884—Res. FA 8-3249  
Sundays  
8:00—Worship Service  
10:30—Sunday School  
12:00—Luncheon  
12:30—Worship Service
- TORRANCE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
3645 Torrance Blvd.  
Sun. 9:30—Sunday School  
10:45—Morning Worship  
7:00—Evening Worship—Sundays  
7:30 p.m.—Evangelical  
Thursday Night Bible Study  
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Henry and Ida Schutte, Pastors  
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- FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1207 El Prado—Tel. FA. 8-5736  
Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Lowen,  
Pastors  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Group Services 12:30 p.m.  
Evangelical 7:30 p.m.  
MIDWEEK: Wednesday—Bible Study at 7:30  
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- SOUTH BAY CHURCH OF GOD**  
17851 Yukon Ave., Torrance  
Rev. Cliff Tiers, Pastor  
Telephone DA 4-0553  
Sunday School—10 a.m.  
Morning Worship—11 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship—6:30 p.m.  
Evangelical Service—7 p.m.  
Mid-week Service—Wed. 7:30 p.m.
- ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Arthur E. Bello, Rector  
Phone FA 8-3791, FA 8-5649  
1432 Engracia  
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Holy Communion 8:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Family Services 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.
- THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
El Prado at Main Avenue  
Rev. John L. Taylor, Minister  
Church School for all ages, 9:00  
Early Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Church school fourth grade and below  
10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions fourth grade and below  
11:00 Morning Worship—Adult  
Infant care from 9:00 to 12 a.m.  
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- SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
Pastor, Elder Stanley G. West  
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Sabbath School—9:30 a.m.  
Church—10:45 a.m.  
Prayer meetings—Wed., 7:30 p.m.  
Young people's meeting—Saturday, 4:00 p.m.
- THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE**  
2930 El Dorado, Torrance  
Rev. J. J. Walker, Pastor  
Res. Phone FRontier 2-5258  
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship—10:45 a.m.  
Church—10:45 a.m.  
Church—Youth Fellowship—7:30 p.m.
- HOPE CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
347 W. 174th St.  
Rev. Homer Miller  
Ph. ME 9-3277—Res. ME 9-3542  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:45 a.m.—Morning worship  
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship  
Church Fellowship—Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
- CALVARY COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
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Pastor Donald Montague  
Phone ME 4-5271  
Sunday  
9:30—Bible School  
10:45—Morning Worship  
7:30—Evening Worship  
7:30—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study



QUARTET OF LEADERS . . . Mrs. Glenn H. Blake, hostess for the day and junior past president of Perry PTA, serves three other presidents, left to right, Mesdames A. L. MacKenzie, current leader; W. A. Wright, president-elect of Torrance Council-PTA, who served during 1951-52; and Kenneth McVey, who will assume the chief executive's post in June. Scene is the 16825 Thornburg Ave. home of Mrs. Blake, where the Association held a coffee hour Tuesday to raise funds for Torrance High School's after-graduation party. (Herald photo)

## Organizational Meet for Carr School Set May 13

Mrs. William Sale, temporary chairman, will preside when the first organizational meeting of the Carr School PTA is held Thursday, May 13, Mrs. Gerald Cunerty, temporary secretary, reported this week.

Date of the session was set Thursday of last week at a pre-organizational meeting held at the school with over 75 people attending.

Following a flag salute led by Genevieve McDonald and a welcome extended by Principal Donald Robinson, Mrs. Evelyn B. Carr, for whom the school was named, gave a resume of PTA work and explained the procedure of organization.

Next on the agenda was a question and answer period on PTA organization conducted by Mrs. B. Soper from Tenth District PTA.

By-law committee members elected were Mrs. Eldon Morgan, McDonald, and Barbara DeCamp, while nominating committee members chosen were Mesdames J. R. Allison, Roberta Ross, J. Goodie, Helen Dorsey, Viola Klunda, and Constance Gaske.

The temporary hospitality committee, Ruth Snell, Lynn Hale, and L. Sanders, served refreshments at the conclusion of the business hour.

Plans for this meeting and for the pre-school physical examinations held Apr. 26 and 27 were charted when a group of women met at the home of Mrs. Allison on Apr. 20. Attending were Mesdames Snell, Morgan, DeCamp, Allison, C. Crane, J. Leickweis, Wendell Towell, Hernan Cortez, John Miller, Robert Taylor, Richard Ross, Norman Hale, Dale Isaacson, Cunerty, and Principal Robinson.

## Recreation Next Topic At 186th St.

"What Recreation Opportunities for Next Summer?" will be the topic when a panel of four experts in the field appears at 186th St. PTA's meeting Thursday, May 13 at 7:30 p.m.

Taking part in the discussion will be Ed Hubbard, superintendent of recreation and advisor of the Gardena Community Center; Bob Weyrauch, director of Rosecrans Playground; Mrs. Joseph Lukes, branch director of the Torrance WCA; and Col. David Kanape, prominent member of the Boy Scouts of America.

"With summer just around the corner, many parents will want to know just where their children can go to have safe, supervised fun," Mrs. James McMillen, president, said. "This is an excellent opportunity to find out about local playground facilities and camping plans of the different organizations represented."

Kindergarten mothers, under the supervision of Mrs. W. S. Stewart, will serve refreshments during the social hour.

Members of the PTA were hostesses to the many parents who attended "Open House" at the school last Tuesday, serving cookies, coffee, and tea throughout the evening. Assistant Mrs. McMillen were Mrs. A. B. Pond, president-elect; Mrs. Billye Flanery, hospitality chairman; Mrs. C. Smith, co-hospitality chairman, and many room mothers.

## Herald Writer Gives Lecture

Hints on "Living Creatively" were given by Mrs. Dorothy Law, counselor in family life education, at the Patio of Arts, 2623 Manhattan Ave., Hermosa Beach, Friday night at 8 o'clock.

The talk was closely related to a lecture on "The Real You" presented by Mrs. Law last week, according to the press chairman, Fay Johnston. The speaker is well-known in the South Bay area for her work in family relations over the past five years and for her weekly Herald column, "Creative Family Living."

The talks are being presented by Helen Johnson, and additional information may be obtained by calling her at FRontier 4-7798 or FRontier 2-9889.

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## Wednesday Woman's Club to Hear SOS for Latin America

"S. O. S. for Latin America," a commentary on the relations of the United States with the republics to the south and the successes and failure of the good neighbor policy, will highlight the program when the Torrance Woman's Club holds a silver tea at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., on Wednesday, May 6.

At the speaker's rostrum will be Paul Hadley, assistant professor of international relations at the University of Southern California, who has been engaged for the afternoon by Mrs. P. P. Foley, program chairman.

"Hadley has had a rich background of practical experience in Latin American affairs," Mrs. Foley said, "gained from three years work with the Division of Cultural Co-operation of the Department of State, as director of the Paraguayan Cultural Center, and as a guest professor at the Army War College and National University."

"While in Washington, D. C.," the program chairman continued, "Hadley was head of the United States Cultural Institute work in other American republics."

"Out of his experiences in travel and diplomacy, he has learned much about our neighbors to the south, and his teaching of social studies has qualified him to speak on the general high school picture. He speaks with sincerity, simplicity, and quiet humor, giving a new approach to world affairs."

As the date of the tea falls on the "Cinco de Mayo," when Mexico achieved her independence, members of the Mamboleo, Spanish club at Torrance High School, will present several dances in honor of the day, Mrs. Foley said.

Sharing planning duties are Mesdames Lee A. McCoy and W. C. Boswell Jr.

## Perry PTA Swells Grad Party Fund

Perry PTA raised about \$16 for Torrance High School's after-graduation party Tuesday afternoon when 40 members and friends gathered at the 16825 Thornburg Ave. home of Mrs. G. H. Blake for a coffee hour.

Four presidents of the Association were on hand for the afternoon festivities, which included card games. In addition to Mrs. Blake, junior past president, were Mesdames A. L. MacKenzie, current leader; Kenneth McVey, president-elect; and W. A. Wright, past president and incoming leader of Torrance Council PTA.

Mrs. Hartley E. Carr, retiring president of Torrance Council PTA, and Mrs. Victor Bernard, Council's leader during 1952-53, were special guests at the event.

Four sets of twins, three of them born within 23 hours, topped the arrival list at Torrance Memorial Hospital this week.

Two sets were born to Torrance families, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Fagnano, 2065 W. 220th St., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Anderson, who make their home on the Chanslor Western Oil and Development Co. Lease.

The Fagnanos are parents of twin daughters, Debra, who arrived at 6:43 a.m. Apr. 27, and Denise, who was born one minute later. Debra weighed 6 lb. 14 oz., while Denise tipped the scales at 7 lbs. 5 oz.

The girls have twin sisters, three-year-old Patricia and Rosemarie and another sister, Virginia, who is five. Father is a mechanic at North American Aviation; grandparents are the Otto Fagnanos of Ridgefield Park, N. J., and the Nicholas Donatos of Union City, N. J.

The Anderson twins, a boy and a girl, arrived Apr. 25. Jan Rene weighed 5 lbs. 13 oz., while Jean Ryan weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz. The babies have one brother, five and a half year old Gary Roy. Father is an audit clerk with the Chanslor Western Oil and Development Co.; Mrs. Annie Willis of McKittrick, Calif., and Carl G. Anderson of Fellows, Calif., are grandparents.

Born Apr. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan, 133 E. 232nd Pl., was a baby girl who joins one sister, Susan M. Father is employed at Boulous Chevrolet; grandparents are the John Ryuns of 24355 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita, and the Howard Henrys of Des Moines, Ia.

Welcoming a new grandson are Mrs. Evan Evans, 1218 Amapola Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hammett, 1029 Amapola Ave. The boy is the second child of Mrs. Evans' son, Gilbert M. Armstrong, and his wife, who make their home in Wilmington. Arriving at 7:23 a.m. Apr. 25, he weighed 8 lbs., and has been named Gilbert Gibson Armstrong, a chief inspector at Rome Cable, and his wife also have a daughter, Cara Lynn.

## OPEN HOUSE, PTA MEET AT SEASIDE DRAW 600

Over 600 people attended the Seaside PTA meeting and open house festivities last Thursday, Mrs. Charles G. Nollenberger, publicity chairman, reported.

Final plans for a paper drive, to be held next Thursday and Friday, May 6 and 7, at the 5426 Sharynne Lane home of the president, Mrs. R. G. Parke, highlighted the business agenda. All proceeds will be donated to the Torrance Dental Clinic, Mrs. E. R. Walker, third vice-president, said.

Mrs. Walker also announced plans for a square dance to be held May 22 at the school auditorium.

The Association voted to contribute \$15 to the Torrance Chapter, American Field Service International Scholarship, and an additional \$25 for the high school after-graduation party.

Featuring the program for the evening was the presentation of a charter for Cub Pack No. 880 by Harold Burt. Accepting the document on behalf of the Association, the Pack's sponsor was Mrs. Parke.

Johnny Mewborn took the spotlight in two numbers sung by the school glee club, directing "Somewhere over the Rainbow" and taking a solo part in "Annie Laurie." Kenny Teetkin, master of ceremonies, took the solo part in the former number, and Alice Mewborn directed "Every Time I Feel the Spirit."

Other musical selections were a trio rendition of the spiritual, "Due Lord," by Barbara Meroia, Leah Anderson, and Alice Mewborn, and two numbers by the trumpeters, Bill Colby, Bill Morris, and Richard Powell.

Parents then visited the school classrooms, seeing tangible evidence of the progress their children had made in their studies during the year.

## YWCA Begins Campaign for Membership

Enthusiasm ran high when workers in the 1954 YWCA membership enrollment got kits and instructions at the kickoff for the drive, held at the Torrance branch last Tuesday, Mrs. Otis Blackstone, press chairman, reported.

Following the coffee hour, Mrs. Walter Levy, Torrance membership co-chairman, welcomed the workers and introduced Mrs. Arnold Ecklund, area membership chairman.

Mrs. Ecklund told the group of the work of the YW in the Harbor area and of the advantages to women and girls belonging to this international organization. She stressed the active Y-Wives group, which has exercises and dancing as a part of its regular program and considers special interests from time to time.

In addition, Mrs. Ecklund spoke of plans to form a discussion group on current community and world problems.

All women are invited to join the YWCA during the enrollment. Memberships are available to girls from 12 to 17 years old for 50 cents per year. Fees for adults range from \$2 for general membership to \$100 payable once for life members. These memberships entitle their holders to participate in activities in any YW in the United States.

Membership committee spearheading the drive includes Mesdames Walter Levy and John Parks, co-chairmen; Clara Conner, Carl Eckert, Stanley Jackson, William Kucha, Parke Montague, Helene Scott, R. E. Veitch, R. J. Triplet and Joyce Franzen.

## Mission Group To View India

Slides on India will take the spotlight next Tuesday, May 4, when the Missionary Society, First Lutheran Church, meets at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

The Indian theme will continue on Sunday, May 16, when a Mother-Daughter Tea is held at the church, Rajah, and John Parks, co-chairmen; Clara Conner, Carl Eckert, Stanley Jackson, William Kucha, Parke Montague, Helene Scott, R. E. Veitch, R. J. Triplet and Joyce Franzen.

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## WSCS CIRCLES TO ELECT CHAIRMEN

May meetings scheduled by circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will feature election of chairmen, Mrs. A. H. Champion, publicity chairman, reported this week.

Four circles will start the ball rolling on Tuesday, May 4, with two afternoon and two evening meetings.

A potted plant auction will be the program highlight when Ruth Circle members gather for a 12 noon luncheon at the 3333 Palos Verdes Dr. home of Mrs. Earl Robbette. Those needing transportation may contact Mrs. Wesley-Amhill at FAirfax 8-2432.

Also gathering for a 12 noon luncheon at the 1507 W. 215th St. home of Mrs. W. W. Buchanan will be members of Esther Circle.

Rebecca Circle will meet at 7:45 p.m. at the 1307 Amapola Ave. home of Miss Ruth Tunks.

The following Wednesday Mrs. Frank Inman, 3223 W. 188th St., will open her home for an 8 p.m. meeting of Deborah Circle.

Thursday's slate includes meetings of Martha Circle, at 12:30 p.m. at the 611 Madrid Ave. home of Mrs. J. F. Wehrli; Sara Circle, also at 12:30 p.m., at the 1583 W. 211th St. home of Mrs. Nellie Gray; and Miriam Circle at 10:30 a.m. at the 1203 W. Maple St. home of Mrs. H. B. Cothran. A white elephant sale will spark the Miriam session.

Two newly-formed circles, Priscilla and Elizabeth, also will meet Thursday, with the former scheduled for 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. K. R. McKinley, 2245 Walnut Ave., and the latter at 12:30 p.m. at the 21131 Brighton Ave. home of Mrs. R. A. Hollins.

Mrs. Howard Kell will open her home at 23101 Falena Ave. to members of Rachel Circle at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, May 11, while Mrs. Lester Foster, 1023 Kornblum Ave., will hostess a meeting of Mary Circle at 8 o'clock the same evening.

## 'Cancioneros' To Entertain L.A. Knights

Busy preparing for a trip to Los Angeles on Tuesday night, May 11, when they will perform for the Knights of Columbus, Council 621, at a meeting honoring their mothers are Los Cancioneros, Hollywood Riviera choral group.

The chorus also is rehearsing for its fourth annual concert, slated for June 18 and 19, Mrs. Phyllis Bennet, chairman, announced.

Los Cancioneros presented a program of varied chord selections, including folk songs, spirituals, and modern arrangements, when the Torrance Kiwanis held ladies night last Monday. The men's quartet also sang two numbers reminiscent of the old barbershop days.

Tom Mabin, Jack MacDonal, Bill Beckman, and Walker Brown comprise the quartet, while Mrs. Thomas H. Mabin directs the chorus.

## Slate Musical Recital Today

Five piano pupils of Mrs. Es ther Lambrigger will be presented in recital this evening, at 7:30 o'clock in the Betty Thomas Studio, 1215 Crenshaw Blvd.

Included on the program will be "Flickering Candles" played by Holly Harris, and "Stigliano" and "Moonlight on the Ganges" by Carole Halberston. The two girls will later team for a pantomime of "Temptation."

Carole Giles will do song and dance numbers of "Pretty Baby" and "Swaying Silver Birches"; Toni Greene will play "Dream Bubbles," and Dawn Harris will play "Claire de Lune" and "Prelude in C# Minor" by Rachmaninoff.

Students of Bettie Thomas who will perform are Billy Cosby, with an accordion solo; Merry Kathleen Deasy with a Hawaiian dance, accompanied by Michael Deasy and Bobby Merry on standard and steel guitar; and Sharon Schiavo and Linda Griffon with an accordion duet.

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