



**HAWAII CALLS . . .** One of the international booths at next Saturday's bazaar, sponsored by St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Auxiliary, will be one with a Hawaiian motif operated by Girl Scouts of the Auxiliary's Troop 416. At the booth, customers will be handed poles, to fish for prizes. Girl Scouts checking out the signs advertising the event are, left to right, Sharon Rice, Marilyn Miller, Barbara Howard, and Diane Mills. A steak dinner featuring one-pound rib cuts will climax the day's festivities.

**WIVES SELL HOME-BAKED SPECIALTIES TOMORROW**

A bake sale, set for tomorrow morning in front of Levy's Department Store, will be the first project of the new ways and means committee of the Y-Wives. Mrs. John Parks, publicity chairman, announced this week. In charge of the 9:30 a.m. sale of fresh home-baked specialties will be Mrs. Robert Veitch and Mrs. Raymond Stewart, co-chairmen of the committee. Other committee leaders named at the business session of the club last Friday are Mesdames Rufus Sandstrom, nursery; Victor Quackebush, social; George Lowrey, transportation; David Cook and Russell Christie, refreshments; Robert Davis, program.

Newcomers to Torrance are especially welcome to join club members every Friday morning from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock at the YWCA. The varied program includes figure improvement done to modern dance rhythms led by Ann Douglas; craft work, and projects for community organizations such as the Torrance Memorial Hospital and children's clinic. Refreshments are served at each session, and nursery care is provided by Mrs. Juliana Miller, professional nursery school instructor. A speaker from the United Nations Volunteer Speaker's Bureau will highlight the Friday, Oct. 30, session.

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**Home, School Share Safety Teaching Duty**

Safety must be taught at home as well as at school and must be exemplified by parents as well as teachers, said Dr. Marshall Crawshaw, director of the Torrance School of Adult Education and a well-known educator in safety when he spoke at the initial 1953-54 meeting of Torrance Elementary PTA last Thursday night. Introduced by George Marich, school vice-president and association safety chairman, Dr. Crawshaw also presented a film showing how safety is taught in some schools. About 100 parents and teachers heard his talk and listened to reports on a recent paper drive, membership campaign, and coming Halloween carnival. Refreshments were served by sixth grade mothers following the meeting.

**Pennies from Heaven Come To Seaside**

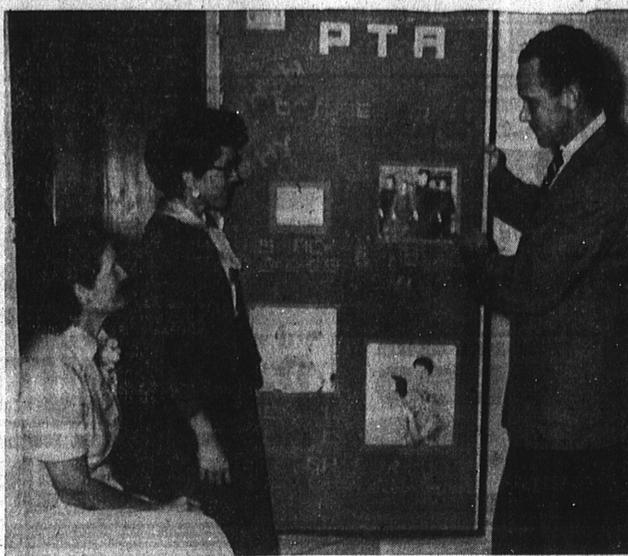
"Pennies from Heaven" will be one of the main feature booths at Seaside PTA Carnival, slated for Oct. 31 from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the school. Mrs. Charles G. Nollenberger, publicity chairman, revealed this week. Plans for the Halloween festivities were outlined when the committee met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. W. C. Strittmatter, ways and means chairman. Other booths to be featured will be a country store, fish pond, fortune teller, cake walk, ring toss, grab bag, and a ping-pong ball game, as well as many refreshment booths. Assisting Mrs. Strittmatter on the general carnival committee are Mesdames E. R. Walker, R. L. McMichael, and Glenn M. Stewart. Booth chairman include Mesdames L. Edman, Robert Graham, Sue Burk, S. Briggs, and Ted Drake.

**TRIO LODGE TO INITIATE**

Four new members will be initiated into Trio Rebekah Lodge No. 240 when the group holds its meeting at 8 p.m. October 22 at the California Hall in Lomita. All officers will be attired in white for the ceremonies which were planned at last week's regular Trio meeting. Members also voted to take over hostess duties at the Chamber of Commerce election dinner to be held Monday, Oct. 26. Another October highlight for the lodge was the party honoring the Firefly Theta Rho girls on their 10th birthday. Members joined the girls in several games, including nursery rhyme pantomimes and a paper race. Taking first prize in another stunt, "Mistaken Identity" was Delores Kyllingstad, a Theta Rho girl. Peach and blue were employed in table decorations when the birthday cake, ice cream, and punch were served to climax the evening. In charge of planning the event was Ruth Jacobs.

**BABY GIRL BORN TO STANLEY WARDS**

Announcing the arrival of a new baby girl are the Stanley G. Wards, 2249 Pacific Coast Hwy., Lomita. The new addition to the family, born Oct. 16 at St. Mary's Hospital in Long Beach, was named Jeri Lyn. She weighed 10 lbs. 2 oz. Father Ward is a filling station attendant in Palos Verdes; grandparents are the George W. Wards, 25884 S. Lucille Ave., Lomita; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritchie, 1645 W. 219th St.



**DRIVE ENDS . . .** Commending the poster made by Mrs. Alice Hammond, left, to advertise the current Torrance High School PTA membership drive, is Principal Bruce Magner, while Mrs. I. O. Kasten (seated) PTA president, looks on. The drive will close tomorrow night. Mrs. Kasten announced, urging all parents of high school children to fill out their membership cards now.

**COUNCIL PTA PLANS BREAKFAST MEET**

Gardena-Wilmington Council PTA will hold a breakfast meeting at the Dominguez Community House tomorrow at 9:30 a.m., according to Mrs. B. H. Cothran, press chairman. Members of Dominguez PTA will be hostesses at the meal which will precede a general meeting to be conducted by Mrs. Michael Foxhoven, president. "Magazines and Procedure Books" will be the topic presented by the guest speaker, Mrs. John Serdinsky, Tenth District magazine chairman. Unit magazine chairmen are especially invited to attend and hear their talk.

**Over 100 Attend First High School PTA Meet; Drive for Membership Ends Tomorrow**

Over 100 parents and teachers attended the annual potluck supper held last week in the high school cafeteria preceding the initial 1953-54 meeting of Torrance High School PTA. Highlights of the evening included introduction of the principal, Bruce Magner, the faculty, and the executive board; and approval of the year's budget and program, and presentation of slides and recordings, "The Torrance High School Story," which is included in the school program of orientation for freshmen.

**New Class to Help Parents Do Best for Their Children**

How can I help my child in school? Why do children quarrel and what can we do about it? How do you teach a child about sex? These are the questions Harbor City parents would most like answered to, according to results of a survey conducted by Mrs. Lewis Learnard, Harbor City PTA parent education chairman, and announced at last Thursday's association meeting, held at the school auditorium. Answers will be forthcoming at a six-session child study class to begin in January at the school. Starting date and name of the instructor will be made at a later date, Mrs. Learnard said, adding "that anyone wishing information about any phase of parent education work could call her at DAVenport 6-6734. Association members approved the yearly budget prepared by Mrs. D. G. Check, treasurer; viewed a film on Community Chest, "Long Way Home," presented by Harold Ball; and heard a group of animal songs presented by Mrs. Alice Goddill's A1-B2 students. Session opened with a welcome message by Mesdames Glenn Allen and G. S. Andreotti. Adrian Finch and Kenny Ellsworth of Pack 743, Weblow Den, led the flag salute, while Mrs. Richard Rozendal gave the inspirational message, "Prayer for School."

**'Little Toot' To Come to Halldale School**

"Little Toot," a bookmobile carrying more than 500 volumes of the best literature adapted for youngsters will arrive at Halldale School next Monday, Oct. 26, Mrs. E. E. Salcido, president of the school PTA, announced this week. Mrs. Salcido told board members of the mobile library when they met last week at the school to complete plans for the Halloween Carnival, slated for Oct. 30. Event will begin with a costume parade at 9:30 a.m., Mrs. Ed Holloway, room mother chairman, revealed. Prizes will be awarded for the funniest, most beautiful, most original, and scarfiest costumes. Everyone in the community is invited to participate in this in this parent-teacher-children's event.

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