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## 'Ma' Ramsey, Daughter Held For Abortion

Leola May (Ma) Ramsey, 71, and her daughter, Marguerite Reeves, 49, were ordered held for trial on abortion charges by Superior Court Judge Joe Rayercraft at a hearing in Long Beach at a hearing in Long Beach to dismiss the action on a motion filed by the defendants. Judge Rayercraft set the trial date for Feb. 20.

A motion by the defendants to dismiss the charges on the grounds that insufficient evidence was submitted at the preliminary hearing in South Bay Municipal Court was denied by Judge Rayercraft. The two women were released on \$10,000 bail each.

Mrs. Ramsey will be tried on two counts of abortion and her daughter, Mrs. Reeves on one count.

The two women were arrested here Oct. 6 on charges that they performed two illegal operations at the home of Mrs. Reeves, 3835 W. 227th St., in September. Mrs. Ramsey has five prior convictions on abortion charges, authorities have reported. Both were imprisoned in 1950 on an illegal operation conviction.

### LOST ARTICLES MAY BE CLAIMED

A number of lost articles, some of considerable value, including watches, jewelry, rings and billfolds, have accumulated at the Torrance Police Station and may be picked up by their owners any time, Chief Willard H. Haslam said yesterday.

If the articles are not claimed, they will be sold to the highest bidder at a public auction, he said.

Anyone wishing to claim a lost article may do so by coming to the station, 1515 Cravens, at any time.

## Harried Pair Plan Christmas, Pack Bags for Move Overseas

By ALICE PERKIN  
 FA 8-5265

If the Christmas rush and scramble are getting you down, you might be comforted by the plight of Mrs. Albert Miller, of 2826 Eldorado, and Mrs. Lloyd Wilbrecht, of 1215 Fonthill.

Both ladies are managing Christmas plans for their families, beside trying to make arrangements to leave the country immediately after the holidays. It is no small chore to pack bags and take care of the children's needs.

Mrs. Wilbrecht and her husband will go to Germany, where he has been ordered by the Air Force.

Mrs. Miller will join her husband for a two-year stay in Iran, where he is associated with General Petroleum.

The ACCENT Theater! will present its first performance of "The Littlest Arranger" before one of the service clubs in Redondo Beach.

Robert Kelsey, of 808 Cerise will be narrator.

Davy Crockett, king of the wild frontier, reigned supreme at the third birthday celebration of Timmy Bullock, of 1323 Teri St., Saturday.

Timmy was dressed as Davy Crockett and all favors and decorations went along the same theme. Each child received a special gift after the refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream, and punch. Prizes were awarded for games.

Attending the party were Jay, Bruce, Randy, and Scott Moore; Chris Nohr; David Pierce; Bobbie Tolson; Christine Clifford; Toni Hill; Sandra Hill; and Sharon Bullock, Timmy's sister.

Four or five inches of snow added even more excitement and beauty to the winter splendor the Harold Fagin family, of 2602 Eldorado St., found during their recent stay at Crestline.

Spending the week end with them in the mountains were Mrs. Fagin's sister and husband, the John Amerines, from Covina. The group went to Santa's Village and relaxed inside, watching the snow.

Christine Clifford, of 2822 Eldorado St., celebrated her fourth birthday Sunday.

Her little guests were taken on kiddie rides and afterwards, enjoyed refreshments in a small lattice house, designed for small fry. A lofty cake, decorated with deep red roses, ice cream, and candy baskets, was served. Each guest received an individual gift-toy trucks for the boys and a wash set for the girls.

Attending were Stevie and Chris Nohr; Donald Norris; Timmy Bullock; Gregg Perkin; Sandra Hill; Cherie Clark; Pat and Lennie Dietz; Cindy and Bobbie Tolson; Christie Nickelson; and Christine Schroer.

The Tally-Hi Bridge Club met Thursday with a dual purpose—the regular bridge party and a baby shower for two of the members.

The honoree—Mrs. Alice Thames and Mrs. Madeline Zaborowski—received gifts of baby books with their newborn's name engraved in gold on the cover. Amid decorations of baby things and Christmas candles, guests enjoyed whipped cream balls, coffee, and candies.

Two other members also announced that they are expecting visits from the stork in the near future.

Attending were Mmes. Pat Clark, Alice Thamas, Alleen Capps, Alice Perkin, Charlotte Kilmzing, Pat Peters, Ann Willes, Audrey Pipkin, and Madeline Zaborowski.

Another busy woman this Christmas will be Mrs. Elliot Nohr, of 2818 Eldorado, who, with her husband, welcomed a sixth addition to the family last Sunday.

Born at the Torrance Memorial Hospital, Kevin Matthew weighed in at 9 lbs., 13 oz. He joins sisters and brothers, Ann and Robert.

drea, Elliot, Stephanie, Christopher, and Carla.

Treating themselves to a dinner out every two months, the members of the Knit and Dine Club especially enjoyed their last feast at a Los Angeles restaurant.

Organized three years ago, the group includes Torrance women who meet weekly to knit. They collect \$1 dues each week and eat out when the fund builds up.

Members are Mrs. Althea Clifford, Lucille and Beany Quizzetti, and Marilyn Fornelli.

Flying in straight from outer space and especially for Sandra Diane's second birthday party were the Cadet Clarette's Flying Saucer mobile trucks.

Complete with party favors, rides, and entertainment, the space men provided space helmets, badges, balloons, bubbles, and magic tricks for the guests. Refreshments of ice cream, circus, cake, and other goodies were served.

More than 30 children and 15 adults attended the gala party at 1309 Teri Ave.

The Richard Roberts welcomed their first child, Mia Liane, into their home at 3:40 a.m. of Dec. 7.

The proud papa announced that his little girl has strawberry blond hair and weighed 6 lbs., 2 ozs. at birth. She was born at the Santa Monica Hospital.

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The Torrance Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. until 8 p.m. each week day until Christmas. Postmaster Clara Conner announced here yesterday.

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