--- Favorite Recipes ---

(Herald Photo)
MRS. THOMAS J. CLINKENBEARD
. . . Karen and Jerry

Bismarcks. German Carnival Time Favorite, Is Submitted

Berliner Pfannkuchen or Bismarcks, a New Year's specialty and a favorite served during "carnival time" from Christmas until Lent in Germany, her native country, is submitted for HERALD readers today by Mrs. Thomas J. Clinkenbeard, 908 Maple.

Mrs. Clinkenbeard says "although before the war I have seen' my mother make mountains of bismarcks, I didn't have a chance to test my "bismarck construction" until after coming to this country. The war and rationing made it impossible to risk our food on my teenage talents."

Mr. Clinkenbeard left Europe in 1946, and after two years, Mrs. Clinkenbeard followed. They were married at St. Brigid's in Los Angeles, on Sept. 18, 1948. The local war bride comes from Kaiserslautern, Pfalz state, Germany, north of the Rhine River.

The couple came to Torrance in 1951, and Mr. Clinkenbeard is employed as a PBX repairman for the telephone company. They have two children, Karin, 6, and Jerry, 3.

BISMARCKS

Mix together 2 cups luke warm milk ½ cup sugar, 2 tsp. salt. Crumble into mixture, 2 cakes of compressed yeast, and stir until yeast dissolves. Then add 2 eggs and ½ cup soft shortening. To this mix 7 to 7½ cups of sifted flour. When the dough begins to leave the sides of the bowl, turn it out onto a lightly floured board to knead. After kneading the dough into a smooth and elastic mixture that isn't sticking to the board, place in a greased bowl. Cover with a damp cloth and place in a warm spot to rise. In 1½ to 2 hours the dough will have risen to about twice the original size, knead this back down and turn over and replace in bowl to rise again. (This time from 30 to 45 minutes, or twice its size).

Roll out dough to ½ inch thickness and cut with a glass or cutter. Let rise uncovered for ½ hour. Drop into deep hot fat (375 F) and fry like doughnut. Drain and let cool on a paper towel. When they are cool, slit side and insert 1 tsp. jelly in center and press closed. Then roll in sugar and they are complete.

The jelly can be inserted before frying by rolling dough ¼ inch thick. Insert jelly between paddies, seal edges with egg yolk, let rise and fry.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT GREEN HOME

The birthday of Francis Harold Liddon, whose weding to Miss Pat Green was solemnized Saturday was celebrated with a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green, on Beech Ave., last Wednesday evening.

Seated at the table where dinner was served followed by the cutting of the birthday cake were: Mr. and Mrs. Green, Miss Pat Green, the honor guest, and Misses Michele and Mary Gertrude Green.

LOCAL PTA ACTIVITIES

186th Street

The month of December has been the busiest month of the school year, with members attending meetings, planning luncheons and hostessing the annual Christmas party for the children of the 186th Street School.

On Dec. 8, at 7:30 p.m., the December meeting of the 176th Street PTA, the first night meeting of the year, was held at the school. The faculty had prepared, and presented the entire program; one of beautiful Christmas music. A Christmas play featuring the children from the 4th, 5th, and 6th grades, told how Christmas is celebrated in other lands. The cast included Diane Howell, Carol Furry, Melvin Poston, Beverly Shanton, Andres Cremo, Barbara Ortiz, Donna Martin, and John Trout.

The 186th Street Faculty presented "Christmas in Song." under the direction of Miss Joann McCullough. Community singing was led by Mr. Lyon.

A brief history of the Bill of Rights was given by Robert Brown.

Refreshments were served after the meeting, with the faculty playing host to the PTA.

On Wednesday, Dec. 14, the executive board members entertained the faculty with a luncheon. The tables were beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme with individual favors of Christmas candles made of colored popcorn and peppermint sticks adorning each place. A winter scene with Santa sitting in a sleigh in front of a cottage, was all made of cake and cookies. Many of the teachers brought their pupils in to see the clever decorations. The chairmen in charge of the luncheon were Mmes. W. S. Stewart, decorations; Guy Cels, food, and R. Dean Bryan, dessert. Miss Ruth Engdahl, principal, thanked Mrs. Herman Eisenbeiss, president of 186th Street PTA and her executive board and expressed the appreciation of the faculty for the lovely luncheon.

On Tuesday, Dec. 20, the children of 186th Street School were in high spirits for the annual Christmas party given jointly by the PTA and the Student Body. For many days, members of the executive board, under the direction of Mrs. Floyd Phillips, room representative chairman, had been covering milk cartons in crepe paper to make individual chimneys for favors for every child in the school. These are filled with bags of Christmas candies. Room mothers for each room made cookies and cup cakes and this was served with ice cream, to make it a real party and treat to start off the Christmas vacation. Mrs. Phillips received high praise from Miss Engdahl on the success of the party for the whole school.

Seaside

The month of December was full and eventful for the Seaside PTA with Christmas plans well executed.

The president, Mrs. W. D. French, was hostess to the executive board on Dec. 8 in a festive evening combining business with an amusing gag gift exchange. Reports were given by the various chairmen acting as Santa Claus' helpers in behalf of the Seaside PTA as to the purchase of trees for each classroom to be decorated by the students and a supply of candy canes to be distributed by Santa Claus himself. After the reports, Mrs. French served an array of yuletide cookies and tea and coffee.

Close upon the heels of this meeting was general association meeting held on Dec. 15 in the school auditorium. The local Girl Scout Troop presented the colors following which Mrs. W. D. French, president, conducted a short business meeting. On behalf of the PTA board, Mrs. French extended greetings to the parents and teachers as did Lloyd Jones, principal, on behalf of the school staff and faculty.

The chairman of Character and Spiritual Life, Rev. R. I. Miller, presented an appropriate seasonal talk, which was followed by the upper grade students' presentation of "The Christmas Story" in the form of a tableau with the Seaside Elementary Glee Club providing vocal renditions of various carols and narrated by Robert Taylor.

In the special recognition department is Mrs. R. D. Meyers, student welfare chairman, who promoted the white gift offerings of the students for needy families; Mrs. W. L. Steinwachs, who decorted the auditorium and refreshment tables in a festive and unusual way; the tea chairman, Mrs. N. Goodyear, and her co-chairman, Mrs. F. M. Burk, who served over one hundred students who participated in the program as well as the parents.

Crenshaw

The parents at Crenshaw School enjoyed the Christmas programs presented in the cafetorium at staggered hours on Thursday, Dec. 15. Theme of the program was "Christmas Traditions." "Silent Night" sung in Spanish, German and English by different students was very impressive.

The White Gift Day preceding the holidays was a successful project through cooperation of school and PTA. Baskets of food and toys were prepared for 14 families for Christmas. The spirit of giving was strong at Crenshaw. Mrs. Don Sayre, welfare chairman, expressed thanks to all who helped make this project a success.

A Skating Party was planned for Jan. 2, at 7:30 p.m., at Redondo Skateland for all school children and members. Advance tickets weer sold at the school.

The Christmas party by the board at the home of Mrs. Charles Hall, Ways and Means chairman, netted two trees to be presented to the school.

Crenshaw will present it's first Honorary Life Membership at the February meeting and plans are underway by leadership of Mrs. Bert Richardson requested that all members submit names of worthy parents, school personnel or community workers to her.

Madrona

Madrona PTA held its meeting Dec. 7 at the home of Mrs. J. B. Brooks. Mrs. B. Dahlan opened with the Inspirational message, "Day after Christmas." The minutes were read and seconded. The board received a note of thanks for their contribution for foreign scholarships.

The acute need for teachers was discussed. Almost 50 per cent of local teachers are recruited from out of state. Anyone with the necessary qualifications who might be interested in teaching should contact the Board of Education.

The building of additional school rooms has come to a standstill because of the rock and gravel strike. Many new schools are being planned for Torrance, it has been revealed. A new plan is being put into affect in Riviera, of a school and park together so they might use the same facilities.

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