

Lomita Rebekahs Install New Officers on Jan. 25

Amid decorations of yellow and white, new officers of Trio Rebekah Lodge 240, Lomita, were installed in an impressive ceremony by District Deputy President Gertrude Chandler, her marshal, Erna Lineberger, and staff from Compton on Wednesday evening, Jan. 25.

Installed were Past Noble Grand, Edith Marriott; Noble Grand, Mary B. Smith; Vice Grand, Gertrude Kastrop; Recording Secretary, Bertha Fern; Financial Secretary, Hatlie Schroeder, and Treasurer, Elizabeth Yerton.

Patricia Rydstrom, third herald of the Trio Rho assembly. The program for the evening included: three hymns sung by the Theta Rho Girls' Club, directed by June Betz and accompanied by Mable Quinn. Pat Rydstrom gave a reading "The New Year" and June Betz sang two solos, accompanied by Mable Quinn.

FUN AND FUND ENTERTAINED

Fun and Fund club of Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347 held a dessert luncheon and card party Tuesday, Jan. 31 at the home of Mrs. Lillian Blackman, 2294 Caballo, Torrance. Alice Jennings, Christine Ferguson, Florella Whitacre and Olga Brown assisted Mrs. Blackman in serving.

Local Woman YWCA Slates Is Speaker

When the Future Business Leaders of America held their regional convention at Manhattan Beach High School, Mrs. Ladden Chamberlain, secretary to the Torrance City Manager, was invited to be the guest speaker at a workshop held at the afternoon session. The invitation was extended by Connie Crigler, Southern California vice president.

Due to illness Mrs. Chamberlain was unable to fill the request and asked Mrs. Bernice Goodwin to make the talk on "Advantage of Being a Secretary."

The session attended by High School students from the Southern California area who are studying for business careers was held at the Mira Costa High School. The morning speaker was J. O'Hara Smith. During the luncheon Ron Langford introduced Bob Farrell and Bonnie Scalleigh who provided entertainment.

The section meetings were held during the afternoon and a panel discussion was held by Culver High School students.

KHAMSIN ZUANNA PARTY FEB. 15
Hildur Kinder of Lomita, deputy Great Ashayih of Khamsin Zuanna 127 will install J. A. Collins of South Gate as guest Ashayih and her corps of officers at their Feb. 15 meeting in the YWCA, 6th and Pine, Long Beach.

Members are asked to come dressed as a hobo and bring a sack lunch. All visiting Zuannas are invited to attend.

Favourite Recipes



MRS. C. P. OLSON Whips Up Souffle

Mrs. C. P. Olson's Recipe For Never-Fail Carrot Souffle

To dress up that plain carrot, which every mother insists "is good for you," and to make it a tempting, luscious dish that every member in the family will be asking for seconds, Mrs. C. P. Olson today offers her favorite "Never Fail Carrot Souffle."

Mrs. Olson, who resides at 2624 Martha Ave., has been a resident of Torrance for the past ten years. She is a member of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church, and is a past president of the American Legion auxiliary. She has a son who lives in Compton and is the proud owner of one granddaughter.

- Mr. Olson is associated with a Lomita real estate firm.
- Never Fail Carrot Souffle**
- 2 cups cooked carrots
 - 1 cup heavy white sauce
 - 4 soda crackers
 - 1/2 c sweet milk
 - 4 eggs separated
 - 1/4 lb. grated cheese
 - 1 tsp. sugar
 - salt and pepper
- Cook and mash carrots, run through fine sieve. Soak crackers in 1/2 cup sweet milk. Combine carrots, crackers, white sauce, seasonings and beaten egg yolks, mixing well, add cheese. Beat egg whites stiff, folding in cheese mixture. Bake in oiled ring mold or loaf pan. Set in a pan of hot water, bake 1 hour (350 degrees). For white sauce use 1 cup milk. Good served with a sauce made with cream of mushroom soup.

Carnation Chapter OES Holds First Initiation

Carnation Chapter 171, Order of the Eastern Star, drew a large attendance last Tuesday evening in the Redondo Masonic Temple when the first initiation of the year was held, with Mrs. Donald Meredith, worthy matron and Donald Meredith, worthy patron, presiding.

Mrs. Charles T. LaFrance, Deputy Grand Matron of the 7th District, was escorted to the East and presided, as was Mrs. Amanda Keller, a past matron of Marlon, Ind.; Mrs. Edna Keller, and Mrs. Rose Hoke, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Ottilie Drabek, Cicero, Ill.; Mrs. Florence Whittier, Carlinville, Ill.; Mrs. Arthur Lilligreen, Hermon, Mo.; Mrs. Ada France, San Pedro; Mrs. Dorothy Sawyer, San Pedro; Mrs. Stella Hamilton, Lomita Chapter; Mrs. Isabella Denise, Wilmington; Edward Morgan, Worthy Patron of Torrance Chapter, and Oliver Hamilton, Worthy Patron of Lomita Chapter; eighteen new matrons and six past patrons.

Due to the illness of the associate matron, Mrs. Denny served the chapter in that station. Dr. Charles T. LaFrance, served as associate patron for the evening.

Worthy matron announced the Rainbow Board, which will serve for 1956: Mrs. Moean Daugherty, mother advisor; Chris Svendsen, chairman; Arthur Miller, vice chairman; Verma Alexander, secretary; Ellen Carlson, Aylte Lindeman, Grace Constantine, Winifred Otto, Charlotte Harrell, and William Earl Brown.

Mrs. Kenneth McDonald, ways and means chairman, announced the party at the Edison Company's plant on Feb. 25, from 2 p.m. until the dinner, open to the public, on Feb. 28, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hostens, as co-chairmen.

On Feb. 14, the next regular stated meeting, the chapter will observe the birthdays of the worthy matron and worthy patron, and all visiting Eastern Stars are cordially invited to attend.

Tables were beautifully decorated with fall flowers, and refreshments were served by Mrs. Laurene Beckenholdt and her committee.

The Stork Story

Karen Lane is the second daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Leslie T. Isaacs of 22526 Gaycrest Ave. She arrived Jan. 14 at Torrance Memorial Hospital. Her entry was clocked at 4:20 p.m. and she balanced the scales at 7 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs. Her sister is Jenise Ann and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. Harstad of San Gabriel and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Isaacs of New Mexico.

New son and heir for Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Oakes of Redondo Beach, is 6 lb. 9 oz. Michael Cary who put in an appearance Jan. 13 at Torrance Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Oakes of Redondo and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Armstrong of Riverside.

Giving up the title of only child is Nancy Gay, 28 months daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Johnson of 4927 Lavretz St. She will now share attention with a baby sister in the new person of Roberta Jane who arrived Jan. 6 at 12:44 p.m., at Torrance Memorial Hospital. Tipping the scales at a healthy 8 lbs., she is granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of Rockford, Ill., and Mrs. John Nelson, Minneapolis.

First child for Mr. and Mrs. Boykin Harper of 1848 W. 265 St., Lomita, is 7 lb. 8 1/2 oz. Carolyn Sue who joined her parents Jan. 11, at Torrance Memorial Hospital. Her entry was timed at 1:25 p.m. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Harper of Alabama and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klein of Anaheim.

LOCAL PTA ACTIVITIES

Madrona

Executive board of Madrona PTA held its monthly meeting Jan. 11 in the school patio. Mrs. B. Steele gave the inspirational and Mrs. H. McCormick read the minutes.

Mrs. N. Fedoruk and Mrs. J. Brooks gave a report on the TEAC luncheon at which adult education programs, high school music and gifted children were stressed. Mrs. E. Vaughan spoke on the Coordinating Council activities in Torrance.

It was also voted to have parents write to the state senator for aid for more building funds. Mrs. C. H. Hardinghouse also announced that books on children and their problems were available to parents at the parent education library.

A paper drive was announced for Feb. 2 at the school. The association meeting will be held Jan. 18 with the fourth grades providing the program on Missions of Old Mexico. Mrs. S. Stine and P. Stone were in charge. El Camino college chorus group, directed by Nell Hill, sang.

The building program was discussed by B. Crockett, Mrs. L. Dwyer, Mrs. H. Lowry, and Mrs. A. U. Turner were nominated to select a person for the honorary life membership. The next meeting will be held Feb. 15.

Haldale

The new auditorium at Haldale School became the "Royal Hawaiian" room with a luau theme cleverly carried out by the decorations when the executive board of the Haldale PTA complimented the faculty of the school with an Aloha luncheon on Monday, Jan. 23.

A little gray shack carried out the island theme. Tropical fruits and garlands of gay, colorful flowers formed the table centerpieces, among the arrangements adding a further island touch.

Hawaiian music played softly in the background as Mrs. David P. Crookby dressed in original island attire, acted as hostess and presented each guest with the traditional lei.

Chairman of the luncheon was Mrs. Ray M. Rhoads retiring vice president, assisted by Mrs. E. R. Alves, E. N. Reese, Judson Bowers, Fred Schimmel, Richard Sabey and Wm. H. Dunston. The menu, in keeping with the island theme, was prepared by the entire PTA board.

Principal William T. Walton expressed appreciation in behalf of the entire faculty, for the outstanding work of the executive board for the past semester.

The next association meeting is Thursday, Feb. 9, at 1:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the new auditorium. "Building A Team For The Future" will be the theme. Committees featured will be Founders' Day, Red Cross and Legislation. Refreshments will be served by mothers of Mrs. Beth Landis, Robert Smith, Richard Taylor and Mrs. Olive Boring's rooms.

Evelyn Carr

Evelyn Carr School PTA met on Jan. 24 for the monthly meeting. The topic for the evening was "Close Fellowship."

The bearers of the colors were Girl Scouts from Troop 1364, who announced the Girl Scout cookie sale would begin on Feb. 17-25. Mrs. Shelton gave the inspirational and the business session was conducted by President Morgan.

Donations given by Evelyn Carr PTA included: American Field Service, Dental Health and Milk Fund. A sum of one hundred dollars was voted to the purchase of books for the Don and Robison Memorial library.

The discussion of the Carr PTA sponsorship of a YMCA group in this area brought many questions and the final ratification of this program which will begin immediately. The boys will first be invited to an open meeting to see if the enthusiasm warrants the organization of such a program.

The nominating committee was elected to select the officers for the coming year and consisted of: Chairman Mrs. J. R. Sanders, Mmes. Alex Bates, Roland Stamm, Robert Jones, Mrs. Jean Vance and Principal Donald Duncan. Membership Chairman Mrs. Alex Bates announced the total members thus far as 836, placing Carr second in the area.

Principal Donald Duncan gave a talk on "Remedial Reading" on the level with the fourth grade student.

Program Chairman Mrs. E. Kelly introduced J. B. Mosley, Torrance chairman of the American Field Service who in turn presented three students, Gloria Montesinos of Spain, Arno Mehlh of Germany, and Arny Willenson of Holland. Time sped rapidly as these students gave their impressions of this country and drew comparisons with that of their own.

Fourth grade mothers were the hostesses of the evening serving coffee and cake to the guests.

Carson St.

Late January and early February activities of the Carson Street PTA were outlined at an executive board meeting held at the school.

As reported by Mrs. Raschke, president, events included a Mothers' March on Paris on Jan. 31, sponsorship of a puppet show at Carson School on Feb. 10, and a Feb. 15 Founder's Day meeting.

The latter session will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the new auditorium with past presidents and former principals as guests. A paper and rag drive was also in the plans for an April date, not yet selected.

Mrs. Russell Gilbert, Parent Education chairman, announced that there would be a class on "Home Care of the Sick and Injured," starting on Feb. 7, at 9:30-11:30 a.m. in bungalow 11 at the Carson Street School.

A Mothers Singers Chorus is being organized at the school. A Helms luncheon is scheduled for March 2. Any one interested may contact Mrs. Henry Maxwell.

Narbonne

When Narbonne High PTA met for the January meeting, it was voted to give an honorary membership in February. Mmes. Minot Rupp and Leslie Steig were appointed to serve with Mrs. Frank Allen, life membership chairman, to choose a recipient for this high honor.

Mrs. Min Chikami, radio and television chairman, recommended the TV program, "See How They Grow" on channel 13 at 2 p.m. on Mondays. This is a program dealing with teenage psychology.

A study course "Teaching Today's Youth" for parents of students in secondary schools, will be held in the Little Theater beginning Feb. 6 at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Jan W. Plum, head counselor of the Los Angeles City School system will conduct the first class. Mrs. D. O. Jones, parent education chairman, and Mrs. Don Wolf, school education chairman, are stressing the importance of these classes. They urge all parents to attend that they may better understand the services rendered by high schools.

SCOUT TRAILS

PACK 725C
Monthly meeting of Pack 725C was held Jan. 24 at 7:30 p.m., at the 18th Street School. Cubmaster Bill Turrentine opened the meeting with the salute to the flag. There were 82 cubs and parents present, and Dens 1 and 2 tied for the attendance award.

Mike badges were presented to Lloyd Painter, Steve Sogge, Keith Benda, Harvey Cels, Glen Stearman, Michael Welsler, Ronald Powell, Jerry Stith, and Jerry Shelton. Phillip Mote received the wolf and bear badge. Mike Patton received the bear badge. Jerry Moore, John West, Dennis Welsler, Floyd Phillips and Michael Welsler received denner stripes.

Robert Allen received the gold arrow to the wolf badge. Scout neckerchief, Robert Hunt, Timmy Guckes and Jamie Smith received the silver arrow to the wolf badge. Jay Bornfeldt was presented the webelos badge and a three year pin.

Mike McMillan and Jay Bornfeldt graduated into the Boy Scouts and were received by a group of Scouts from Troop 725. Mr. Sogge, committee chairman of Troop 725, presented the boys with their graduation certificates and their Scout neckerchiefs.

Mrs. Evans led the group in a few songs, and Miss Buckley showed a very interesting color film, "Alaska Big Game Hunt." The theme for the month was REBEKAHS TO MEET TONIGHT.

Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347 will hold their regular meeting this evening with Ethel Grause, district deputy president of District 66 from Silverwave Rebekah Lodge 199 of Santa Monica, giving instructions to officers.

Mrs. Grause and her drill team will display their floor work. Lillian Blackman and her committee are in charge of refreshments.

Students to Speak at WSCS Meet

Three students from foreign lands who are studying in Torrance high schools and being cared for in foster homes in this area will be the guest speakers at the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church on Thursday, Feb. 9th.

The morning session will begin at 10 o'clock with a prayer service and a business meeting will follow conducted by Mrs. C. P. Olson, president. A playlet entitled "Oh, Yes, You Can" will be given under the direction of Mrs. Woodrow Buchanan.

JUNIORS MEET WEDNESDAY

The Junior Woman's Club will meet Wednesday evening at 8 at their club house for the regular business meeting. Nomination of new officers will be held. Mrs. Robert K. Schooley will serve as hostess.

Representing the feminine version in the small fry department at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Isaenmann of Wilmington, is 9 lb. 6 oz. Lori Ellen, their first daughter. Brothers and the new arrival are Vincent and Michael, 6. The little

miss was clocked in at 11:42 a.m. Hawaii grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Isaenmann of Oahu; Los Angeles grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Penrod, and of Sun Valley, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Schnuckel.

Reflections

BY J. HUGH SHERREY, JR.
LINCOLN SHOWED US HOW

Lincoln's whole concept of life was unity. He had compassion for mankind; there could be no shelf for one, a better one for another one, a higher one for the elite—there were no stations in the scheme of God's world.

During his political career his advisers criticized him: "Why are you kind to your enemies?" they asked. "When I make them friends they are no longer enemies," he replied. Lincoln gave us a concept of freedom; he saw men as a whole, unified, brought together as a unit. There could be no North nor could there be a South; all there could be was a United States.

He was held to scorn as being a "Back Woodsman" and such he was with all the love of man close to nature; his polish was in concepts and these we reverse today. Lincoln will live in the hearts of man wherever freedom, for all the people, is paramount.

P.S. Everyone is given beauty, regardless of price. You'll appreciate the difference.

TALLER SOLDIERS

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