



IT'S MONEY WE NEED . . . Ways and means plans to raise money for their trip to the National Y-Teen conference to be held in New York and Washington, D. C., from Nov. 1 to 8 are taking up the attention of these Y-Teen delegates who will represent Torrance at the national meeting. They are, from left, Susan Saari, Judi Benson and Flora Watson.

Torrance Representatives

Y-Teens to Attend National Conclave

Three Torrance Y-Teens have been selected by the Torrance YWCA Teenage Committee to attend the second annual National Y-Teen Conference on Youth's Role in National and World Affairs, in New York City and Washington, D. C., Nov. 1-8.

The girls, who are working with Sam Levy, honorary advisor to the group, are planning ways and means projects to finance the trip. These girls are Flora Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Watson of 2427 Border Ave.; Susan Saari, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Saari, 2427 W. 239th St.; and Judi Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson, 169 Via Monte D'Oro. Maren Courtney is alternate for the group.

The girls were picked on the basis of experience and participation in the YWCA, extra-curricular activities, grade average in school, and their willingness to report back from the conference to local groups, YWCA members, and the community.

Flora will be a senior at Torrance High school where she is a song queen. She has served as president of ICC (the YWCA Inter-Club Council) president of her Y-Teen Club, freshman, sophomore, and junior representative and has spent three years at senior

high Y-Teen Conference. Judi, a junior at South High is a member of the CSF, has been a class officer two years in a row, ICC secretary, and a member of various school and other clubs. She was at senior high conference this summer and along with Flora represented the YWCA at the Examiner Youth Forum.

Susan, also a senior at Torrance High school, is quite active in the Lutheran church, teaching Sunday School, and a member of the youth group. She has been president of her Y-Teen club, a student body officer for this coming year, and a member of Job's Daughters.

The girls have sponsored two dances to raise money. They are now working on a back-to-school dance to be held at the Armory Sept. 12.

Family Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Moore and daughters, Pam, Jill and Sally, returned last week from a ten day trip to Seattle, Wash. and Portland, Ore., where they visited relatives.

Sharon Buxton Exchanges Vows With John Stafford

Miss Sharon Buxton, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Harry L. Buxton of Redondo, formerly of the harbor area, became the bride of John William Stafford, son of Mrs. Grace Stafford of San Pedro in a one o'clock ceremony last Saturday afternoon at the Free Methodist Church in San Pedro.

Mr. Buxton walked to the altar with his daughter. She wore a floor length gown of white Chantilly lace and tulle over white satin. Her veil was held by a pearl tiara and she carried a bouquet of white gardenias, carnations and stephanotis.

Miss Marty Tomlinson was maid of honor. Her dress was of cotton blue net and chiffon and her bouquet was made of pink and blue carnations.

Manuel Medina stood as best man and ushers were Frank Scognamiglio and Richard Onken.

Mrs. Clara Price, organist, played the wedding marches and accompanied S. Matsutani

who sang "O Perfect Love" and "At Dawning."

The Rev. Donald Preston officiated at the marriage ceremony.

A reception was held in the lounge at the San Pedro YWCA. Miss Dorothy Stafford was in charge of the guest book.

The newlyweds are now at home in Inglewood. In the near future, they will make a two weeks trip to Oklahoma to visit the bridegroom's relatives.

The new Mrs. Stafford was graduated from Narbonne High school in June 1959.

Her husband is a graduate of the San Pedro High school.



VISIT HERALD PLANT . . . In conjunction with their "Community Press" month activities, members of the Torrance Business and Professional Woman's club toured the TORRANCE HERALD newspaper plant Wednesday evening. Glenn Pfeil, co-publisher and general manager, points out the keyboard on the newly installed typesetting machine which is part of the Herald's expansion program. Looking on are, from left, Mrs. Maxine Hahn, local policewoman and president of the B&PW club; Mrs. Clara Conner, Torrance postmaster, and Mrs. Rae Reinman, South Bay deputy clerk.

Bonnie Miller Club Hostess Is Engaged to James L. Cole

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Miller, 2729 Portobello Drive, Torrance, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie Lee Miller, to James Lee Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Cole of Torrance.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Torrance High school where she was active in Tartar Ladies, Future Teachers of America, Tartar Choir and California Scholarship Federation. She is now a sophomore at Long Beach State College and plans a teaching career in English.

Her fiancé graduated from Torrance High Evening School this year and is now employed as a Clerk-Carrier at the Palos Verdes Post Office. He plans to attend Long Beach State College this fall to major in engineering.

No date has been set for the wedding.

In San Francisco Mrs. Paul Harestad is visiting with friends in San Francisco.

Daughter Here

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mosher, 2306 248th St., Lomita, have as their guests this week their daughter, Mrs. Harold Bramsen and son, Bryce, of Chico, Calif.

At Press Workshop

Mrs. Godfrey Nelson, publicity chairman for the Torrance Woman's club and Mrs. Marie Quigley will attend the Marina district press workshop at the home of Mrs. Charles Blek in Inglewood Tuesday.

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers



"The Guy IS A Chiseler . . ."

Dear Ann: About this Betty whose boy friend Al is allegedly chiseling the phone company to the horror of you and "Honest Pop"—I think you're both all wet.

Al is simply making an uncompleted call. Why should he pay for it? He saves a dime by letting the phone ring twice (their signal) then hangs up. Sure, his dime is returned, but there's no chiseling involved because Betty phones him back and THIS call is not free. Pop strikes me not as Diogenes' darling, but as a man who just got his phone bill.—WALTER

Dear Walter: (and all you others who wrote to say I unjustly bum-rapped Al): The guy IS a chiseler, and this comes straight from an executive of the telephone company.

Al's uncompleted call is really a signal. Telephones are not installed for purposes of signalling.

In some states the phone company can legally discontinue service to people who misuse the phone in this way. Of course it can't be enforced in petty cases like Al's, but some business firms have lost their phones for putting a system.—(Continued on Page 10)



MRS. JOHN WILLIAM STAFFORD . . . Married Saturday (Portrait by Seeman)

In Tijuana

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Petrat spent a recent weekend in Tijuana, Mexico.

Teacher Visits

Miss Loretta Langley of Emporia, Kans., is visiting here with Miss Mabel Conger, 1681 Gramercy. Miss Langley is a commercial teacher in the Emporia High school.

'Can't Lick'em, Join'em' . . . Schools and Stork Get-together



"HELLO, THERE, WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS?" . . . In his search for new teachers, Torrance's Personnel Director Robert Morton last week interviewed 13-month-old Michael Mullaney, who expects to be teaching in about 20 years. Here, the young prospective teacher ponders the answer to the question, "Do you believe children should be spanked?"



"YOU TALK WELL, LET'S CHECK YOUR QUALIFICATIONS" . . . Morton decides to find out whether Michael is telling the truth, so he calls Michael's father, Don Mullaney, new principal of Wood Elementary School. The principal gives Michael the highest recommendations, but cautioned that he has a tendency to fall asleep at odd times during the day.



"THAT'S GOOD ENOUGH, LET'S SIGN YOU UP" . . . After some reflection, Michael decides to sign a contract which will have him reporting to work on Sept. 10, 1979. "The stork gives us lots of problems," Morton said, "So we'll have to work hard and try to beat him at his own game. Exhausted by the interview, Michael fell asleep and was carried home." (Herald photos)

Stork Problems . . . He's Got Them . . . Coming and Going

The stork is bringing many problems to the personnel department of the Torrance Unified School District.

Personnel Director Robert Morton reported that the stork gives teacher recruiters two kinds of problems:

1. The stork will be responsible for more than 2000 additional children in local schools this September. This means hiring an additional 60 teachers to bring the total number to about 950.

2. An average of about 45 teachers each year take leave because of the expected arrival of Mr. Stork.

Last week, Morton and his assistants, Lloyd Reist and James Sibert, signed up a number of new teachers. At the same time they accepted the resignations of four teachers who are expecting visits from the stork.

"We can't win," Morton said. "We'll have every classroom full in September, but it seems sometimes that the stork has us, coming and going."