

President of Halldale P-TA Awarded Life Membership Pin

Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, president of Halldale P.T.A. was awarded the life membership pin at the Thursday afternoon meeting of Halldale P.T.A.

Mrs. Amanda Bonwell, principal, lauding Mrs. Bernardin for her outstanding leadership during the past two years, made the presentation. Mesdames Don Wolf, president of Lomita-San Pedro Council; Minot Rugg, president of Narbonne P.T.A.; H. T. Seaman, past president of Halldale P.T.A.; E. G. Spratt and W. W. Weise, honored guests at the meeting, were introduced by Mrs. Bernardin, and presented with camellia corsages.

Mrs. John Wright, Founders Day chairman, presented an interesting Founders Day program to the group, featuring sixteen Halldale students in a skit honoring the birthday of P.T.A., with Mrs. John Blackmon acting as narrator.

The president adjourned the meeting with reminders of the Rag Drive to be held Monday, February 19, at the Halldale school, the Room Mothers Tea, Thursday, February 15, 1432 Engracia avenue, Torrance, 1 p.m., and the enrollment for the First Aid class to be sponsored by the Halldale P.T.A.

Refreshments were served by the room mothers from Mrs. Bernice Christensen's and Mrs. Mary Quinn's rooms.

Special Moose Meet Friday

Special meeting at the Moose Hall on Carson Street, Friday evening, February 16th at 8:00 p.m. for Area No. 3 District has been called, according to J. A. Evans, secretary.

Regional Director, James B. West, will present Brother Frank Bell with a diamond emblem from the Enrollment Department for securing over 50 applications for membership.

Also Lodge No. 785 will confer a life membership on some lucky member at this meeting.

Walteria P-TA Founders Day Feted with Skit

Founders Day was observed Thursday, Feb. 8th, at the regular meeting of the Walteria P.T.A. held in the school auditorium.

The president, Mrs. R. T. McNulty called the meeting to order. Mrs. Faye Wright led the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Inspirational message was by Roger and Royce Davis, and Jack Shiloh who sang "The Lord's Prayer."

The nominating committee, who will select officers for next year were selected. Mrs. R. T. McNulty introduced the Founders Day chairman, Mrs. Evar Jansson who introduced the past presidents of Walteria school. They were Mrs. Della Armstrong, Mrs. C. S. Edmundson, Mrs. Eva Kelly, Mrs. C. S. Murray, Mrs. John Minor, Mrs. R. J. Deurlor, Mrs. Ray Palmer, George Thather, Mrs. E. R. Connor, Mrs. B. J. Mickela, Mrs. Paul Roettger and Mrs. Robert Ziske.

Each of the past presidents were presented with a gift. This last year was the 26th year for the local Walteria P.T.A.

Honorary life membership pin was presented to Mrs. Paul Slonecker by Mrs. Carl Cramer. Mrs. Evar Jansson introduced the program with a skit called "Our Golden Tribute." Narrators were Mrs. Chas. Martz and Mrs. Evar Jansson. The girls were dressed in old fashioned clothes. Mrs. Birney was played by Vicki Hagan, Mrs. Hearst, by Patsy Wingard and the candlelighter was by Cathrine Smart. The music was by the Mothers' chorus and accompanist Mrs. Marrian Williams. In the park scene was Ruth McNulty, Barbara Howey, Gregg Dana, Marilyn Olding, Ronee Lemaster, Betty Eakins, Jacqueline Hone and Jean Currier, a quartet with Roger and Royce Davis, Victor Jones, Jack Shiloh, who sang "White Strolling Through the Park."

Mrs. Chas. Martz, hospitality chairman announced that Mrs. Marrian Williams kindergarten teacher winner of the room prize with 48 per cent.

Refreshments consisting of a beautifully decorated Founders Day cake in the P.T.A. colors was served with coffee and tea. Cup cakes and punch were served to the children. Hostesses were mothers from the third grade.

B'nai B'rith To Hear Talk On Brotherhood Week

A panel discussion relating to "Brotherhood Week" will be presented at the 8:30 p.m. Thursday Feb. 22 meeting of the South Bay B'nai B'rith Women. It will be at 200 North Catalina Ave. in Redondo Beach.

Guest panel speakers will be Rev. Patrick McGuinness of the Nativity Catholic Church of Torrance; Rev. Paul Cox of the Presbyterian Church, Redondo Beach, and Dr. Camille Honig, Rabbi of Temple Menorah, Redondo Beach. This will be a joint meeting of the men and women's groups.

All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend this outstanding program.

STORK NEWS

Born to Don and Babs Jones of 461 25th street, Redondo Beach, a son, Timothy Alexander, February 8th, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. The father is employed by the Sue's, Young and Brown, Distributors, as a salesman.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gephart of 1734 West 14th street, Gardena, a son, Gregory, on February 6th, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. The father is employed by Lee Millers and the mother was Wanda Busick before her marriage. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Busick of 21302 Archibald, Torrance and Mr. and Mrs. George Meade of Hawthorne.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Jacobs Jr., of 1433 West 22nd street, Torrance, a son, Mark Chester, February 8th, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. The father is in business with his father, David Jacobs, of Torrance. The mother before marriage was Shirley Jean Boothe. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Jacobs and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boothe of Torrance.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ryo Komaf of 16119 Brighton avenue, Gardena, a son, Stanley, February 6, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Komaf is the owner of the Gardena Pharmacy and the mother was Jean Sakako Fukui before her marriage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Bradshaw of 1021 West Pacific Coast Highway, Harbor City, a son, Steven Lee, February 9th, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Bradshaw is employed as a pressman at the Rubbercraft Company. The mother was Nona Adcox before marriage.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Coburn of 2738 Martha street, Torrance, a son, John Mark, February 7th, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Rev. Coburn is pastor of the Lomita Community Church.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stork of 25838 Pennsylvania avenue, Lomita, a daughter, Patricia Louise, February 12, at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Stork is employed as a carpenter in the Lakewood Housing Project. The mother's maiden name was Grace Flanagan.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Westbrook of 850 West 167th street, Gardena, a daughter, Vikki Lynn, February 9th at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Westbrook is employed as a carpenter by the Henry C. Soto Company and the mother's maiden name was Beverly Askbrook.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chappell of 2037 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita, a daughter, Veda Mae, February 9th at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Chappell is a route salesman with the Jewel Tea Company. The mother's maiden name was Florence Duffield before her marriage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Arnold of 210 North Broadway, Redondo Beach, a daughter, Joyce Ann, February 9th at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Arnold is a butcher with the Dick Smart Locker Co., and the mother was Alma Jaquetta London before marriage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Otto of 20416 South Normandie, Torrance, a daughter, Janice Margarite, February 7th at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Otto is in the United States Navy. Mrs. Arnold, before marriage, was Margaret Hetrick.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Terry Shipley of 701 Colin avenue, Compton, a daughter, Shelley Lee, February 8th at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Shipley is a die caster with the Alloy Die Casting Company and Mrs. Shipley was Beverly Jean Perine before marriage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Larson of 2315 Vanderbilt Lane, Redondo Beach, a daughter, Gretchen Glad, February 9 at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Larson is an aerodynamicist with the North American Aircraft Company. The mother was Ruth E. Boyce before marriage.

Eight More Named For Red Cross Campaign

Appointed this week by Mrs. Gladys Weston, 1951 Red Cross Fund chairman of Torrance were eight persons to serve locally on the campaign which will begin three days ahead of time.

The drive's opening was advanced from March 1 to Feb. 26 to insure an early realization of the \$3,600,000 goal set for the Los Angeles area, said Mrs. Weston.

The new appointees include two colonels and six majors. The colonels are Mrs. Joseph Andrade, 4308 West 174th street, and Mrs. Winifred Spelman, 2314 Doris way.

The majors are Mrs. Florence Martin, 2431 Gramercy avenue; Mrs. Ethel R. Richardson, 22903 Cabrillo avenue; Mrs. N. D. Smith, 2010 Martina; Mrs. T. L. Saunders, 2847 Gramercy avenue; Mrs. John W. Harvey, 2152 Middlebrook road, and Mrs. Wanda Phillips, 1569 West 228th.

"It is urgent," Mrs. Weston said, "that the war-gearred Red Cross programs, with increasing demands from the military and the civilian defense effort, be set in motion and accelerated as soon as possible."

To adequately support our fighting men, she said, it will cost the Los Angeles Red Cross chapter \$7 a minute, around the clock, day and night—virtually double what it cost in 1950.

Workers will get last-minute instructions via television on the kickoff date, Feb. 26, between 11 and 11:45 a. m. over KFI-TV, (channel 9). After a dramatic program, which will stress the importance of the 1951 Red Cross fund campaign, Mrs. John E. McGovern, campaign vice-chairman, will address the Red Cross

Paintings by Children To Be On Exhibition

From February 10th, through March 9th, the Palos Verdes Community Arts Association will present one of the most spontaneous exhibits ever to be offered to the community, "Paintings by Children."

This exhibit should hold tremendous interest for all who value the free expression of young children.

Entries will come from the schools of Redondo Beach, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, and the peninsula schools of Malaga Cove, Mirafeste, Valmonte and Chadwick. Ages will range from kindergarten through the fourth grade.

The regular work of these children will be shown, not that done especially for the exhibit. Don Siedler, architectural student, and Wm. Steiger, art student, volunteers gathered around designated TV receivers.

When the telecast is over, solicitors will receive their campaign kits, and the 1951 Red Cross fund drive will be on.

On Thursday evening, February 15th, at 8:00 o'clock at the Palos Verdes Library Art Gallery she will speak and show slides on the subject of Children's Art.

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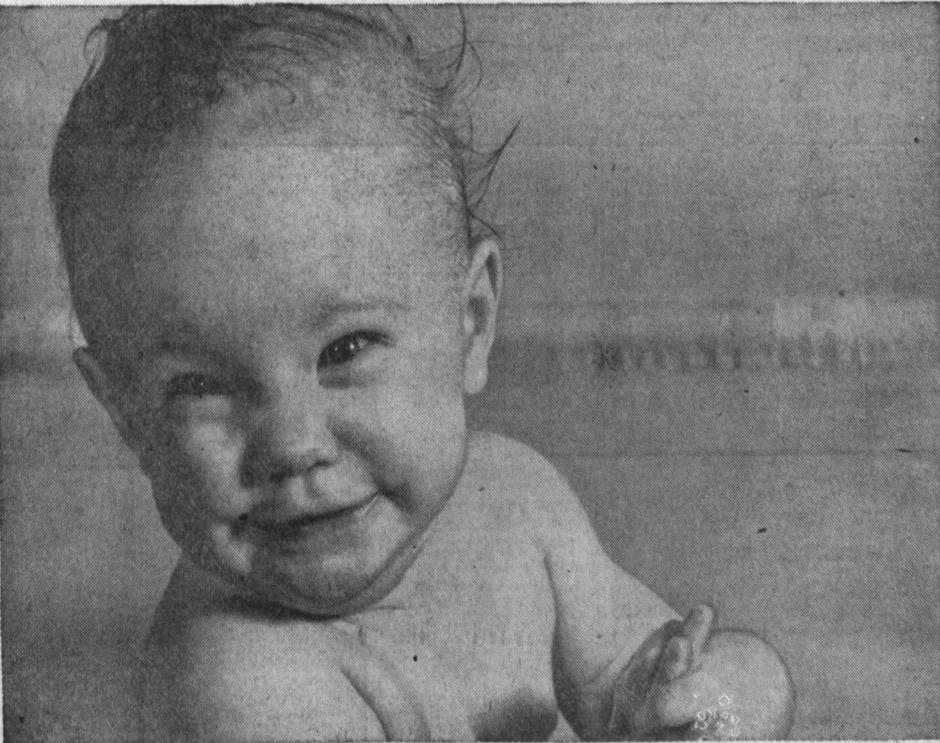
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Perry School P-TA Observes Founders Day

Founders Day will be observed at the Feb. 15 meeting of the Perry School P-T.A. It will be held 1:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

The Founder's Day program will be especially dedicated to the observance of the P-T.A. Founders, Alice McLellan Birney and Phoebe Hearst.

A skit, "School of Long Ago" will feature Mr. Porter and his eighth grade pupils. Everyone is invited to attend.

Royal Neighbor Card Party February 20

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular card party on February 20th in the Woman's Club House on Engracia street.

The Past Oracles Club will have charge of the evening, and bunco will be played with prizes for high scores. Door prizes will also be given.

Refreshments will be served during the adding of the scores. The public is cordially invited to attend.

B'nai B'rith Theatre Party Well Attended

Under the capable chairmanship of Mrs. Bernard Robinson of Gardena a very successful South Bay B'nai B'rith theatre party was held on February 14, 1951.

The play, a three act comedy entitled "The Butter and Egg Man" was given at the Bliss Hayden theatre.

More than a hundred members and their friends attended the performance.

All proceeds from the affair will go toward B'nai B'rith charities; the Leo N. Lovi Memorial Hospital, the Anti-Defamation League, and Youth programs.

Trio Rebekahs Plan Winter Activities

Trio Rebekah Lodge will meet in regular business session on Wednesday evening, February 14th at the California Hall on the Pacific Coast Highway in Lomita.

The new Noble Grand, Mrs. Amy Savage will preside. Plans for the winter's activities will be arranged at this time as well as other items of interest to be discussed. Mrs. Anna Mac Isbell will have charge of the social hour and as it is Valentine's Day, she is asking that each member bring some valentines.

Attend Health Day Program

Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, president of Halldale P.T.A., and Mrs. J. D. Edens, health chairman, were present at the Community Health Day program, Wednesday, Feb. 14, at the Biltmore Hotel, held in conjunction with Health Promotion Week.

At Hospital

Recuperating from an operation last week at Torrance Memorial Hospital is Mrs. Elizabeth Hinckley, owner of Hinckley's Market in Lomita.

Mrs. Hinckley will undergo two more operations, the next of which will be in about 10 days. She will be inactive for two or three months, according to her son, Tom Hinckley.

Nearly 700,000 World War II veterans went into training under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 for the first time during 1950, bringing the total number of veterans who have entered the training program up to 7,900,000.

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