

### Needy Children Benefit From Christmas Party

Students at the Ventura Home for Girls were the beneficiaries of the proceeds of the annual Children's Christmas Party held last week by the Torrance Junior Women's Club. Nearly 140 children of members and gift-filled stockings from a jolly Santa Claus, according to Mrs. George Stevens, general chairman of the event. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served by refreshment chairman Mrs. George Bradford and her assistants. Many of the children attending were accompanied by their parents.

### Students Present Yule Musical For P-TA Members

The Gardena-Wilmington Council P-TA held their Christmas breakfast meeting at the Dominguez School on Friday, December 12, with members of the Dominguez P-TA serving as hosts. At tables adorned with Christmas greenery and miniature snow queens, 88 parent-teacher members were served with a delicious breakfast of ham and eggs. Gaily wrapped gifts were drawn from a realistic chimney. During the business meeting, following the breakfast program, Mrs. James A. Gauley, council president, presented a parchment award to each principal of the 14 elementary schools of the Gardena-Wilmington Council, for having attained 100% teacher membership in the recent membership drive. Membership of Gardena-Wilmington Council P-TA now numbers 7,031 members.

Highlighting the Christmas musical program, was "The Christmas Story" with living pictures, presented by the students of Dominguez School, under the direction of Mrs. Virginia Lien. Narrators were Beverly Karpinsky and Virginia Cates. Selections of Christmas songs were also presented by the Dominguez boys chorus.

Guest principals presented by their P-TA president were: Mrs. Alice Pitcher, Amstutz School; Mrs. M. Q. Wallace, Carson Street School; Mrs. Margaret Smith, Catekill Avenue School; Miss Julia Kelly, Chapman Avenue School; Mrs. Vivian Strand, Del Amo School; Mrs. Olga Fleming, Dominguez School; Mrs. Evalyn Sullivan, Fries Avenue School; Mrs. Otis Vans, Gardena Elementary School; Mrs. Irvin Wallace, Gulf Avenue School and Mrs. Dorothy Jean Higgins, 135th Street School. Other school P-TAs represented were Denker Avenue, Hawaiian Avenue, 186th Street and Wilmington Park.

Nothing can bring you peace but yourself; nothing can bring you peace but the triumph of principles. —Emerson

Daughter returning from vacation, after her mother has asked how the water was: "Just wonderful — full of men!"

### Prominent Local Businesswoman Given Club Post

Mrs. Edith Smith Carragher, first president of the Harbor District Soroptimist Club, has been selected to serve on the Legislative Council program committee of three for 1952-53. It was announced by Soroptimist officers of the new Pacific Region.

A long-time harbor area resident, Mrs. Carragher was also appointed chairman of conference meeting at the Pacific Region meeting in Long Beach where representatives of 67 clubs from areas encompassing Southern Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, California, and Tijuana, Old Mexico gathered earlier this fall.

Born in Colorado and living in this area for more than 40 years, Mrs. Carragher and her family have been connected with the development of Lomita for the past 42 years. She has carried on the real estate and insurance business founded by her father, the late J. A. Smith.

Active in civic affairs, the newly appointed regional committee-woman has served as auditor for the Narbonne Ave PTA for three years and as vice president of the 18th District, California Real Estate Association.

Mrs. Carragher, the Harbor District Club first president, is credited with doing much in helping to found and first organize its members.

### War Mothers Need Gifts for Veterans

Magnolia Chapter of American War Mothers have set containers on Frank's Furniture and Strum's Dept. Store for the collection of gifts for hospitalized veterans. These gifts may be stationary, postage, toilet articles, decks of cards and games, and will be given directly to veterans in hospitals by members of the local chapter. "Time is running out, so get your donations in as soon as possible. Each gift helps brighten the holiday for one who has served his country," stated Mrs. William Eybe, president of the club.

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