

New Officers Installed at PTA Meet

The 186th Street Parent-Teacher Association held its installation of officers for the coming year recently. The officers-elect are Mesdames James McMillen, president; A. B. Pond, vice-president; Floyd White, secretary; W. C. Attebery, treasurer; Ben Gothran, auditor; David Wood, historian; Claud Hill, parliamentarian, and Miss Hilda Jollison, 2nd vice-president.

The topic of the day was "What Families Do for Boys and Girls," and Mrs. Iah Brunson spoke on the subject, "Leisure Time with Your Children." Mrs. Severin discussed "Habits of Good Health as Seen Through the Eyes of the School Clerk."

Mrs. Donald Meridith gave a report on the recent trip made by members of the association to the 10th District Health Center Building, Mrs. W. A. Douglas gave her historian's report of the activities of the 186th Street P-TA for the year which is just coming to an end.

The hostesses for the social hour which followed the meeting were Mesdames Walter Hoffman, Donald Meridith.

Carson C of C Spring Carnival Results Tabbed

Despite the fact that the weather conditions were very adverse for a completely successful affair, the first annual spring carnival sponsored by the Carson Chamber of Commerce was reasonably successful from a monetary standpoint.

The net profit as reported at the special meeting held recently was \$1,479.78. Of this amount 25% was given to the recreation fund of the Avalon-Sepulveda park leaving a balance of \$1,109.98 for the coffers of the Chamber.

Because the turnout to the sponsored booths was not as large as anticipated, the Chamber decided against making any charge to the organization for their booth space.

The "Dominguez Rotary Club" and the "Wilmington Optimist" donated all of their profit to the Avalon-Sepulveda recreation fund.

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Elementary PTA's Theme for Next Year: Opportunities Unlimited

Torrance Elementary P-TA has selected its theme for the 1953-54 season "Opportunities Unlimited," announced Mrs. Robert Moffitt, president of the association this week. This theme and a tentative program for the new school year were decided upon when Mrs. Moffitt, Robert Morton, school principal, and Mrs. Charles Mullen, first vice-president and program chairman met in the offices of the principal recently.

Chairmen Ratified By Officials of 10th District P-TA

The elected officers and local unit presidents of Lomita, San Pedro Council of P-TA met in the home of Council President Mrs. William Russell, 1067 W. 17th street, San Pedro recently to ratify the new chairmen for the council year, 1953-54.

New chairmen are: Art, Mrs. C. L. Wilson; achievement evaluation, Mrs. Thurman Raig; coordinating council, Mrs. Hazel Stanton; child welfare, Mrs. William Probert; civil defense, Mrs. Richard Moretti; health, Mrs. Freddie Doolin; community chest, Mrs. J. A. Johnson; home service, Mrs. S. Mickunas; hospitality, Mrs. Lloyd Adams; international relations, Mrs. Anthony DeMaria; juvenile protection, Mrs. Louis Miller; music, Mrs. H. T. Nishimoto; founders day, Mrs. Norman Manes; magazines, Mrs. E. McIntyre; motion picture, Mrs. A. C. Akerson; membership, Mrs. C. L. Wilson; newsletters, Mrs. George Whaler; parent education, Mrs. A. W. Patriotic; program, Mrs. George Weeks; principal representative, Mrs. Mary Maner; publications and emblems, Mrs. E. Cleveland; radio, Mrs. Walter Arnstein; registration, Mrs. Clifford Harvey; room mothers, Mrs. T. Dowland; school education, Mrs. Amanda Bonwell; television, Mrs. Sam Botwin; safety, Mrs. Peter Costa Jr.; ways and means, Mrs. D. W. Brenden; youth services, Mrs. John Blackman; life membership, Mrs. Harold Jack; citizenship, Mrs. Howard Lane and Mrs. Stanley Carter; publicity, Mrs. James Triffon.

Those attending this board meeting were: Mmes. Russell, 1st vice-president, George Weeks, 2nd vice-president, C. L. Wilson, secretary, Thos. Reese, historian, Patapoff, parliamentarian, Harold Jack, J. Walker, Barton Hill;

Mrs. Salcido Installed as PTA Head

With Mrs. William Brocklebank, president of Lomita-San Pedro Council conducting, Mrs. E. E. Salcido was officially seated as 1953-54 president of Halldale PTA at a recent meeting of the group. Other officers installed were Mmes. E. N. Reese, first vice-president; Amanda Bonwell, second vice-president; Fred Schimmel, recording secretary; David Goolsby, treasurer; John Andrade, financial secretary; Walter Schwass, auditor; William McAllister, historian; and Ed Campbell, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Nell Colburn Heads YWCA; Others Elected

Officers for the Torrance Branch of the YWCA were chosen at a luncheon meeting of the branch committee on administration held at Dow Chemical.

Nell Colburn, former Y club advisor, will head the group as chairman. Chosen to serve as vice-chairman will be Mrs. Minnie Solomon, outgoing chairman. Mrs. William Herrmann has consented to take over the secretary's job while Mrs. Lee Stamps, finance chairman for the Harbor District, will be the treasurer. Mrs. Walter Levy served as chairman of the nominating committee.

The group was welcomed by Alex Bero of Dow Chemical who is also chairman of the Harbor Area Board of the Welfare Federation of which the YWCA is a member.

Those present included: Mesdames Minnie Solomon, Lee Stamps, Phelan Foley, L. A. McCoy, Floyd Miller, Carl Mohler, Walter Levy, Warren Hamilton, Walter Silence, Miles Booth, William Herrmann, Darwin Parrish, and Elsa J. Morris, and Charlotte Lukes, and Nell Colburn.

George Hundley, Cabrillo; Peter Bruitt, 15th St.; Ray Groover, Harbor City; Douglas Brazell, Lealand; J. O. Powers, Orange St.; Grant Allen, Point Fermin; William Shier, 7th St.; and F. Luciene, White Point.

Garden Club Has Birthday Party; Will Take Trips

Torrance Terrace Garden club held its seventh annual birthday party at Smith Bros. Fish Shanty, Mesdames Victor Benstead, Laurence Derouin, and Gil Derouin, were on the committee for table decorations.

It was decided that the group will hold no meetings during the summer but that it will go on four tours. Guests are invited to attend the tours and may call Mrs. Carl Hood, FA. 8-4302 or Mrs. M. Rugg, FA. 8-3041.

Schedule of tours is as follows: July 8, Johnson cactus and water gardens, Paramount. July 22, Huntington Library gardens, San Marino. August 12, Paul J. Howard nursery, West Los Angeles. August 26, Armstrong nursery, North Hollywood.

The group will start out around 8 or 9 a.m. for the all-day tour. Guests at the birthday party were Mmes. Charles Ward, Barnard Joebanks, and F. A. Derouin.

A colorful sidelight of the party was that Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz were having lunch at the Shanty at the same time the Garden club held. The popular TV stars were shooting a picture in Palos Verdes Hills.

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