

### Off-Street Parking Lot Asked

Action on a petition by Dr. Fred L. Wright, of 1023 Arlington avenue presented a petition of protest signed by 31 persons.

Residents objected on the grounds of noise, trash, and decreased property valuation.

C. McLean, who owns adjoining property, said he had no objection provided a six foot fence were built around the lot.

Dr. Berke explained that he owns a commercial building next to the lot and that he desired to provide off-street parking. He stated that the lot would be properly fenced and landscaped.

### New President Takes Helm At First Leland St. Meeting

A record number of mothers turned out for the get-acquainted tea held recently at Leland St. school.

Presiding for the first time before the school in her official capacity as president of the Leland P-TA, Mrs. Harry Foot, Jr. extended a welcome to the group and expressed a desire for continuance of friendly spirit shown by the parents of the assembly.

She stressed the fact that the job of the P-TA was to "see that the public is intelligently informed of school affairs" and also "to create a harmonious understanding between teacher and parent."

Harry Sams, principal, spoke a few words of greeting to the mothers. He said that the number of students at Leland had

### HALLDALE P-TA HOLDS GET-ACQUAINTED TEA

Mothers new to Halldale avenue school attended a Kindergarten mothers tea last week, sponsored by the Halldale School P-TA, to better acquaint parents new to the school with their personnel and activities.

Purpose of these teas, which are open to any mother whose child is enrolled at school, are to give the mothers, particularly those new to the school, a nodding acquaintance with new faculty members and the school.

Mrs. David P. Goolsby, president of the parent-teacher group, greeted P-TA members and mothers new to the school. Members of the executive board will serve as hostesses and will provide home-baked refreshments.

### B'nai B'rith Board Meets

The South Bay B'nai B'rith Women will hold their board meeting at the home of Mrs. Mitchell Markow, 14811 Bodger ave., Hawthorne, tonight, at 8:30 p.m. Guest for the evening will be grand lodge representative, Mrs. Edward Roodberg.

Refreshments will be served after the business session.

Final plans will be made for the South Bay Men & Women's chapters of B'nai B'rith Halloween "Pumpkin Ball" which will be held Saturday, October 29 at Temple Shalom, located at Century and Normandie.

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Tom Ritchey, 24, an animal husbandry student from Torrance was recently elected president of the freshman class at California State Polytechnic college's Kellogg-Voorhis campus.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ritchey of 1414 West 218th street, Torrance.

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