



TWO YEARS OLD... That's what Carr elementary school is—and pupils celebrated the birthday this week. Trying to blow out the big candles are Frankie Oberpriller, 5, and Donna Soth, 5, Kindergarten students in Mrs. Betty Henton's class. The above is a reproduction of the real cake they had earlier.—Press Photo

## Representatives To Attend Balboa Recreation Meeting

Mrs. Herma Tillim of the Torrance Recreation Commission, Miss Marilyn Jensen, Lester F. Breitenfeldt, and Harry B. Van Bellehem of the Torrance Recreation Department, will represent this area at the fourth annual California Recreation Conference in San Diego's Balboa park on February 12-15. Theme of the convention is "Recreation in California—Today and Tomorrow."

**Panels**  
Mrs. Tillim will attend the sessions for commissioners and board members, representing the Torrance Recreation Commission.

## Physicians Aid Heart Fund Drive

A special committee of 132 physicians has been appointed to spearhead the 1956 Heart Fund Campaign among members of the medical profession. Alex A. Roger, M.D., president of the Los Angeles County Heart association, announced today.

Dr. Roger said the committee will be headed by Walter S. Thompson, Jr., M.D., Los Angeles heart specialist, and will function under the direction of Rolla R. Hays, Jr., of San Marino, Heart Fund chairman.

In addition to the Physicians Campaign committee, more than 200 heart specialists and internists, who serve the Heart association throughout the year as members of the speakers bureau, will be available to clubs and organizations throughout the month to conduct lay education programs on heart and blood vessel diseases.

The Physicians Campaign committee members for this area were announced as follows:

Miss Jensen, Breitenfeldt, and Van Bellehem are taking an active part by appearing on several panels.

Miss Jensen will be on the panel discussing field experience in recreation curriculum; Breitenfeldt will appear on the panel "Family Recreation Institute"; and Van Bellehem will appear on the panel "The Use of the California Guide in Planning."

The panel on the use of the California Guide was set up to discuss and analyze the results of a recent survey financed on a statewide basis by the Rosenberg Foundation.

Close to 1300 delegates from recreation and related fields will gather to hear prominent speakers, to discuss common problems in some 32 special sessions and to plan ahead for leisure in California at the conclave. The conference is co-sponsored by the California Recreation Commission, the National Recreation Association, and the California Recreation Society.

**Persons Attending**  
In attendance at conference sessions will be administrators and personnel of recreation and park agencies, volunteers and professional personnel of youth-serving groups, members of commissions, representatives of cities, counties, state and federal agencies, church leaders, social workers, college faculty and student representatives, members of P-T-A, F.H. clubs,



CRISIS!... Shown in an emotion-packed scene from the variety show to be presented by the students of North Torrance High School on Saturday, February 11, are: (l-r) Miss Rozann

Wills, the mistress of ceremonies; Miss Phylcia Loveland, playing the part of the maid; and Miss Ruth Saylor, playing the part of Mrs. Money Bags. Press-Photo.

## North High Musical Revue Will Satirize TV Shows

The "N Revue," the first musical variety show to be presented by the students of North Torrance high school, will be given at the Torrance high school auditorium, on Saturday, February 11.

### Dear Editor...

NTCIA PLEDGE—  
Editor:  
Torrance Press,

Answering their plea for assistance, the NTCIA promises aid to the residents in the flooded area of Glenburn, Falda, Elgar, 168th and Cherry avenue.

It has been determined that trash, weeds, rocks and other obstructions seriously impeded the flow of water in the Dominguez flood control channel resulting in high standing water in residential areas because it could not flow into the channel.

The most disturbing aspect of this situation is, the county flood control knew this would happen weeks before the heavy rain. In answering the question, which area would be affected most in case of heavy rains, North Torrance was named as the most likely area to be flooded. The deluged victims can testify as to the accuracy of this prediction.

The NTCIA started an investigation of the Dominguez channel last October, their committee presenting both written and pictorial evidence of the vast accumulation of foreign objects together with lush verdant growth of weeds, the cumulative effects of which had contributed to the lack of flowability of storm waters.

The spokesman for the committee contacted the office of the county supervisors and was assured that their office was aware of the condition of the channel and as a temporary expedient would dredge it out immediately, in the meantime continuing their long range plans for final completion of the channel. This dredging has not been accomplished. WHY?  
(signed) L. H. Holcomb.

### Khamsin Zuannas To Install Officers

Hildur Kinder of Lomita, Dep. Great Ashayhi, of Khamsin Zuanna 127, will install Jean Collins of South Gate as Great Ashayhi, and her group of officers at their Wednesday, February 15 meeting the YWCA building, 6th and Pine, Long Beach.

The members plan to come dressed as hobos and bring a sack lunch. The members will welcome any visiting Zuannas.

The show is produced by the Girls' and Boys' Leagues and staged by the drama department under Mrs. Betty E. Hobbs, Jr., president; Charles Mr. and Mrs. Harold and student representatives, department under Mrs. Betty Warren, and the Music Department under Martin Baum. Louis Bereskin supervised the skits.

The theme for the show will be "An Evening of TV Shows." The students have worked up a variety of acts based on an

original and delightful satire of the various shows seen on television. Miss Rozann Wills, as mistress of ceremonies, will be in charge of switching off and on the imaginary television set.

Among the acts to be presented will be a western skit, "The Crisco Kid"; a detective show, "Fishnet." "Mr. Ogelthorpe's Dilemma," songs, a ballet, "Fugitive Suite," the Gene Norman Dancers, monologues, tumbling; an accordion solo, and a clever take-off on commercials.

*Saxon... High... Lights*  
By BONNIE WILLIAMS  
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North high's first variety show, N-Review, will be presented this Saturday night at the Torrance high school auditorium.

The show's theme is centered around television shows. It is composed of many different acts ranging from dancers and singers to instrumentalists. Three skits will be presented, "Fishnet," "The Sad Life of Mr. Ogelthorpe" and "Kisco Kid in Torrance Gulch."

So remember the date, February 11, for a fun-filled evening at North high's first variety show.

**Snoopin' Around**  
An early Valentine's party was given by Rosemary Francis at the home of her sister and brother-in-law last Saturday night. Red and white decorations adorned the walls while a huge red and white heart graced the front door.

Those enjoying the fun were Jerry Bloomfield and Sylvia Chase, Larry Anderson and Phyllis Dollans, Mike Schneider and Shara Gazay, Bob Grease, Judy Buffenbarger, Bob Walker, Bonnie Williams, Lionel Gillespie, Terry Baker, Bob J. Turner, and Darrell Adamson.

A surprise engagement party was given for Elene Russell at her home last Saturday night by her mother and future mother-in-law.

North high has lost sophomore Fay Amundson who moved to Fullerton, California, last week.

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