

YWCA Holds Annual Meet

"No Man Is An Island" was previewed at the 35th annual meeting of the Harbor Area YWCA on Wednesday, May 15, in San Pedro.

The film, produced and narrated by Julien Bryan, told the story of YWCA work in Germany, Lebanon, Japan and Greece, with the difference in program and likeness of purpose.

Preceding the showing, Y-teens sang, "No Man Is An Island" led by Mrs. Kent Padgett. The group included: Kathy Shoultz, Betty Guldberg, Susanne Herron, Betty Blackstone, Laurelyn Borst, Randi Bergman, Herlinda Flores, Virginia Uram, Barbara Dolan and Mari-

lyn Swank.

Results of the election for board members and for the 1958 nominating committee was given by Mrs. Gilbert Myers, chairman for the nominating committee.

Others participating in the program were Sandra Davies, Judi Drake, and Judy Wolf, Y-teens who represented the association at the National Y-teen conference.

The committee for the annual meeting were: Mrs. Schuyler Hoffman, chairman, Mmes. A. E. Palmer, Allen Pyeatt, E. G. Croom, Floyd Latham, Carl Taylor, E. C. Spire, Elsa Morris, Otis Blackstone, and Misses Jeannette Patchin, Marian Fout, and Edith Simpehaar.



Lavender Tea

North High PTA welcomed the Freshman Mothers at a Lavender Tea given in the school Cafeteria Friday afternoon, May 3. Getting acquainted with each other, the mothers gathered in groups (as shown at left); while (right) at the beautifully decorated serving table tea was served to teachers Dick Garrett and Jim Guillet, by Mrs. Robert Cage, PTA auditor and Mrs. Fred Atkins, student welfare chairman.

—Press Photo

PTA HOSTS MOTHERS' TEA

Freshman Mothers were given a cordial welcome at the North High PTA 'Lavender Tea' Friday afternoon, May 3, held in the school Cafeteria.

A 'Welcome Freshman Mothers' poster with huge lettering hung from the stage, and caught the eyes of all who entered the room.

Acting as hosts and hostesses were the executive board of the PTA, the principal, and the freshman teachers. Dale M. Harter, principal, welcomed the guests and introduced the board members and the teachers. Presidents of other North Torrance school PTA units, and principals, were invited, and many attended. All

schools in the area were represented by a large number of parents attending. Mrs. Francis Stoeckle, Council president, was a guest.

Mrs. J. R. Sanders, president of North High PTA extended a personal invitation for all mothers present to become an active part of the secondary PTA.

Guest books, provided for registration, were taken care of by Mrs. S. H. Odell and William Sale.

The tea table was beautifully arranged with a lavender net covering, and a centerpiece of spring flowers and candles. The silver tea service and punch bowl were provided by the student body of North High.

BLUEBIRDS HOST MOTHERS AT TEA MAY 9

The Silver Bluebirds honored their mothers at a tea May 9, at the home of their leader, Mary McCormick. The 7-year-old Bluebirds made their own invitations, mother's day cards, place cards, vases, etc.

There was a well-planned program consisting of songs, games, the recitation of the Bluebird Wish, and two special events — the presentation of carnations to each mother, and

a hat fashion show presented by Ruth Fenton, assistant leader.

The hats, made of paper plates, dollies, ribbons, etc. were designed and modeled by the Silver Bluebirds. The carnations and roses for the tables were donated by Lou and Sue of the Alondra Beauty salon.

Attending the event were Diane Black, and daughter

Stephanie; Grace Dempster and daughter Devra; Ruth Fenton and daughter Lynn; Ann Liberti and daughter Barbara; Beverly Looney and daughter Shirley; Mary McCormick and daughter Karin; Zena Beth Ralls and daughter Kathy; Pauline Schossow and daughter Paula; Nola Vance and daughter Linda.

Open House Held In May

Open House at the Howard Wood school was preceded by a PTA meeting recently.

The group voted to have a graduation party for the eighth graders. The high school After-Graduation-Party will receive a donation from the group, as will the Torrance Council Milk fund. The PTA-sponsored Library will also receive added funds to purchase books.

C. R. Ahee, principal of Torrance High school extended an invitation to all 8th grade parents to continue in PTA at the high school.

The program for the evening was a science display by Hubert Brier's 5th grade class.

Refreshments were served by Mmes. Kurt Muranaka, Keith Johnson, Custer Hawley, P. M. Crossman, U. G. Tidmarsh.

Installation of officers will be held at the June 6 Association meeting.

May Day Festival Friday at Harbor City School

Harbor City school will hold its annual May Day festival Friday, May 17, at 10:45 a.m. on the playground. The PTA will sponsor a kitchen sale, featuring handmade towels, pot-holders, aprons, etc. as well as white elephants, flowers and food.

The theme used by the children will be "The Circus." Hot dogs, lemonade, cake, coffee, ice cream and pop corn will be served. Parents of all the children in the school, as well as public, are invited.

Boy Scouts to Sell Donuts Saturday

Boy Scout Troop 211 sponsored by the Howard Wood school PTA will sell donuts door-to-door Saturday, May 18. Plans were completed at a meeting last Wednesday with R. Mallet, chairman.

Scoutmaster Don Cooks will lead the troop when the scouts spend the week-end at O'Neill Park, May 24, 25, during the Harbor District camporee. On May 4 the boys visited Firestone Park in Brea Canyon with their parents.

Love Poem Wins Honorable Mention

Mrs. Stella Fluelling, Torrance, won honorable mention for her love poem, "Our Valley" at the Chaparral Poets Convention, May 11. On May 6 the Palos Verdes Chapter of the Chaparral Poets met in San Juan Capistrano for luncheon at the home of Ruth Forbes Sherry where they discussed the poems of German poet, Ranier Maria Rilke.



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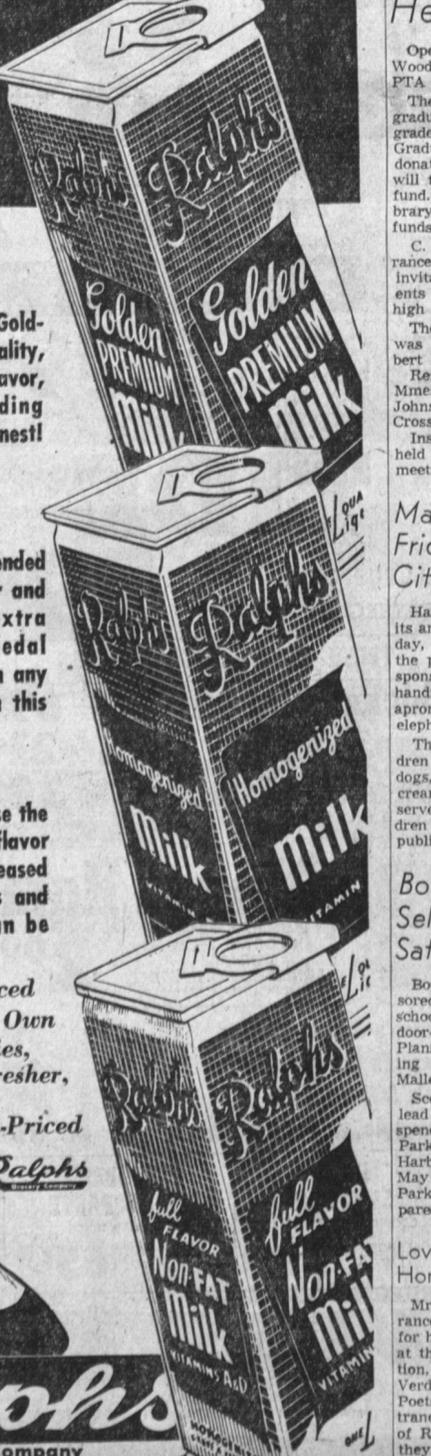
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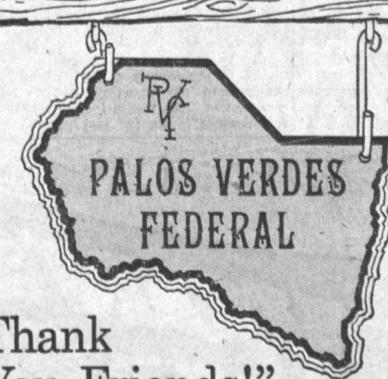
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