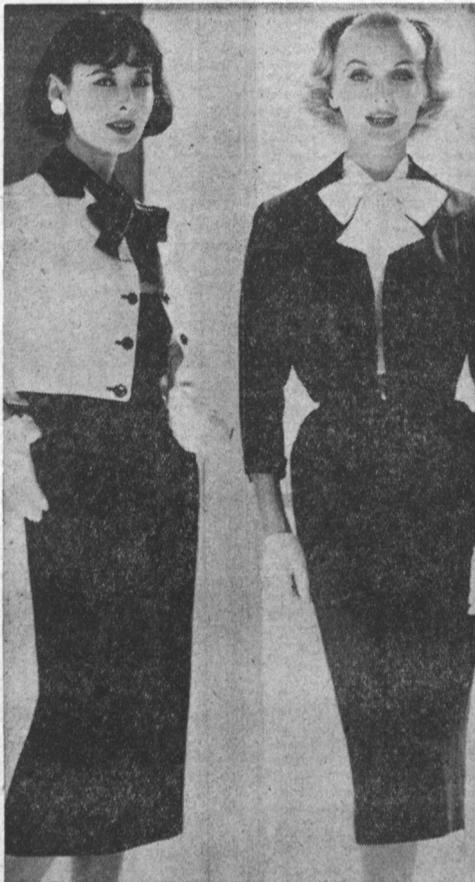
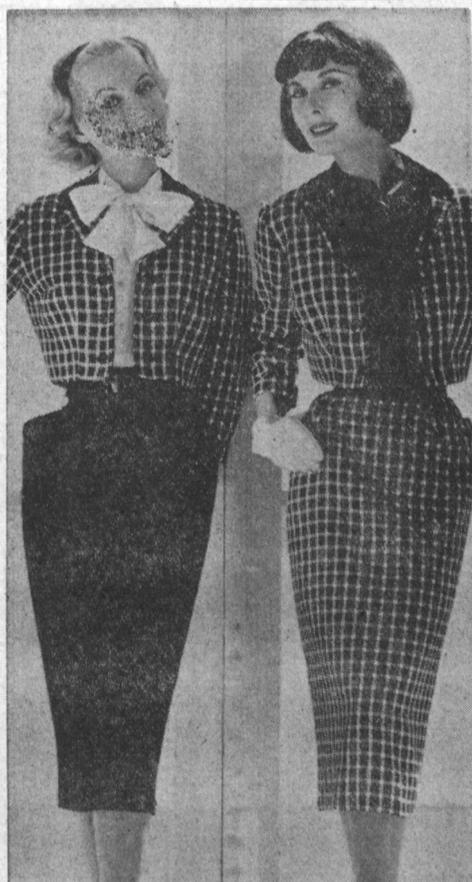


THE FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING in California are not the robin and the crocus, but black and white fashions from Tabak... this season Tabak calls them Sunset Strips, slim shafts of black and white, the bloused bodice, with button trim, the slim squared necked sheath.



BLACK AND WHITE and worn all over... these slivers of black and white... part of Tabak's new collection for spring... named California Postmarks... these from a group of Sunset Strips. The alpaca-weave slim skirt with angled pockets and a tiny waistlength jacket.



...with a jacket of loomed cotton, fashioned into a jacket to top a slim skirt of black alpaca-weave or one of matching checks. Both suited by a tow-tied silky blouse... typical Tabak spring favorites.

TO APPEAR IN 'TAKE FIVE'

Volunteers Receive National Honors

The result of many months of correspondence was brought to a fruitful conclusion last Thursday afternoon when the Volunteers for Children Inc. were photographed at their work for the magazine "Take Five," a promotional publication of the Saturday Evening Post.

The women who were photographed were Mrs. John Stoddard, president; Mrs. Joseph Dock, publicity; Mrs. Dean Madson, board member; and Mrs. George Morehart, party chairman. Mrs. Donald Smith and Mrs. Louis deBottari, were unable to attend. The women were chosen for the outstanding job they have done for the organization.

Volunteers for Children Inc. was started from an article in the Saturday Evening Post called "They Heal The Heart-sick." A letter was written last February telling the editors how the group had formed; what they had done in the past; and what they were hoping to do in the future.

From this original letter, the Promotion Department decided it would make a good feature story for the magazine they publish called "Take Five." Many months passed with letters going between here and Philadelphia before the final result last week. The story should be out within the next month or so.

Although the group is justly proud of being photographed for a magazine, Mrs. John Stoddard expressed the sentiments of the Volunteers for Children when she said "We cannot go on past laurels nor dwell on the accomplishments of the past. We must look to and plan for the future always with the thought that when you serve others with humility you not only follow the golden rule, but you yourself become a better and richer person."

SORORITY MAKES PLANS FOR SPECIAL CEREMONY

Lambda Eta Chapter held 1st regular meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Fred Tent, 6512 W. 87th pl., Westchester.

A short business session was held to discuss the Chapter plans for the Pledge Ritual and Ritual of Jewels ceremony at the Breakers cafe in Manhattan Beach on November 20 at 7 p.m. The pledges to take the ritual are Mrs. Jerri Simpson and Mrs. Edwin Herd. Mrs. Jo Boals will take the Ritual of Jewels.

Plans were also discussed to make picture story books for the South Bay Association for Exceptional Children, Inc., which is the Chapter's philanthropic project.

Lambda Eta Chapter received and accepted an invitation to attend a special showing by the American Cancer Society of "The Other City" to be presented at the Hyatt House on Century Blvd.

Auxiliary Makes Plans For Valentines Day Ball

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Torrance Memorial hospital met recently to make plans for the seventh Valentine's Day Ball, which is one of the main money raising events for the Auxiliary.

The ball will be held on Saturday, February 8, at the Mayflower Ballroom in Inglewood. Chairmen appointed to serve on the various committees were Mrs. James C. Anderson, general chairman, H. F. Heinlein, tickets, James K. Lees, decorations, Dean L. Sears, hospitality, and Ernest G. Butt, buffet.

ABOUT the P.T.A.

186th Street PTA 223rd Street PTA

Mrs. James McMillen
The November meeting of the 186th Street School PTA was held recently with Mrs. James Ellis, presiding.

Juvenile protection and youth service was featured and members of the youth groups and their leaders were presented. Mrs. Frank Garst, juvenile protection chairman, gave a report and cautioned parents to be alert against the sale of liquor, tobacco and objectionable comic books to children.

Clark Beardsley, vice-principal of Gardena High school, was substitute speaker for Dr. John Abbott, who is recovering from an illness. Beardsley spoke on the subject of "Building Youth's Future" and emphasized that now is the time for such action.

The junior chorus, under the direction of Robert Graham, sang songs of Thanksgiving.

At the tea and social hour that followed the meeting, Mrs. W. D. Earley became Mrs. PTA for November when she was the thirteenth person to shake the hand of Mrs. Clifford Risher, magazine chairman. The sixth grade room representatives were hostesses for the meeting.

Mrs. Donald Guild
A little bit of the Paris fashion world came to the 223rd Street school auditorium the other evening when the 223rd Street school PTA held its November meeting and one of the highlights was the modeling of clothes by some of the parents, teachers, and children.

The meeting was opened with the flag salute led by Cub Scout Denmaster of Cub Pack 755C which is sponsored by our PTA. Several committee chairmen explained their offices and duties to the parents and teachers who filled the auditorium. Later on it was voted on that the PTA should buy two phonographs for the school to be used in the classrooms, as a Christmas gift.

The climax of the meeting was a humorous skit presented by several fathers on the meaning of the PTA. At the conclusion of the meeting, refreshments were served.

School Holds Sports Night

"Something New" took place last week at Stephen M. White school. A Sports Night, divided into two sections was held for the students under the supervision of Mrs. Margaret Bell and Stanley Miller.

The first part was held in the gymnasium where students played volleyball, ping pong, badminton and several other games.

The second section of the program was a dance held in Whitehall. Dancers competed in four dancing contests, one of which was a balloon dance, won by Lois Rowe and Gary Perry.

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When the Association of the Elementary Child's Education held the November meeting and tea at the 186th Street School, they used this opportunity to honor community leaders.

Members of the 186th Street School faculty invited as their honored guests Mrs. James Ellis, PTA president and Mrs. Herman Eisenbeiss, PTA parliamentarian and junior past president. Faculty members attending the meeting were Miss Ruth Engdahl, principal, and Miss Kay Shantani, Mrs. Carmen Lyons, Mrs. Carolyn Adams, and Miss Mitsue Nakagawa.

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APPEAL FOR XMAS GIFTS

A public appeal for funds for the St. Vincent de Paul Society's annual Christmas Gift program will be conducted during November and December, it was announced by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James E. Dolan, clerical director.

Contributions can be sent to St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Gifts, 717 S. Burlington ave., Los Angeles 57.

Art Group to Hold Panel Discussion

Residents of the South Bay Area are being offered an opportunity to hear a panel of experts on the subject, "Does Modern Art Communicate... And With Whom?" As a public service, the Torrance Art Group will hold a panel discussion on Friday, December 6, 8:30 p.m. in Sea-Aire park, 22730 Lupine dr.

Prominent artists of the South Bay area, and persons active in the community have been asked to serve on this panel. Mayor Isen of Torrance will act as moderator. The audience will have an opportunity to ask questions and discuss the subject afterwards. Some paintings and sculpture in the modern vein will be on display.

Coffee will be served after the discussion, and the public is invited.

Will Discuss Mortals and Immortals

The words of the Golden Text from the dauntless Christian hero, Paul, set the tone for the Lesson-Sermon "Mortals and Immortals," which will be read in the Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday. Paul declares, "If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new" (II Cor. 5:17).

In a passage which follows Mary Baker Eddy says in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," "Through many generations human beliefs will be attaining diviner conceptions, an 'dthe immortal and perfect model of God's creation will finally be seen as the only true conception of being" (p. 260).

Monarchy In 20th Century Sermon Topic

Unitarians will present Leonard Freedman, head of the Department of Liberal Arts, University Extension, UCLA, at WALTERIA park, 3855 242nd st., WALTERIA, on Sunday, November 17 at 8 p.m.

Freedman will speak on "Monarchy in the 20th Century." He is well qualified by his studies in the field of Political Science, to present a thought provoking evening.

The program will be introduced by Mary Anagnostis, chairman of the Adult Education committee of the Pacific Unitarian church Society. The lecture will be followed by a question and answer period.

Refreshments will be served and the public is invited to attend.

Halldale PTA

Recently Mrs. Frank Bowling Jr., president of Halldale ave. PTA and Amanda Wilhelm, principal, attended a meeting called by the Elementary Superintendent of schools, Dr. Shafer, to explain elementary curriculum and materials and its uses.

14,47 Members Enrolled in Torrance PTA Units

Dr. W. B. Magner, principal of South High School, and Dr. Max Appleby, curriculum consultant for the District, were featured guests at the November meeting of the Torrance PTA Council held Tuesday at the Anza Elementary school.

The two school officials brought special information to the group regarding the all night parties held each spring for graduating high school seniors.

The purpose of the parties each year is to provide a safe, memorable evening for the graduating students is the aim of the party," Dr. Appleby stated.

Resignations of Mrs. Thomas Smiley as high school representative and Mrs. Paul Herring as Founders Day Chairman were accepted, and the board ratified Mrs. Evar Jansson as magazine chairman and Mrs. N. Fedoruk as library chairman.

Other matters brought before the board included an announcement by Mrs. V. B. Terry, finance and budget committee chairman, that a committee meeting would be held at her home at 3410 W. 226th St., at 10 a.m. Tuesday, November 19. All carnival chairmen are being asked to attend.

Mrs. Seth Warden, member-Torrance PTA units had announced that rolled 14,047 members, the highest number ever registered in the district.

Organizational meeting for Parkway school PTA will be held at the school Thursday evening, November 21, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

A similar meeting for South High school PTA has been scheduled for the Newton School on the following Tuesday evening, November 26, at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. D. D. Tuggle, council president, reported.

Staff Member To Visit YWCA

The first official get-together for all members of the Harbor Area YWCA this fall will be held at the headquarters building, 437 West 9th st., San Pedro on Wednesday, November 20, at 7:30 p.m. with Carolyn Duke of the National Board staff as the guest of honor.

Members will be given an opportunity to meet Miss Duke informally preceding the meeting when dessert is served at 7:30 with the program following from 8 to 9:30 p.m.

Miss Duke will speak on trends in the National and World YWCA and present highlights of the issues facing the 1958 National Convention.

In addition, the slate of nominees to be voted on as convention delegates will be presented by Mrs. Loraine Harper, chairman of the Area Nominating Committee.

Mrs. Marion Young, convention chairman on the area board will outline convention plans.

Using excerpts from the World Fellowship Service used at the national service, Y-teens of the Wilmington YWCA will open the meeting.

Dessert will be prepared by members of the San Pedro Membership Committee headed by Mrs. George Hermann. Those assisting will be: Mesdames Marguerite Battersby, Everet Hager, Leona Johnson, Beverly Kresyman, Floyd Latham, Earl Roath, Emil Sandgren, and Alfred Stave.

Reservations for dessert may be made by calling the local YWCA.

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RNA HONORS DEPUTY GASTON

At the last meeting of Torrance Camp Royal Neighbors of America, special honor was given to Deputy Elizabeth Gaston, in appreciation for her attention to this Camp. She was presented with a gift also.

The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, November 18. Oracle Susie Walker will preside. The annual Christmas Party for members will be discussed, and plans made for this event.

Little League

The newly formed Torrance Little League will hold a general meeting Tuesday, November 19, 7:30 p.m. at the Carl Steele school, 19300 Inglewood ave.

The public is invited to attend.

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WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES CLUBS FEATURES SECTION

GLADYS MAXWELL, Women's Editor



VISIT PUERTO RICO—Hampden and Christina Wentworth, president and vice-president of Longren Aircraft Co., flew to Puerto Rico in their own engine Beech Craft Stagger-Wing for a combined business and pleasure trip. They visited several factories on the island and were highly impressed with the Government program for economic development "Operation Bootstrap." Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth were guests at the Caribe Hilton Hotel, San Juan and toured the grounds of the hotel with Manager Alphonse W. Salomone Jr. and Bill Dorville, publisher of Business Newsletter in Puerto Rico.

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Las Vacinas Woman's Club Will Entertain Husbands

The Las Vacinas Woman's club will honor their husbands at a dinner at the Plush Horse, November 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Charles Sturgill, program chairman, has announced that a color film, entitled "Living Among the Polynesians," will be shown.

Dr. Francis B. Reider, will be the narrator. Dr. and Mrs. Reider spent eight months in the South Pacific and four in Tahiti, living among the natives.

The club has planned many social activities for the Holiday Season, including a Christmas dance and a progressive dinner party on New Year's Day.

Kappa Delta's Co-op School To Meet

South Bay Alumnae of Kappa Delta sorority will meet at the home of Mrs. John McGee in Palos Verdes on Wednesday evening, November 20.

The regular business meeting will start at 8 o'clock, to be followed by a social hour and refreshments.

Co-op School Plans Bazaar

A bazaar, featuring the famed Dawson Marionettes, will be presented by the Los Angeles Council of Cooperative Nursery Schools, Saturday, November 30.

The place is Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles and the admission is 50 cents. Actively participating in the 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. schedule of the bazaar is the Gardens Co-op Nursery school, 3153 W. Compton Blvd., Gardena. They will join with 17 other co-op nurseries in the surrounding area.

Fun and merchandise for both children and adults is promised, with the proceeds going to individual schools and the Council itself. Several demonstrations of original play items should be of special interest to mothers. Food and refreshments will be available.

JEWISH CENTER PLANS ANNUAL DINNER DANCE

The 11th annual installation dinner-dance of the Gardena Valley Jewish Center, 14725 S. Gramercy pl., Gardena, will be held on Saturday, November 23 at 7:30 p.m.

Dinner will consist of a complete eight course dinner with hot and cold hors d'oeuvres before dinner. Dancing will be provided by the Sophisticates.

All newly-elected officers of the Center, Sisterhood, Men's club and UYS will be installed.

The installing officer will be Charles Esenstein of the United Jewish Synagogues of America. Rabbi Aaron Shapiro will offer the benediction.

Committee for this gala affair are: Mmes. Henry Charney and Jules Ross and Messrs. Marshall Saben and Harold Morenberg.

The monthly meeting of the center will be held on Tuesday, November 26, at 8:30 at the center. Myer Miller, newly-elected president will preside.

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