

Hospital Fetes Birthday

Little Company of Mary Celebrates Second Anniversary

Open house, celebrating their second anniversary, was held at the Little Company of Mary Hospital in Torrance last Wednesday, Jan. 3.

Visitors were taken on guided tours by members of the hospital's Senior Auxiliary, at which time they were shown such things as the surgical - medical floors, pharmacy lab, physiotherapy, x-ray and emergency departments.

A tiered cake, an exact replica of the Little Company of Mary Hospital, made an attractive centerpiece to be enjoyed by guests when refreshments were served.

Those who attended the open house, which was held between 2 and 5 p.m., gained valuable insight into the workings of the hospital, as well as becoming better acquainted with the equipment, the personnel, and the services offered to patients and visitors, according to Mother Mary Patricia, hospital administrator.



SIGNING IN—Mother Mary Patricia, administrator for the Little Company of Mary Hospital, looks on as Mrs. Frank Forester, auxiliary president (center) and Mrs. Allen Smith, volunteer auxiliary member (right) add their names to the guest book during the open house commemorating the hospital's second anniversary.

Reunion Planned By Narbonne Past Students

March 10, 1962 is the date slated for a reunion of the Narbonne High School Summer class of 1943. Reunion will be held at the Torrance Elks Lodge, 1820 Abalone.

In attendance at a recent committee meeting held at the home of Mrs. Lorraine (Jeffery) Haller were: Retha (Mayer) Berglund; Bessie (Hubbard) Snyder; Grace (Bell) Brumblow; Shirley (McCormack) Simmons; Dolores (Duncan) Pettit; Grace (Mastright) Huffins; Kenneth Johnson, Fred Bergon, Bob Herron, Lowell Beckman and Lawrence Tarrico.

The next committee meeting is scheduled for 8 p.m., Jan. 18 at the home of Mrs. Doris (Strong) Noel, 2048 264th St., Lomita. Class members wishing to attend may contact Mrs. Noel by calling DA 5-4424.

PTA Has All-Male Pancake Feed For Fathers, Sons

It will be Men's Day in the PTA Saturday morning, Jan. 13, when Sepulveda School fathers play host to their sons at an all-male pancake breakfast to be held in the school cafeteria at 7 a.m., according to William Brugger, men's membership chairman.

Assisting Brugger will be James Stadler, Frank Maguire, S. R. Saunders, E. W. Ford, Anthony D'Asquiste, Harry Shulman, James Hoover, Robert Donaldson, and Fred Cohenauer.

A donation of 50 cents will be asked. Persons desiring additional information are invited to contact Brugger at FR 1-4888.

Guests Served Buffet Dinner At Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Piatt, 3222 Antonio St., Torrance, held their fifth annual "Holiday Open House" Saturday, Dec. 30. Buffet dinner was served in green and gold motif. Among the guests attending were Mayor and Mrs. Albert Isen.

BIRD WATCHER

Roger Tory Peterson of Old Lyme, Connecticut, has seen all but six of the 650 species of birds in the United States—more than anyone in history. He has photographed and sketched almost all the birds west of the Iron Curtain in Europe. And his 14 books have opened the eyes of millions to the beauties of nature.

Teenagers Seek Assistance From Local Adults

Torrance teenagers are seeking assistance, according to Mrs. Carol Wood, Executive Director of the Torrance YWCA. She says that the Saturday night dances, so popular in the past, may have to be cancelled in the future due to the lack of adult supervision available.

Previously, these dances have been held in the YWCA building with a capacity crowd of young people attending. More than a hundred teenagers are turned away at each dance because of the lack of space. The YWCA is willing to provide this much needed space, but in order to accomplish this, they must be able to provide enough qualified Torrance adults to serve as chaperones at each dance.

Adults in this area can help, according to Mrs. Wood, by volunteering their services as chaperones. There is approximately four hours of work involved at each dance. Persons interested in helping the YWCA in this worthy endeavor are invited to call FA 0-2255 for additional information.

School Principal Presented With Token Award

The Philip Magruder PTA Association met Wednesday, December 13, in the school cafeteria with Mrs. Robinson, 1st vice president presiding.

Pledge of Allegiance was presented by Girl Scout troop No. 2255 who also presented Mr. E. Brown, school principal, with a token award.

Students of the Philip Magruder Elementary School presented a Christmas program with Mrs. Cosier's kindergarten class singing a selection of Christmas songs; Mrs. Booher's 1-2-3 class act, "Customs of Trimming the Tree in Other Countries," Mrs. Mitchell's 6th grade act, "Methods of Observing Christmas Around The World." The school orchestra and band played a selection of Christmas songs under the direction of Neil Short.

The inspirational, "O Holy Night," was sung by Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Murrow and Mrs. Farley. The evening ended with a real old-fashioned sing along.

Monday, December 18, Tom Hatten, popular TV personality entertained the children at the Philip Magruder School with his sketches and cartoons.

This production concerns a little princess who wishes for the moon and how her wishes come true. The productions are given in an informal manner, with frequent audience participation during the show. Reservations may be made by calling the box office.

at 2 p.m., and will appear regularly thereafter each Saturday and Sunday at that hour.

MARIONETTES RETURN

The Allan Bratton Marionettes will return to Chapel Theatre with their regular weekend presentations for audiences young and old by showing "A Wish for the Moon," January 26 and 27

TEDDY BEARS FOR TINY TOTS—Showing just one of the many fine gift items available at the Little Company of Mary Hospital Gift Shop is Mrs. Ione Ransom, volunteer auxiliary member. Looking on with interest are (left to right) Mrs. Anna Weeks, who will soon be a member of the auxiliary, and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Indovina, visitors on tour of the hospital.



GOOD READING FOR PATIENTS—Mrs. Robert Miller, volunteer member of the Little Company of Mary's Women's Auxiliary, prepares portable library for patients while co-workers, Mrs. Howard Epperheimer (left) and Mrs. Lyle Peters, library commission chairman (right), arrange books on shelf of the doctors' library.

Dramatic Presentations Slated;

Chapel Theatre, located at 4164 Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance, will present "Auntie Mame" each weekend, Friday through Sunday at 8:30 p.m. for an unlimited engagement by popular demand. It was announced by Director, Bob McCaman. Since there are many sell-outs for this production, it is suggested that reservations be made well in advance by calling the Box Office at FR 2-9636 or FR 8-9017 evenings.

Women

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CULINARY SKILL IS DEMONSTRATED by acting chef Frank Maguire as he does a pancake "toss" in preparation for the Sepulveda School PTA all-male father-son pancake breakfast Jan. 13. Helping Maguire "practice up" on the art of preparing pancakes, are (left to right) Jim Cooper, age 7 1/2, and John Maguire, age 9.

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Installation Luncheon Plans Musicales for New Officers

An installation luncheon, held by the Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer Chapter of Cedars-Sinai Hospital, will be held Wednesday, Jan. 10, at the Palms Restaurant in Torrance. Luncheon will begin promptly at noon. An interesting musical program has been arranged for the guests and officers attending the luncheon.

Officers to be installed are:

Mmes. Harry Kaplan,

president; Nan Sutton, first vice-president; William Goldberg, second vice-president; M. Kaufman, third vice-president; Sara Cole, treasurer; Jane Scharfman, recording secretary; Isadore Schulman, financial secretary; Joe Friedman, correspondence secretary.

SOLOIST

The musical program which will form part of the Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer Chapter's afternoon program will feature

solist Merry! Martha Drabin and violinist Emily J. Karr. At the piano will be Dr. Philip Karr, concert pianist.

The luncheon is open to the public. Those wishing additional information or reservations should contact the chapter's chairman, Mrs. Charles Davis, at FR 5-3338.

With the start of a new year, there will be annual installations of officers for many clubs and organizations in the area.



INSTALLATION SCENE—Newly elected officers to the Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer Chapter are as follows: (left to right) Jane Scharfman, recording secretary; Nan Sutton, first vice-president; Mrs. William Goldberg, second vice-president; (shown in rear) I. Pearl Schulman, financial secretary; Mrs. Charles Davis, chairman.

Old-Time Melodrama to Be Presented at Temple

Temple Menorah will be host to the Drawing Room Theatre when it presents a benefit performance of "The Drunkard," an olio, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 10 at 8:15 p.m.

The Temple's Community Hall at 1101 Camino Real, Redondo Beach, will temporarily be converted to a theatre in the round on that evening.

Dean Silbiger, chairman of the Temple's ways and means committee is in charge of arrangements and invites the public as well as temple members to attend the showing of this old time melodrama.

Included with admission are coffee and cake which will be served during the evening by Mrs. George L. Lewison and her committee.

Tickets for this benefit performance of theatre in the round may be obtained

by calling Mesdames Bernard Spanier, FR 8-3156 or Stella Benmayor at FR 2-9928.

VEGAS LICENSES

Poe-Elrod — Dec. 24, Richard D. Poe, 21, of Long Beach, and Joan Marie Elrod, 18, of Wilmington.

Hill-Costello — Dec. 25, Duane E. Hill, 24, and Ramona M. Costello, 25, both of Wilmington.

Stone-Hutson — Dec. 26, Vernon Lowell Stone, 19, of Gardena, and Donna Eugenia Hutson, 17, of Wilmington.

Wilkie-Crumley — Dec. 26, Robert Leamon Wilkie, 42, and Geraldine G. Crumley, 34, both of Wilmington.