



**GRINNING** at his weight-gaining progress (see photo above) is one-year-old Richard Bryant at the Well Baby Clinic, Carson Health Center, who is being assisted by Jr.-Sr. coordinator, Mrs. Rufus Sandstrom. Mrs. Lee Clotworthy (left), health chairman, measures 3-month-old Theresa Joyce, as part of the Torrance Junior's weekly volunteer services at the clinic. Picture at right shows Jr.'s. Mmes. Jerry Saladin, Richard Oliver and James Morgan preparing usable clothing for the club's annual rummage sale to be held Jan. 29.

### Juniors Assist in Worthwhile Projects

Each Monday morning from 8:30 to 10, Torrance Juniors assist the physicians and public health nurses at the Well Baby Clinic of the Los Angeles County Health Department.

Juniors assist by calling in patients, weighing and measuring the babies. Babies eligible for this service are six months of age and are discharged after immunizations are completed. Conferences are held and advice on feeding and health are given.

Volunteering to help with this civic philanthropy are Mmes. Lee Clotworthy, Junior Health Chairman; Rufus Sandstrom, Jr.-Sr. coordina-

tor; William Faulds, James Morgan and James Warden.

#### RUMMAGE SALE

Club members are preparing for their annual rummage sale to be held Monday morning, Jan. 29 at 7:30 a.m. and continuing until sold out. The sale will be held at 103 E. Rosecrans in Compton.

Mrs. Jerry Saladin, chairman for the ways and means project announced that all types of merchandise will be for sale, children's and adult clothing, toys, jewelry, cooking utensils, dishes, books, brick-a-brack, etc.

Proceeds from this project will be going toward a philanthropy project.

# Women

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## Business and Professional Women Initiate New Members

The Torrance Business and Professional Women's Club initiated five new members into their organization Monday evening, Jan. 15 at the "Tasmen Sea" in San Pedro.

Conducting the initiation was Julia Arri, past president of Sierra Mar District. New members are, Bernice Erickson, Bernice Goodwin, Flora Hameetman, Wanda L. Martin, and Opal Wise. Mrs. Arri emphasized the points of good membership,

attendance, interest in club activities and projects and attending district meetings.

President Dorthie Kirkpatrick announced Sierra Mar District meeting will be held at the Disneyland Hotel, Jan. 27. Delegates elected to attend from the Torrance club are Mary Snow, and Lucille Lewellen.

Mrs. Arri discussed at great length, the national convention, which will be held in Los Angeles on July 15 through 19 this year. It is the first time in ten years that Los Angeles has hosted the national convention. Sunday evening July 15 will be California night. All California members will be wearing Spanish costumes. Sierra Mar District will have many representatives including the Torrance Club. Excitement of convention is gaining momentum as Dor-

thy Ford, past president of the State of California will be running for second vice president of National Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Mrs. Ford belongs to the Miricle Mile Business' and Professional Women's Club, and is currently third vice president of national.

Many Torrance members are already planning their Spanish costumes.

### Miss LePont Announces Plans For Wedding



MADELINE LePONT . . . Bride-to-Be

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Le Pont, 25221 Eshelman Ave., Lomita, announce the engagement of their daughter Madeleine Nancy to Maurice Hermeyer son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hermeyer of 514 N. Maria, Redondo Beach.

Miss Le Pont graduated from Bishop Montgomery High School in June 1961 and is presently employed by the U.S. Air Force.

The benedict elect is a graduate of Redondo Union High School and is presently attending Berkeley, studying law.

A June wedding is planned.

### Retarded Children Subject of Class at Narbonne

Parents of retarded children will be glad to know that they may enroll in a parent education class offering special help in understanding the problems centering around the mentally retarded child.

The course is concerned with the place of the retarded child in the family group and the adjustments to be made by all members of the family. Information will be given on causes and treatment of mental retardation, and discussions will be held on personal problems, including the problem of helping parents of normal children to accept retarded children within the community, and as neighbor children.

The class will meet on Thursdays, 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Narbonne High School, 24300 So. Western Ave. in Harbor City. Those interested should enroll at the first meeting, Thursday, Feb. 1.

### Torrance Libraries to Sponsor Story-Times for Pre-Schoolers

Story-times for pre-school children are being held by Torrance Libraries, according to Mrs. Lila Held, Children's Librarian of the Torrance Public Library. Schedule is as follows: Torrance, 1345 Post Ave. will hold story hours every Thursday between 10:30-11 a.m.; North Torrance, 3614 Artesia Blvd., 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month between 10:30-11 a.m.; El Retiro, 126 A Vista del Parque, first Friday of each month between 10:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.

All pre-school children are welcome.

## The Younger Set

Girl Scout Troop No. 2080 ended the year 1961 with a series of events including a weekend outing at Richards Ranch near Capistrano.

During the holidays, the troop visited Bay Shore Rest Home. They sang carols and presented guests of the rest home with gifts. The troop's annual Christmas party was held in the home of Mrs. Ray Bonawitz in Torrance, where records were played, gifts exchanged and refreshments served.

Troop also sponsored a successful spaghetti dinner as a money making project. The scouts have passed out

Civil Defense pamphlets as a service project for the community.

Currently, the girls are completing first class rank and will soon be starting the good grooming badge.

#### THIRD ROUNDUP

The third National Girl Scout Senior Roundup will be held at Button Bay State Park, Vermont, July 20 to 29, 1962. Ten thousand campers and adult staff members from every part of the United States and from other countries all over the world will attend, and will be housed in a huge "tent city."



### Game Bird Authority Shows Film Of Recent Visit to Plantation

The Harbor Bird Hobbyists Club held the second annual banquet recently at Ding How's in the ever-expanding city of Torrance.

New officers were introduced by the retiring president, Mrs. Ted McDaniels. The president for 1962 is Mrs. John Tresler; Mrs. Don Armes, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Eleanor Burger, publicity chairman.

After an unusual dinner of Cantonese selections, the group adjourned to the home of the McDaniels.

Guest, Mr. James Duroy of Torrance, showed films

of his recent trip to Costa Rica. He was the official guest of President Echanti, of which one of the many highlights was a visit to a coffee plantation.

Mr. Duroy is an authority on game birds, and has one of the finest collections in Southern California. He plans to return to Costa Rica in 1963 for thirty days of research on birds, and more beautifully colored films of an interesting country.

Anyone interested in joining the club, please call Mrs. Tresler at 375-3700 evenings for information.

## Provisional League Takes First Organizational Steps

Temporary committees were formed, as Torrance's Provisional League of Women Voters took its first formal step toward organization at an open meeting Monday in City Council Chambers. Mrs. Albert Nadel was selected temporary chairman and will head the non-partisan group until their next organizational meeting Feb. 26.

Functions of the league and steps in organization of a new league were outlined by Mrs. David Ganslee, southern vice president of

the League of Women Voters. She pointed out that the primary purpose of the league is the promotion of political responsibility through study, discussion, and action.

"An effective league should be a true mirror of society," said Mrs. Ganslee, "and your membership should come from all sections of Torrance." A community analysis will be the first topic of study of the new group.

#### COMMITTEES

Temporary committees named were as follows:

Nominating: Mrs. Lee F. Bower, chairman; Mrs. Lloyd Money and Mrs. Robert Christensen; by-laws: Mrs. Louis Lanser; publicity and membership: Mrs. Robert Christensen, chairman; Mmes. Eugene Laxton, Eu-

gene Bolt, Robert Gottfried, James Laird, Sydney Wiener, Paul Mullen, S. R. Saunders, David Lyman, and William Geisler.

Program Mmes. Donald Brink, chairman; C. R. Berwanger, David Lyman, Emery Reeves, and Marshall Cox; budget: Mmes. Manfred Doser, chairman; Gene Mabry, B. B. T. Davies, and Ernest Knapp.

Further information concerning the new group may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Nadel at FR 5-2370 or Mrs. Christensen at FR 5-5270.

### Birthday Party

Among the recent celebrants at the Marineland Restaurant in Palos Verdes were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Allen of Hollywood Riviera, who observed her birthday anniversary with a seafood dinner party for a table of eight guests. Well-wishers included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vauclan of Inglewood.

### Farewell Dinner

A farewell dinner at the Pen & Quill Restaurant in Manhattan Beach was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bell of Hollywood Riviera prior to their recent departure for Chicago from the International Airport. Hosting the small party were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burrell of Rolling Hills.

### Missionary From Hong Kong Speaks at Meet

The Women's Association of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church met Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Robert Horton, newly installed president with luncheon following.

Mrs. E. E. Walline, recently returned missionary from Hong Kong, China spoke.

### Democratic Women's Society to Have Two Convention Delegates

Mrs. Edmond Armstrong, president, and Mrs. Warren Scherich have been appointed as delegates to represent the Democratic Women's Society at the California Democratic Council Convention in Fresno, California, on Jan. 26 through the 28.

The California Democratic Council Convention will be held at the Fresno Memorial Auditorium, Fresno and "N" Streets. Delegates will register on Friday, Jan. 26,

and a president's reception is to be held in the evening. The remainder of the convention will be given to endorsing a slate of candidates for offices of Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller, Treasurer, Secretary of State and United States Senator.

Each Democratic club in California will be sending delegates to this convention, which promises to be an exciting one in this election year.



**CLEAR CAMPAIGN** — In an effort to recruit new members to the newly organized Provisional League of Women Voters, Mrs. Russell Berwanger, program committee member, types letters to prospects while Mrs. Robert

Christensen, temporary membership chairman, makes the necessary telephone calls. Mrs. Albert Nadel (standing) is temporary chairman of the group.



**TENSE MOMENT**—Reactions vary as pre-schoolers (left to right) Jon Heninger, 5; Martha Fenton, 3½; Mike Heninger, 2; Steve Heninger, 6; Pat Lloyd, 4; Jon Fenton, 6½, and Jeff

Smart, 4, listen to an exciting portion of the story being read by Mrs. Lila Held, Torrance librarian. Story hours are being held regularly in three local libraries.