

## Beta Sigmas Share 'Lucky Day' At Council Meet This Morning

Lafayette Hotel's Grand Ballroom in Long Beach, is the scene this morning of the bi-monthly breakfast meeting of the Southern California Council of Beta Sigma Phi.

"This is 'Your Lucky Day'" is the theme of the meeting at which the 1,000 members and guests will be greeted by Xi Delta Pi Chapter of Compton. Mrs. Fred P. Dobbs, breakfast chairman reports that tables and programs are decorated in luck symbols.

Mrs. Edwin Larson, Tus-tin, SCC president, will pre-side over the 10 a.m. busi-ness meeting with Mrs. Earl

Harpst, Beta Sigma Phi life member of Lancaster, giving the invocation.

Foremost on the agenda will be the report on the in-ter-state council executive board meeting held in Bak-ersfield in October, and the election of the nominating committee for the coming year.

Mrs. Alvy Moore, North-ridge, SCC vice president, will present a tribute to the past presidents for the past 32 years who will be hon-ored guests at the breakfast.

Entertainment will be fur-nished by the Duran Players.

Those attending from the South Bay are Miss Dorothy Thompson, Mmes. Case y Sterett and Peter Stafford, Phi Delta Pi; Misses Linda Zack, Carolyn Reise and Mmes. Robert Audell, Phi Gamma Sigma; Mmes. Robert Bowman, Louis Brown-lee, Florence James, Alpha Alpha Omega; Mmes. Ray-mond Young, Arthur Alli-one, James Langworthy, Beta Alpha Nu; Mmes. Mar-vin Scott, Cecil King, Ted Ronnhelm, Delta Chi; Mmes. Charles Franklin, Lee Pino, Charles Dennis, Mu Omicron.

Also, Mmes. Fred Harris, Leroy Gebhard, Rosemary Tuttle, Omicron Pi; Mm-s.

Jack Amberson, Mary Phat-er, Ann Schatler, Charles Fulton, Harold Collins, Gary Edwards, Rho Epsilon; Mmes. Dan Palmer; Mmes. Dan Palmer, Lon Thomas, Morten Jones, Rho Xi; Kappa Eta; Mmes. Robert Hollister, James Barnhart, Phea Luc'ev, Xi Theta Xi; Mmes. Carl Carlson, Charles Conn, Milton Ventress, Xi Zeta Chi; Mmes. Lester Tee-lers, Bert Whited, Mark Hulse, Xi Zeta Lambda; Mmes. Frances Nichols, Lester Mayfield, Louis Below, Rav Milhouse and Miss Mar-tha Oehlerking, Preceptor Alpha Beta.



MARY E. SARGENT  
In Nurses Corps

### Mary Sargent Serving at Mather AFB

Mary Ellen Sargent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Sargent, 1513 Cota Ave., has completed her basic training at Gunter, Ala., and has been assigned to Mather Air Force Base at Sacramento. Miss Sargent is now a second lieutenant in the Nurses Corp.

The local nurse is a graduate of St. Anthony's High School in Long Beach and the Queen of Angels School of Nursing in Los Angeles.

A native of Minneapolis, Minn., she moved to California in 1951, completing her grade school education at Nativity Catholic School.

Her parents are moving to Leisure World at Seal Beach. Their new address will be 13040 Nassau Drive, Apt. 216 F., Seal Beach.

Mrs. Sargent will retire Dec. 1 after working at the Torrance City Hall for the past 12 years. Mr. Sargent retired in August.

### Groups Join For Meets

Aowakiya and Wicaka Apadenska Camp Fire groups have combined their meetings and will meet on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. at 1820 Santa Fe Ave., Torrance.

Elected were Shawn Lambert, president; Pauline Jacobs, vice president and program chairman; Judy Chequidde, secretary; Marian Pasich, treasurer; Lorraine Fives, scribe; and Patti Sciarrotta, sargent-at-arms.

Appointed to the program committee were Marv Wolf, Debora Moore and Winona Rusk.

New members welcomed into the group from the Blue Birds are Marian Pasich, Laura Dodson, Mary Wolf, Moneen Jones, Patti Sciarrotta and Shery Skram.

Members who received their Fire Makers Bracelet

and graduated to Junior High Camp Fire are Linda Crain, Sandra Clark, Holly Hamlin, Gina Keen, Mary Beth Rolder, Eveanna Thornton, Peggy Dick and Dona Wolf.

The Aowakiya Camp Fire Girls made and turned over to the Peninsula Needlework Guild, two baby sagues per girl.

### Spanglers Hosts

Enjoying the mariachi music of The Aguilas in the Galley West restaurant at Marineland recently were Mr. and Mrs. James C. Spangler of Torrance and their guests who joined them for after-dinner cocktails in the "Lookout Room."

They included Miss Grace Lyons of San Pedro and Mr. and Mrs. William K. Russell of Palos Verdes Estates.

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### Pilot Club Activities

Two new members, Mrs. Rosemary Judge of R. A. Watt, Inc., Gardena, and Mrs. Ruth Geer of Milligan Roofing Co., Gardena, were initiated into the Pilot Club of Torrance at its meeting held Thursday evening at the Bridle Path restaurant in Torrance.

Mrs. Kenneth Beight, president of the Torrance Club, conducted the meeting and initiation.

Mrs. Beight recently attended the Fall Council meeting of District 18 at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles. Accompanying her were Mmes. Mary Young and Philip Clark.

Mrs. Beight has announced that Mrs. Almetta Cooke Brooks of High Point, N.C., immediate past president of Pilot International, is in Washington, D. C. meeting with the Women's Committee of the President's Committee for the employment of handicapped persons.

The Pilot Club of Torrance is a member of Pilot International.

It has also been announced that the new official Pilot Club cookbook is now on sale in Torrance. The first edition of the cookbook, entitled "Cake Favorites" is an exclusive collection of home-tested recipes from Pilot Club members throughout the United States, stated Mrs. Beight.

Mrs. Lucille Sherwood, project chairman, explains that "Cake Favorites" is sold exclusively by Pilot International for fund raising purposes.

Torrance residents wishing to purchase a book may contact any Pilot Club member or call Mrs. Kenneth Beight.

### Royal Neighbors Note Birthdays

Royal Neighbors of Torrance held their annual Birthday Party, Tuesday, Nov. 16, at the Torrance Woman's Club.

Mrs. Martha Sharpe was in charge of gifts and arrangements. Autumn colors were used in decorating. Mr. Suzie Walker supervised the entertainment.

The last card party of the year will be held Tuesday, Nov. 23 at 8 p.m. Mrs. Irene Bender, chairman, invites the public to attend.



MRS. DAVID BROWN  
(Northrup Photo)

### Conducts Seminar At Meet

Mrs. David Brown, a resident of Torrance and a member of L. A. South Towns, current Sweet Adeline Regional Championship Chorus, conducted an educational seminar Saturday, afternoon, Nov. 20, at the organization's regional meeting at the Hotel del Mar in Santa Monica.

Mrs. Brown employed the Floyd Connett five-step technique in teaching the group her own arrangement of "Smilin' Through" in four-part barbershop harmony. Women attended the regional meeting from towns as far away as Bakersfield and San Diego, as well as many from chapters in Arizona and Nevada.

Mrs. Brown attended the University of Cincinnati, her hometown, and is the mother of three daughters, ages 5, 4, and 3. She and her husband, who is employed as an engineer at North American Aviation, have been in California five years.

### P T A

#### GATEWAY

Gateway Council PTA held its first meeting at the Gardena High School attended by PTAs of Banning, Carson, Dana, Dodson, Fleming, Gardena, Narbonne, Peary, San Pedro, White, and Wilmington.

Highlight of the meeting was the acceptance of a new local unit, Carnegie Junior High PTA. Mrs. John T. Miles, charter president, was given her president's pin.

Mrs. Gordon T. Lewis, president, discussed the recent CCPT conferences. Mrs. Lytle B. White, program chairman, discussed the purpose of the Parent Teacher Council.

Workshops were held for the many chairmen. Officers and chairmen leading the groups were Mmes. Jack Kenyon, George Erickson, Richard Crowell, Diamond Gualeni, Don Elliott, D. W. Ten Eych, Ray Tiatmack, Paul Tobey, and A. C. Aker-son.

Special projects included the making of tray favors for patients at Harbor General Hospital. These were contributed by the Peary Junior High PTA.

#### PHILIP MAGRUDER

Magruder PTA executive board meeting was held Nov. 4 at the El Nido Recreation hall. Mrs. Jack Fulton, PTA president, stressed the Torrance Council PTA Holiday Workshop and the plans for Magruder PTA's booth. Following the theme "Pathway from Home To School" the unit's Nov. 10 meeting was held in the school cafeteria at 1 p.m. and John Arnold Ford of the Southern California Gas Company was the speaker. Dec. 9 is the date set for the paper and rag drive and everyone is urged to save and deliver at that time. Mrs. Fulton appointed a committee to prepare the December board luncheon-meeting which will be held at a local restaurant.

#### Anniversary

Enjoying dinner with friends and family recently at the Smith Bros. Indian Village restaurant in Torrance were Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Skinner of Rolling Hills, who gave a festive party in celebration of their 20th wedding anniversary.

#### Entertains

Mrs. Ethan Kendall of Torrance entertained a group of friends recently with a dinner party in the Galley West restaurant on the Palos Verdes peninsula.

### New Bridge Class Opens At YWCA

Torrance YWCA announces two new classes in beginning bridge are now open for registration.

An evening class for men and women will start on Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, 8 - 10 p.m.

A daytime class for women will start Wednesday, Dec. 8, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

These classes will meet weekly for two hours for eight weeks. Mrs. Nancy Borden, instructor, is well known in this area for having taught the Centiuella Valley YW Wives and several classes in the Torrance YWCA. No prior knowledge of bridge is required and Mrs. Borden's classes will include lectures, instruction, individual help and the opportunity to practice under her supervision and help.

Following the eight beginning classes another eight weeks of intermediate bridge will be offered if there is sufficient request.

Additional information or registration for either of the classes can be obtained by calling the Torrance YWCA.

#### Dual Occasion

It was a double celebration at the Smith Bros. Indian Village restaurant in Torrance recently when Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Allison observed their 42nd wedding anniversary and also feted their son, Hugh Louis Allison, Jr. on his 41st birthday, with a festive dinner party in the "Cochina Room."

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