

New Marina District

# Officers Elected

Mrs. Dale Newman, president of the Marina District CFWC, opened the meeting for the Marina District Conference for the last time during her year 1965-1966. Awards for the Americanism Essay contest were announced by Chairman, Mrs. Norman Schultz of Santa Monica Juniors. The winner Miss Ann Fitzgerald, was sponsored by the Playa Del Rey Juniors. Her essay entitled "My Favorite American" dealt with the volunteer work being done by the Peace Corps.

Mrs. Gordon Gmur, Torrance Junior and District Youth Chairman, presented awards in the Youth category, third place from Lawndale, sponsored by the Lawndale Monday Eves, was Miss Charon Ann Mathis, second place, sponsored by the Dolphins of Manhattan Beach, was Miss Pamela Washburn; and winner of the first place award, sponsored by the Hawthorne Juniors, was Miss Dale Bachman. Both Miss Gerald and Miss Fitzgerald were given \$25 savings bonds.

New district officers were elected for the coming year. They are Mmes. Robert Gardinier, president; Ian Donald, first vice president; Ronald Ridgway, second vice president; Gordon Gmur, financial secretary; William Watson, secretary; William Tolliffe, treasurer; Pat Hausman, press chairman.

These new officers will be installed Friday evening, April 29, at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel during the 10th annual convention of Marina District.

Mrs. Gardinier, first vice president, announced that all reports were due. Chairmen reporting were Mmes. Norman Schultz, Americanism; Ian Donald BABC; Bruce Wilkinson, current issues; Kenneth Kipple ESO; David Wade, fine arts; Spencer Forkner, health; John Johnson international affairs; Joe Anderson, mental health; William Wyatt, safety; and Gordon Gmur, youth.

Mrs. Eric Lindgren, president of the Redondo Dianas, was the hosting president for the evening.



HAWAII CALLS ALL DANCERS

Hawaiian Dance is one of the new classes offered at the Torrance YWCA with Miss Priscilla Robinson, known professionally as Priscilani, as the instructor. The Hula, as well as many ancient Hawaiian dances, will be taught. The Hawaiian instructor, who made her home in the island for many years, announces classes for all age groups on the agenda, for girls Thursday afternoon, beginning April 14; pre-schoolers at 3 p.m., elementary school girls at 4 p.m., with a special class for teenagers on Monday evening. Here Priscilani, center, instructs Mrs. Bud Conti, left, and Mrs. Sylvester Sterba, right. Those interested in learning the Hawaiian dances may call the YWCA for further information. (Press-Herald Photo)

# 'Israel' Is Topic for Hadassah

"Recollections of Israel's First Birthday" will be the subject of a talk by Mrs. Walter Raine before the South Bay Chapter of Hadassah on April 19. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ben Duben, 4128 Silverleaf Drive, Rolling Hills, and will begin at 12:30.

Mrs. Raine and her husband, Dr. Walter Raine of Manhattan Beach, lived in Israel for three years beginning in 1948, the year that Israel was born. They observed first hand the hostilities between the young country and its Arab neighbors, as well as trials and tribulations setting up the new nation.

Plans for the Donor-Eye-Bank luncheon to be held on May 23 at the Los Verdes Country Club, will also be discussed. Modeling of old-fashioned hats supplied by the Goodwill Industries will be featured at this affair.

Hostesses for the April 19 meeting will be Mmes. Ben Duben and Edward Lookman.

## Local Students On Dean's List

Three local graduates of Bishop Montgomery High School, Jill C. O'Hara, Carmen E. Godinez and Lynda Embrey, have been named to the Dean's List at Mount St. Mary's College with Fall, 1965 semester averages of 3.3 or higher.

Miss Embrey of 17113 Eastwood, is a sophomore at the women's liberal arts college in Brentwood.

Both Miss O'Hara, 1615 Fern Ave., and Miss Godinez, 16927 Haas Ave., are freshmen.

## Wendy Gilmour Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gilmour of El Segundo announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, on March 1. The little girl, who weighed 9 lbs. 15 oz. has been named Wendy Ann. Mrs. Gilmour is the former Gail Freckleton of Torrance. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Freckleton, 3121 Onrudo, Torrance, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gilmour, Sr. of Mar Vista.

## Las Vegas Weekend

Spending last weekend in Las Vegas were Mr. and Mrs. William Faulds and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Johnson.

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## Committee To Sponsor Patio Party

Women of the Moose, Torrance Chapter 44, under the direction of Mrs. Richard S. Bell, Friendship chairman, and 50 participating members of the Friendship Committee will sponsor a Patio Party buffet dinner, Sunday, April 17, 4 p.m., at Royal Order of Moose 785 Lodge, 1744 Carson St.

Ham, chicken, salads and dessert will be served. Children and guests of Chapter and Lodge are invited.

## Gamma Phi Bridge Party Installs At Luncheon

South Bay Alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta will install new officers at a luncheon on April 13 at the Galley West restaurant at Marine Land. A social hour will begin at 11:30 with the buffet luncheon at 12 noon.

Mrs. John Borland, 36 Coronel Plaza, Palos Verdes Estates, will be installed as the new president of the sorority alumnae.

Those serving with her will be Mrs. Robert Blanchard, 3133 Via La Selva, Palos Verdes, first vice president; Mrs. James Stansfield, 26185 Barkstone Dr., Palos Verdes, second vice president; Mrs. Robert Lee, 26636 Shadow Wood Rd., will be installed as recording secretary; Mrs. John Rindge, 28349 S. Plainfield, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. John Hill, 27019 Grayslake, treasurer.

Mrs. Charles Seppaneen, 3414 Crickwood, Welteria, publicity chairman, has announced that all Gamma Phi Betas in the South Bay area are invited to attend.

## Entertains at Dessert-Bridge

Mrs. Robert Lewellen entertained her club at a dessert bridge last Thursday evening.

Members attending were Mmes. J. B. Scotton, R. S. Sleeth, Dean Sears, Grover Whyte, and D. A. Murphy. Guests were Mmes. W. I. Laughon and S. J. Dunhouse.

## San Francisco Trip Planned By Ramblers

Mrs. Elsa Stone has received an invitation from Mayor John Shelly of San Francisco to bring the Senior Ramblers and others to that city on Tuesday, April 19, to participate in the new program "New Neighbors Now."

The public is invited to join the Ramblers on this day of fun, April 19, via Western Airlines.

Interested persons are invited to contact Mrs. Elsa Stone, P. O. Box 492, Torrance.

## Guild Meeting

Women's Guild of the Central Evangelical Brethren Church will hold a business meeting Wednesday, April 13, at 10:30 a.m. at the guild hall, Marcelina and Arlington. Mrs. Walter Stanton, president, will conduct the meeting.

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