

Coffee Break

By Adeline Daley

Although I keep reading articles about people whose attics have turned out to be a "storehouse of hidden treasures," I'd be willing to part with everything in our "attic" for a nominal price. That is, I don't want to pay TOO much to have it hauled away.

I'm getting desperate, because our "attic" is housed in the garage and its "hidden treasures" are taking up so much room that we can't even squeeze the kids' bicycles inside, much less an automobile.

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Some people, of course, have "garage sales" in which they get rid of unwanted items, but I can't bribe the Goodwill to take away some of our relics.

"Lady, I have a bad back," the driver will apologize as I point to a perfectly good hot water heater, except that the bottom fell out. Nor is there much of a call for non-workable washing machines or a wall oven whose parts can be found only in Germany—East Germany, that is.

It's a shame that you can't even turn in these old appliances as trade-ins, although I have found that the most I've ever been offered was \$5 for our living room couch and chair. I considered it an insult, but now, two years later, I'm willing to settle for \$1.50 and that includes the doilies I used to cover the worn spots.

Along with these bulky items which have made our garage look like a window of a second-hand store, we also have boxes of clothing I can't decide to give away or keep.

But our biggest problem is trying to dispose of the carton upon carton of possessions belonging to our kids. As soon as they see their half-torn comic books and old toys ready to be thrown away, you'd think our garage was TV's "Supermarket Sweepstakes" as they compete with each other to see how fast they can retrieve things from the discard pile.

"Don't tell me you were going to give away my favorite doll!" one of the younger ones will exclaim.

I know. That's the one with one leg missing, bald-headed, with the stuffing falling out, which nobody has played with in five years. And I am not to throw away that broken skateboard because of its sentimental value.

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Nor is my husband much help as he removes a stack of magazines he "hasn't gotten around to reading." They're old ones with the president on the cover which speculate whether or not he'll run. Only the "president" in this case is Harry S. Truman.

So you see it takes a great moral fortitude to clean out our garage. Incidentally, Dad, what are all those coat hangers, empty coffee cans and peanut butter jars doing in the box?

Lomita Court 61

Amaranth Installs

Lomita Court 61, Order of the Amaranth, installed Garnett E. Satterfield, royal matron, and Clyde Satterfield, royal patron, in ceremonies at the Torrance Masonic Temple.

Other 1968 officers installed were Bobbie Weidner, associate matron; Jack M. Weidner, associate patron; Eugene E. Myers, treasurer; Marguerite Morgan, secretary; Louella Brenneman, conductress; Gladys Mothersell, associate conductress; Charles Brenneman, three-year trustee; Mabel Moore and Margaret Raymond, marshals; Ruth Axthelm, standard bearer; Edward Morgan, prelate, and Juliette Johnson, musician.

Honored Ladies of the Square are Ethel Morgan, truth; Kathryn Hetzler, faith; Florette Vaughn, wisdom; and Una L. Rush, charity. Installed also were Nita R. Schinke, historian; Frances Fisher, warder, and Fred Bacon, sentinel.

The coronation ceremony was conducted by Gladys Mothersell, matron; Clyde B. Satterfield, honored marshal; Mildred Mittan and Rosalie B. Bays, marshals; Mattie Meyer, standard bearer; Mae McEwen, crown bearer; Bill McEwen, sword bearer; Royal Patrons, honor guard; Rudy Kipp, captain of the guards.

The Bible bearer, wreath bearer, and installing prelate were Margie Russell, Mona Brizendine and Joseph Galera. Forming the escort were Mildred Mittan and Rosalie Bays, marshals, and Donald Stevens, master of ceremonies.

Installing officers were Charles Brenneman, patron; Helen Wilson, marshal; Edward Morgan, aide; Ann

Long, secretary; Beatrice Schwartz, musician.

Grace Rother, royal matron, and Charles Brenneman, royal patron, were escorted as Allen Harris sang. Lee Jacobs was flag bearer and the Address of Welcome was given by Donald Stevens.

A reception was held in the dining room following the installation. Mattie Meyer served as chairman. Assisting were Gladys Mothersell, Helen Wilson and Rosalie Bays. Gail Morgan was in charge of the guest book.

Auxiliary Will Hear Professor

Auxiliary at South Bay Hospital has invited Mrs. Norma Brandel Gibbs to be guest speaker at their luncheon-meeting on Thursday, May 23, at noon at Latitude 20 Restaurant in Torrance.

Mrs. Gibbs is a former mayor of Seal Beach and is now a counselor and assistant professor at California State College at Long Beach. In 1964, Orange Coast College honored her with the award of "Outstanding Citizen of Orange County," and in 1966 North Park College in Illinois bestowed on her the "Outstanding Alumni" Award.

Mrs. Gibbs will speak on "The Changing Role of Women." Reservations may be made with Mrs. John Fraser, program chairman.

Preceptor Chapter Sets Installation Dinner

Preceptor Alpha Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, will hold its third annual Installation Dinner at the Five Torches in Inglewood Monday evening. Cocktails for members and guests at 6:45 p.m. will be followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Marvin Scott, past president of the South Bay Area Council, will install Mmes. Andrew Foster, president; Robert Nickelson, vice-president; Louis Zelenay, recording secretary; Eugene Olson, corresponding secretary; Robert Gunderson, treasurer; Jacqueline Pinkney, civil defense officer; and Miss Martha Oehlerking, council representative. Chairmen to be installed are Mmes. Robert Nickelson, social; Fran Nichols, ways and means; Raymond Millhouse, service; Henry Lightenburger, program; Louis Below, parliamentarian; Blanche McCallum, publicity; Lester Mayfield, sunshine and telephone; and Miss Martha Oehlerking, historian.

Xi Lambda To Install Tuesday Eve

Mrs. Mark Hulse will be installed as the new president of Xi Zeta Lambda Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi at Del's Camino Room on Tuesday, May 21.

Mrs. Marvin Scott, junior past president of South Bay Area Council, will be the installing officer, and Mrs. Raymond Millhouse, chapter sponsor, will give the invocation.

Other officers to be installed are Miss Lorraine Coleman, vice-president; Mmes. Clarence Turner, recording secretary; Bert Whited, corresponding secretary; Troy Conn, treasurer; Charles Blackburn, council representative and William Guthormson, civil defense.

Localities At AAUW Convention

Representatives of the Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills Branch of the American Association of University Women are attending the California State Convention, which closes today, at the Disneyland Hotel.

Heading the delegation is Mrs. Gene LaHusen, immediate past president, and Mrs. Ralph Hamer, newly-installed president.

Other delegates from the 250 membership include Mmes. Robert Cook, Thomas Harding, Joseph Jay, John King, H. C. McLendon, H. G. Peterson, Robert Ritter, David Steybe and Benjamin White.

Mrs. LaHusen presented a special recognition report at the Area Caucus Luncheon on Friday and Mrs. Peterson served as a member of the nominating committee.

New Slate Of Officers Installed

The installation of new officers of Rho Epsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was held at the home of Mrs. John Shetler of Torrance on Monday, May 13, at 8 p.m.

Accepting new offices were Mmes. Earl Williams, president; Don Sugden, vice president; Robert Wade, recording secretary; David Becket, treasurer; Dennis Eisenhut, corresponding secretary; Robert Niedzwiecki, civil defense; Jack Amberson, council representative; Bob Heinsohn, extension officer.

The Ritual of the Jewel was given to Mrs. Robert Wade and Mrs. Robert Niedzwiecki.

Mrs. Earl Williams, "Girl-of-the-Year," was honored and the best program award was given.

Meets Tuesday

Torrance Camp 8908 Royal Neighbors of America will meet Tuesday, May 21, at the Torrance Woman's Club, 1422 Engacia Ave. The event will celebrate the birthday of the Camp. A business meeting will be held.

Bureau Needs Receptionist For Summer

An opening is available for a receptionist with a social service agency, according to the Volunteer Bureau, South Bay-Harbor, 2008 West Carson St., Suite 209, Torrance.

Applicants are required to have some clerical skill but may set their own hours for work. Persons interested may call the Bureau for additional details and to learn of the busy summer program now being planned.

Reception For Honored Queen Held

Bethel 36 International Order of Job's Daughters held a formal reception at Torrance Recreation Center recently in honor of Miss Kallie Stratos, Grand Bethel Honored Queen. The theme was "Let Flowers be a Symbol of Peace" and her colors, blue and green, with white doves and fans were carried out in decorations.

Job's Daughters, Guardians, Associate Guardians, Grand Bethel Representatives, Grand Officers, parents, and friends from many parts of California attended. Miss Elaine Platz, Past Honored Queen of Bethel 36 served as mistress of ceremonies. Also JoAnne Johnson, Gayle Cuendet, Kathy Hallian, and Nancy Davis, served as honorary officers, with Gayroi Rettberg, soloist, Nancy Stephenson, honored queen, and members of Bethel 36.

The Bethel presented Kallie with flowers and a song "Our Best To You." She also received gifts from Fathers' Club, Council, Mothers' Club, and girls of Bethel 36. A reception with cake and punch followed.

Later, Mr. and Mrs. Stratos had a buffet dinner for many attending the reception.

Officers Named by VFW Unit

Mrs. Harley Gray has been reelected for a second term in the presidency of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Lomita Post 1622, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Others elected to serve with Mrs. Gray are Mmes. Edward Fitzgerald, senior vice-president; Laurence Phelan, junior vice-president; Philander Tucker, treasurer; Daniel Wines, chaplain; DeWayne Miner, conductress; Ernest Hackett, secretary.

Also, Mmes. Frank Andrews, guard; Ronald Lindeman, patriotic instructor; Robert Riggles and Mary Smith, trustees.

The officers will be installed in ceremonies at the Fourth District Joint Installation on June 1 at the Long Beach Municipal Auditorium. Mrs. Gray is public relations chairman for the mass installation.

At the Fourth District election recently, Mrs. Gray was elected guard and Mrs. DeWayne Miner, color bearer.



VICTORIOUS... North High student journalists walked off with the sweepstakes trophy from the 15th annual writeoff tournament sponsored by the California Journalism Education Association. Winning team members are (kneeling, from left) Mike Braham, Julia Hopkins, Richard Watkins, and Rich Creighton. Shown with them are Dr. Richard Guengerich (left), principal, and Guy Olds, faculty advisor. In addition to sweepstakes honors, the foursome captured prizes for sports writing, editorial writing, and news writing.



EVELLE J. YOUNGER

Younger Chairmen Announced

District Attorney Evelle J. Younger announced this week the appointment of prominent community leaders Boris S. Wooley, Dr. Donald E. Wilson, and Robert B. White as co-chairmen of the Torrance Area Younger for District Attorney Committee.

"I am highly honored to have the outstanding support of Mr. Wooley, Dr. Wilson, and Mr. White in our June 4 primary effort to win added voter approval for an expanded countywide war on crime and its causes," Younger stated.

Wooley, a prominent Torrance attorney, has been a member of the Harbor Bar Association for the past 21 years. Dr. Wilson is a city councilman and White is a member of the Torrance Civil Service Commission.

"In only one term in office, Younger has won merited national recognition as a progressive crime fighter," the co-chairmen stated. "He has instituted crime control and prevention programs to upgrade law enforcement, secure passage of crime control legislation, institute space-age techniques and technology for more efficient prosecutions, and open needed channels of communication between law enforcement, local communities, and young people."

The Torrance Area Younger for District Attorney Committee will work closely with the countywide Younger campaign headed by co-chairmen Leonard Firestone, Ernest Loebbecke, and Paul Ziffren, as well as honorary chairman Eugene Biscailuz.

Assignment TV

By TERRENCE O'FLAHERTY

There's a new noise in Lotustland these days. It is caused by Hollywood actors slapping their make-up kits and hammering together their soap boxes in preparation for the coming political race.

After closely observing the habits of actors for many years, it is difficult to believe that anyone could be influenced by their personal preferences in any area, but there is a new generation going to the polls for the first time in November. It is a generation warmed since the cradle by star power and advisers in both parties are not overlooking that it may influence their votes.

In the McCarthy camp are Paul Newman, Tony Randall, Dustin "The Graduate" Hoffman, Robert Ryan, Elaine May, Hal Holbrook and Viveca Lindfors. Stumping for Bobby Kennedy are Sonny and Cher, Rod Steiger, Shirley MacLaine, Sammy Davis Jr., Bobby Darin and Peter Lawford. Hubert Humphrey claims Jimmy Durante and also Frank Sinatra, who still is smarting from the Kennedy family's rejection in 1962.

Hollywood's Republicans are traditionally less vocal but they appear to be waiting for the GOP's final line-up, although Rudy Vallee and Ginger Rogers are reported by Life Magazine to be already hoofing for Nixon.

YOU WILL notice immediately that television stars are not well represented on the list of Politically Motivated Performers. It is possible that their reluctance comes from the knowledge that their careers are dependent upon sponsors who might be offended by political moonlighting for the opposite party. Exceptions are "Man from U.N.C.L.E." Robert Vaughn (whose show is off the air anyway) and Barbra Streisand who plays it safe by allowing her name to be listed both by Citizens for McCarthy and Citizens for Kennedy.

In days of yore when all movie stars were under contract to studios they were even more silent politically than today's TV performers.

Marlon Brando, the well-known authority on racial disruptions and capital punishment, shot off his mouth about the Oakland Police Department on ABC's Joey Bishop show recently which prompted an immediate demand for equal time by Police Chief Charles R. Gain. He got it the following week. ABC is quick to note that both shows had the same size audience.

Brando has not yet come out for his favorite candidate. After "Mutiny on the Bounty," his choice is expected to be a major influence on the Tahlman-American vote—although it is not known in what direction. I HAVE a hunch that the

Art Students Will Display College Work

Art students at El Camino College will display their work in the lobby of the college auditorium beginning Monday, May 27, and continuing May 28, 29, and 31, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A public reception is scheduled during the opening Monday from 7 to 10 p.m.

The art show will culminate the final evening when items on display are offered for sale between 7 and 10 p.m. Exhibits will include drawings, paintings, graphic designs, renderings, prints, photos, and kites.

Doctor to Speak

Seymour Brockman, M.D., will be the guest speaker at the Thursday meeting of the Cleft Parent Guild, Crippled Children's Society. The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. at Society headquarters, 1800 N. Argyle Ave., Hollywood.

ARE YOU ONLY HALF SAFE?

State law requires that persons and partnerships transacting business under a fictitious firm name — and most businesses are — must file a certificate stating the full name and place of residence of each person and the membership of any partnerships. Such a certificate must be published once a week for four consecutive weeks.

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