



MRS. HAROLD BROWN
Emblem Club President

Gardena Emblem Club Elects 1968-69 Officers

Officers for 1968-69 were elected at the regular business meeting of the Gardena Emblem Club 257 Thursday, Jan. 4. Those chosen to fill the offices are Mmes. Harold Brown, president; James Baddon, first vice president; Charles Foreman, second vice president; Marion Clark, financial secretary; Fred Jones, treasurer.

Others were Mmes. Thomas Satterlee Jr., first assistant marshal; Hubert Hunter, second assistant marshal; Kenneth Jones, recording secretary; Frank Summo, chaplain; Ed Coulson, organist; Wayne Brickey, press correspondent; Clifford Swarbrick, historian; Robert Smith, first guard; William Trinkle, second guard.

The trustees are Mmes. Guy Daline, Hazel Spensley, Donald McDonald, Alex Leon and Albert Lepore.

Mrs. Brown named Mrs. Henry Sutcliffe as her marshal and Mrs. Paul Swigart as corresponding

secretary. Outgoing president, Mrs. William Wilhelm, was elevated to Junior Past President.

Installation will be held Thursday, Feb. 15 at the Gardena Elks Lodge, 1735 W. 162nd St., Gardena, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Scott Swagerty, past supreme president, will be the installing officer. Refreshments will be served to members and their guests, following the ceremonies.

Seven clubs of the South Central District were co-hosts at a meeting honoring Supreme President, Mrs. William C. Billings, and her Supreme Marshal, Mrs. Salvadore Cannistraro, at the Huntington Park Elks Lodge, Jan. 29, at 8 p.m. Those taking part in the meeting were Huntington Park 66, Inglewood 68, Compton 141, Culver City 254, Hawthorne 402, Gardena 257, and Long Beach 106.

The suite of officers was made up of three officers from each club. A report of community services was given at this time.

Bay Harbor Garden Club Meet Feb. 7

Los Angeles Bay Harbor District of California Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc., will hold its general meeting Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 10 a.m. at Clark Stadium, Hermosa Beach.

The program will consist of three main speakers. Mrs. Frank Gillette, third vice president and state awards chairman, will discuss the importance, preparation, and application for awards.

Mrs. Alfred Stone, state chairman of programs and speakers, will tell of the varied programs a club may have and how to obtain speakers.

Col. Frank Gillette, former U. S. Governor of occupied Korea, will tell of the life of the country, their struggle to provide food and shelter for themselves and how they have shown other nations it can be done. He will dress in costume and show many souvenirs he collected while living in Korea.

This will all be topped off by a luncheon by the Hermosa Beach Garden Club. Guests are welcome.

and Thursday of the month at the Palos Verdes Country Club. President is Mrs. Don D. Malone of Redondo Beach.

Mexican Dinner to Benefit Retarded Children's School

Ladies Auxiliary of the Harbor Area Retarded Children's Foundation invites the public to attend their annual benefit Mexican Dinner to be held Feb. 4 at 2520 Signal St., San Pedro.

Serving of the dinner, which consists of taco, enchilada, beans or chili con

carne, rice, salad, coffee or punch, will begin at 11 a.m. and continue until 6 p.m.

Proceeds from the dinner will go to aid handicapped children. Tickets will be sold at the door or may be secured by calling the Harbor Area Retarded Children's Foundation.

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Woman's Club to Hear Speaker, Vecinas To Honor Past Presidents Feb. 7

John Arnold Ford, noted Southland speaker and singer, will narrate exciting stories of settlement in the southwestern United States to the Torrance Woman's Club at the Clubhouse on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 12:30 p.m. This catered luncheon will honor Past Presidents of the club.

John Arnold Ford is the son of retired Los Angeles County Supervisor John Anson Ford. The program entitled "Heroes of the Great Southwest," combines

story and song in this version of southwestern history. Ford has appeared as bass soloist with the San Francisco and Los Angeles Opera companies and with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra, Hollywood Bowl Symphony, the Laguna Opera Festival and Pasadena Opera Company productions.

He will be introduced by Mrs. Richard Dorothy, program chairman.

Past presidents invited to attend are Mmes. Charles Stock, 1921-22; J. M. Fitzhugh, 1924-25; J. S. Lan-



JOHN A. FORD
Guest Speaker

Romance is an appropriate theme for the Feb. 11 "Husband's Night" meeting of the Las Vecinas Woman's Club. A special evening program honoring the men will be presented at 8 p.m. in the Torrance YMCA building.

Members and their spouses will be entertained by the husband and wife drama duo, Rena and Stanley Waxman, who have appeared in theater, film, and television productions. In a dramatization of "How Do I Love Thee?" the Waxmans will investigate the changing aspects of romantic love from courtship to honeymoon to second honeymoon and beyond.

An informal social hour will follow the presentation. Las Vecinas has conducted philanthropic activities in the South Bay since 1948. Many local and civic groups have benefited from their support. Club meetings are held at 11 a.m. on the sec-

caster, 1926; A. W. Johnson, 1934-36; M. J. Beale, 1936-37; A. H. Silligo, 1939-40; E. A. Miles, 1940-41; C. B. Mitchell, 1941-43; George Morgan, 1943-44; N. W. Wickersham, 1944-46; Chris Jones, 1946-47; James Wilkers 1947-49; S. V. Rauss, 1949-50; D. L. Sears, 1950; B. T. Whitney, 1950-51; B. W. Roberts, 1951-52; A.F.R. Ewalt, 1952-53;

Also, Mmes. G. C. Van Deventer, 1953-54; H. R. Richards, 1954-55; H. L. Mitchell, 1955-56; L. A. McCoy, 1956-57; R. E. Moffitt, 1957-58; Don B. Wolf, 1958-59; R. J. Apsey, 1960-61; Lee Stamps, 1961-62; J. P. Bay, 1962-63; S. G. Louvier, 1963-64; Andrew Acampora, 1964-65; H. F. Heinlein, 1965-66; H. Ted Olson, 1966-67.

A business meeting at 1:30 p.m. will follow the luncheon at 1:45 p.m.

Local Girls Chosen As Loyola Belles

Eighth annual presentation of the Loyola Belles of Loyola University of Los Angeles will be held Sunday evening, Feb. 4, at 7 p.m. in the Satellite Room of the Miramar Hotel, Santa Monica.

Dancing to the music of Jack Redding will follow the formal presentation of the 70 young women selected to be the University's official hostesses for the current academic year.

Dr. Stephen D. Slingsby assistant professor of government at California State College at Los Angeles and a 1960 graduate of Loyola University, will be the guest of honor and will present the young women to parents, administrators of the University and the women's colleges, and invited guests. Dr. Slingsby and Richard D. Aldrich, '60, were co-founders of the Belles during their undergraduate days at the University.

The Belles are chosen each year in September from the six Catholic women's colleges in Los Angeles: Immaculate Heart, Marymount, Mount St. Mary's

(Brentwood and Doheny campuses), St. Vincent's College of Nursing and Queen of Angels School of Nursing.

Each girl is interviewed by a board of five Loyola students and the current president of the Belles. They are judged on the five qualities of Belle: poise, personality, friendliness, enthusiasm and personal appearance.

During an academic year the Belles are in attendance at over 70 events, ranging from orientations, cultural events, picnics, open houses, high school recruitment days, mixers, blood drives, athletic events, chapel programs, receptions and formal dinners.

Torrance girls, who will be presented as Belles, include Irene Ryan, 23102 Doris Way, a senior at Marymount College; Pat McClain, 1230 Amapola Ave., Loyola University student; Cheryl Blascom, 3418 W. 227th St., a junior at Queen of Angels Nursing School; and Marilyn Yaroshuk, 4608 Vanderhill Rd., a sophomore at St. Vincent's College of Nursing.

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