

# PTA Council Prexy Known as 'Sluggo'

It's no wonder her PTA Council Board called themselves "Betty's Sluggos," because their president, Mrs. H. S. (Betty) Rogers has been "slugging it out" for the youth of this community for about 20 years.

This mother of 16 year-old twins and a 19-year-old son, made her first community debut when she became interested in the PTA and Little League in the mid-fifties.

She was treasurer, team mother, and secretary for Little League from 1958 to 1965. She was a volunteer coach for the Torrance Recreation Department's Girls Softball program for eight years and was a Girl Scout leader from 1961 to 1967.

Always interested in youth and its needs, she served as a YMCA leader for four years, was president of the Triangle Council and worked as a lay

leader with the Y's high school group.

Beginning as a room mother in 1955, she held many positions with the Fern Greenwood PTA of which she was president in 1961-63. She was president of Torrance High PTA, 1964-66 and was secondary education chairman for 33rd District, 1967-68.

Recognizing her outstanding work with youth, the Fern Greenwood PTA presented her with a California Honorary Life Membership and this year she was presented with a National Honorary Life.

It was in May, 1968, that she accepted the gavel of the presidency of the Torrance PTA Council, directing 40 PTA units with a membership of 20,756.

With a year of accomplishments to her credit, she was re-elected to the presidency for the year 1969-70.



MRS. GEORGE MOREHART



MRS. H. S. ROGERS

# Child Wins Her Interest

Love of children has dominated the life of Mrs. George G. Morehart, whose name is synonymous with the Harbor General Hospital organization "Volunteers for Children" which has done so much to brighten the lives of hospitalized children.

After teaching for many years in the Torrance and Redondo Beach elementary schools, Mrs. Morehart felt the need to keep in touch with children and joined the Volunteers for Children 13 years ago. She has served three terms as president of this group, has held many other offices and is this year's ways and means chairman.

Mrs. Morehart is a charter member of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in Redondo Beach and is president of the Westminster Guild, a business and professional women's group of the church.

She is also a member of HZ PEO chapter, a philanthropic and educational organization, and is a member of the Deers, the wives club of the Redondo Beach Elks. Mrs. Morehart also served as a deputy registrar for many years.

She is the wife of George G. Morehart, a Torrance Civil Service Commissioner for 12 years.

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