



KIWANIAN WIVES ARE HOSTESSES . . . Mrs. Bob L. Haggard, wife of the president-elect of Torrance Kiwanis Club, was honored at a beautiful tea given Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Howard A. Wood. Cohostesses were the wives of

past presidents of the service club. Left to right are: Mrs. Paul Loranger, Mrs. Howard A. Wood, Mrs. J. Parke Montague, and the honoree, Mrs. Bob L. Haggard. —Staff photo by Lee Weinstein.

CHRISTMAS TEA HONORS MRS. BOB L. HAGGARD

Among the lovely affairs of the month was the beautifully appointed Christmas tea given Friday afternoon to honor Mrs. Bob L. Haggard, wife of the president-elect of Torrance Kiwanis Club.

Setting for the enjoyable affair was the El Prado home of Mrs. Howard A. Wood, whose husband, Dr. Wood, is president of the service club.

Cohostesses with Mrs. Wood were wives of Kiwanis Club past presidents, Mesdames H. C. Barrington, R. F. Bishop, Edwin B. Brown, Robert J. Deininger, Charles T. Rippey, Charles C. Schultz, Dean L. Sears, Alden Smith, John Stroh, and Henry F. Ubright.

Guests were wives of Torrance

DR. HARRIETT RANDALL ADDRESSES PTA COUNCIL

Dr. Harriett Randall, M. D. assistant supervisor of health services section of the Los Angeles City Schools, stated that little children should be rocked and cuddled to make them feel that they are really loved, when she spoke on the subject "Panning for Gold of Health" before members of Gateway PTA Council Monday morning.

Developing her subject as it relates to the physical and emotional problems of children, the speaker aroused her audience by stating that fathers have more effect on the emotional stability of their children than ever realized heretofore. She completed her address by stating that most teenage problems center around the parents.

Meeting in the library of San Pedro High School Mrs. H. W. Nansel, who presided, introduced



PAST PRESIDENTS ARE HONORED . . . Torrance Woman's Club yesterday paid special tribute to its past presidents, the women who have so successfully guided the organization through the years since its inception in 1921. In the foreground are: left to right: Mrs. Chris Jones, Mrs. Samuel Y. Rauss,

Incumbent president; Mrs. A. H. Silligo, Mrs. Edna F. Stone, Mrs. George Morgan, and Mrs. W. I. Laughon. Standing, left to right, Mrs. A. W. Johnson, Mrs. H. C. Barrington, Mrs. R. R. Smith, Mrs. E. A. Miles, Mrs. John Young, Mrs. C. B. Mitchell, Mrs. J. S. Lancaster and Mrs. Willis M. Brooks.

TORRANCE ELEMENTARY PLANS YULE PROGRAM

A Christmas program will be presented by fifth, sixth and seventh graders and the second, third and fourth grade students will feature Santa Claus Land with a "Snow Flake" dance, a "Brownie" dance and "Letters to Santa Claus."

Selections will be presented by the school orchestra and the upper grade chorus, under the direction of Miss Margaret Kochenderfer and the fourth grade chorus, directed by Mrs. Betty Hulsing.

Scenes from the Nativity will

'FIREFLY'

Kindergarten and first grade pupils will each have a party and tree and a visit from Santa Claus.

At a meeting of the executive board held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. K. Burchfield and conducted by Mrs. K. C. Beight, president, arrangements were made to purchase a tree and decorations for the school and to solicit canned and packaged foods for welfare work.

Next board meeting will be held January 16.

Most men who run down women are running down one woman only.

Tonight's presentation of the operetta "The Firefly" by Rudolph Friml, in Redondo Union High School auditorium, will mark the second production of a four-night run to be concluded Saturday night.

Sponsored by South Bay Civic Opera Association, a non-profit organization, the "Firefly" features an all-amateur cast, under sponsorship of the school. The group is open to all, both as a means of entertainment for this area and also as an outlet for any talent interested in the group.

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Welcomed were Mrs. Don Wolf, president of Lomita San Pedro PTA Council, and Mrs. Lawrence Lobach, Gardena-Wilmington PTA Council president.

Following adjournment the board members of the council were luncheon guests of the San Pedro High School association executive board at the home of their president, Mrs. M. P. Allen.

Ham Dinner, Bazaar Plans Complete

Last minute plans for tomorrow's St. Andrew's Episcopal Church - sponsored bazaar and ham dinner have been completed by Mrs. Lavona Williamson and her committee.

According to Ticket Chairman Roxie Sleeth tickets for the dinner at \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children, are available from members or at the door. Everyone is welcome. Serving will begin at 6 o'clock and will continue until 8:30, it was learned.

Committee members report that home made cakes and other good things may be purchased to take home as well as attractive and useful articles suitable for Christmas gifts which have been made by church women.

Bazaar Will Offer Gifts

A repeat sale of lovely home-made articles, fancy work, knitting bags, stuffed toys, aprons, home-made fruit cakes, jellies and jams will be held by members of St. Joan of Arc Guild of St. Margaret Mary Church Saturday morning, December 10, at Shank's Store, 24618 Narbonne avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Miller, Prefect, has announced that the sale will be held only from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Those who wish to buy lovely inexpensive holiday gifts will want to remember the time and place. Proceeds will be used to further the work of the church.

HOME AGAIN

Mrs. A. L. Jackson of 1448 Engracia avenue returned Sunday from three weeks sojourn at her cottage in Twenty-nine Palms. Councilman Jackson spent the week-end at the desert resort and accompanied his wife home.

Yule Pageant to Highlight PTA Meeting

A Christmas pageant by children of Lomita Elementary School will be the highlight of the monthly meeting of Lomita Elementary PTA Thursday, December 15 at 7 p. m.

This announcement was made Monday by the principal, Mrs. Jane Rye at an executive board meeting of the association held in the home of the president, Mrs. Joe Stahl, 2476 W. 25th street.

Mrs. Rye also stated that the new auditorium is completed and the meeting will be held here for the first time.

Mrs. Stahl announced that two fund-raising projects held earlier this year were very successful and part of this money will be used to purchase dishes and silverware for the new kitchen at the school. A paper drive netted the association \$104 and a food sale, \$40.

Two new chairmen were named. Mrs. C. E. Woodward to assist in furthering efforts to obtain a junior high school to serve Lomita students, and Mrs. F. L. Markley as publicity chairman. Plans also were outlined for the annual Christmas treat for the students.

Card Party In North Torrance

St. Catherine La Bore Catholic Church is sponsoring a monthly card party in parish hall, Redondo Beach boulevard east of Prairie at 8 o'clock Friday evening, December 9. Everyone is invited.

At the close of play, while tallies are being added, refreshments will be served by members of the Altar Society as hostesses. Cash prizes are given as prizes for high score holders.

Camp Fire Activities

At a meeting of Tandra Okiki Camp Fire Girls held Friday afternoon at the school, plans were made for a Camp Fire Party to be held December 16 at Wilmington Hall.

Gifts of decorated tins of baby food will be the girls' gifts to underprivileged children, it was announced.

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