

### Furniture Executive Attending Annual Winter Mart in Chicago

Torrance is in a position to get the latest low-down on the furniture trends of 1952. It was learned this week with the announcement that Jack McMahan of McMahan's Furniture Store is attending the annual winter home furnishing market in Chicago.

McMahan left last Friday to join other furniture executives for the showing which will run from January 7 until 18.

Nearly 2000 manufacturers are showing new offerings in furniture, floor coverings, major household appliances, sleep equipment, television, radio and other types of home good at the largest of the nation's markets. "We expect merchandise to be presented at the winter furniture market to reflect a keen awareness of new style developments and the necessity of sound values at fair prices," McMahan said before he left for the Windy City.

"Manufacturers have made aggressive efforts to show improvements in more popular styling and better construction, and the tables, chairs, sofas and chests are more closely keyed to today's living patterns," he added.

McMahan predicted that fashion and value will be the big news of the winter furniture market, and that manufacturers are expected to display more new designs, new fabrics, new wood finishes, new colors and new construction features than have ever been presented at the showing.

The furniture executive is a member of the National Retail Furniture Association and he will participate in a series of conferences and Shop Talk Breakfast sessions while attending the market. The conferences are designed to give industry members a comprehensive picture of the furniture business of today, he said.

### Storkatorials

AT TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Roberts of 1225 Felbar avenue became the parents of a son at 9:38 a.m. on December 12. The boy, named Lee Simpson, weighed 5 pounds 1 ounce at birth.

This is the second child for the Roberts. Another boy, Coby, is now 3 years old.

A daughter, the couple's third child, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vaun Whittington at 11:51 p.m. on December 20. The parents live at 1230 Hickory avenue.

Named Shelley Ann, the girl weighed 7 pounds 11 1/4 ounces at birth. Shelley has a brother, William Allen, 15 and a sister, Glenda Jean, 12.

At 6:35 a.m. on December 22 Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jordan of 25902 Oak street, Lomita, became the parents of their first child. Named Theresa Kathleen, the baby weighed 6 pounds 9 1/2 ounces at birth.

Paternal grandparents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jordan, 2118 Cabrillo, while Mr. H. H. Scheffer is the maternal grandfather.

A 3 pound 4 1/2 ounce baby boy was born at 3:02 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. William C. Shook of 21819 Grace street. Named Paul Cameron, it is the couple's first child.

The father is employed here by the Harvey Machine Company as a machinist.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cogburn of 1318 Foothill avenue became the parents of their second child on December 24. The child was named Linda Jeanne.

The Cogburns' other child is 9-year-old Jo Evelyn.

Becoming the parents of their fifth child on December 24 were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hasegawa, 20631 Hawthorne avenue. The baby, Carol, was born at 8 a.m. weighing 8 pounds 1 ounce.

The Hasegawas' other children are Peggy, Kerrie, April and Steven.

Paternal grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. S. Hasegawa of the same address.

Christmas eve became the date of arrival for Kathleen Ann Kenner, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kenner, 21900 South Figueroa street. The baby weighed 6 pounds

13 1/2 ounces at birth. She is the couple's only child.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oliver became the parents of a 7 pound 14 ounce boy named Victor Daniel at 7:33 p.m. on December 27.

The Olivers, who live at 1127 Flat street, also have a 21-month-old daughter, Teresa Diana. Paternal grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Pilar Olvera, 2111 West 203rd street.

Dorothy Victoria Vasquez arrived in this world on the last day of 1951, becoming the second child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vasquez, who live on West 235th street in Lomita.

The baby, born at 3:50 a.m. on December 31, weighed an even 7 pounds at birth. Paternal grandparents of the child are Charles and Albertina Vasquez of Lomita.

New Year's eve was a proud moment for Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Scheffer. At 4:03 and 4:19 p.m. that day, the couple became the parents of twins. A boy, Terry Lee, weighing 5 pounds 8 1/2 ounces arrived first, followed by a girl, Jerry Lee, weighing 5 pounds 1 ounce.

The Scheffers live at 529 East 220th street. Mr. Scheffer is a service station operator.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pochatec became the parents of their first child at 1:30 p.m. on January 7. The baby, a girl, has been named Linda Lee.

Baby Linda weighed 5 pounds 8 ounces upon arrival. Her parents live at 1303 Greenwood avenue. Mr. Pochatec is employed at Columbia Steel.

Deborah Joy became the fourth child of the Kenneth Marshalls on January 6 at 1:58 a.m. The Marshalls live at 1569 West 220th street.

The other children in the family are Tommy, 14; Wayne, 6 and David, 4.

Deborah Joy weighed in at 7 pounds 10 1/4 ounces. The father is employed as a welder at National Supply.

### Erma Carstens Enters Journalism Contest

Erma May Carstens, a Torrance High graduate, is one of 93 Occidental college students who have entered the Forest Lawn journalism contest.

Miss Carstens is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carstens of 1452 Post avenue. She is a freshman majoring in physical education.

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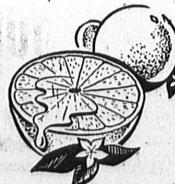
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