

NORTH TORRANCE TATTLER

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Parties, parties, parties! This move her mask several times to area was really buzzing this convince the youngsters. The week with witches and goblins tape recorded music was pre-all over the place! The Blue-paraded by Glen Runsted and added birds and the "Carnegie Girls" of much to the mood of the Bertrand home and had a cele-ner roast in the patio to cele-brate Halloween. Two prizes were given for the best cos-tumes with Dani Walker dress-ed as a pirate and Kathie John-son in a very grown-up lady outfit. Making haste the honors ran from a jack-in-the-box to Robbin Hood, marched to the staying on to cut a birthday cake for Mrs. Hamilton Black- included the Delbert Alford, returned to be entertained by Gene Johnsons, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Campois.

The kindergarten classes at North Torrance Elementary donned their costumes for an annual parade. Mrs. Loomis' class, those adults attending and to Robbin Hood, marched to the staying on to cut a birthday cake for Mrs. Hamilton Black- included the Delbert Alford, returned to be entertained by Gene Johnsons, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Campois.

The Boy Scout and Campfire Gil party held at McMaster upon it by a room mother. Saturday evening found the crowd at the Cortez, Fannoh, Holbrook party at 17516 Cerise Ave. The entire backyard and garage was decorated to give a most gala atmosphere. Guests were greeted at the gate by a person in red long-handled holding a candle. The hostesses were Adaline Cortez as a ballerina in a vivid red short skirt and pointed hat. Marcella Fannon was out-of-this-world in realistic Mrs. Helen Woods as a witch that she had to re-

Friday evening the NTCA sponsored Halloween party was held at McMaster and some 500 voted it a huge success! So realistic was Mrs. Helen Woods as a witch that she had to re-

Friday and room mother Ella Kililian and Marion Mellor were kept busy supplying the refreshments.

Dave Dyer, 17030 Crenshaw Blvd., was elected president of the Northrop Square Dancers Club this week at elections held at Swimmis Barn. Dave, who is a member of the Kickin' Chickens, will serve a term of one year.

The Alpha Society will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Emory White, 4305 W. 178th St. Plans will be completed for the ham dinner and bazaar to be held next month.

Mrs. Larry Dorsey and Mrs. Ralph McBe, co-chairmen of the Community Chest Drive to be held one day, Nov. 10, held a meeting of sub-chairmen this week. Those allocated to various areas include Mesdames Dana Houston, Carol Rose, E. Carlstrom, Dean Blake, Jack White, Alice McKenzie, W. A. Wright, Enid Runsted, A. B. Cowie, Harry Van Bellehen, Margaret Garity and Barton Davidson. Chairmen Dorsey and McBe wish to express their thanks for the 75 workers who volunteered to assist in this very worthwhile endeavor. A kickoff breakfast will be held at the McBe home, 17315 Atkinson Ave., at 10 o'clock on Monday, and open house will prevail from 10:2 with coffee and doughnuts being served the workers. Contributions of any denomination will be most appreciated.

Girl Scout Troop 1277 under the leadership of Mrs. Lois Sanders went on a hay ride at Sunset Ranch in Culver City this week. A wicker roast around a bonfire finished off the evening. Girls in the troop who in turn invited a boy included Joan Beckham, Yvonne Jimenez, Gloria Sanders, Darlene Holbeck, Jean Sorrel, Fay Anundson, Donna Pash, Rosemary Streetmaker, Carol Atkins and Nancy Gibson.

The El Nido School had several parties in progress this

Carson Cracker Barrel

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In what form of enchantment do the ghosts, goblins and other weird little creatures who come out on Halloween night spend the other 364, I wonder? The cutest prankster I ever saw was a tiny panda bear—he'd march up to a door, ring the bell and as soon as it was opened, he'd hold up his sack and holler "more!"

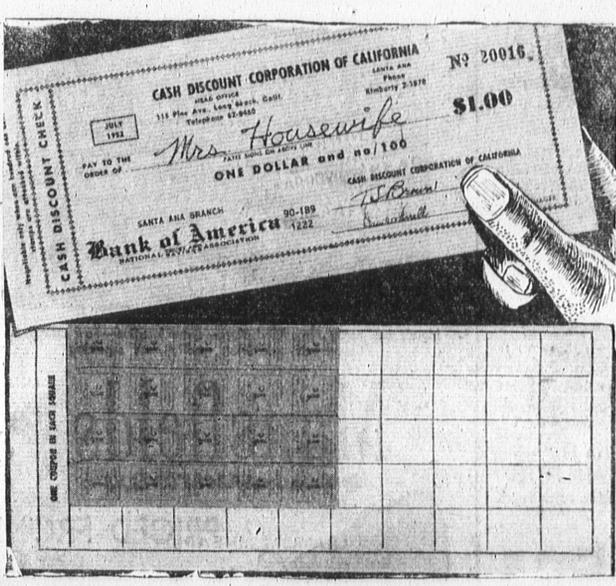
"Surprise! Surprise! Happy birthday!" was the cry that greeted Steve Marino of San Pedro as he stepped into the Joe Marino home, 534 W. 214th St., last Sunday; flocking out of the bedrooms where they'd been hiding, awaiting this big moment, came 45 members of his family who'd gathered to celebrate his 71st birthday. What a wonderful celebration it was—turkey and all the good things to eat and drink topped off by a beautiful cake! Joining in the fun were 13 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren as well as his sons and daughters, and other relatives.

Arriving at Torrance Memorial Hospital October 21, at 10:25 a.m., was little Kraig Starkey, newest member of the H. L. Starkey family of 430 W. 214th St. He weighed 5 lbs. 6 oz., and

30-day furlough from the Navy. This happened to be the same day that Mrs. Huston had planned a luncheon for friends, so her party had double significance. Those enjoying luncheon with her were Meses, Agnes Martinez, Flo Barnes, Marie Pearce, Oma May Peters, Margaret Meacham, Clara Gehrig, Lucille Marks and Virginia Marino.

It's always hard to say goodbye to a good neighbor, but sometimes there are compensations. Such was the case when friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Roy Carter, 21232 Caroldale Ave., last Wednesday, to honor Mrs. James Campbell with a surprise party. The Campbells have moved from their home on 223rd St. to Gardena. Mrs. Campbell was presented with a pottery cup which had been signed by many of her friends and then fired to insure its permanence. Mr. Campbell is with the Merchant Marine, and Mrs. Campbell is well known for her community activities and work with youth groups. They have two children, Marsha, 7, and Larry, 6. Those enjoying refreshments with Mrs. Campbell were Meses, Robert Minchow, C. Wittenberg, June Lewis, Ben Cluff, A. Barkan, James Luten, Carlton Johnston, Russell Gilbert, and Charles Linn. We all miss them very much, but are glad to have friends to visit in Gardena.

Home again after a 10-day visit in Salt Lake City are the James Cayton family of 635 W. 214th St. They visited relatives and friends there, an especially enjoyed renewing acquaintances at the University of Utah where both Mr. and Mrs. Cayton were graduated 20 years ago. The return trip was most interesting to the children, David, Charlie and Margaret, because they came home via Bryce and Zion canyons, and Hoover Dam.



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