

EASTERN RELATIVES VISIT F. WEIKERTS

Guests in the 24013 Narbonne Ave. Lomita home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weikert this week are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rogers and daughter, Carreen, of Rahway, N. J. Mrs. Rogers, Weikert's sister, and her family are making their first visit to California and are considering the establishment of a home in this area. They will spend two weeks at the Weikert residence.

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**OPENS SHOW . . .** Miss Ann Leo, 15-year-old accordion virtuoso, was one of the featured performers at a show given for Marines returning from Korea at the Wilton Hotel in Long Beach last Saturday night. The talented young miss, a junior at Torrance High School, opened the program with two numbers, Tommy Dorsey's "Boogie," and "Pretend." She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leo, 2465 Apple Ave., and has her own teaching studio at home.

**Saturday Night Dances Spark Summer for City Teen-agers**

Continuing a popular schooltime tradition, the Torrance Recreation Department will sponsor Saturday night dances for teen-agers throughout the summer, Miss Doris Avis, teenage director, revealed this week.

The dances will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Civic Auditorium, she said. A well-known orchestra will be featured every two weeks, while popular platters will provide the music on alternate Saturdays.

Engaged for the Aug. 1 dance are the "Stardusters," called back by request because of the enthusiasm for their music among the 80 teen-agers attending last Saturday night's affair. A ten-piece band composed of musicians in their late teens, the "Stardusters" play all requests and include in their repertoire most of the hot jazz and sweetly sentimental tunes beloved by the younger set, Miss Avis said.

Working with Miss Avis in arranging the dances are L. G. Nolan and Miss Joan Melvin.



**FIRST ANNIVERSARY . . .** Mrs. Douglas Horlander, refreshment chairman, serves a cup of coffee to Mrs. Chuck Herren at an informal gathering of the JayCettes held Tuesday night to commemorate the club's first anniversary. Mrs. Howard Percy, second from left, hosted the affair in her 2224 Torrance Blvd. home, while Mrs. Dale Stanton, far left, assisted Mrs. Joseph Banks with house decorations. An iris bouquet centered the table, gay paper lanterns hung from the ceiling, and vari-colored fans were given each member to carry out the Japanese motif.

**Young Graham Personality Growth of Child Leaves Cubs, Enters Scouts**

Graduation of young Larry Graham from Cub Scout Pack 241 highlighted last week's Wednesday meeting of the Pack, held at Torrance Park.

On hand to welcome the new Boy Scout following a potluck dinner featuring roast wieners and watermelon was Scoutmaster Carl Backlund of Troop 254. Leaving the pack with their son are Mr. and Mrs. George Graham who were honored with a "Jing-away gift" at the Tuesday affair. Graham, chairman of the pack committee, and his wife, mother for Den Four, will continue Scout work in Troop 254. "Succeeding them as Pack leaders will be Charles Robertson and Maggie Copeland. Court of Awards, with a gold arrow, silver arrow, and lion badge going to Eddie Daws, climaxed the evening. Marston Robertson and Garry Beck received silver arrows; Jimmy Ross was awarded an assistant dinner stripe, and Jimmy Copeland won a bear badge.

The boys also were presented with cash awards for selling tickets to the recent Scout breakfast held at Jim Dandy Market.

**SLATE FILM ON CRIME TUESDAY**

Torrance residents interested in seeing what makes a criminal do so next Tuesday night, July 28, when the Gardena Valley Jewish Center presents a 16 mm sound film, "A Criminal Is Born," at 8:30 o'clock at the Western Club in Gardena.

Sponsored by the Community Chest, the film is being given through the courtesy of the Program Service Division of the Los Angeles Welfare Foundation. It deals with the dope addiction problem among teen-agers.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Kahn, 15223 S. Normandie, Gardena, hosted guests, friends, and members of the center last Saturday night at a garden party. Tables, arranged in cabaret style, were centered with candle and floral arrangements. The old American favorites, barbecued hot dogs, Boston baked beans, cole slaw, apple pie, and coffee highlighted the menu.

Proceeds were donated by the Kahns to the Center building fund. Mrs. Rubin Belkin, vice-president of the Sisterhood, revealed.

**Vacation in Mountains**

Now vacationing at Thousand Pines are Mr. and Mrs. William Scholz, 1903 Arlington Ave. The couple will return to their Torrance home after five days in the mountain climate.

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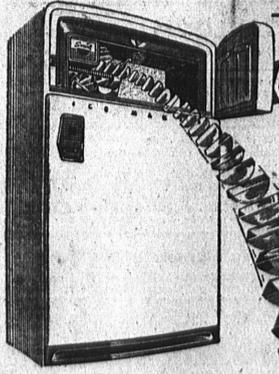
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