



DR. HOWARD A. WOOD  
... District Scout Chairman

### Install Wood Chairman of Harbor Scouts

Dr. Howard Wood, former president of the Torrance Board of Education and former moderator of the TEAC, has been installed chairman of the Harbor district executive committee of the Boy Scouts of America, succeeding Albert B. Herbold.

Paul Y. Dunn, program director of the Los Angeles Area Council, installed new officers for the harbor district at a dinner meeting of more than 200 Cub and Scout parents and friends at Mary Star of the Sea Auditorium in San Pedro Wednesday evening.

Albert H. Molter, district Scout executive, said that Scout, Explorer and Cub unit membership increased 24 per cent in the Harbor area in the past year. At present there are three Cub packs, 38 Scout troops, and 25 Explorer Scout troops.

Other officers installed were L. H. Chandler, of Lomita and Del Dryer of Wilmington, vice-chairmen; and William B. Stokes was re-elected district commissioner.

### Poetess To Speak To Manuscripters

Margaret Smith, poetess and member of numerous writer's clubs, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the Southwest Manuscripters, a group of South Bay writers, to be held Nov. 20 at 8 p.m. at Clark Stadium in Hermosa Beach.

Mrs. Smith has taught poetry-writing technique and has served as poetry director for the Schubert Club of Los Angeles, according to Mrs. Elsie Pestoff, secretary of the Manuscripters.

The poetess has twice won the Browning Prize awarded by Redlands University and has conducted the Chapparral Horizon, a column to which many famous poets have contributed.

All entries in the poetry, short story, article, confession, and one-act play contests should be turned in at this meeting, Mrs. Pestoff announced. These entries should have a Christmas theme, and the winner in each category will be read and the author given a prize at the Christmas meeting.

### Post Heads Local Bank Delegation

James W. Post, president of the Torrance National Bank, will head a delegation of local bankers who will attend the California Bankers Association Group Five fall meetings, scheduled to be held Wednesday at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles.

Other members of the local delegation attending will be R. J. Deininger, vice-president and cashier, Torrance National Bank; W. B. Hiecock, assistant vice-president, Torrance National Bank; and John R. Stanton, manager of the Lomita branch of the California Bank.

Advance registrations for the meeting show that attendance may go over the 450-mark, according to Fred S. Hilbert, group five chairman, and vice-president of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles.

### Torrance Moose Named To District Committees

James Evans, Dan Desmond, James Johnston and Ralph Fritz, members of the Torrance Lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose, have been named to California Moose Association district committees, Joseph Piatt, vice-president of the South Central District, announced recently.

Evans and Desmond were named to the Important Advisory committee, while Johnston and Fritz became members of the Rules and Order group. Desmond is the governor of the Torrance Lodge.

### Harbor Mental Health Group Slates Talk

An illustrated talk on the Middle East from the "Bosphorus to the Suez," will be presented by Captain and Mrs. Gilbert Myers on Tuesday evening at the City Health Center in San Pedro for the benefit of the Harbor District Mental Health Service.

There will be two showings of pictures at 6:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. This is the first showing of these films in San Pedro.

The Harbor District Mental Health Service is available to any adult or child residing in the Harbor area. Specially trained social workers in psychiatry and psychology are supplied by the State Department of Mental Hygiene. All clerical and maintenance work is provided by donations and volunteer work of citizens and organizations in the Harbor area.

Proof of the need for such a clinic in this area was made evident by the 278 referrals resulting from the first week's paid survey made by the State Department last year.

In a recent visit to San Pedro, Miss Helen Stout, chief social work supervisor of the Los Angeles Clinic, stated that a community should feel a responsibility toward supporting clinics such as this newly-organized Mental Health Clinic just as they do to schools.

The Harbor District Mental Health Clinic is held every Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the San Pedro City Health Building, 8th and Beacon Sts.

### State President To Install Piatt As VP of Moose

Joseph Piatt of Torrance, new titular leader of 3000 Harbor area Loyal Order of Moose members, will be installed as a California Moose Association vice-president by John Carter, state president, in formal ceremonies at the Long Beach Moose Lodge, 111 E. Ocean Blvd., Long Beach, Tuesday at 8:15 p.m.

The new vice-president of the South Central District will assume jurisdiction over lodges in San Pedro, Long Beach, Compton, Newport Beach, Fullerton, Garden Grove, Santa Ana, Walnut Park, Bellflower, and Torrance. He will preside over his first district meeting immediately following his installation.

As a member of the Torrance Lodge, Piatt has led an active and winning part for increased participation by Moose lodges in community affairs, spearheading a Moose crusade for stiff penalties to violators of narcotic laws, Moose spokesmen stated.

### Longren Gets \$1,000,000 Order From Detroit Firm

Longren Aircraft Co. here has received purchase orders totaling over \$1,000,000 from Ryan Industries, Detroit, Mich., according to Hampden Wentworth, managing director.

Longren manufactures structural and non-structural components for the aircraft and missile industry.

### SICK COD HIT NEEDLE

Cod, which have been dying in great numbers, are being injected with penicillin by Norwegian fishery experts, Oslo reports.

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