



FRUITS OF THEIR LABORS ... were enjoyed by members of the executive board of the Madrona PTA last Wednesday when they met at the school for a 10 a.m. session. Following the business meeting, the board members were invited to lunch in the school's new luncheon patio. The new cafeteria is under the direction of Mrs. A. T. Long. Pictured are, from left Mrs. William Crooker, president; Mrs. Wayne Norman, membership chairman and George Marich, school principal.

Family Dinner, Stage Play At Methodist Church, Feb. 16

A family potluck dinner will precede the showing on Feb. 16 of the stage play "The Devil and Daniel Webster," at the First Methodist Church. The Bishop's Co. will present the play.

The date of Feb. 18 has been set for a rummage sale by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service at their Wednesday morning meeting held at the church with Mrs. J. S. McMullen presiding.

Miss Josephine Perry spoke before the group on the subject "The Family—Steward of the Christian Life." Miss Perry, who received her master's degree in social work at the University of Chicago, is the harbor area case worker for the Family Service Assn. of Los Angeles. This agency works with families in a counseling capacity to help solve prob-

Lomita OES Initiates New Members

Lomita Chapter 591, Order of the Eastern Star, held its meeting Friday evening in the Lomita Masonic Temple.

Myrtle Sams, district grand matron, was escorted to the east, as were the following worthy matrons and worthy patrons: Merle Savage and William Gallaretto, Harbor; Virginia and Leslie Baker, Playa Linda; Stella and Clifford Reidel, Carnation. Ellen Zankich and Paul Burns, Pt. Fermin; Phyllis Peverley and Earl Wells, Torrance; Maple Coffey and Harry Kaufman, Puchia.

The initiation of new members was witnessed by the visitors and members.

The hostesses escorted the visitors to the dining room, which was decorated with balloons, streamers and confetti.

Serving on the refreshment committee were Lillian Bell, Mary Bloomer, Winnie Flagg, Olive Mayer, Bessie Pratt, Esther Anderson, Esther Godell and Edna Gillie.

Local Square Dance Group Largest in National Unit

Torrance "Corn Stompers" with 177 members is the largest group to be admitted to membership in A Square D, the national association of American Square dancers, according to Fred Hawthorne, district deputy.

"Corn Stompers" sponsored by the Torrance Park and Recreation committee meets every Tuesday under the leadership of Gerry Reeser, one of the area's most popular callers. The group organized last September, was recently invited to membership in A Square D.

At last Tuesday's session the club elected the following members to office: William McLean, president; Ellis Mayfield, vice president; Guy Hight, treasurer; Ben Paulsen, secretary; and

PTA Activities

Perry

The regular Perry PTA meeting will be held this evening at 7:30 at the school.

Mrs. Roy Dohner, program chairman, will present the speakers for the evening which will be officers Ritchie and policewoman Ryan of the Torrance Police Dept., who will talk on juvenile delinquency.

The meeting will be held in one of the classrooms since the auditorium has been condemned. Baby sitting will be available and refreshments will be served.

Meeting of members of the executive board was held Jan. 18 in the teacher's room at the school.

Resignation of Mrs. C. J. Simpson as hospitality chairman, Mrs. C. L. Thompson as co-hospitality and Mrs. E. D. Meng, child health chairman, were accepted. Mrs. Thompson was ratified as hospitality chairman.

Three certificates were awarded for completing the parent teacher course to Mmes. John Arensmeier, president; Roy Dohner, vice president; and Kenneth McVey, parliamentarian. Mrs. Dohner volunteered her services as captain for the March of Dimes.

Harbor City

January board meeting of Harbor City PTA was held in the school cafeteria last week and voted financial assistance to Narbonne's all night graduation party as well as to give an honorary Life Membership at the Feb. meeting. Mrs. Ray J. Leino is chairman of the committee, assisted by Mmes. A. G. Sipes, Lelani VanBuren, G. S. Andreotti, and Avis Creech.

Mrs. Charles Bradford was named chairman of the "March of Mother's" on Jan. 31st from 7 to 9 p.m., Mrs. James Triffon, ways and means chairman, assisted by her committee, Mmes. A. G. Sipes, Ray Groover, and John McGuire is making plans for the coming spring festival to be held on May 27th.

"How Well Do We Know Our Youth of Today" is the topic are honored at the February Founder's Day meeting.

Mrs. W. E. Zell, president, announced that the class on Child Psychology and Self Understanding is still open for registration. It is being held in the Harbor Hill auditorium from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. each Wednesday morning. Mrs. Beatrice Woodridge, parents education consultant for the Los Angeles city school system, is conducting the class and gives valuable information to be taken home after each session.

After the business meeting, games were played and refreshments served. Those who enjoyed the evening were Mmes. R. P. Boderman, R. E. Pratin, Palmer Orseth, C. E. Aspitte, J. O. Powers, Glenn Elipper, C. L. Wilson, Gordon Chambers, W. J. Kelley, J. M. Gasser, Glenn Holloway, R. E. Christofferson, W. N. Kopley Jr., W. H. Farwell, Pele Jacobelly, C. A. Chitwood, E. G. Jackson, H. M. Babjohn, George Nelson, Raoul Gerhart, Alice Bernhardt and daughter Joyce, Tommy Erench, Zell, Deck and Creager. Miss Frances Dastarac, school principal, also attended.

for our next PTA meeting to be held Thursday, Jan 20 at 9:30 a.m. in the school auditorium. The program will be presented by youth service groups and a speaker from the Juvenile Dept. The faculty are hostesses for the social hour which is first. Child care will be provided.



GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE ... which is to be staged nationally from Feb. 18 to 26 was planned at a meeting of neighborhood and troop leaders at the "Y" Thursday morning. Assisting with arranging the sale locally were, from left, Mrs. Eric Heinzman of Gardena, troop camp chairman of the Los Angeles Council; Mrs. Foster Kelley of Glendora, camp coordinator; Miss Jo Ann Weller, Los Angeles area director; and Mrs. E. Carl Osterling of Torrance, harbor area finance chairman.

259th Place

A combined 259th Place PTA party was held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Creager recently. The party, a complete surprise for the honoree, Mrs. Floyd Deck was given by board members to show their appreciation for her work before she leaves for her new home in Santa Maria. She was presented with a set of kitchen china.

During the business meeting it was voted to send \$10 to the Narbonne All-Night party, \$15 for the 259th Place A6 graduating party, \$1 each to the 10th District Art and Music Scholarship Fund and \$1 to the Campship Fund. A committee was chosen to get a gift for the past PTA presidents when they



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