



PRESDENTS AND PRINCIPALS . . . gathered for a breakfast meeting at the Crenshaw Ave. School on Friday morning. Enjoying the coffee and doughnuts are, from left, Mrs. Ralph Eyestone, Crenshaw PTA president; Earle Eckert, Crenshaw principal; Mrs. Grace Wright, school board president; Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Vera C. Wright, Torrance Council PTA president.

259th Place

The well attended "Come and Go Brunch" sponsored by the 259th Place PTA netted \$71.84. Held at the home of Mrs. Don Bowling, waffles, coffee and juice were served to 100 people. Many of the school's personnel attended to enjoy the affair. Mrs. Dorothy Friedrichs won the door prize. Those who helped serve were Mmes J. O. Powers, Raul Gerhart, W. E. Zell, G. H. Nelson, R. E. Franin, C. L. Wilson and Bowling. Mrs. Palmer Orseth acted as guide. At the next 259th Place PTA association meeting, Dr. Richard Lake from the Long Beach Heart Association will speak and show a film on heart disease. The meeting will be held in the school auditorium on March 17, at 2:00 p.m. Earl Barnett, principal at Narbonne High School, will also be on the program. Refreshments will be served by A1-B2 mothers and child care will be provided.

According to Mrs. C. W. Mulberne, the mothersingers group will meet twice a month on the 2nd and 3rd Wednesdays. The time has not yet been set and Mrs. Mulberne is interested in knowing the best time for the most mothers. Interested mothers are asked to call her.

Walteria

Final planning for the Walteria PTA potluck dinner to be held this evening was completed at the board meeting held at the school on March 3.

Serving will begin at 6 p.m. with the blessing and flag ceremony. Coffee will be served free. Those desiring milk are asked to bring it. Dessert and coffee will be served at the conclusion of the regular meeting which will be held at 8 p.m.

Feature of the meeting will be a spelling bee between the eighth grade students and fathers. Election of officers will be held. Refreshments will be served by the men of the faculty.

During the board meeting a welfare report was given by Mrs. R. Maynes, who told that clothing had been given to an orphanage. Mrs. C. W. Johnson urged everyone to attend the Civil Defense meeting to be held at the Fern-Greenwood School March 4. It was also announced that bumper strips for the coming bond election will be available at the April meeting.

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NORTH TORRANCE
Regular meeting of the North Torrance Elementary PTA executive board was held at the home of Mrs. D. R. Turner, 2036 W. 185th Street, at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 30.

Mrs. Herman Rappaport was ratified as recreation chairman for the association and Mrs. Charles Colston reminded the members of the board of the Parent Education Series on Independent Arithmetic Aids being held on Monday afternoons from 2:30 to 4:00 at the school. Child care will be provided for those attending.

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The President gave a report



MRS. RALPH ROBERTSON and daughter, Laura

Oatmeal Macaroon Rates Top Place With Children

A new and different cookie recipe is always a welcome addition to the average housewife who is usually ready to add another to her cooking book. The cookie jar is a very potent part of the average household and more so when there are youngsters with active appetites.

Mrs. Ralph Robertson of 1551 W. 221st St. is offering "Oatmeal Macaroons" which is her favorite cookie recipe. She is an experienced hand at the cookie game as she has four children who keep the cookie situation in her home a going concern. Samplers of her favorite cookies are Leo, 13; Larry, 11; Lana, 5, and Laura 3. All have names beginning with L which could have a special meaning for the Robertsons.

Mrs. Robertson is proud of the fact that two of her boys are active members of Boy Scout Troop 219. The younger boy is also a Woodcraft Ranger of the Halldale School. Mrs. Robertson is treasurer of the Shoestring Civic Association and the family attends the Baptist Church.

- OATMEAL MACAROONS**
- 1 cup brown sugar
 - 1 cup granulated sugar
 - 1 cup melted shortening or oil
 - 2 eggs
 - 1/2 tsp. salt
 - 1 tsp. soda (baking)
 - 1 tsp. vanilla or lemon
 - 3/2 cups of quick cooking oats
 - 1 cup coconut
 - 1 cup sifted flour

Mix sugars with shortening, beat in eggs and vanilla or lemon. Stir in oats and coconut. Mix flour with soda and salt, sift together. Combine all ingredients. Drop from teaspoon onto un-oiled cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 12 or 15 minutes.

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Premiere of Local Film Tonight

Torrance Cooperative Parent Nursery School has been selected the subject of an unusual education film entitled "He Who Dares to Teach." The film deals with a cooperative nursery school from the viewpoint of the mother and teacher. It explains the part that the parent participating nursery program has in the adult educational program.

The premiere of "He Who Dares to Teach" will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the Crenshaw Elementary School, 18620 Crenshaw Blvd. The public is invited to attend the premiere and enjoy the social hour that will follow. The film is a professional education production in color and the members of the parent-education class and the parent-nursery group cooperated in portraying the characters in the story. The picture was produced by Hal Moulton and was written by Mr. and Mrs. John Foyle. Mrs. Foyle is director of the nursery school. Film credits are also given to the Torrance Unified School District and the adult education department.

BETSY ROSS CLUB

Betsy Ross Club will meet at the home of Irene Drake, 2067 W. 104th St., Los Angeles on Tuesday, March 15, at 10 a.m. It will be a potluck luncheon and members will bring their own service. All needing rides will call Marguerite Morgan, Lois Lougee, Dorothy Elyken, Margaret Raymond or Frances Reiser.

RUMMAGE SALE

Torrance Woman's Club will stage a rummage sale at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., Tuesday March 15 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Mrs. A. E. Palmer is in charge of the event.

Stork Story

Steven Lewis has been selected as the name for their first child, a son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Oliver, 22417 Anza Ave. The young man checked in at the Torrance hospital Feb. 20 tipping the scale at 9 lb. 4 oz. Grandparents are Mrs. Roberta Rhinehart, South Pasadena and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Oliver of West Hollywood, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson Goudy of Hermosa Beach, are welcoming their first child, a daughter, Cynthia Lu. She was born Feb. 20 at the local hospital and weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. David Longier.

Two-year-old Linda Boehme has a sister Gail Louise, born at the Torrance hospital. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boehme, 2070 Lincoln Ave. The arrival of Patricia Eileen Sibley makes four children for Mr. and Mrs. George T. Sibley of San Pedro. The little girl was born Feb. 19 at the Torrance hospital. Her brothers and sisters are Carol, 9, Stephen, 8, and Gregory, 6.

Feb. 20 is the birthday of Patricia Lyn Rudd who was born at the Torrance hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Rudd, 1327 Acacia Ave. The little 8 pound 10 oz. girl has a brother, Donald Bruce. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rudd, 1327 Acacia Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Evans, Metropolitan 1013.

On George Washington's birthday Mr. and Mrs. Logan T. Brown, 2802 Olive St., greeted their third child, a daughter, who has been named Debra Lynn. She made her debut at the local hospital weighing 7 pounds 9 oz. Also greeting her are a brother and sister, David Logan, and Janene Ann. Grandparents are Mrs. William Shaw and Jack Woods of Ogden, Utah, and John Jones of Burley, Idaho.

PTA ACTIVITIES

L-S.P. Council

Lomita-San Pedro Council of PTA was entertained by the Leland Street PTA for the Mar. 1 meeting, held in the school auditorium.

Mrs. George Weeks was elected as the new president of Lomita-San Pedro Council and will be installed at the annual June breakfast. Mrs. Don Wolf, 10th District Founder's Day chairman conducted the election. Also elected to serve with Mrs. Weeks, were Mmes. Peter A. Brutti, first vice-president; C. Ray Groover, second vice-president; William Shier, secretary; W. E. Zell, treasurer; Harry T. Nishimoto, auditor and James Triffon, historian.

Mrs. Beatrice Woodridge, Los Angeles city school teacher in parent education was presented by Mrs. Weeks. Under the topic "Begin Today to Take Inventory," Mrs. Woodridge addressed council members on a timely subject.

Two vocal numbers were sung by Mrs. Harry Foat, Jr. and Mrs. Jess Blair, accompanied by Mrs. Darrell Dudley.

Four PTAs went over the top in quota for Community Chest, they were, Seventh St., Cabrillo, Harbor City, and 259th Pl., reported Mrs. George Miller, chairman.

Mrs. Peter A. Brutti, membership chairman reported that 89% membership of the entire Lomita-San Pedro council enrollment has been realized with eight schools reaching 100% membership, they are: Bandini Point, Fermin, Seventh St., White Point, 259th Pl., 15th St., Harbor City and Leland St.

Achievement evaluation of 13 goals has been made by Bandini, Cabrillo, 15th St., Halldale, Leland, Point Fermin, Seventh St., 259th Pl. and White Point PTAs, reports Mrs. Thurman Raig, chairman.

Mrs. Bert Torgersrud, record book chairman announced that local press books should be in her hands by April 10th for evaluation.

Theme for the Annual June Breakfast will be "Western", and will be held on June 7th at 9 a.m., the location to be announced at a later date.

Assisting Mrs. Douglas Brazell, Leland PTA president for which were, Mmes. Ben Kopf, chairman; John Vidnes, chairman; Martin Slavich, Donald Ault, Charles Short, Thomas Mardesch, Ted Luich, Mitchell Gusha, Benedict Falcone, Axel Hagel, George Miller, Henry Lewewyn, Harry Foat Jr., Darrell Dudley, Cyrus Synstien, Jack Samson, Bernard Ramsden, Les Hargett, Joe Martin and Cecil King.

G-W Council

Gardena-Wilmington Council PTA announced the organization of the new Towne Avenue School PTA on March 3, when parents of the children attending this school, which is located at 19104 Towne Ave., Gardena, held their election of officers.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. L. E. Montenegro, third vice-president of the Los Angeles Tenth District. Those assisting Mrs. Montenegro from Tenth District were Mesdames Winston Clare, parliamentarian; Steve Byers, elementary school service; and Sam A. Nolan, high school service.

The pledge of allegiance was led by Brownie Troop 1738. Mrs. Michael Foxhoven, president of Gardena-Wilmington Council, gave the inspirational. Mrs. Steve Byers read the minutes of the pre-organizational meeting and the bylaws were read by Mrs. W. Clare.

Wilbur Lee Griffith, principal of Towne Ave., announced that the PTA was starting with a charter membership of 464, with 100 per cent faculty, and presented room prizes for the membership drive.

Officers elected to serve Towne Ave. were: Mrs. Walter Greenwood, president; Mrs. George Nichles, first vice-president; Larry Marguard, second vice-president; Mrs. E. C. Woodmansee, secretary; Mrs. Charles McQuin, treasurer; Mr. Joe Aiken, auditor; and Mr. T. Mascarella, historian.

Mrs. L. S. Baca, president of the Tenth District, congratulated the new officers and members and stated that Towne Ave. would be officially welcomed at the April meeting of the District.

Wesley Jones, vice-principal of Gardena High School, spoke of the importance of the coming bond election on April 5, to all parents in the harbor area. Special guests at the meeting were Mrs. A. C. Akerson, Harbor regional director, and Mr. Carl Carter, principal of Dolores Street School, representing the Gardena-Wilmington Council were Mmes. W. A. Blacker, first vice-president; Harry Rhodes, second vice-president; W. K. Allan, secretary; C. Rotman, treasurer; H. Perkins, health chairman; Carl Manson, press chairman; L. Martinez, school education chairman and Robert Buck, photographer.

Local PTA presidents attending were Mmes. E. G. Groom, Hawaiian; R. Elliott, Wilmington Park; C. N. Peterson, 156th St.; D. Powell, Denker Ave.; C. Smart, Dolores St.; and L. Schaefer with two of her board members, Mrs. C. Vuitel and Mrs. A. Stahl, Gardena Elementary. Other PTAs represented by council members were Dominguez, Fries Ave., and Chapman Ave.

186th Street

"How to Make Your Child Successful in School" will be the subject of a panel at the regular meeting of the 186th Street School PTA, starting at 2:00 p.m. today. The program will also include a square dance by eight energetic teachers.

As part of the association business, Ed Hubbard, Recreation Director for the City of Gardena, will present some pertinent information on the sewer and school bond issues to be decided at the April 5 election.

The 186th Street teachers will act as hosts and hostesses at the social hour following the meeting, and will provide the refreshments.

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