

**COWBOY AND YOUNGSTERS . . .** Cowboy Star Montie Montana entertained children at Perry School last week, with tales of cowboy lore and demonstrations of his rope twirling ability. Enjoying a stagecoach ride are Barbara Bennett, Patty Singleton, Jimmy Randall, George Phillips, and Julie McVey. The program was arranged by the PTA for the youngsters' record in the PTA drive.

**ELLINWOOD**

**Everyone Gets in the Halloween Spirit with Gay Costume Parties**

By JANET ROBINSON and BARBARA WEAVER FA 5-7063

Festivities of many kinds took place over Halloween week end, getting everyone in the mood for trick or treat.

Dottie Jo Frey, of 4538 Pacific Coast Hwy, entertained at a small fry Halloween luncheon on Monday. Games included a peanut scramble, and all the little ones won prizes. Luncheon served was hot dogs, potato chips, apples, cookies, and chocolate milk, plus baskets of candies.

Those attending—in costume, of course—were Karen Santo, Karen Williams, Theresa Doudna, Susie Throne, Kathy Forrest, Zandra Pesusch, Nancy Rogers, and Leslie Uden.

A teenage Halloween party was held by Charlene Hackbusch at her home, 4520 Pacific Coast Hwy.

The gaily decorated garage served as an ideal place for dancing. Several of Charlene's friends assisted in decorating and preparing the refreshments.

Those attending the festivities were Susan Torney, Joe Coker, Donna Olsen, Mike Scott, Sherry Smothers, Steve Rogers, Jackie Parker, Pancho Fischer, Carolyn Casper, Linda Williams, Jimmy Hawkins, Roy Bryson, Frankie Smith, Jean Lower, Ronnie Shopper, and Stephanie Schenk.

Last Monday, the Ellinwood Blue Birds enjoyed a Halloween party at the home of Mrs. Phyllis Wells, their leader.

Mrs. Pat Potter and Mrs. Eleanor Hill assisted Mrs. Wells in serving the refreshments which consisted of hot dogs, potato salad, cakes, and pumpkin ice cream rolls. After playing games of pin-the-hat on the pumpkin and bobbing for apples, which were won by Janny Robinson and Vickie Peebles, the girls went out to trick or treat.

The Blue Birds attending were Vickie Peebles, Becky McLeod, Linda Calohan, Patty Potter, Suzanne Wells, Noreen Cork, Sandra Hill, and Susan Peffer.

David Wilson, of 4527 Green ows, celebrated his birthday at Meadows Ave. celebrated his birthday almost simultaneously with Halloween.

On Saturday, Oct. 29 he was guest of honor at a party which marked his sixth birthday. After several games which included a bag race, pin-the-nose on the witch, and some fun with balloons, the guests refreshed themselves with birthday cake, licorice ice cream, and apple juice.

Guests included Tommy Bowman, Scotty Forrester, Peter Hackbusch, Michael Weaver, Dennis Carol, Scotty Pesusch, Johnny Cork, and David's brother Stephen.

George and Betty Shaw, of 24014 Janet Lane, gave a Halloween costume "cider and doughnut" party Saturday Oct. 29. Several games were played, including charades.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Forester, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schneider and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rosenberg.

The women in the "Buzzin Dozen Club" planned a Halloween get-together at the Roland Rogers home on Green Meadows, with those attending to come in costume.

The hit of the party was Joe Frey, dressed complete in dark suit coat, white shirt—even cuff links and tie clasp. Doesn't sound like a costume, you say? Well, he came minus pants!

Everyone really did a double take.

There were ghosts, hula girls, Arabs, pirates and even Davy Crockett and Vampira. Games were played and the table was loaded down with cold cuts, cheeses, potato chips and dips, relishes, olives, etc.

Those attending were Guy and Doris Udy, Bill and Jeanne Bowman, Charis and Helen Hackbusch, Joe and Dottie Frey, John and Mary Wilhelm, Bill and Marilyn Forrester, Robert and Ruth Manchester, Fred and Marge Schimmel, Orville and Janet Robinson, Averill and Betty Hutchinson, Don and June Harland, Roland and Agnes Rogers, and Lucy Pesusch.

A strange assortment of people and things from many strange lands and places gathered at the Tom Doudna residence, 4439 Green Meadows, Saturday before Halloween. Guests ranged from shikels to hula dancers.

On closer inspection, however, the guests turned out to be the Bill Santos, the Bonner Adams, the Stewart Schuremans, the Ray Lees, the Ray Smiths, the Pete Beerlings, the Frank Popes, and the Bob Werleys.

Betty Shaw gave a "Get Acquainted Party" for her two new neighbors, Ruth Manchester, of Highgrove, and Emma Parker, also of Highgrove, on Tuesday.

Old neighbors coming to welcome the new, were Jackie Hedges, Nancy Rosier, Charles Overby, Flo Schenk, and Betty Shaw.

James and Joyce Sullivan have been on a half business, half pleasure trip to Houston, Texas. James was sent on a three week business trip and Joyce joined him for 10 days.

Joyce says she has always heard of Texas hospitality and now she knows what they mean. Everyone was so friendly that it made the 10 day jaunt a real pleasure. They were entertained royally and visited many places of interest.

While they were in Houston they looked up their old neighbors on Highgrove, Russell (Curley) and Mary Brient. Curley sold their home here and moved to Texas to run his father's business after his death. They have a lovely new home in Houston, but Joyce reports they miss their friends here.

**Hospital Log**  
(San Pedro Community Hospital)

**PATIENTS ADMITTED**  
Oct. 24  
Angelo Bagliano, 26001 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita.  
Florence Fetterman, 618 E. Carson St.  
Oct. 25  
Richard Shamblin, 19432 Anza Ave., Great L. Mathews, 1720 W. 25th St., Lomita.  
Oct. 26  
Phyllis May Eisenman, 217 D. 223rd St.  
Wilhelmina E. Andersen, 16414 Wilton Pl.  
John D. Ramsey, 1608 W. 248th St., Hawthorne.  
Daisy Carmack, 1648 223rd St., Torrance.

**BABIES BORN**  
Oct. 25  
To Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lee Matthews, 1720 W. 25th St., Lomita. Baby girl, 7 lbs., 15 oz.

**LAPD HOLDS THREE ON WALTERIA JOBS**

Three men, who Los Angeles Police say confessed to 11 burglaries in the Walteria area of Torrance recently, are being held by Valley Division, LAPD, on charges of committing a number of burglaries in recent months.

Frank H. Spicer, 20, Bruce W. Billieu, 19, and Frank L. Bellah, all of Los Angeles, told authorities they burglarized more than 90 business concerns. They attacked the Torrance concerns on Oct. 21.

**1000 Increase In Enrollment Seen by March**

An increase of about 1000 students in Torrance elementary schools by March 1, 1956, was forecast in a report presented to the Torrance Board of Education, Tuesday night.

According to figures presented, housing now underway will add an estimated 1000 elementary students to the local schools, with a third of them—333—at Seaside School.

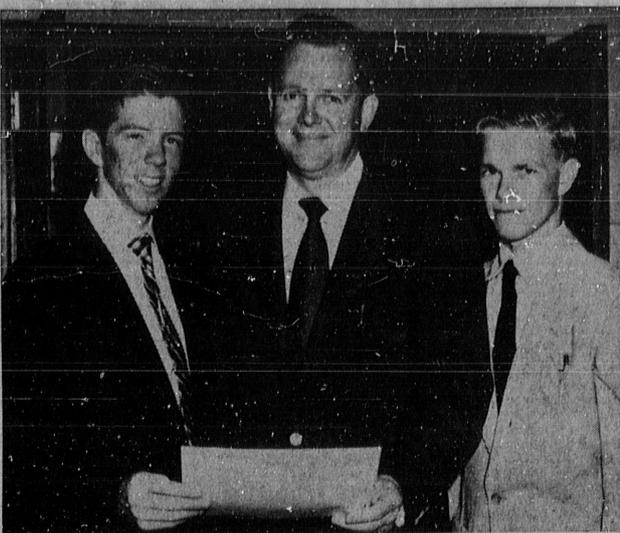
This will raise the Seaside enrollment to 1459 students, although it is now the largest school in the city, with 1126 students. Work is now underway on Sepulveda School, which will relieve some of the enrollment load.

Other expected increases by March 1, are as follows:

- Carr School—from 1040 to 1131.
  - Crenshaw School—from 903 to 974.
  - El Nido School—from 357 to 429.
  - Hillside—from 493 to 532.
  - Madrona School—from 626 to 804.
  - North Torrance School—from 1041 to 1101.
  - Perry School—from 919 to 943.
  - Riviera School—from 625 to 737.
  - Wood School—from 742 to 784.
- Enrollment is expected to remain about the same at other schools—Fern-Greenwood, 909; Meadow Park, 650; Newton, 710; Steele, 946; Torrance Elementary, 750; and Walteria, 691.

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**HONORS AT ENTRANCE . . .** These Torrance students attending the University of Southern California were honored this week by SC in a special tribute to their scholastic standing. Dr. Bernard L. Hyink, dean of students, presents a scroll signifying that they are in the upper 10 per cent of their freshman class. Left to right, are Jim Thompson, 1418 Engracia Ave., Dean Hyink, and Robert Ouwendyk, 905 Felbar. Both boys graduated from Torrance High School.

**BOND CASE DUE MONDAY IN COURT**

Jesse Ray Bond, 27, who was nabbed on burglary, grand theft, auto and prowling charges here in mid-October will enter a plea in Long Beach Superior Court, Dept. C, Monday on the charges.

He was arraigned on the counts last Monday in Long Beach and was to enter his plea the next day.

Court officials say his attorney asked permission to have Bond examined by a psychiatrist before entering plea, however. Permission was granted and date on which he is to enter his plea was extended.

**Harbor City Soldier Finishes Jump School**

Pvt. Jesus O. Estrada Jr., 18, whose parents live at 1111 W. 287th St., Harbor City, Calif., recently was graduated from The Infantry School's airborne course at Fort Benning, Ga. The course trains volunteer officers and enlisted men of the Army to be qualified parachutists. Students are required to make five jumps.

Private Estrada entered the Army in March 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Ord. He attended Narbonne High School.



**COMPLETES INFANTRY COURSE . . .** Army 2nd Lt. Malcolm A. Douglas, 23, son of Donald W. Douglas, Rolling Hills, recently was graduated from the Infantry School's basic infantry officers course at Fort Benning, Ga. Douglas attended Pomona College and was graduated earlier this year from Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

**Reflections**

By J. HUGH SHERFEY, JR.

**WOMEN ARE STRANGE**

I've never seen a woman with a basket of cabbage on her head nor one trudging to market with a goose but I have seen a few drive beautiful new cars to market, to buy what men have raised. When there's a job to be done women take charge and we men make the alibi. If women weren't insatiable "but-pushers" rivers wouldn't be harnessed; if they didn't shove few men would reach the peak of financial wealth.

War would be abolished; it would be fought over a Bridge Game on a four doubled bid and if they didn't insist upon ruby lips and peach-bloom cheeks—in Jars—Drug Stores would have more room for their lunch counters.

When women learned to use can openers cook-books went into the discard. In olden times women worked too but they didn't know about cakes in packages and dried soup in cellophane bags; it's the men who built the fires to heat the cans, that women open. Our women are the Queens and we the willing firemen.

P.S. Women want to know about our business, too; we explain it in detail.

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