

Christmas Tree Sale Proceeds To Go for Recreation Building

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Dr. and Mrs. Harold Essex, of Cricklevale St., had a very pleasant four days when they attended the Lanpar Convention held at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles.

Among the high points of their visit was a visit to the Coconut Grove where they saw Gale Storm, enjoying her performance immensely. They also saw "Oklahoma" and were guests for dinner one evening of the president of the Lanpar company.

The Walter's Business Men's Club will sponsor a Christmas Tree sale which will be held from December 2 on. The tickets are being sold by 11 Scout groups in Walteria in a door-to-door canvass. These tickets are 50c down payments on trees, and the money will be refunded if you do not obtain the tree from one of the two lots sponsored by the businessmen.

The funds obtained from the sale of these trees is for the remodeling of the old recreation building which has been moved to the land now being developed for the use of our youth. The building will be a wonderful meeting place, complete with fire escape when finished, and is therefore an expensive project. By buying the Christmas trees from the lots mentioned above, you can have a part in helping finance a building which you and yours will probably be using sometime in the future.

One lot will be on Pacific Coast Hwy. by the Barbecue restaurant, and the other will be on Newton St., near Nickel's Ranch.

Our deepest sympathies are extended this week to the family of Mrs. Esther Sanders, of Neece Ave., who passed away suddenly from a heart condition, November 20.

Glen and Jan Ellis of Newton St. had a wonderful time last week.

The first event on their calendar was a splendid turkey dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Burke in Lancaster

when the family gathered round for Thanksgiving holiday.

On Saturday, their ninth wedding anniversary, the Ellises went to the Notre Dame Southern California football game and then celebrated their anniversary at a wonderful dinner in their honor at the Beverly Hills Club. Fifteen members of the family, including both Senness and Burke family names, joined to help them celebrate. After the dinner, all journeyed to Larry Potter's Supper Club where they saw a wonderful floor show.

Mrs. Mable Dumeshauser, of Winlock Dr. has been very ill and under doctor's care. She is now on the road to recovery, but her Thanksgiving day was not a very pleasant one.

Going to Anaheim for that turkey dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wagner and family, of Winlock Dr. They were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rogers.

Back from a very pleasant week's interlude is Mrs. Midge Moton and her daughter, Bobbie. The Motons spent the week at Rangely, Colorado, where Bobbie more than enjoyed herself sporting in the new snow. They were hosted by Mrs. Henry Mock, sister of Mrs. Moton.

Enjoying Saturday's football game between Notre Dame and S.C. were the Taylor Sellers, of Danaha St. All four members of the family enjoyed the exciting spectacle.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson of Washington, D.C., was guest at the Ward St. home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mosley over Veteran's day. Mrs. Hutchinson was here from the east to attend an annual convention of National Milk Producers.

While here she took the opportunity to visit Mrs. Mosley, whom she had not seen for 12 years. Catching up on the news about each other made the visit a very pleasant and interesting one for all concerned.

A welcome back goes this

week to Mrs. Gilbert Saunders and her two boys Stephen and Danny. The Saunders are moving back into their home on Ward St. after an absence of several years.

Saunders, "Sandy" Saunders, as he is known to many here, is at present stationed on a boat based in Long Beach. Before this he was stationed in Hawaii where his family joined him, and then at the Great Lakes training station where his family also stayed. Now, full of their experiences while away, they will be at home again on Ward St.

Mr. and Mrs. Wildon Thompson, of Long Beach, and their two children, David and Rebecca, were Thanksgiving day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mosley of Ward St. The Thompsons returned in Long Beach from Oklahoma.

That Little League Thanksgiving Dance was a great success last Saturday night. A big crowd filled the dance floor to capacity to the rhythm-filled music of the band.

Five couples from Danaha St., including Bob Munns, George Halland, John Monaghans, Chuck Donsi's, Al Langstons, and Joe Merrills put a wonderful finishing touch to their night of revelry by gathering at the Merrills for an early breakfast of eggs and bacon.

Martha Circle was held at the home of Mrs. Barbara Farris, Danaha St., last Tuesday evening. Eleven ladies were present to discuss business and enjoy an inspirational program presented by Mrs. Robert Cramer. The meeting was brought to a pleasant end when Mrs. Dorothy Bailey, co-hostess, served delicious cream-cheese pie and coffee.

Bunco Club held its meeting this last week at the home of

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Mrs. Ginny Halland who has recently moved to a home in Gardena. After a fun-filled evening of cards and chatter, the ladies gathered round an Italian style feast of pizza, salad, meat balls, ravioli, and all the trimmings.

Prize winners for the night were Mrs. Rita Lampert who walked off with high honors, with Frankie Johnson winning a close second. Consolation prize went to Martha Munn.

Don't forget that Sunday is the Sunday for the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" at the Torrance Lutheran Church. The presentation is made by a co-operative choir of over 100 voices from the Torrance, Lomita, and Walteria areas, and should prove to give many of us an inspirational start toward the holidays approaching so rapidly. The program will begin at 4 p.m. at the church on Carson St.

Mrs. Bessie Dysart of Danaha St. entertained Thanksgiving day guests for dinner when Mr. and Mrs. John Monaghan and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dysart of Santa Ana visited her.

Its getting to be the time of year again when the March of Dimes will be busy collecting funds.

Mrs. Bea Monaghan is again chairman of the Mothers' March here in this area, and is eagerly awaiting to hear from volunteers. If you can help in this march, which will be held on Jan. 31 this year, call Bea at DA 6-5306. This year, for the first time, this area's workers were invited to attend the annual March of Dimes luncheon at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel.

MOTHER, DEPUTIES THREATENED BY BOY
A 15-year-old Lomita boy who threatened to assault his mother with a club also threatened to kill sheriff's deputies when they took him into custody Tuesday.

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