



PREVIEW PERFORMANCE . . . Four-year-old Kimmie-Kay, daughter of Mrs. Allen Allred, right, shows her mother and Mrs. Steve Myzel, president of the Y-Wives Club, how she would perform during the club's annual Christmas party at the YWCA Tuesday. The program featured children performing various dance numbers. The party was climaxed by a visit from Santa Claus who distributed gifts and stockings to the children. (Herald Photo)

Gala Children's Party Closes Y-Wives' Year

Members of the Torrance Y-Wives closed their current year with a gala party Tuesday morning at the Torrance YWCA for the children of members and guests.

Festivities got underway with entertainment furnished by the children who danced and sang. Games were played followed by Christmas carols. Refreshments were served and the party was climaxed by a visit from Santa Claus who distributed gifts and filled stockings to all the children.

Also in keeping with the list of holiday activities Y-Wives gathered at the Candle Room in Torrance on Saturday evening for a buffet

supper and evening of dancing. Regular Y-Wives meetings will be resumed on Tuesday, Jan. 8. Anyone wishing to join the group may secure information by calling the Torrance YWCA.

Nacesaks Honored

A dinner party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Nacesak of Torrance was hosted at the Pen and Quill hotel-restaurant in Manhattan Beach by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Di Matteo. The occasion marked the Nacesaks' return home from a fishing trip to Mazatlan and Las Cruces, Mexico.

Rebekah Lodge Sets Meeting for Dec. 26

The regular meeting of Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347 will be held at the Torrance Masonic Temple, Cabrillo and Plaza Del Amo, Wednesday evening, Dec. 26, beginning at 8 p.m. Stelma Norris will be in charge of the meeting.

Installation of new officers has been scheduled for next Jan. 9. The installation staff of Compton lodge will be in charge of the rites.

At Convention

John H. Pope, 2738 Loftyview Dr., attended an Airlines convention at the Hotel Sahara in Las Vegas recently. In his party were Emerson and Jan Barrus, William Miller, Doug and Betty Eurfley,

Beta Sigma Phi Hears Talk on Civil Defense

Speaking on behalf of the Southern California Council of Beta Sigma Phi Civil Defense chairman, Mrs. Bert Whited, delivered her "pilot" program to her own South Bay Area Council on Monday at the home of council president, Mrs. Andrew Foster, Gardena. Because of the complete success of this civil defense program, Mrs. Whited will travel to any of the other 15 councils in Southern California Council who request her help in speaking to their chapter presidents and civil defense officials, briefing them on the importance of the national and local Civil Defense program which is covered by the Department of Defense.

Having just returned from the State Civil Defense convention held in Anaheim, Mrs. Whited had an interesting message to convey to the 20 women present. After the pledge to the flag, Mrs. Fos-

ter gave each member present a small can with a "Between You and Disaster" pamphlet rolled inside. The cans were decorated with the Civil Defense insignia. Mrs. Judith Drinnen gave all Civil Defense officers a small flag attached to their name tags.

Taking part in the question and answer session that followed were the Misses Judith Drinnen and Sharon Drummond of Phi Gamma Sigma; Mrs. Ralph Comer, Mu Omicron; Mrs. Wilford Daniel Omicron Pi; Mmes. Lee Von Iderstein, James Barnhart, Joe Burnell and Floyd Edwards of Rho Epsilon; Mrs. Jay Echelberger of Rho Xi; Mrs. Lola Abrams, Xi Theta Xi; Mmes. Stan Nelson, Robert Marble, Sid Lemberger and Andy Foster, Xi Zeta Chi; Mmes. Les Mayfield and Bert Whited of Xi Zeta Lambda, and Mmes. Henry Jacobson and Francis McLean, Xi Kappa Eta.

'Gay 90s Revue' Staged By Local Moose Lodges

The twenty-one member cast from the Torrance Chapter 44, Women of the Moose, and the Loyal Order of the Moose 785 presented their "Gay 90s Revue" to a full house on a recent Saturday evening, at the local lodge, 1744 Carson St.

Mrs. George Clay, mistress of ceremonies, led the group through the evening of old fashioned vaudeville which included singing, dancing and original drama.

One of the featured acts was a high-stepping chorus line made up of members from the men's lodge.

The Revue has been presented at the Maywood, Long Beach, Glendale and Santa Ana Moose lodges. It was also presented at the California Legion of the Moose quarterly ceremonial.

Cast members include Mmes. Clay, George Thomas Walter Witt, Arthur Galinsky, Ross Britt, Douglas Dixon, William Davis, Noel Peacock, Robert Stewart and Joseph Powers.

From the men's lodge, Joseph Powers, Carl Fisher, Douglas Dixon, Ross Britt, Dan Hutchison, William Davis, Bernard Finke, Edward Morse and Robert Stewart.

Aiding behind the scenes were Mmes. John Plata and Cliff Grenier, curtain; Kenneth Barnhart, Edward Morse and Joseph Leone, make-up; Gladys Griep and Bernard Finke, costumes.

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Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley R. Miller of Hollywood Riviera entertained with a seafood dinner party at Marineland Restaurant on the Palos Verdes Peninsula for Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Farley of Tustin, Calif.

Noel Peacock and Kenny Barnhart. The Revue was directed by Carl Fisher, assisted by Dennis Pierce.

Circle Assists Seminary Student

Arcola Buffum Circle of the First Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting recently at the home of Mrs. J. Norton Zuttermeister, 17321 Delia Ave.

After the business meeting, the group went to a cafeteria for dinner. Each member brought a gift which was delivered to a scholarship student at the Baptist Seminary in East Los Angeles.

Entertain at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kidik recently entertained several members and wives of the Los Crusados Council, Knights of Columbus, at a bridge party at their home, 2409 Via Raphael, Palos Verdes Estates.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. John McVey, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crist, Mrs. Howard Hood, and Mrs. George Schneider.

Sorority Conducts Yule Festivities For Ladies Home

The Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority held the group's annual Christmas party for the sorority-sponsored "Little Ladies Home" in Gardena Tuesday.

The home was decorated by sorority members and their children and gifts distributed to each lady of the home. The children also sang carols.



CLUB HOSTESSES . . . A buffet supper followed by dancing was enjoyed Saturday by the Couples Club of the Victor Women's Club Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Kulp, 20622 Mansel Ave. Spearheading the event were, left to right, Mrs. David Theodore, Mrs. Kulp, Mrs. Norbert Cieslak and Mrs. William Reed. Mrs. Kulp served as hostess, assisted by the other three women. (Herald Photo)

Odd Fellows Set Officer Installation

At the recent meeting of the Trio Odd Fellows Lodge No. 495, held in the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave., the following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: Herbert Taute, noble grand; Frank Starin, vice grand; Andrew Branagh, secretary; and George Jennings, treasurer. Ernest Littrel will serve as the three-year trustee.

The installation service will be held on Jan. 2, in the same hall, with the district deputy grand master, Ray Robbins of Long Beach Odd Fellows Lodge No. 390 and staff, conducting the installation service.

All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in the area are most welcome to attend.

David Paour Celebrates 4th Birthday

The fourth birthday for David Paour was a big day in his life.

It all started out with a trip to Disneyland with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paour III of 1312 Florwood Ave., and his brother, Frankie.

The day was topped off with a huge birthday cake shared by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leech, along with cousins Scott, Mark, and Gregg Leech, and his little sister, Catherine.

Tolson Sons Celebrate Birthdays

Birthdays were incentives for two parties last weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tolson on Konya Dr. Their son Billy celebrated his seventh birthday with a party on Saturday and Bobby invited friends for a party on Sunday to mark his eleventh birthday.

Nine of Billy's friends gathered for the birthday cake and ice cream, after which the Tolsons presented each boy with a glider as a party favor. Mr. Tolson took them to a playground where they enjoyed their gliders.

Billy's guests were Tommy and Jerry Witt, John Barrington, David Mathews, Paul Patterson, Stephen Vallandigham, Jeff Keehn and Bill Harmon.

On Sunday, Bobby's guests were served ice cream and a birthday cake after which Mr. Tolson escorted the boys to a miniature golf course for a game. They then returned home to play football.

Helping Bobby celebrate were Mike Conley, Danny Miller, Lon Larson, Craig Hamm, Kevin Whitehead, Stephen Tracy and Bruce Horwich.

Victor Club Aids Many

Victor Woman's Club again this year donated a check for \$25 to the Salvation Army to care for a needy family in Torrance during Christmas. Mrs. Bud Lawn, philanthropy chairman, presented the check on Dec. 19.

Other philanthropies during the month included a \$15 check to the Victor PTA for cookies for school dances during the coming year and a \$10 check to the Rose Parade Float to be entered by the city of Torrance.

During the past week, Victor Woman's club has been busy putting literature and requests for the March of Dimes into 18,000 envelopes. The Victor Club has joined the Torrance Junior Woman's club in working for the March of Dimes.

Beta Eta Holds Holiday Party

Beta Eta Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held its traditional Christmas party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kalina.

A buffet dinner was served, gifts exchanged and each member brought two ornaments for the Christmas tree, which will be given to the family the chapter helps this Christmas.

A basket of groceries and gifts for each family member will be given also.

Grandsons Are Honored On Birthdays

Mrs. Rufus Sandstrom and Mrs. Bertha F. McNeil entertained at a double birthday party for their two-year-old grandsons, Billy Butcher and Patrick Doyle, on Nov. 27, in the rumpus room at the Sandstrom home, 1514 Madrid Ave.

Luncheon was served, including tiny birthday cakes, to the following guests: Billy's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Butcher, Jr., and Gaylene, Manhattan Beach; Patrick's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome G. Doyle and Peggy, Torrance; Mrs. Paul Doyle and daughter, Robin, Harbor City; Mrs. Robert Butcher and son, Skipper, Mrs. Sidney Martian, daughter, Kimberly and twin sons, Jeff and Greg, Lomita; Mrs. Edward Mannah, Jr. and daughter, Christina, Lakewood; Mrs. Thomas Jacobs, Mrs. Alan S. Olds and daughter, Shannon, Los Angeles.

Invited, but unable to attend, were Patrick's great-grandmother Mrs. Nina Hedberg and his great-aunt Mrs. Clifford Priny, Los Angeles; his grandfather, Gregory J. Doyle, Lomita; Mrs. Frank Fowler and daughter, Pam, Covina, and Mrs. Robert Buzon and three children, Torrance.

Mrs. John Beauchamp, 1814 247th St., Lomita, was guest of honor at a birthday luncheon given by Mrs. Victor Oliveras at her San Pedro home recently.

Party Honors Executive

Members of Harbor View Unit 217, Fleet Reserve Assn. and other organizations were invited to the surprise event.

Mrs. Beauchamp is an executive board member of the auxiliary and active in other organizations.

Mrs. Beauchamp was presented with a gold manzanita money tree, decorated birthday cake and African violet arrangement.

Attending the party were Mmes. Tava V. Miekley, Elvis Patterson, Lovetra Anderson, Eva Mae Zillig, Victoria Phillips, Julia Benz, Violet Correa, Anastacio Fano, Ellen Warner, Catherine Lora, Sally Ford, Rose Urbano, Pearl Kramer, Maude Gemake, Michael Doktor, Patricia Pesce and Mae Roguemore.

From Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thuss will arrive from Madison, Wis., for the New Year holidays with Mr. Thuss' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Thuss of Middlebrook Rd. The foursome will attend the Rose Bowl parade and game.

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