

Midshipman Visits Mother In Torrance

Midshipman A. B. Jacobs, son of Mrs. Pearl Jacobs of 819 Sartori, has returned to the U. S. Naval Academy after spending several weeks with his mother in Torrance.

Jacobs is in his last year at the Academy, and prior to his visit to California, spent a month on a cruise throughout European waters.

Rummage Profits Told

Mrs. James Triffon, ways and means chairman, announced that the Harbor City P.T.A. made \$60 on the rummage sale held in San Pedro at the House of Rummage on October 1. Members assisting were, Mesdames Stephen Silkotch, James R. Alexander, Leland Van Buren-Ray Groover, Carl Gregory, Charles Hilzer, and James Triffon. Proceeds to go for child welfare needs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Burch, of 5520 Palos Verdes Blvd., announce the birth of a son, Frederick Lloyd, weighing 6 pounds and 4 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Bennett, of 4247 W. 180th St., announce the birth of a son, Terry Paul, weighing 7 pounds and 3 1/2 ounces.



Navy Inspiration For Many New Fashions

By MARY BARRETT, Women's Editor

Ahoy, mates. Make room for the navy, for it plays an important role in the fashion picture this season. Have you ever seen so many middy tops featured . . . not only in the traditional navy blue with white braid, but all the new vibrant colorings of the season.

Coats, jackets, weskits, and even dresses go nautical with the squared sailor collar often embroidered or braided with glittering stars, anchors, or other sea-going motifs.

The neckwear counters are offering separate sailor collars to go on everything you own in the way of simple frocks and sweaters. For the new look, add a jaunty sailor-knotted tie. The collars themselves can be velveteen, satin, jersey, or crisp white cotton.

Jewelry counters will supply you with pin-on emblems of nautical flavor to accent the wide expanse of collar.

Sailor Lacings and Buttons
Blouses, sweaters, and dresses emphasize the navy trend with sailor-lacings, used to add interest here and there . . . at the hips . . . at the neckline . . . on an otherwise extremely plain silhouette. Even bulky tweeds say "anchors aweigh," as they are fashioned into feminized versions of the tar's pea jacket. The orderly lineup of sailor-pants buttoning gives a trig look to svelte skirts and slender pants.

Children's dancing classes are being held at Normandale Playground on Wednesdays and Fridays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Coordinates and team-mate ensembles are shown with the

Baby Girl Born To C. R. Wheatons

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wheaton of 3772 West 176th street, Torrance, welcomed their first baby, a little girl named Erin Kathleen, last Friday, October 9. The young miss tipped the scales at 5 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces, at California Lutheran hospital in Los Angeles, where she first saw daylight at 2:13 p.m.

Proud maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Applegate of Camdenton, Missouri, and her paternal grandparent, Mrs. E. E. Wheaton of 4228 Redondo Beach boulevard, Torrance. The infant's father is employed at AiResearch.

There will be a Halloween Play and song and dance program on Friday, October 29, at Normandale Playground. The 4 p.m. program will feature Mrs. Norma Dobrick as accompanist.

Scott Park at 23410 Catskill avenue, offers an evening record hour at 6 p.m. on Wednesdays, for all teenagers who would like to bring their favorite records and share listening enjoyment with other boys and girls.

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Target Used As Symbol Of Perry Theme

A huge target symbolized the Perry Avenue P.T.A. theme — "Perry P.T.A. Hits the Target," at the first association meeting held recently at the school.

Lester Foster, principal, gave a brief address and then introduced the faculty members to the association. Board members reporting were Mmes. D. K. Kern, treasurer; Roy Dohner, vice president; and Mrs. John Arensmeyer, president, who introduced the officers and chairmen of the unit.

James Allen, safety chairman, announced that two crossing guards have been placed at 174th street and 182nd street and Prairie avenue for the safety of the children going to Perry School.

Mrs. A. L. MacKenzie, court-ney chairman, presented Mmes. Doris Witte and Eva Thomas with attendance prizes for being teachers with the highest percentage of parent attendance at the meeting.

The next association meeting is set for October 21 in the auditorium.

HALLOWEEN FETE PLANNED AT WALTERIA

Plans have been started by Walteria P.T.A. for the Halloween Carnival to be held at the school October 29. Mrs. Hector Herrera, ways and means chairman, selected a committee during the board meeting held last week and it was announced carnival meetings will be held each Tuesday at 7 p.m. in room 1 at Walteria school.

Two chairmen ratified at the board meeting were Mrs. Glenn Hardcastle, membership, and Mrs. Slonaker as historian.

Winning classrooms for the paper drive also held October 7 were lower grades: First, Miss Barrett; second, Mrs. Willems; third, Mrs. Searles and upper grades, first, Mrs. Taylor; second, Mrs. Dimyan; third Mr. Dillan.

Film Set As Highlight Of P-TA Meet

First meeting of the P-TA of 232nd place School will be held at the school October 14, at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Kenneth Madison, program director has announced that the film "The Endless Day," will be highlight of the program.

Board members and chairman will be introduced by the president, Mrs. Fred Bassett, for the benefit of new members.

The annual Milk Bowl football game tickets will still be on sale at the meeting. Hostesses will be all board members.

OVERNIGHT PLANNED BY TROOP 1368

A week-end at Camp Archie Shields is being planned for October 23 by Girl Scouts of Troop 1368, sponsored by the North Torrance P.T.A. This will be their first overnight as a group.

Mrs. B. B. Ball will act as the licensed camper and first aider, a requirement under Girl Scout standards. The girls are led by Mrs. Allan Schwartz and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Delbert Schonert is second baseman on the Walteria Park softball team. The team belongs to the Junior Boys Softball League.

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