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Club News Society News
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Field Family Goes Back to Alaskan Home

Evangelist Boyd Field and family started their return trip to Alaska Thursday, Aug. 25, after completing a series of meetings at the church of Christ in Torrance. Record crowds attended each of the services.

Elmer Prout, the regular local preacher, will speak at both services this Sunday. The morning sermon will be based on 1 Corinthians 4:2 and is entitled "Faithful Stewards." At the evening hour a lesson on "The Limitations Of

Rev. Smith To Marry

The Education Director of the Narbonne Avenue southern Baptist church, Rev. Edward Smith, left this week to go to Arkansas where he is to marry Miss Charlene Clements of El Dorado.

The wedding will take place on September 6, in the bride's home church. After the wedding the couple will return to Lomita.

Mr. Smith has been asked by the local church to continue his work as youth and education worker.

Christian Liberty will be delivered.

Job's Daughters' Annual Fashion Fair Shows Styles Both Casual and Formal

Hillside Ends Active Season Of Scouting

Brownies of Troop 1356, sponsored by the Harbor City P.T.A., are about to wind up their summer activities. A recent excursion was taken to Marineland with Brownie Troop 315 to view the seal show, the feeding of the fish, and to have lunch.

The girls were invited by Mrs. Robert Ellsworth, for swimming recently at the Playskill pool in Redondo. Brownies participating in these summer activities are: Patricia Bradshaw, Roberta Ellsworth, Linda Imel, Takako Kimura, Gerry Kook, Linda O'Donnell, Pamela Rooney, Karen Rutjes, Antoinette Soady, Sheila Stango, Deborah Thacker, Sylvia Furu, Kathryn Griffin, Kathleen Triffon and the leaders, Mrs. James Triffon and Mrs. Don Furu, with Mrs. Jay Imel assisting with the transportation.



Styles Shown Available In Local Stores

"Put your best foot forward" has long been advised, especially if the foot is well shod and a woman has the proper outfit to go with it. For, as fashion conscious women know, feeling suitably dressed is one of the best morale builders.

The Job's Daughters' Sixth Annual Fashion Show at the Women's club yesterday presented a selection of the styles available at the Torrance shops for the coming season. Modeling fashions ranging from casual clothes to after-five wear were Jeanette Wright, Bette Boyd, Diane Cook, Jeanette Monroe, Judy Powell, Jean Du Pont, Diane Wayt, Beth Ladd, Bonnie Kail, Mary Margaret Blount, Jackie Hay and Judy Allen, for the junior fashions; Mrs. George Bradford, Marilyn Cook, and Dallas Rasmussen, of the Job's Mother club, for women's fashions, and Billy Joe Hay and Jo Ann Allen, showing the Grammar school set styles.

—Press Photo
EVENING ELEGANCE... After-five styles were spotlighted at the Sixth Annual Job's Daughters Fashion show yesterday at the Torrance Women's club. Seated, Miss Bonnie Kail, 1544 W. 216th, modeled a whipped-cream-pink nylon blouse with a navy corded faille skirt. Mrs. Dallas Rasmussen, 20921 Denker, wore the flattering off-the-shoulder line in black taffeta with velvet trim. Standing, Miss Diana Cook, 2063 233rd st., chose a champagne cotton brocade with the new double shoulder strap treatment.

Greenthumbers Learn to Make Corsages

Mrs. Charlotte Maben, of the South Bay Garden Club, was guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Greenthumbers Garden Club of Allied Gardens. Her subject was "How to Make Corsages." She accompanied her lecture with a practical demonstration of the work on various types of corsages.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Eldon Sellmeyer. Mrs. William Fitzgerald, president, presided.

Mrs. Paul Kolleck was appointed sunshine chairman and Mrs. Sellmeyer was appointed chairman of the flower show. Mrs. Sellmeyer read a poem, "A Child's Garden."

Refreshments were served. The date of the September meeting will be announced later.

Lomita Fuchsia Club Installs New Officers

The Lomita Fuchsia and Garden society celebrated its tenth anniversary with a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Eipper, 25338 Pennsylvania ave.

The supper was followed by the installation of new officers. Loren Paulsohn, of Inglewood, president of the California National Fuchsia society was the installing officer. Past presidents, Mrs. Frances C. Barber, Mrs. Joseph Bader, W. H. Shuler, C. O. Eipper, Mrs. Ed Shurgot, and Mrs. Robert Riggles, were each presented with an Australian tree fern.

Mrs. Jack McKinney and Mrs. C. O. Eipper, two active members, were given ornamental plants.

The group gave Mrs. Robert Riggles, immediate past president, two patio chairs in recognition of her work for the group.

Guest door prize went to Joseph Bader and the member prize was awarded to Emery Stoddard.

Mrs. John Slaughter served an anniversary cake and coffee after the meeting.

The group recently won first prize trophy at the American Begonia society's twenty-third annual convention in Redondo Beach for the best garden display. The entry was a merry-go-round of painted animals with glloxinia, fuchsias and fern.

The display was entered by Mrs. Robert Riggles and C. O. Eipper.

The decorations, which carried out the theme "Wings of Beauty" chosen by Miss Sally Speck, honored queen, were done by Diane Allen, Jane Rowe, Kay Smith, Janalee Bristow, Mary Margaret Blount, Leverne Lewis, Carla Cramer, Donna Wrigley, Pat Smith, Jackie Hay and Jeanette Monroe.

Those who handled arrangements for the serving of the luncheon which was prepared by the mother's club were: Linda Thayne, Maurine Bradford, Marylou Kirkpatrick, Jeanette Wright, Diane Allen, Susan Babcock, Fennie Voien, Sherry Harvey, Sharon McNally, Barbara Alter, Nancy Dorset, Carol Brier, Bonnie Kail, Bonnie Denton, Karen Peterson, Kathy Jones, Ruth McCune, Marlene Fulton, Diane

newly appointed director, announced the cast which has been chosen for the next production, "The Rose Tattoo," another play by Tennessee Williams.

The production staff has also been tentatively appointed. The play will be presented at the Civic Auditorium the last of September and the first of October.

This major production follows two previous productions "The Night of January 16" and "The Fourposter."

The enthusiasm of the group at the steak barbecue held last month in the president's yard has prompted plans for another such occasion to take place on September 11 for all members and their friends.

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Theatre Group Holds First Board Meeting

The new president of ACCENT: Theater! Dora Heinlein presided at her first board meeting on Saturday, August 20, when the official board met at the home of Mrs. Paul Harestad, who serves the group as vice-president and membership chairman.

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Will Continue Recruiting of New Teachers

Torrance Council P.T.A. received correspondence through Mrs. W. A. Wright, council president, in regards to new areas in the field of child welfare by the board of managers of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.

Mrs. M. D. MacMillan, CCPT teacher education chairman, reported that colleges in California had graduated 21% more teachers this year, attributed in large part to the recruitment clinics which the P.T.A. co-sponsored this last year.

In view of this obvious success the CCPT agreed to again cooperate in conducting the clinics in 1956 in ten different areas of the state.

Co-sponsors will be the State Department of Education, the California Teachers Association, California School Boards Association, California Council on Teachers Education and a number of lay organizations.

Women Complete Leadership Class

Six women from Torrance recently completed their training in intermediate Girl Scout leadership at St. Andrews Episcopal Church.

The local women were Betty Hardesty, Betty Maynes, Viola Keyes, Georgine Hirtle, Eleanor Berry and Wilma Allen.

The course began on August 2 under volunteer trainers Helen

English, Cecelia Evans and Alma Walton. Twenty-three women from the Harbor area were enrolled in the class which covered songs, camping, patrol system, girl planning and discussions to assist the new leaders in solving their problems.

Another course will be held in October. The enrollment will be handled by the neighborhood chairmen.

P-TA Program Set For Torrance High

The executive board of the Torrance High School P-TA met recently in committee meetings to formulate plans for next year, beginning with a pot luck supper to be held in the cafeteria in October.

The following committees chairmen were chosen and ratified by the board: Mrs. Ray Neely, membership; Mrs. Charles Curtiss, program; Mrs. A. Krauszer, hospitality; Mrs. J. R. Patrick, health and welfare; Mrs. F. W. Lane, publicity; Mrs. Victor Benard, record book; Mrs. Jackson Moore, magazine; Mrs. W. H. Smith, budget and finance; Mrs. E. M. Whitcomb, ways and means; Mrs. D. Boone Kirks, legislation; Mrs. J. E. Popovich, registration; and Mrs. George A. Bradford, jr., after-graduation.

Adopt Theme
Mrs. Charles Curtiss and her committee set up a tentative program for the year. The theme "Teamwork Does It" was adopted. The committee reported that classroom demonstrations, exhibits, and panel discussions will be the types of programs used for this coming year; and all phases of the school curriculum will be demonstrated.

Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Curtiss, chairman, Wallace B. Magner, jr., high school principal, Mrs. Ray Neely, and Mrs. J. L. Hinds, president.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, budget and finance chairman, and her committee drew up the budget to be presented to the board for ratification at the first meeting in September. Those present were: Mrs. Kenneth Ruffel, treasurer; Mrs. Ray Neely, Mrs. E. M. Whitcomb, and Mrs. J. L. Hinds.

Party Given For Expected Arrival

Mrs. Corwin Jones, 23115 Salena, gave a baby shower for her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Jones, last Saturday evening.

The guests were Mesdames Paul Moon, David Nicky, Barbara Rawls, Melvin Copeland, Clem Bolles, Virgil Bolles, Anita Weill, George Coward.

Mrs. Corwin served a two-tier silver cake with individual storks on each slice.

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NTCIA Plans September Elections

Plans for the election of new officers for the North Torrance Civic Improvement Association were made last Thursday by the Nominating Committee with Mr. Edward Nobbe acting as committee chairman.

The committee stressed in its announcements the importance of active participation by residents and home owners in such civic and public organizations as NTCIA for the welfare of communities in which they exist. Every effort will be made by members of the organization to be present at the election meeting, Wednesday night, September 7, at 8 p.m., at McMaster Hall.

The election meeting will serve as the starting point for a full program during the coming year of community, charitable and social projects.

Invitations to the September 24 Inaugural Dance, are now available to friends and members of NTCIA. The invitations may be obtained by calling Mr. or Mrs. Edward Nobbe at FR. 2-0823, or by picking them up at 4143 West 175th Place.

The gala celebration of the sixth Anniversary and the installation of Officers for North Torrance Civic Improvement Association will be held at the Western Club Cafe, with buffet supper and dancing as part of the evenings fun.

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