

PTA News

Narbonne School Seats New Panel of Officers

Mrs. Joseph B. Butler was installed as president of Narbonne High School PTA at the association's final meeting of the school year.

For the past two years, Mrs. Butler has been president of Fleming PTA. Installing officer was Mrs. E. G. Croom, president of Gateway Council.

Elected to serve with Mrs. Butler are Mmes. Raymond Denley and Homer Price, vice presidents; Vier Lowry, recording secretary; Douglas Cowdry, corresponding; H. B. Huntley, treasurer; Raymond Stalmack, auditor; C. L. Wilson, historian; and David Goolsby, parliamentarian.

Following the installation, Narbonne home-making students staged a fashion show featuring ensembles they had made in class. Ann Battaglia, home-economic instructor, was commentator. Background music was provided by Helen Peel.

Mrs. Akerson Installs Stephen White Officers

"The Harbor" was the theme for Stephen M. White PTA's installation ceremony last Tuesday. Mrs. A. C. Akerson was installing officer.

Taking office were Mrs. Frances Anania, president; John Fox Jr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart, vice presidents; and Mmes. Glen Mullen, parliamentarian; Henry Runge, historian; Richard McMahon, auditor; Charles Linn, treasurer; Fred Trujillo, corresponding secretary; and Walter Stewart, secretary.

Pledge of allegiance was led by Irene Yanagihara, girls' student-body vice president. John Madison, boys' student-body vice president, gave the inspirational.

Mrs. Anania presented a report on the recent state PTA convention she attended in San Francisco. Mrs. Linn gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Harvey gave the record-book report. The historian's report was given by Mrs. Alfred Barken.

The association voted to purchase new drapes for the faculty cafeteria. A committee composed of Mmes. Eldon Dye, W. H. McGuire, and Mullen were appointed to install the drapes before September.

Torrance Elementary Gives \$100 Scholarship

Miss Barbara Alter, a senior at Torrance High School, was awarded Torrance Elementary PTA's \$100 scholarship at the association's final meeting of the year.

The scholarship is given annually by the group to an outstanding graduate who plans to enter the teaching field. Miss Alter plans to continue her education this fall at Santa Barbara College.

This year the award was given in honor of Elaine King, eighth-grade teacher at the school. Mrs. S. A. Brooks made the presentation.

The evening's program, entitled "The Story of a Letter," was presented by May Harris's class. Students made their own stamps and money, wrote letters, and using a model post office, depicted the story of the post.

The meeting concluded with the installation of new officers.

Taking office were Mmes. Ben Rusk, president; Herbert Hanes, Mr. Stanley Roberts, and W. R. Campbell, vice presidents; P. L. Preston, recording secretary; James Fagnano, corresponding secretary; W. G. Metzner, treasurer; H. T. Whisnand, historian; E. L. Friberg, auditor; and James McClure, parliamentarian.

STEELE POLIO CLINIC SET WEDNESDAY

Sponsored by Carl Steele PTA polio vaccine shots at \$1 each will be given Wednesday from 7-9 p.m., at the school, 19300 Inglewood Blvd.

First, second, third, and booster shots will be given to persons of all ages from three months upward.

Interval between inoculations is two to six weeks after the first injection and seven months to a year after the second. The fourth shot should be administered a year after the third.

Juniors Make, Model Styles at Spool and Bobbin Show



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MISS DIANNE LOUISE RAY plans summer wedding

—Photo by Seaman

Miss Ray to Become Bride of R. D. Moore

Mr. and Mrs. Keith H. Ray of Long Beach, formally of Torrance, have announced the engagement of their daughter Dianne Louise to Ralph Doyle Moore, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle A. Moore of Whittier.

The couple will be married Aug. 21 in Downey.

Students Entertain Gathering

Ensembles for every occasion were on view Wednesday when the Junior Woman's Club held its annual Spool and Bobbin Fashion Show at the clubhouse.

Modeled and made by members, styles ranged from pajamas to playclothes, shirtwaists to cocktail gowns.

The decorations were highlighted by a giant spool through which mannequins entered to display their costumes. Mrs. Richard Gerald was commentator.

Intermission entertainment was provided by the winners of the Junior's recent music-scholarship competition, Merryl Drabin, soprano; Mary Titus, flute; and Margaret Shidler, piano.

Guests of honor at the event were the student's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Drabin, Mr. and Mrs. John Titus, and Mr. and Mrs. John Shidler.

Mrs. Don Carlson was event chairman. Mrs. Robert L. Kerber headed the decoration committee. Hostess was Mrs. Charles Crandall.

Modeling were Mmes. Edward Aiken and daughter Sunni, Charles Bennett, Kenneth Boulter and daughter Belinda, Lee Clotworthy, Robert Davis and daughter Jenny Lynn, and D. W. Faulds and daughters Sheri Lee and Daryl.

Also Mmes. J. W. Galvin, Robert L. Kerber, Clayton T. Lilley and daughter Sandy, Elgin Logsdon and daughter Janet, William Michalek and daughter Sandy, Sharon, Debbie and Kim, F. C. Murphy and daughter Kathleen, J. A. Perry, and Leonard Schulwitz and daughter Barbara.

And Mmes. W. E. Starr and daughter, John Stokley and daughters Ruth and Susan, C. H. Turner and daughter Debbie, James Waters and son Tony, Roy J. Apsey (president-elect of the senior Women's Club), and Miss Karvin Carlson.

Governor's Wife Feted

"I don't make speeches," said Mrs. Edmund Brown, California's first lady, "One in the family is enough. Anyway people just want to see what you look like, they don't expect any pearls of wisdom."

Thus Mrs. Brown introduced her informal talk Thursday on highlights of life in the governor's mansion, given at luncheon in her honor by democrat women of the area.

"My mail is one of the most interesting aspects of the day," she said I have had requests for everything from one of my old hats to one of the governor's used shirts.

"Which hat to send bothered me," she recalled. "If it was one I liked I wanted to keep it. If I didn't like it, I could imagine people saying 'imagine the governor's wife wearing an old hat like that.'"

Mrs. Brown also told of a

letter she received from a 13-year-old girl asking what she considered the duties and responsibilities of a teen-ager and one from a sixth-grade boy requesting all the information on the state of California.

Among the problems of being first lady, Mrs. Brown quoted overeating as being top on the list.

"It's just impossible," she said, "when one is invited to so many delicious breakfasts, lunches, and dinners not to get in the bad graces of one's scales."

The event was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Stanton Jr. of Rolling Hills. Assisting Mrs. Stanton as hostesses were her daughter Miss Ellen Stanton, and Mmes. George Mohler, John Shidler, Ronald Moran, Charles Warham, J. Russell Shae, and Anthony Nizetich.

Helen Harky and Hilda Lintz were in charge of the menu. Mrs. Fred Allen was in charge of arrangements. Ticket chairmen were Dorothy Kessonick and Mmes. Jack Mitchell and James Hurst.

Mrs. Ronald E. Moran presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Allan Bird was at the guest-book table.

Attending were Janet Smith and Mmes. Robert Buckley, Donald J. Robinson, Byron Jutovsky, Edward Felkel, and Rene Dean Pekar of Torrance.

Helen Richey, Florence Krekelberg, and Mmes. George Denbo, Albert Maslin, Walter H. Gillis Jr., and Robert Bodoh of Rolling Hills, and Edith Cohen of Rolling Hills Estates.

Julia Reams, Marilyn Roberts, Bernice Lebo, Mary Hill, Merle Ryan, and Mmes. Ralph Owens, Thomas Harding, Thomas Shea, Willard Graham, and Pedro Miller of Palos Verdes Estates.

Achievement by Harbor District Camp Fire Girls of 245 honors and ranks was recognized as follows:

National honors—three year membership by Mrs. E. B. Eilts, section coordinator; five-year membership by Mrs. Edgar Wilson, district-training chairman;

Needlework guild by Mrs. H. T. Unander, section coordinator; memory book by Mrs. H. E. Yeagain, district-program committee; jubilee-membership charms by Mrs. Russell Jones, district-group-organization chairman;

Jubilee-project honors, Miss Marilyn Jensen, district chairman; Fly-up recognition by



ARE THEY BITING TODAY? Michael Walsh gets his hook baited by Mrs. William Hopkins in preparation for fish pond at St. Philomena's parish carnival. Mmes. Angel Perez (left) and E. M. Bernardin show items to be featured at the event. —Press Photo

Bonnie Lee Miller, James Cole Wed at First Baptist Church

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Cole are at home at 25340 Oak St., Lomita, following their wedding May 7 in the First Baptist Church of Torrance. Officiating at the double-ring rite was the Rev. Morgan Gates.

She is the former Bonnie Lee Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franklin Miller, 2729 Portobello Dr. Her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lee Cole, 26227 Delos Dr.

For her wedding gown, the new Mrs. Cole chose an ensemble of Chantilly lace and tulle featuring a sweetheart neckline. Her illusion veil was secured by a diamond and pearl tiara and she carried white carnations.

Attending her were the Misses Dyann Davey, maid of honor; Elizabeth Tingley and Vivian Cole, bridesmaids; and Barbara Cole, flower girl.

The Misses Davey and Tingley were attired in turquoise taffeta and chiffon detailed with velvet bows. Miss Vivian Cole was in yellow chiffon. Her sister wore white embossed nylon.

Thomas E. Shaver was best man. Leonard Cole and Barry Miller ushered. David Mayfield was ring bearer.

The couple welcomed guests to a reception in the church hall following the service. Miss Jeanne Kenny presided at the guest book.

Those attending from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schultheis of Cincinnati, godparents of the bride, and Margaret Lawrence, also of Cincinnati, maternal grandmother of the bride.

Mrs. Cole was graduated from Torrance High School with the class of '58 and now attends Long Beach College. Mr. Cole was



MRS. JAMES LEE COLE on her wedding day

—Photo by Wiener

graduated from Torrance High in 1959. He is employed at the Palos Verdes Post office.

St. Philomena Will Stage Parish Fiesta

Students at St. Philomena Catholic School will celebrate the approaching end of the school term next weekend when St. Philomena Parish holds its annual carnival on the school grounds, 21900 S. Main St.

Highlight of the fair will be a ham dinner Sunday from 1 to 7 p.m. served by the women of the parish. Mrs. Clarence Turner is dinner chairman.

Other attractions will include booths featuring fancy work, baked goods, dolls, novelties, a fish pond, and games of chance.

Mrs. Gene Le Roy, president of the Women's Council, and William Hopkins, president of the Men's Council, are in charge of arrangements.

Four Delta Taus Attend Society's Anniversary Fete

Four members of Delta Tau Delta were guests at the national Delphian Society's golden anniversary luncheon Thursday at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles.

Attending were Mmes. Harold A. Bartlett, David F. Conklin, Tom G. Halasey, and Joseph J. Boylan.

Highlight of the event was reading from the works of Tennessee Williams, Walt Whitman, and James McNeill Whistler by film actor, Vincent Price.

Carolyn Nelson Betrothed to R. A. Vanderpool

The betrothal of Miss Carolyn Rae Nelson to Raymond A. Vanderpool has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Crowner, 1017 Hickory Ave.

Mr. Vanderpool is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Vanderpool, 1015 Amapola Ave.

The couple plan to be married in the summer of 1961.

Miss Nelson will be graduated from Torrance High School in June. Her future husband was graduated from Torrance High with the class of '58, and attended El Camino College. He is employed at the Pittsburgh Glass Co. in Torrance.



MISS CAROLYN RAE NELSON



FIRST LADY—Mrs. Edmund G. Brown (right) is welcomed to South Bay by Mrs. Frank Stanton and Charles Sohner, democrat candidate, 46th district, at the Stanton's home.