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BRADLEY SWEATERS always lead the field, but this Christmas line of BRADLEYS is superb. Sizes and types to fit every member of the family. What better gift than a BRADLEY?

OBSERVATIONS

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to the eye. Certainly as some Eastern observer has remarked, 90 per cent of the limbs revealed by short skirts are by no means sexually alluring, if this be true—and observations in all parts of the United States have convinced us that it is—the reformers are crying on the wrong track.
Aside from the necessity for short skirts in modern times there is another cogent reason why the fair sex should not go back to the older, longer and heavier garb. This concerns health. Qualified experts tell us that clothes which women now wear are much more healthful than those in which they used to encase themselves.

Mary Crimmings Re-elected By Royal Neighbors

Torrance Camp Names Officers at Meeting on Friday

Mary L. Crimmings was re-elected Oracle of Torrance Camp Royal Neighbors, last Friday evening. Chosen to assist Mrs. Crimmings in the direction of the year's work were Nan Schumacher, vice oracle; L. Benzel, past oracle; Bertha Stenson, chancellor; Carolyn Stroh, recorder; Bertha Bradford, receiver; Mary Baker, inner sentinel; Molly Stroh, outer sentinel; May McKinley, musician; Dr. A. P. Stevenson, camp physician.

Thomas N. Havlin Claimed by Death

Thomas N. Havlin, junior, 14, died Monday, Dec. 5, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Havlin of 2255 Carson street. Death was caused by poliomyelitis. Born in St. Louis, Mo., the lad came from San Francisco to Torrance with his parents in August. He was in the 9th grade at Torrance high school.

Besides the parents, a sister, Marcy C., survives. Funeral services will be held Friday morning, Dec. 9, at 9 a. m., at the Torrance Catholic church. Interment will be made in Calvary cemetery, Los Angeles.

Junior High to Present Play on December 9th

"The Fire Prince" Will Be Given at High School Auditorium

The Torrance Junior high school will present "The Fire Prince" in the Torrance high school auditorium, Dec. 9, at 8:15 p. m. There was a matinee performance at 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, Dec. 7. Unreserved seats for both performances are 25 cents, reserved for Friday evening are 35 cents. The music of the "Fire Prince" is exceptional, being written by Henry Hadley, famous for his attractive light opera style. The words are by the clever David Stevens, and are full of subtle humor. Come prepared to laugh often and to enjoy the many choruses, rich costumes, and dances.

The leading characters will be played by Pete Zamperini, Manfred Kirby, Edbert Merrill, Howard Totten, Waldo McDowell, Robert Hannan, Dallas Danford, Waldo McDowell, George Lancaster, Roy Hamerston, Kathryn Fordice, Miriam Thompson, Mildred Holland, Ruth Anderson, Muriel Barnes, Margery Howells.
Other pupils who will appear in the play are Marguerite Lincoln, Irene Newby, Blanche Lukes, Mildred Austin, Gladys Cogswell, Florence Meriam, Ellen Stanley, Ruth Slye, Helen Hannebrink, Grace Barnes, Jeanne Wheaton, Francis Granger, Vincent Lawton, Floyd Clark, Edna Salsbury, Louis Booth, Othone Torres, Floyd Denman, Edwin Wood, Walter Johnston, Dallas Danford, Charles Kisinger, William Booth, Robert Hannan, Wanda Christiansen, Evangeline Cummings, Virginia Brown, Conetta Briganti, Iona McDonough, Jane Roberts, Florence Gramling, Mildred Eshom.
Members of the faculty who have coached the members of the cast are Marjorie Elschen, music; Lois Lingenfelter, drama; Grace Morse, dancing. Costumes are in charge of Bernice Summerville and Leora Shover, and William Burk is stage manager.

Kelsey Will Get License Plates for Local Folks

L. B. Kelsey, Torrance insurance man, announces that he will secure automobile license plates for 1928 for local motorists. This is a service Mr. Kelsey has offered in Torrance each year. Persons desiring plates should bring their white or pink slips to the Kelsey office on Marcelina avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Modisette of Hollywood and Henry Reinhart of Kansas City, Kansas spent the week end with Ted Wertz and family of Cabrillo street.

ALL DAY MEETING
An all day meeting of the Women's Missionary Society and Christian church council will be held next Wednesday, Dec. 14, at the Christian church on Engaeclia avenue.

W. W. Woodington at Hospital Here

W. W. Woodington of 2013 Arlingto navenue was brought from a Los Angeles hospital to the Torrance hospital last Wednesday. His condition is greatly improved and he will welcome visits from his friends.

TO ERECT WIG-WAG

The Santa Fe railroad company informed the City Council Tuesday night that a wig-wag signal will be placed at the intersection of the company's tracks and Marcelina avenue at the railroad's expense. The letter was in response to the city's request for the signal.

LaPlante Buys Out Partner in Store

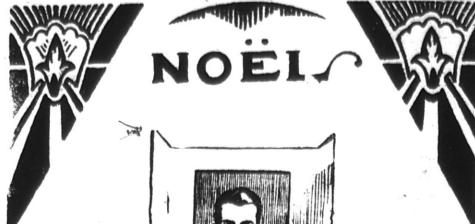
George LaPlante announced today that he purchased the interest of Andrew J. Moore in the La Plante Confectionery at 1425 Sartori avenue next to the Torrance Theatre. Hereafter the business will be conducted under the supervision of Mrs. LaPlante. Mr. and Mrs. LaPlante wish to thank the people of Torrance for the splendid patronage at the store.

Special Music and Program at Central Church

The play "Janey," will be presented at the Central Evangelical church next Sunday evening, December 11, under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society. Special music will be a feature of the evening. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

Week's World News

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two hundred and twenty-five million, while a cut of two hundred and thirty-six million is proposed in a bill drafted by the Capitol House Ways and Means committee. Secretary Mellon declared that the Chamber had made its recommendation in "the entire absence of detailed figures as to future revenues and expenditures" and asserted that the chamber's estimated yield from the Corporation Income tax represented "inexcusable carelessness."
Colonel Charles Augustus Lindbergh piloted his plane "The Spirit of St. Louis" to the ground at Teaneck, New Jersey. As he flattened out one of the wheels struck a rut the nose of the ship tilted leading to the crash. The Colonel was not injured. The accident was the first in which "We" had figured since Lindbergh took off for Paris last May. "We" have flown more than 27,000 miles since May 20th.



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Also some for\$1.00

Sets of Pipe, Leather Tobacco Pouch and Can of Tobacco in Christmas Box\$2.00

Locktite Cigarette Case, with 3 packages of cigarettes.....\$1.50

HUMIDORS OF TOBACCO

Conklin Pen and Pencil Sets,\$6.00 to \$11.50
Pencils.....\$1.00 to \$3.50
Single Pens\$2.75 up

Daddy's a Live One

A very small GIRL of our ACQUAINTANCE was at CHURCH a few SUNDAYS ago and the MINISTER happened to be one of the OLD FASHIONED kind and he preached a REGULAR old fashioned SERMON which made quite an IMPRESSION on the young MISS. For a long time after getting HOME she was very THOUGHTFUL, but finally she UNBURDENED her mind about as FOLLOWS: "Mother, there isn't REALLY any DEVIL is there? He's just like SANTA CLAUS, isn't he? He's DADDY." And that caused US to remark that when the youngsters begin to talk about SANTA CLAUS, isn't he? He's ELDERS to begin to THINK about him, and the TORRANCE Pharmacy.

"GEORGE."

PROBERT'S TORRANCE PHARMACY

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Compacts, all sizes and shapes, from\$1.00 to \$2.75

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