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ELEMENTARY School Notes

The tree map, which was the outcome of the activity last spring on the trees of Torrance by the two fourth grades under Mrs. Mabel Petersen and Mrs. Nellie Bradford, will be exhibited at the Teachers' Institute in Los Angeles. Their classes of this year are contributing booklets containing specimens of each kind of tree used.

Departmental groups under Miss Volney Henderson are publishing the annual school paper which will appear this week. The following are in charge: Jack Monahan, editor; Paul Kasper and Laura Mae Hyde, assistant editors; Philip Jensen, advertising manager; Mary Jane Smith and Gerald Templeton, assistant advertising managers; Joseph Gossiaux, circulation manager; Florence Buchman, assistant circulation manager; and Gertrude Mowry, Dorothy Leake, Lois Everett, Mary Orrego, reporters.

War Veterans To Hold Drive

Cooperation and support for the annual "Forget-Me-Not" drive of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, to be held in Los Angeles and nearby communities, December 18, 19, 20 and 21, has been pledged by numerous public officials and organizations in communications to local, state and national veterans' leaders.

Included among the endorsements of the drive are letters from President Herbert Hoover, former President Calvin Coolidge, General Frank T. Hines, national director of veterans' affairs; and Mayor John C. Porter of Los Angeles, all strongly urging public support for the campaign. In addition to a letter of endorsement, Mayor Porter has issued a proclamation designating the four days of the drive as "Forget-Me-Not" days in Los Angeles. Similar proclamations are to be issued in nearby communities.

Gay Nineties Party Attracts 8000 Here

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the most typical and authentic gay '90s costume, Mrs. Alberts Plant, Harbor boulevard, Keystone, Route 1, Box 220, first prize of \$25 in cash; second prize of \$15 to Dallas Stuart, 1813 Madrid avenue, Torrance.

For the funniest costume, the prize to Earl Connors, who was disguised behind a Chester Conklin mustache.

Girls Awarded Prize

After those in costume had evaded the measurements of the old-fashioned waltz, Miss Charlotte Brown and Miss Alice Beyteschres, room-mates at 413 Portola avenue, won the \$10 cash prize for the best waltz couple. Miss Beyteschres was disguised as a gentleman of the period.

Mrs. G. H. Koehler, of Keystone, Route 1, Box 227, and H. C. Roque, of Keystone, were voted the best couple in the two-step dance contest and were awarded the \$10 prize.

The judges were unanimous in declaring that Mrs. Helen Dion, of 1201 190th street, McDonald tract, deserved honorable mention for her beautiful costume. Mrs. Dion was not awarded prize because her dress was not of the period of the Nineties but was an earlier creation.

Many Do Their Shopping

Besides the great crowd, the brilliant lights and the costumes, participants, perhaps the outstanding feature of the party was the fact that many who attended came from considerable distance to see the city's neighborhood celebration. All the surrounding communities were represented and took part in the festivities.

Many who were unable to see the dance contests visited with friends in the crowd and toured the shopping district to inspect the Christmas displays of the city's business men. The merchants report they did considerable Christmas business Saturday night and that they were very glad to see such a large turnout at the party.

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By Grace L. Smith, R. N.

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IN THE AMUSEMENT WORLD

Gangland Epic Is Vivid Drama At Fox Redondo

Most authentic of all plays of gangster psychology is "The Doorway to Hell," latest Warner Bros. production, which will open at the Fox Redondo theater on Friday and Saturday.

Both Howard Brown, who wrote the story, and George Rosener, who did the crashing dialogue, are familiar with denizens of the underworld at first hand. Archie Mayo, who directed, shows great cleverness and the cast is superb.

"Quiet" Lewis Ayres, of "All Quiet" fame, heads the cast which includes Charles Judels, Dorothy Matthews, Leon Janney, Robert Elliott, James Cagney, Kenneth Thompson, Jerry Mandy and Noel Madison.

The story is that of a delinquent king of the underworld whose young brother is kidnapped and accidentally killed by gangsters who think the former leader has double-crossed them. A picture you should not miss.

Although Mitzi Green has established a tradition for frankness on the screen, her newest role, that of Beck Thatcher in Paramount's "Tom Sawyer" at the Fox Redondo theater on Friday and Saturday, is a distinct departure from the Mitzi tradition.

As Tom's sweetheart, she wears blonde curls, a wig, of course, and depicts herself with the prim demeanor of a little lady of the early Victorian age. Instead of her customary obstinateness, she is today in a portrayal that is almost wholly angelical.

FAVORITES IN SCREEN FARE AT LOMITA

This is "favorites week" at the Lomita theater. Ramon Novarro, Charles Farrell, Betty Compson, Lola Lane and others are the featured players on the bill at that popular neighborhood entertainment center in Lomita.

"Call of the Flesh," Novarro's latest production, opens tonight, Thursday, and will run Friday night. One of those interesting all-dog comedies, "College House," is on this program. Saturday, David Belasco's great stage play comes to the Lomita in its talkie version. This is "The Big Fight"—the play that Jack Dempsey, former champion, starred in on Broadway. On the screen it packs a greater punch than it did over the footlights because its climax, a championship prize fight, is seen in all its details.

"Liliom" with Charles Farrell is to be seen at the Lomita Sunday and Monday. This is an unusual picture from Ferenc Molnar's great play. It carries out a theme of the super-natural in a way that makes you think. On Tuesday and Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. A. Donce, owners of the theater, are producing "Czar of Broadway," in which Betty Compson is featured. A number of short entertaining talkie subjects complete the week's bill.

Billy the Kid Depicts Phase In U. S. History

"Billy the Kid," which will open at the Torrance theater Tuesday for three days, has been added by King Vidor of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to the rapidly increasing list of pictures dedicated to various phases of American history.

"Billy the Kid" relates the stirring happenings at Lincoln, New Mexico, during the famous "cattle-men's war" of 1878, 1879 and 1880. The career of William Bonney during that time is the crux of the wildest point the wild west ever reached.

"Billy the Kid" occupies a period between "The Covered Wagon" and the present day. It concerns the period in the late '70s when the west had grown both rich and lawless.

William Bonney was the most distinctive figure of this era. A product of his time, he defied his friends with his pistol. He thought nothing of open warfare with other men. He was the ringleader of the famous McQueen gang in the Lincoln county war.

John Mack Brown plays "The Kid" and Wallace Beery gives another of his inimitable characterizations as Sheriff Garrett. Kay Johnson has the feminine lead. Karl Dane is seen as the comic cowboy Swanson. The large cast also includes Wyndham Standish, Russell Simpson, Blanche Frederici, Roscoe Ames, Warner Richmond, James Marcus, Nelson McDonald, Jack Carlyle, John Beck, Marguerita Padula and Aggie Herring.

LOMITA THEATRE

Admission Prices: 10c & 25c

TONIGHT (THURSDAY) AND FRIDAY
"CALL OF THE FLESH"
Dog Comedy, "College House"—and News

SATURDAY
"THE BIG FIGHT"
Fable—"Laundry Blues" and "Lightning Express" No. 2

SUNDAY & MONDAY
"LILION"
with Charles Farrell
Cartoon and Rin-Tin-Tin in "The Lone Defender"

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
"CZAR OF BROADWAY"
with BETTY COMPSON
News and Screen Snapshots

Read the Want-Ads

Fun Features On Fox Plaza Bill for Week

William Haines in "Remote Control" is the attraction at the Fox Plaza theater on Friday and Saturday. Haines is again seen as a wise-cracking radio announcer who causes plenty of trouble and laughs before he decides to be a good boy. Polly Moran, Charles King and Mary Moran are in the supporting roles and the picture has every reason to be one of Haines' best productions.

Specially selected short subjects are also on the program. A "Monkey Comedy," "The Little Big House," a scenic "Drifting Alone," and a Mickey Mouse cartoon are included. On Saturday only, the 4th chapter of the thrilling all-talking serial, "The Indians Are Coming," will be shown.

For Sunday only, "The Gorilla," the crispest, woodiest, funniest picture of its kind ever made, will grace the Fox Plaza screen. Out go the lights, on go the thrills. In comes the gorilla, and up in the air go Mulligan and Garrity, the two detectives—nits who see all, hear all, and know nothing. It's a riot of fun and mystery that is said to surpass the silent picture and the stage presentation. A Charlie Chase talking comedy and a Paramount net are also on the program for Sunday.

Monday and Tuesday the offering will be another of those popular double feature programs, Charles Rogers and Helen Kane in "Heads Up" and Benny Rubin in "Love in the Rough," with Helen Kane.

Wednesday and Thursday, Jack Oakie in an ocean-going riot of "Sea Legs" with Lillian Roth, Eugene Pallette, Harry Green and Eugene Pallette needs no further introduction. When these four funsters get together laughs are sure to abound. An added attraction of "Wild Men of Kallihara" offers an interesting travesty of strange lands and queer customs of other races.

A special all-talking revival play Thursday only will be Will Rogers in "They Had to See Paris." This is doubtless the best Rogers picture ever made. Friday and Saturday, December 18 and 19, bring to the Fox Plaza theater that famous character of the old West, "Billy the Kid," featuring John Mack Brown and Wallace Beery.

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JACK OAKIE in **"Sea Legs"**
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Epico Travelogue, "WILD MEN OF KALIHARA"

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Hospital Notes

Although ten babies arrived at the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital during the week, only one of them went to residents of Torrance. The other nine were distributed to Redondo and Gardena, it was reported.

The single Torrance arrival was a son to Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stephenson of 182nd street, who was ushered in this world on December 1.

O. N. Fulmer of 719 Columbia court, underwent a minor operation at the hospital on December 8. He is getting along nicely. William Scott of Los Angeles, who is well known here, was operated on Monday for a hernia. He is reported well on the road to recovery.

PLENTY OF VOTING

WOOLBACKET, R. I.—One voter in the recent Rhode Island election voted for and against every candidate and every question on the ballot. Altogether he made 31 crosses.

BIG DEER KILLED

ORR, Minn.—A 231-pound deer with 19-point antlers was shot near here by M. J. Hoff, on the opening day of the deer season. It was said to be the largest ever seen in this territory.

SMELT GIVEN MEMORIAL

BERLIN.—Because an old legend had it that the smelt brought prosperity to the town of Nikolai in east Prussia, the town council has erected a memorial to the fish.

KILLS BEAR CUB—NOT DEER

TWO HARBORS, Minn.—Roy Wexler went out into the woods here to get a deer and came home with a year-old bear cub. He stumbled over a pile of brush and the cub ran out from under him. He killed the bear with his first shot.

MRS. TUCKER DIES

Mrs. M. Tucker, who resided at 1018 Acacia until last April, died December 8 at her home in Cloverdale, Calif., following an operation for appendicitis.

FOX REDONDO

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