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Their music is good and their drills are unique. They present a handsome appearance in their black and white uniforms with steel helmets brightly polished and shining. As they marched off the ball field to the band stand where the speakers were waiting to be introduced, they were followed by a whole troop of admiring youngsters who no doubt are only waiting for the day to come when they will be grown up and can join out with a similar group. At the band stand the corps played a stirring concert, which was generously applauded.

During the afternoon, those who did not attend the ball games were splendidly entertained by the C. H. Cleveland Harbor District Boys Band of San Pedro. These young lads, ranging in age from 7 to 15, are first-class musicians. In the two and a half years since the band was organized it has had a surprising growth in numbers and popularity. Starting with 18 boys, the membership now includes nearly 500, divided into four sections, the beginners, third band, second band and the first band which is the finished product.

The first concert of the organization was given July 21, 1931, at Warner Bros. Theatre, in San Pedro. Since that time the organization has played 95 public concerts and appeared in numerous parades. It is not commercially and no charge is made for its services. The band was organized as an educational project designed to give the young musicians a chance for advanced study in music and drill in team work. It is widely known as the finest boys' band in this section of the country.

Thanks to Happy Wintz and the Standard Oil Company, those who were gathered about the band stand were able to hear perfectly all the music and speeches. A microphone and loud-speaker system was installed which brought all that was said on the platform plainly to those even on the outskirts of the crowd. Fred Bobb, of Long Beach, took the care of the loud speaker arrangements in the grandstand while the ball games were in progress.

The program of advertising was carried out on schedule. Secretary L. J. Gilmeister of the Chamber of Commerce acted as master of ceremonies and his well-chosen words were enthusiastically received.

City Councilman W. H. Tolson, chairman of the park committee, welcomed the crowd in a brief speech in which he stressed the fact that this park is the property of the people and urged all, especially the residents of Torrance, to make use of it.

Miss Dana Merkel, prominent M-G-M motion picture star, made a personal appearance and expressed her pleasure at being invited to take part in the civic celebration. She had a special interest in the celebration, she said, because her husband was a member of one of the ball teams which had entertained the crowd. Miss Merkel is the wife of Ronnie Durkin, employed in the statistical department of the Columbia Steel Company.

Honorable John R. Quinn, chairman of the board of supervisors, delivered the dedication address. His speech was brief but expressed his desire that the new enterprise in Torrance should be the greatest benefit to its citizens. He praised this community for its forward-looking spirit and commended all who had been instrumental in bringing about the successful termination of the park enterprise. Incidentally some credit is also due to Mr. Quinn for his aid in supplying some of the funds which paid for labor to improve the park, a portion of which was county money.

The afternoon program closed with the singing of "America" by the audience, lead by Rev. George Elder.

Prior to the program Congressman Charles J. Cullen was introduced and received a big hand from the crowd. In the evening, the young people of the various churches held an inspirational service at 6:30, which was followed by union services at 7:30 which were attended by the largest crowd ever assembled at a religious service in this city, according to those in charge. Some 500 people occupied the benches and listened to a splendid address by Rev. Edwin P. Ryland, of Hollywood, who spoke on the "Trusteeship of Life." Loud speaker arrangements for this service were made by Paul Gillam.

Star Furniture Is Appointed Authorized Dealer Here For Electrolux Gas Refrigerator

Announcement of the appointment of the Star Furniture Company, 1273 Sartori avenue, as authorized dealers for Electrolux—the gas refrigerator—was made today by H. M. Abramson, manager of the Torrance store.

"It is the aim of the Star Furniture Company to offer its patrons a wide and satisfying selection of dependable home needs, and we are particularly pleased that we have secured the dealership for the celebrated Electrolux gas refrigerator. It is endorsed by the Good Housekeeping Institute and is universally recognized as one of the best mechanical refrigerators manufactured," stated Mr. Abramson. "We are confident that when we sell a customer an Electrolux that we have made a life-long friend."

New Principal Is Assigned To Fern Ave. School

Guy Holliday, who has been principal of the Fern avenue school in Torrance for a number of years, has been transferred to the Riggin avenue, Los Angeles school at 2100 West 81st street, and will take up his duties there at once. Mr. Holliday was Torrance yesterday closing up his affairs at the Fern avenue school and turning over the reins to the new principal, Mrs. Oda Vans, who comes here from a post in the San Fernando Valley.

Mrs. Vans resides in Gardena. One or two other changes in personnel will be made at the Fern avenue school this semester, but the names of the new teachers have not yet been announced.

Eastern Conditions Described At Farm Bureau Meeting Fri.

Are we well off out here in Los Angeles county? If you think you are having a hard time, forget your troubles for one evening and go to the Van Nuys high school on Friday evening, August 31, at 8:00 p. m. and hear Mr. W. R. Ewing, poultry authority, talk on "What I Saw During Six Weeks Traveling in the Middle West." This is a chance to get the inside story from one who knows. Dr. V. S. Amundson of the University of California, Davis, has obtained in various experiments carried on at Davis. Mr. Erle Goodall of the farm bureau will give the high lights of the Western farm bureau conference.

This is a real program. Come out and get the information first hand.

CLOTHES STOLEN Frank Higgins reported to the city police that a number of articles of clothing were stolen from the line in the yard at 1622 Cedar avenue this week. The offending party wore tennis shoes, prints of which were found leading to the alley.

of the Montgomery Lumber Company, well-known Torrance musician. All the recreation facilities of the park were taxed to capacity during the day. The outdoor cooking arrangements were in use practically all day, and the playground apparatus drew an overflow crowd of youngsters. That this part of the park will continue to be popular was noted on the following day when all the apparatus was seen to be in use.

Lomita Resident Passes Away Thurs.

Carl Harold Hansen, age 76, passed away at his home, 1859 Lomita boulevard, last Thursday, August 23. Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 25, from Stone & Myers chapel, with interment at Roosevelt Memorial Park. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Eliza Hansen, and one daughter, Mrs. Lillian McCall, of Lomita.

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State Picnics

OKLAHOMA - The annual fall picnic reunion of the Oklahomans will be held in Sycamore Grove Park, all day, Monday, September 3, which is Labor Day, and every one can attend. All the picnic attractions will be offered, county registers, hot coffee, silk badges, popular program.

KANSAS - All who ever lived in Kansas are called to meet for a great picnic reunion, all day, Saturday, September 8, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles.

Torrance Herald Want-Ads reach more than 25,000 persons every Thursday. Read them. Use them.

Newsboys Ark Sleepers TROY, O. (U.P.)—Newsboys would be restrained from crying their headlines between 11 p. m. and 6 a. m. if a proposed councilmanic ordinance passed here. Solons considered the move after newsboys yelled Dillinger extras until 4 a. m.

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