

# India Film Correspondent Addresses Bay Section N. P. B. W. Club Leaders Here

## CALENDAR

### of WEEKLY COMMUNITY EVENTS

**TODAY, APRIL 27**  
6:30 p.m.—Rotary at Legion hall.  
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.  
7:30 p.m.—Townsend Club.  
7:45 p.m.—K. P. Lodge at Redondo Beach.  
8:00 p.m.—Modern Woodmen.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 28**  
9:00 a.m.—Mothers Center.  
7:45 p.m.—Women of the Moose.  
8:00 p.m.—Masons.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 30**  
Services in all the churches.

**MONDAY, MAY 1**  
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis at Daniels cafe.  
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 217.  
7:30 p.m.—N. B. P. W.

**TUESDAY, MAY 2**  
7:30 p.m.—Job's Daughters.  
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 211.  
7:45 p.m.—American Legion.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 3**  
12:30 p.m.—Women's club.  
7:30 p.m.—20-30 Club at Daniels cafe.  
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 218.  
7:45 p.m.—V.F.W. at Gardena.  
8:00 p.m.—Maccabees.

### LOCAL STUDENTS ARE HONORED

Two young Torrance residents, Harriet Johnston and Roy Brown, have just received word at Woodbury College in Los Angeles that they are gold pin winners in the annual Gregg shorthand writing contest and thereby are eligible for consideration as winners in the world wide contest to be announced in June. By their shorthand proficiency, they are also eligible for the Superior Certificate, the highest Gregg shorthand award.

### CARD PARTY TONIGHT

Ladies of the Nativity church, Altar Society will hold a card party this evening at 8:00 p. m. in the Nativity hall corner of Cota and Manuel avenue.

Bridge, pinocle and 500 will be played. Prizes and refreshments. Everyone is invited to attend.

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## Native Movies Scorn U. S. 'Boy-Meets-Girl' Themes

Geneva Nelson of Huntington Beach was elected president of the Bay Section, National Business and Professional Women, Los Angeles District at the quarterly conference held in the American Legion clubhouse on Carson street Monday evening. Grace Bowers, Bay Section president, conducted the business session and presentation of officers. Mrs. Gladys Warner of Wilmington was elected secretary and treasurer of the section.



BETTINA MILLER  
... hostess at next meeting

### Mme Bellini Holds Open House in Los Angeles Studio

Mme. Teala Bellini held open house at her Los Angeles studio, 1933 Burlington avenue, Sunday, April 23, from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m.

More than 100 guests attended the affair at which a most enjoyable program was presented. Dorothy Woodruff, Helen Alice Trafer and Dorothy Seary, pupils of Mme. Bellini rendered piano selections. Robert Laurel, violinist accompanied by Miss Dorothy Woodruff played several numbers. Humorous readings and character sketches were given by Frank Vincent Waddy and Josef Swickard.

Refreshments were served throughout the afternoon.

### P. E. LADIES PLAN ANNUAL MAY PARTY

Pacific Electric Auxiliary will entertain for the Mother club of Los Angeles, Mrs. Mildred Edwards, president of the local ladies is general chairman.

Next meeting of the P. E. Auxiliary will be held at the home of Ethel Miller, 3833 Taylor street, Los Angeles, Friday, May 12. Luncheon will be served at noon. Ladies are asked to leave on the 9:09 car from P. E. Depot.

### FRIENDS HONOR MRS. WILBUR HAMMAN

Baby gifts, including a handsome crib for the expected heir, were showered upon Mrs. Wilbur Hamman at a party given yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. R. Richhart, 1811 Grandview avenue. Interesting games filled the hours, and dainty refreshments were served. Those who participated in the happy event were Mesdames Linnie Richhart, Edna Halsted, Alissa Lancaster, Clara Theobald, Flossie Hamman, Jennie Theobald, Ethel Husbands, Doll Carter, Pearl Miller, Margaret Wright, Pearl Loughran, Nell Eckersley, Ruby Baxstrom, Georgia Mihalovich, Miss Veda May Lore, the honoree Mrs. Hamman and the hostess Mrs. Richhart.

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## Church Women Plan Series of Breakfasts on May 2

### SPANISH DINNER COLORFUL AFFAIR

Nasturtiums in pottery bowls, bright colored pottery dishes and cactus plants fashioned from gum drops made the Spanish dinner served to ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary in the Legion hall Tuesday evening a colorful affair. Covers were placed for 60.

Following the dinner Lucille Lewellen, chairman for the dinner introduced Virginia Crandall, dance teacher who presented her pupils in novelty song and dance numbers. In the group of juvenile entertainers were Donna Hatfield, Janet Lewellen, Cecelia Bidwell, Patty Jo Moore, Shirley Carr, Bobby Young, Leonard Young, Bob Crandall, Joyce Martinez, Marlene Butler, Carol Jacobs, Beverly Wernett and Helen Fay Stitts.

Marie Marsteller co-chairman for the evening then started the scavenger hunt in which prizes were captured by Velora Murphy and her party consisting of Janet Woodington, Alma Smith, Hazel Riggs and Gertrude Boyle. Other party captains awarded prizes were Maude Wakely, Olivia Lee and Ruth Ingold.

### BETTE ELLIOTT FETED AT SHOWER

Miss Mary Frances Greaves entertained at a lingerie shower in her home at Redondo Beach last Thursday evening. The affair served to honor Miss Bette Elliott daughter of Mrs. Tom Hyde, 1608 Post avenue, who on June 1 will become the bride of Melvin Howard.

Indication furnished diversion during the evening with dainty refreshments served at the close to Mesdames Fay Wilson, J. J. Greaves, Tom Hyde, Betty Stevenson Smith, Edith Riley Quayle, Martha Greaves Payne, Misses Shirley Johnson, Jane

## Mal J. Fink Host at Eighth Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Fink, of the El Prado Apartments, were hosts at a lawn party April 21, honoring their son Mal J. Fink on the occasion of his eighth birthday. The party was held on the grounds of St. John's Military school, Los Angeles, where Mal is attending school. Games and refreshments made the afternoon one of happy interest to the young honoree and his guests. Those included were Rev. Father Wineman, the entire group of Sisters, Capt. John Scanlon, Capt. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Fink, Mal's grandparents, Mrs. Ann Carins, Mr. and Mrs. C. Henry Gordon, J. P. Heney and his mother Mrs. Heney, Sr., Mrs. Driscoll, and Mal's fellow students Pat Nealis, Jerry Buckley, Pat Dougherty, Danny Byrne, Philip Homme, Spencer Ramsey, Richard Lock, John Barrymore, Tony Sullivan, Ronnie Adams, Francis Montgomery, Donald Sarkey, Danny Shier, Maynard Smith, Richard Palmer, Sonny Wylie, Al Martin, Jack Sindorf, Lynn Jackson, Jack Magee, John Cronin, Gordon Thibodeaux, Jerry Arter, R. Salazar and James Kennedy.

### LOCAL LADIES SERVE ON COMMITTEE

Gateway and Lomita-San Pedro Councils will entertain the Tenth District California Congress of Parents and Teachers at their regular meeting to be held in San Pedro high school Thursday, May 4.

All local associations will be represented at the session. Luncheon will be served with Mrs. J. O. Bishop first vice president of Gateway Council and active worker in the Torrance high school association as general chairman. Other local hospitality chairmen serving on the committee are Mrs. Marcus Edwards, Mrs. E. Hatter, Mrs. Irene Davis, Mrs. Ruth Page and Mrs. H. W. Hart.

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## WHYTE'S ENTERTAIN FOR HERALD STAFF

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte 1620 Post avenue, entertained at a party and midnight supper for members of the Herald staff in their home last Friday evening.

Bridge and other games furnished diversion during the evening with prizes captured by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Strasser and by W. B. Woodbridge.

Included were Messrs. and Mesdames R. L. Lewellen, L. L. Cleveland, C. L. Jones, Raymond Brooks, Robt. S. Sleeth, Michael Strasser, Misses Lute Fraser, Dorothy Jensen, Messrs. W. B. Woodbridge and Carl Gilbert.

### WOMEN OF THE MOOSE WEEKLY DOINGS

Opal Williams, senior regent of Torrance No. 44 Women of the Moose, will entertain the officers and committee chairmen in her home, 1652 West 144 street, Gardena next Tuesday evening, May 2.

Fourth of the series of card parties will be held in the hall 1951 Carson street, Friday, April 28, at 8:00 p. m. Bridge, buncle, pinocle and 500 will be played.

## Garden Party Held at Home of Edith Weiss

Mrs. Elva Koltan served as co-hostess with Mrs. Edith Weiss at the luncheon held in the garden at the Weiss home, 716 Border avenue, last Friday. Covers were placed for 70 including members of the Hawthorne Woman's Relief Corps, the Stephen A. Phillips Relief Corps and Woman's Benefit Association of Torrance.

Distinguished guests were Rev. E. W. Maiz, Rev. E. E. Banks, and Helen Will, past president of the Inglewood Woman's Relief Corps. Brief talks were given by two masters, Mrs. Edith Butler, president of the Woman's Benefit association, Mable Webb, president of the Stephen A. Phillips Relief Corps, Nerya Becker of Hawthorne and Grace Briggs of Redondo Beach.

Next meeting of the local corps which sponsored the luncheon will be held in Torrance Social hall Thursday, May 4.

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